

Forensic Science: Using Science to Solve Crimes



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Abstract:

Forensic science is rapidly growing and intrinsically rewarding career that many students are interested in pursuing. This interactive seminar covers what forensic science is and what it is not. This includes how forensic scientists think, what questions forensic science can answer, the role forensic science plays in the judicial process, the profound impact the media and shows like CSI have had on the field, and the academic background students interested in this field should pursue.

Intended Audience / Background:

The material is prepared at a level appropriate for a general audience, including non-science majors.