



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CRIME LABORATORY DIRECTORS

"Excellence through leadership in forensic science management"

President's Message

ASCLD is extremely pleased to be launching a new committee approved at the Atlanta ASCLD [Board meeting](#). The committee will coordinate all of the ASCLD efforts on various organizations with interests in creating and promoting standards, accreditation, and certification. ASCLD will bring the QIC, FSSB, ABC, ISO TAG, ASB, and other liaisons and quality/standard related task groups under this new committee. Director Erin Forry will chair the committee. The committee name and description will be approved at the July ASCLD [Board meeting](#).

[Message](#)



President's Corner

[Ninth Annual Prescription for Criminal Justice Forensics Program](#)

[ABA Forensic Conference Presentations](#)

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](#)



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



ASCLD Partnerships

Consortium of Forensic Science Organizations

- American Academy of Forensic Sciences
- American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law
- American Society of Crime Laboratory Directors
- International Association for Identification
- National Association of Medical Examiners
- Society of Forensic Toxicologists and American Board of Forensic Toxicology



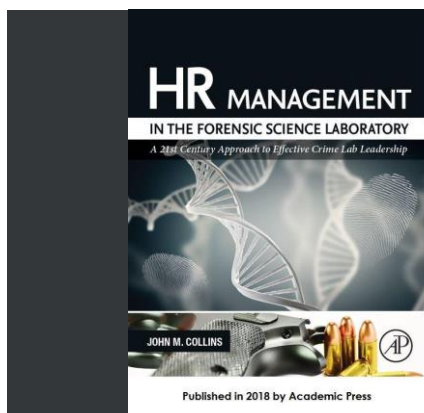
[June 2018 Newsletter](#)

[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 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.

[J Forensic Science V11](#)



Leadership Tools

This is a special ASCLD [symposium](#) offer at 10% below the list price

<https://criticalvictories.com/forensics/hrbook/>

Foresight 20/20

The American Society of Crime Laboratory Directors (ASCLD) has received funding from the [Laura and John Arnold Foundation](#) to develop software that will transfer data from forensic Laboratory Information Management Systems (LIMS) to [FORESIGHT](#), a [business quantitative](#) process tailored to forensic laboratories.

[Release](#)

Laura and John Arnold

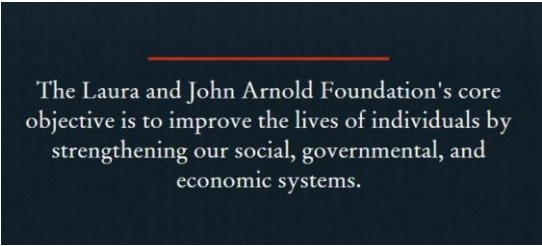
LJAF is working to address this problem by funding organizations that are conducting high-quality research, promoting transparency and data sharing in the scientific process, and supporting replication experiments to verify the accuracy of important findings..

[Website](#)



Foresight 20/20 Press Release – May 2018

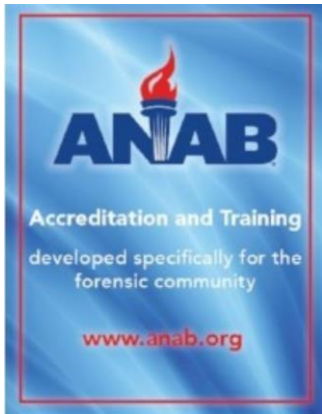
The goal of the project, called FORESIGHT 20/20, will be to allow laboratories to easily upload business-relevant information from their individual LIMS to the FORESIGHT project, hosted at West Virginia University.



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[ChemCentre Expert Solutions](http://www.chemcentre.com.au)



[CFSO Flash Brief](http://www.cfsos.org)

Membership Survey Items

The ASCLD Crime Lab Minute has been sent through MailChimp and Constant Contact. We are testing a new format for the newsletter and requesting feedback from membership. If you are not receiving a CLM from Constant Contact or MailChimp, please send [an email](mailto:office@asclcd.org) to office@asclcd.org. Thank you.

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