

Virginia Department of Forensic Science
Impression Evidence Photography, Collection and Preservation
For Crime Scene Investigators
Manassas, VA
October 20 – 21, 2026

Tuesday, October 20th:

- 8:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Impression Evidence Lecture
Wendy Travis - Forensic Scientist Senior
- 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Basic Photography Principles
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Equipment Sign-Out
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Camera, Flash & Tripod Familiarization
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Impression Evidence Photography
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. 3D Impressions: Photography Exercises

Wednesday, October 21st:

- 8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Download, Convert (TIFF) and Save Images
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Review Images
- 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. 2D Impressions: Photography and Recovery Exercises
- 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch
- 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. 3D Impressions: Photography and Recovery Exercises