New Program Offering:
Tenprint Examiner Training

In partnership with the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) [www.ojp.usdoj.gov/nij](http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/nij), the National Forensic Science Technology Center (NFSTC) [www.nfstc.org](http://www.nfstc.org) is pleased to announce that Tenprint Examiner Training will be provided at no cost to eligible applicants under an NIJ Cooperative Agreement Award (#2009-DN-BX-K198).

This training program is designed to lead a cohort group of entry level tenprint examiner trainees through sequential course offerings in preparation for taking the International Association for Identification (IAI) certification examination ([http://www.theiai.org/certifications/tenprint/index.php](http://www.theiai.org/certifications/tenprint/index.php)).

The Tenprint Examiner Training program consists of four onsite instructional sessions at the NFSTC training facilities in Largo, FL.

Please read full announcement text containing program requirements and link to online application.


To be eligible for participation in this training program, applicants must:

- Work for a U.S. publicly funded State, local or tribal agency as a professional practitioner in law enforcement or forensic services
- Possess the visual acuity to examine small details under magnification
- Possess a reasonable level of skill in English, arithmetic, computer keyboarding and word processing
- Have access to the following resources at home or agency for the duration of the Tenprint Examiner Training Program:
  - Computer with Internet access (Note: computers will be provided for onsite training classes)
  - Software: word processing (preferably MS Word) and Excel
  - 4x power magnifier
  - Ridge counter

Applicants selected to attend the program will be required to:

- Obtain agency approval and provide documentation to the NFSTC (approval form will be provided)
- Successfully complete visual acuity and form blindness tests (tests will be provided)
- Provide written verification that all eligibility requirements are met (verification form will be provided)

Course delivery begins in January 2011 and concludes in April 2011.

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