



ACADEMY OF FORENSIC MEDICAL SCIENCES

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DIPLOMA COURSE IN THE FORENSIC MEDICAL SCIENCES (DipFMS COURSE)

#	LECTURE TOPIC	LECTURER
Lecture 1	The forensic autopsy	Prof. Peter Vanezis, Dr Julian Burton
Lecture 2	The role of the Coroner in death investigation	Dr Roy Palmer
Lecture 3	Forensic psychiatry	Dr Vivek Khosla
Lecture 4	Interpretation of Injuries	Prof. Peter Vanezis
Lecture 5	Forensic DNA analysis	Dr D. SyndercombeCourt
Lecture 6	Role of anthropology and archaeology in death investigation	Dr Caroline Sturdy Colls
Lecture 7	Medico-legal issues and the Doctor	Dr George Fernie
Lecture 8	Forensic odontology	Dr Phil Marsden
Lecture 9	Alcohol, Drugs and Driving	Prof. Atholl Johnston
Lecture 10	Recreational Drugs and the Law	Prof. Atholl Johnston
Lecture 11	Asphyxia and related deaths including drowning	Prof. Peter Vanezis
Lecture 12	Forensic expertise in an international setting	Mr O. Finnegan
Lecture 13	Role of the Prosecution and the Role of the Defence	Dr Tracy Elliott
Lecture 14	The expert witness	Dr Tracy Elliott
Lecture 15	Sudden death – natural causes?	Dr L. Clarke, Dr S. Jeetle and Prof. M. Sheaff
	CHRISTMAS BREAK	
Lecture 16	The management of major trauma – medico-legal considerations	Dr Meng Aw-Yong
Lecture 17	Head injuries	Prof. Colin Smith
Lecture 18	Examination of detainees	Dr Jason Payne-James
Lecture 19	Deaths in custody	Prof. Peter Vanezis
Lecture 20	Mass disaster management	Commander N. Bracken
Lecture 21	Fires & explosions; scientific & medical aspects	Mr David Halliday, Dr David Rouse
Lecture 22	Paediatric forensic medicine/pathology	Dr Irene Scheimberg, Prof. Peter Vanezis Dr Sarah Thurlbeck
Lecture 23	Crime scene investigation	Ms Joanne Millington, Prof. Peter Vanezis
Lecture 24	Forensic science in crime investigation	Ms Joanne Millington
Lecture 25	Forensic entomology and Diagnosing death and signs and changes after death / time of death	Dr Martin Hall and Prof. Peter Vanezis
Lecture 26	Drugs and Poisons Detection and interpretation	Prof. Atholl Johnston
Lecture 27	Elementary ballistics and firearm injuries	Prof. Markus Rothschild
Lecture 28	Investigation of sexual offences	Dr Helena Thornton
Lecture 29	Forensic imaging	Prof. Ian Roberts
Lecture 30	Clinical and pathological aspects of alcohol and drug abuse	Prof. Peter Vanezis