Washington Association of Coroners and Medical Examiners

WACME Annual Training Conference
May 17th to 20th, 2015

Location: LaQunita Inn & Suites
1425 East 27th Street
Tacoma, Washington

Sunday, May 17, 2015

1700 – 1900 Registration
Meet and Greet – Hors d’oeuvres

Monday, May 18, 2015

0700 – 0800 Breakfast – provided

0800 – 1200 Suicide by Saw – Violent Death Case Studies
Pam Schmidt, Criminalistics Specialist
North Port Police Department, North Port, Florida

1200 – 1300 Lunch – provided

1300 – 1500 NamUs – uses and updates
Dr. Emily Craig, Ph.D., Regional System Administrator
National Missing & Unidentified Persons System

1500 – 1700 Anthropological Procedures
Dr. Kathrine Taylor, State Forensic Anthropologist
King County Medical Examiner’s Office
Dr. Guy Tasa, Ph.D., State Physical Anthropologist
Washington State Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation

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Tuesday, May 19, 2015

0700 – 0800  Breakfast – provided

0800 – 1200  D.C. Sniper Case Study – ViCap
              FBI Special Agent Robert Lanciault – BAU4
              FBI Crimes Against Adults/Violent Criminal Apprehension Program

1200 – 1300  Working Lunch – provided
1200 – 1230  Opiate Reporting Guidelines
              Jennifer Sabel, Ph.D. Injury and Violence Prevention Epidemiologist
              Washington State Department of Health
1230 – 1300  Violent Death Reporting System
              Taylor Schraudner, MHPA, Project Manager,
              Washington State Department of Health

1300 – 1700  Violent Wound Identification
              Forensic Pathologist Dr. Cliff Nelson, MD
              Cowlitz County, Washington, Oregon State Medical Examiner’s Office

1800 – 2000  WACME Business Meeting / Banquet
Wednesday, May 20, 2015

0700 – 0800  Breakfast – provided

0800 – 1200  Violent Crime Case Studies – Medical Evidence
Dr. Henry Lee, PhD
Founder - Henry C. Lee Institute of Forensic Science

1200 – 1300  Lunch – provided

1300 – 1500  Investigative Lessons Learned Oso Landslide
Carlos Colon, D-ABMDI, Medical Examiner Investigator
Snohomish County Medical Examiner’s Office

1500 – 1600  K9 SAR: Lessons Learned, 2014 Highway 530 / Oso Landslide
Suzanne Elshult, M.A., Certified Handler and Airscent Lead,
Snohomish County Volunteer Search and Rescue/Everett Mountain Rescue

Guy Mansfield, Ph.D., Certified K9 Field Support,
Snohomish County Volunteer Search and Rescue/Everett Mountain Rescue