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President's Message

ASCLD congratulates the US TAG TC 272 on the publication of the first ISO standard in forensic sciences! I want to personally thank the US TAG TC 272 Chair Erin Forry and Secretariat Jody Wolf as well as former Chair Kermit Channel and former Secretariat Soraya McClung for all their leadership on this initiative. Further, I want to express appreciation to the many ASCLD members participating on the TAG, including Erin Forry, Jody Wolf, Jan Girten, Jay Henry, Catherine Knutson, Laurel Farrell, Pam Sale, Lori Nix, Kermit Channel, and Soraya McClung

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President's Corner



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The Scientific Working Group for the Analysis of Seized Drugs (SWGDRUG) has posted the DRAFT document "SUPPLEMENTAL DOCUMENT SD-7 Construction of an Analytical Scheme" for review by the forensic science community. SWGDRUG has also posted updates to the core recommendations for "Part IIIB- Methods of Analysis/Analytical Scheme for Identification of Drugs or Chemicals" for community review as well. Both documents can be found at <http://www.swgdrug.org/pending.htm>

Responses from the community will be collected until October 13, 2018. - [Bulletin](#)

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NMS Labs in collaboration with the Department of Justice, Organized

Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force (OCDETF), and the Center for Forensic Science Research and Education (CFSRE) at the Fredric Rieders Family Foundation, ... [Report](#)

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NIJ's existing Forensic Science Technology Working Group - [Learn more about this group](#) and review the operational requirements they have developed annually since 2013.

OSAC News

Three new standards for inclusion on the [OSAC Registry](#). July 9, 2018 - [OSAC Standards Bulletin, July 2018 Now Available](#)



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Register by August 24

Register by August 24 for the 12th annual offering of the Forensic Management Academy certificate program taking place on September 9-14, 2018 at the Allegheny County Medical Examiner's Office in Pittsburgh, PA. [Click here for the schedule of events.](#)



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ASCLD Partnerships

Consortium of Forensic Science Organizations

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- International Association for Identification
- National Association of Medical Examiners
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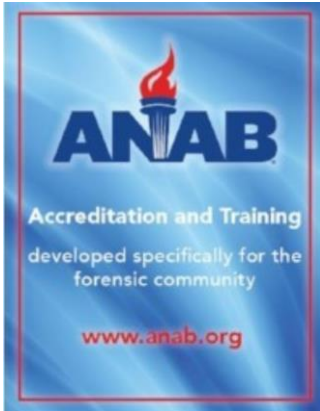
[Special Edition - Opioid Bills](#)

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 Opioid Bill that will move forward

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.

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Iowa State University Forensic Science Study

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** ...More about the Study

CSAFE Survey

You are being asked to participate in a research study on forensic reporting practices. The purpose is to understand how forensic results are being reported in crime laboratories right now. The survey is being administered by The Center for Statistics and Applications in Forensic Evidence (CSAFE).

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Cedar Crest Survey

Cedar Crest College's accredited forensic science program is conducting a survey to determine current methods of presumptive and confirmation testing in laboratories to guide our research efforts and curriculum.

DNA Analysis Methods

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DNAanalysismethods>

We greatly appreciate your assistance; please let me know if you have any questions.

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Thank you.

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