President's Message

July 31st I participated with Gerry LaPorte from NIJ and Past-President Laura Sudkamp on a National Governor’s Association briefing regarding sexual assault kit inventories, tracking, and lab processing. As announced in a previous CLM, Director Sudkamp will be leading the initiative for ASCLD this year to address sexual assault kit tracking. It was a pleasure to present information from Idaho as Director Sudkamp shared information from Kentucky. We welcome any states struggling with sexual assault kit inventory or tracking to reach out to us for resources and help. We are eager to kick off this initiative. We hope to partner even more with the NGA on this and other initiatives.
Stephanie Madon

Invitation to Participate in a Forensic Science Study

I am a professor of psychology at Iowa State University, and the Principal Investigator of a federally-funded research study that aims to quantify the validity of cartridge case ... Study

August 1st I met with the International Association for Identification (IAI) at their annual meeting in San Antonio. It was a great pleasure to represent ASCLD to their Board and share ideas about how our organizations can work together even more effectively. We discussed participation in the US ISO TAG 272, the ASCLD stress and trauma working group, the ASCLD accreditation initiative, and our mutual interests in national advocacy efforts. www.theiai.org
Synthetic Cannabinoid (5F-ADB) contamination in Heroin/Fentanyl in Philadelphia

The Center for Forensic Science Research and Education at the Fredric Rieders Foundation is actively monitoring activity in NPS supply in the United States and Internationally. You have been identified as a stakeholder in the process of notifying US public health and public safety agencies, and other international entities of the appearance of these novel ... message full report here

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June 2018 Newsletter  Special Edition - Opioid Bills

Please find pending legislation regarding the opioid crisis. This is NOT an appropriation of funding and these bills are only the ones that have passed one body of the Congress as of June 22, 2018. The Congress intends to roll many of these bills into a single

These research reports have been submitted by the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) especially for their relevance to crime laboratory activities. ASCLD has not reviewed nor does it necessarily endorse the findings of this research.
Opioid Bill that will move forward.

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