

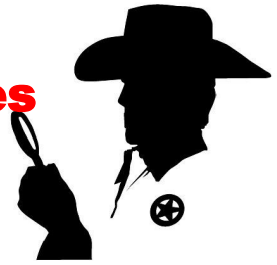
Blood, Bullets & More: Investigating Violent Crime Scenes

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Hosted by: Galveston County Sheriff's Office

March 25 - 27, 2024



LOCATION: 601 - 54th Street Galveston, TX

TIME: 8AM to 5PM

ABOUT THE COURSE

The program is taught from a hands-on point of view from investigators and forensic practitioners active in the field. The class is intended for law enforcement officers, crime scene investigators, evidence technicians and crime laboratory personnel involved in the investigation, identification, collection and preservation of evidence at violent crime scenes. The objective is to provide information needed to ensure critical pieces of evidence will be collected, fewer cases will be jeopardized by mishandled evidence and more cases will be solved through the proper use of these advanced investigative techniques. Participants will have the opportunity to apply newly acquired knowledge with practical exercises. **PREREQUISITE: None.**

YOU WILL LEARN

- Recognize Types of Bloodstains Associated with Violent Crimes
- Proper Documentation, Collection, and Packaging Techniques for Bloodstain Evidence
- Proper Documentation, Collection, and Packaging Techniques for Firearms Evidence
- Methods to Detect, Photograph and Enhance Latent Bloodstain Evidence
- Use of Trajectory Rods and Lasers to Demonstrate Bullet Pathways
- Photographic Methods to Paint with Light and Lasers
- Equipment Selection and Use for Crimes Scenes with Bloodstain and Firearms Evidence
- Investigative Protocols for Violent Crime Scenes
- Recognize Biohazards and Personnel Safety Procedures

ABOUT THE INSTRUCTORS



Rudy Flores started his career in 1982, serving as a deputy sheriff, and municipal police officer before joining the Texas Department of Public Safety, where he served as a Trooper, Sergeant and Texas Ranger. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Excelsior College and is a graduate of the Leadership Command College at Sam Houston State University. Retiring in 2015, he continues to work as a professional trainer and consultant. Rudy is now the Sheriff of Anderson County, Texas.



Nick Webb retired in 2010 with over 20 years of service as a municipal police officer. His last position was as the Palestine (Texas) Police Department Patrol Division Commander (Lieutenant). He holds an Associates of Science degree from Trinity Valley Community College and is a graduate of the FBI National Academy. After retirement he served as an investigator at the Henderson County (Texas) Sheriff's Office (2010-2015). He is now the Chief Deputy of the Anderson County Sheriff's Office.

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THIS COURSE IS APPROVED FOR 24 HOURS CREDIT BY THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT THROUGH THE HOST AGENCY.

REGISTRATION

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Galveston, TX

Fee \$395

**** \$495 after March 15th, 2024 ****

No Refund on Early Registration. (substitutions are allowed)

TO REGISTER FOR THIS CLASS, FOLLOW THE 3 EASY STEPS LISTED BELOW.

STEP 1 - Identify Payment Method: Check Credit Card Cash PO#: _____

STEP 2 - Fill out the student registration information (one student per form please):

Student Name: _____ Texas PID#: _____

Agency: _____

Agency Address: _____

Student Phone: _____ Student Email: _____

Invoice Contact: _____

Invoice Phone: _____ Invoice Email: _____

STEP 3: Mail or Email this form to the address or number listed below.

EMAIL: register@txfact.com

MAIL: TxFACT, LLC

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Palestine, TX 75801

Make Checks Payable to:

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PAYMENT

We gladly accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, Department Purchase Orders, Checks and Cash. If paying by credit card, please check the above "Credit Card" box. We will email you an invoice with a secure link for payment. **DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR CREDIT CARD NUMBER ON THE REGISTRATION FORM**

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT & DRESS CODE

Notetaking Materials. Exercises will emphasize the use of digital photography. A camera with manual function, tripod, shutter release cable, flash and a flashlight are suggested for the practical exercises.

Clothing appropriate for a law enforcement agency. No flip-flops, shorts, open-toed shoes or tank tops.

FOR INFORMATION: (903) 922-0057 OR RUDY@TXFACT.COM