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**CSI CERTIFICATION TEST
PREPARATION, CCSI, CCSA, CSCSA**

By

Jan Johnson, CSCSA

Retired Senior Crime Laboratory Analyst

Certified by State of Florida in Crime Scene

Analysis and Bloodstain Pattern Analysis Certified by

the IAI in Crime Scene Analysis

ABOUT YOUR INSTRUCTOR:

Jan Johnson is retired from the State of Florida with over forty years of experience in law enforcement. After ten years with the FBI, Jan made the transition to crime scene analysis. She is recognized by the International Association of Identification (IAI) as a Certified Senior Crime Scene Analyst (CSCSA) and worked for FDLE in Pensacola, Florida for over twenty-two years. As a laboratory analyst and crime scene examiner, Jan's field of experience includes detection, collection, and preservation of physical evidence, bloodstain pattern analysis, trajectory analysis, buried body and skeletal remains recovery, clandestine laboratories, and numerous other procedures involving crime scene investigations. Due to her expertise in bloodstain pattern analysis along with crime scene reconstruction and analysis, Jan has testified in hundreds of criminal cases as an expert witness. Before retiring in 2004, she spent three years with the Escambia County Sheriff's Office as the Supervisor of the Crime Scene Latent Print Units, as well as overseer of ECSO's state-of-the-art Crime Laboratory, which she designed. Jan also served in the highly distinguished role of President of the IAI in 2004, Chairman of the Board in 2005, and considers herself honored to have been on the IAI's original Crime Scene Certification Board. Jan served as the President for the Florida Division of the IAI in 2007 as well as Chairman of the Board in 2008 and continues to serve on various committees within both the IAI and Florida Division of the IAI. Jan has taught numerous courses in the areas of both Crime Scene, Bloodstain Pattern Analysis, Shooting Reconstruction and Crime Scene Reconstruction, to name a few, here in the United States as well as abroad, including Canada, South Africa, Brazil, Bermuda, Costa Rica, and El Salvador.



JAN JOHNSON, CSCSA.
*INSTRUCTOR MAY CHANGE

COURSE DATES: SEPTEMBER 11 - 15, 2023
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

LOCATION: HOOVER POLICE DEPARTMENT
TRAINING FACILITY
850 MUNICIPAL LANE
HOOVER, AL 35244

*TEST DAY IS FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH
IF YOU DO NOT PLAN TO TAKE THE TEST
THEN CLASS WILL END ON THURSDAY.*

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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

IAI CRIME SCENE CERTIFICATION PREPARATION COURSE : Designed for Levels CCSI, CCSA, CSCSA

This course is specifically designed with the goal of enabling students to pass whichever crime scene certification level examination that they are preparing for in the near future. This is a concentrated and fast-moving review of either two or three books depending on the examination that you are testing to pass. Every book review will have pre-testing and post-testing composed of hundreds of extracted questions covering every chapter so that students will know their areas of strengths and weaknesses. Whether novice or experienced, this class is a must for maximizing the chances of successfully passing the examinations to improve your credentials and professionalism by becoming certified in the crime scene specialty. Students who attend this course will have a distinct advantage over those who have not attended this dedicated and intensive review course when it comes to testing for the IAI certification examinations.

As always, the International Association for Identification Crime Scene Certification Board will work with the host and hosting facility to facilitate a proctor being present for the last day of class in order for the students to sit for the examination. If you wish test after this course, you *must* have your application submitted and approved at least (60) days prior to testing and be familiar with the application requirements that can be found at the following link: https://www.theiai.org/crime_scene.php

THIS COURSE IS A BOOK REVIEW:

In order to maximize benefits from taking this course, any registrant *must* read and bring each book used for the module being tested or studied for, listed below.

Certified Crime Scene Investigator (CCSI)

Note: A new exam will be implemented as of 10/1/2022. Test questions will include information from this new reference (Gardner).

- Practical Crime Scene Processing and Investigation, 3rd edition, by Ross M. Gardner, 2019, CRC Press.

Note: Exams taken after 10/1/2022 will include All Chapters and glossary EXCEPT chapters 1, and 10 thru 12 in the following book:

- Crime Scene Photography, 3rd Edition, by Edward Robinson, 2016, Academic Press-Elsevier, Inc.

Certified Crime Scene Analyst (CCSA)

- Crime Scene Photography, 3rd Edition, by Edward Robinson, 2016, Academic Press-Elsevier, Inc. (All Chapters EXCEPT 1, Subchapters 9.4, 9.6 and 9.7, and Chapters 10 thru 12)
- Techniques of Crime Scene Investigation, 8th edition by Fisher, Barry and Fisher, David, 2012, CRC Press

Certified Senior Crime Scene Analyst (CSCSA)

- Crime Scene Photography, 3rd Edition, by Edward Robinson, 2016, Academic Press-Elsevier, Inc. (All Chapters EXCEPT 1, Subchapters 9.4, 9.6 and 9.7, and Pages 712-735)
- Effective Expert Witnessing: Practices for the 21st Century, 5th ed. By Matson, Jack V., 2013, CRC Press (All chapters EXCEPT 8 and 9)
- Forensic Science: An Introduction to Scientific and Investigative Techniques, 4th edition by James, Stuart H., Nordby, Jon J., and Bell, Suzanne, 2013, CRC Press

COURSE TOPICS:

- Equipment Needs
- Crime Scene Safety
- Scene Security
- Photography
- Search Techniques
- Note Taking
- General Documentation of Physical Evidence
- Sketching Measurements
- Biological Evidence Detection & Collection
- Trace Evidence
- Latent Impression Evidence
- Shoe & Tire Track Evidence
- Tool Mark Evidence
- Firearms Evidence
- Proper Evidence Packaging Techniques
- Report Writing
- Courtroom Testimony
- Basically, Covers Questions from Nearly Every Chapter in each Book That is to be Studied.



WHAT TO BRING TO CLASS:

Casual attire is suitable. Pen, papers, highlighter, note cards for note taking. A laptop computer is recommended but not required.

EXTREMELY IMPORTANT!!!
NEW READING/TESTING
MATERIALS

AS OF 10/1/2022!!

<<< SEE BOTTOM OF COURSE
DESCRIPTION FOR LIST OF NEW
MATERIALS!!

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This course is designed to assist in the preparation for the IAI Crime Scene Investigator Certification- CCSI, CCSA and CSCSA examination. It would be beneficial to Crime Scene Investigators, Detectives, Officers and anyone else wishing to seek IAI Certification whether or not they plan to take the exam during this class week.

