

Direzione Ricerca, Innovazione e Internazionalizzazione

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VP 029 CHIM/STF

Visiting Professor Program Academic Year 2025/2026

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 12 hours

COURSE TITLE

Crime Scene Investigation and Introduction to Forensic Pathology

TEACHING PERIOD

II semester

SCIENTIFIC AREA

Forensic Chemistry

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

Italian

COURSE SUMMARY

The main objective of the course is to integrate the preparation in chemistry with the knowledge of the most common procedures of enforcement of a judicial inspection, video-camera registrations, enhancement, classification, collection, storage and custody of finds, verbalization, testing and experimental comparisons, typical of forensic science. Beside this aspect, this course is aimed to educate students towards the study/investigation of samples/results/evidence whose characterization has crucial consequences on the health of citizens or their criminal prosecution.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Acquisition of chemical knowledge, and understanding thereof, of criminalistics, with elements of knowledge peculiar to related or contiguous professions (examination of the crime scene, acquisition of exhibits and their characterization) and forensic medicine.

OTHER ACTIVITIES BESIDE THE COURSE

A conference to PhD students and research fellows is planned on the application of natural sciences (entomology, taphonomy and aquatic biology) to crime scene investigation.

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

The profile corresponds to a forensic and natural science biologist or chemist (entomology, taphonomy, and aquatic biology) experienced in crime scene investigations. Experience as a forensic science researcher and lecturer/instructor is required.

CONTACT REFERENT

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