



Idaho State Police Forensic Services



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Education:

2018 – 2020 Arcadia University
Master of Science – Forensic Science

2013 – 2017 The College of Idaho
Bachelor of Science – Biology and Spanish

Experience:

09/2022 – Present Idaho State Police Forensic Services
Forensic Scientist II (Biology/DNA Casework)

09/2020 – 09/2022 Idaho State Police Forensic Services
Forensic Scientist I (Biology/DNA Casework)

01/2020 – 04/2020 Center for Forensic Science Research and Education
Forensic Biology Intern

Professional Organizations; Committees; Working Groups:

2019 – Present American Academy of Forensic Sciences – Criminalistics

Testimony:

2022 Ada County, Idaho

Continuing Education; Association Meetings; Conferences:

2022 8th Annual Workshop on STRmix™ Implementation and Casework
Approach (ESR)
Forensic DNA Conference (BODE)
Forensic Relationship Statistics Training (Marshall University)
STRmix Probabilistic software and LR Training Workshop (ESR)

2021 7th Annual Workshop on STRmix™ Implementation and Casework
Approach (ESR)

2020 American Academy of Forensic Sciences Conference (AAFS)

<https://isp.idaho.gov/forensics>

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Research:

05/2019 – 05/2020

Decomposing on Carpet: The Effect of Differing Initial Body Condition on the Process of Decomposition in Rats on a Carpet Substrate
Arcadia University, Glenside, PA

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