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5th NC State Forensic Science Symposium

December 4, 2012

Convocation Room, College of Textiles

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Agenda

- 8:00 Registration
- 9:00 **Welcome**
David Hinks *Director, Forensic Sciences Institute
North Carolina State University*
- 9:15 **Advancing Forensic Human DNA Analysis**
Dr. Tracey Dawson-Cruz *Associate Professor
Department of Forensic Science and Biology
Graduate Director, Forensic Science
Virginia Commonwealth University*
- 10:00 *Break*
- 10:30 **Advancing Forensic Evidence Analysis & Disaster Preparedness**
Dr. Jason Byrd *Associate Director
Maples Center for Forensic Medicine
University of Florida*
- 11:15 **Advances in Forensic Analytical Chemistry using Mass Spectrometry**
Dr. Nelson Vinueza-Benitez *Post doctoral fellow
Department of Chemistry
Purdue University*
- 12:00 *Lunch, networking, and poster session*
- 12:45 **Firearms/Toolmarks Oversold, Understudied and at a Tipping Point?**
Dr. Clifford Spiegelman *Distinguished Professor
Department of Statistics
Texas A&M*
- 1:30 **Introduction to the Likelihood Ratio Framework For the Analysis of Forensic Evidence**
Dr. Geoffrey Stewart Morrison *Director, Forensic Voice Comparison Laboratory
School of Electrical Engineering &
Telecommunications
University of New South Wales, Australia*
- 2:15 *Break*
- 2:30 **Panel Discussion: The Future of Forensic Science Research and Academics**
All speakers
- 3:15 **Closing Remarks**
- 3:30 **Adjourn**