Latent Print Examiner

Highlights:

- Become a part of a dynamic forensics team that inspires professional growth and development!
- Join forces with dedicated forensic experts at the FBI to champion the agency's mission, elevating your experience by working in a fully operational government laboratory, collaborating closely with skilled forensics experts.
- Enjoy the opportunity to collaborate directly with the forensic teams at the FBI laboratory, gaining hands-on experience with cutting-edge investigative techniques and advanced scientific analysis methods. This role offers a unique insight into the operations of a premier national agency, allowing for professional growth and the application of skills in real-world criminal investigations.

Typical Day:

The LPE (Non-Testifying) performs defined and directed comparisons of friction ridge detail of latent prints and uses the appropriate alternative reporting mechanism.

Tasks:

- Interact with other forensic staff to ensure a high quality product of latent print analysis and examination.
- Analyze images of latent prints to determine value for comparison.
- Encode, launch, and conduct automated latent print searches using LD's NGI system, or appropriate automated searching platform.
- Screen the results of the searches and conduct any necessary comparisons.
- May conduct comparisons of latent prints with known fingerprints, palm prints, complete friction ridge exemplars and other latent prints to determine source attribution, as appropriate.
- Prepare all required documentation for the case file relative to position, to include appropriate reporting mechanisms.
- Use current database(s) and software program(s) for evidence inventory, tracking, and flow; and, documentation for the case file relative to the position.
- Complete and pass the LD latent print discipline training requirements and appropriate latent print competency test within the time period as set forth by the BG.
- Complete and pass a yearly proficiency test in the area of latent print comparisons from an independent external vendor, if available, or one created internally if no such external test is available.

Required Qualifications:

- Education: High School Diploma or equivalent
- Experience: At least five (5) years of recent experience as a latent print examiner.
- Basic computer skills, to include use of Microsoft Office programs (Word, Excel, Access, and Outlook)

- Organization skills
- Flexibility and adaptability to changing priorities
- Exceptional ability to analyze complex or challenging latent prints
- Strong verbal and written communication skills.
- Certifications: Current International Association for Identification (IAI) Latent Print certificate

Desired Qualifications:
- Education: Prefer B.S. degree with at least twenty-four (24) credit hours in the Physical Sciences
- Preference of experience in an accredited laboratory.

Position Type Shift Information:
  - o Normal Day Shift

US Citizenship: US citizenship required

Clearance: Top Secret clearance required

Location: Huntsville, AL

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