Kayla Brown

Forensic Scientist III

Ada County Sheriff's Office Forensic Laboratory
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

July 2013- Present

• Forensic Scientist III

Ada County Sheriff's Office Forensic Lab, Boise, ID

Primarily responsible for processing crime scenes, drug analysis, footwear/tire tread comparison and evidence submitted for latent fingerprints.

August 2019-Present

• General Topics Instructor

Idaho Peace Officer Standards and Training

Instruct law enforcement training courses related to evidence collection and crime scene processing.

EDUCATION

Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, NE **Master of Forensic Science**

Iowa State University, Ames, IA Bachelor of Arts, Chemistry and Criminal Justice

CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Crime Scene Analyst March 2017

International Association for Identification

Drug Analysis October 2018

American Board of Criminalistics

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Association of Firearm and Tool Mark Examiners (AFTE) 2020-Present

Clandestine Laboratory Investigating Chemists (CLIC) 2016-Present

Northwest Association of Forensic Scientists (NWAFS) 2019-Present

International Association for Identification
Student Member

Student Member 2011-2013 Active Member 2013-2017

SPECIALIZED TRAINING

Remingtion 870/AR-15 Armorer's Course 32 hours March 2021

Triton Training Group

Firearm Suppressors: Their History, Design and Testing 12 hours February 2021

California Criminalistics Institute

Effective Preparation for Evidentiary Hearings 3 hours January 2021

Nichols Forensic Science Consulting

Current Trends in Seized Drug Analysis 12 hours January 2021

The Center for Forensic Research and Education

Crime Scene, Quality Control, Drugs 12 hours October 2020

Southwest Association of Forensic Scientists Conference

Academy Ammunition Reloading 3.5 hours July 2020

California Criminalistics Institute

Digital Imaging for the Firearms Examiner 40 hours March 2020

California Criminalistics Institute

Firearms and Toolmarks Introduction I Lab 40 hours February 2020 California Criminalistics Institute

Advanced Firearms Safety 24 hours January 2020

California Criminalistics Institute

Fundamental Manufacturing Processes 16 hours Dec. 2019 and Feb. 2020 California Criminalistics Institute

Firearms and Toolmarks Introduction I 80 hours December 2019

California Criminalistics Institute

Gunshot Residue and Distance Determination 40 hours November 2019
California Criminalistics Institute

Instructor Development 40 hours May 2019

Idaho POST

Aquatic Death and Homicidal Drowning Investigation 16 hours Lifeguard Systems		March 2019
Forensic Chemist Seminar Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)	40 hours	March 2019
Court Testimony, General Sessions Northwest Association of Forensic Scientist	20 hours s Conference	September 2018
Processing and Reconstructing Shooting Scenes Matthew Noedel-Noedel Scientific	40 hours	June 2018
Drug Recognition Expert Course Idaho POST	80 hours	May 2018
Forensic Toxicology Instrumentation Techniques and Applications The Center for Forensic Science Research as	100 hours	January-May 2018
Forensic Pharmacology The Center for Forensic Science Research as	15 hours nd Education	December 2017
Robert Borkenstein Course: Effects of Drugs on Human Performance and Behavior The Center for Forensic Science Research as	36 hours nd Education	October 2017
Specialized Drug Training Workshop and Seminar Clandestine Laboratory Investigating Chemi		September 2017
Drug Chemistry Training Manual Ada County Sheriff's Office		January 2017
Advanced Reconstruction & Major Scene Logistics National Crime Investigation and Training	50 hours	November 2016
Pharmaceuticals, Trajectory Measurements Northwest Association of Forensic Scientist	40 hours s Conference	September 2016
Micro Drug Labs Recognition and Safety NES/Midwest Counterdrug Training Center	24 hours	September 2016
Sharpening the Saw Workshop and Seminar	40 hours	September 2016

Clandestine Laboratory Investigating Chemists Association

Bloodstain Pattern Analysis II Bevel, Gardner & Associates	40 hours	August 2016
Bloodstain Pattern Analysis Dan Christman	40 hours	July 2015
Courtroom Presentation of Evidence Raymond Davis	24 hours	June 2015
Palm Print Comparison Techniques Ron Smith and Associates	24 hours	May 2015
Forensic Chemistry Track West Virginia University	100 hours	February-May 2015
Homicide and Questioned Death Scene Public Agency Training Council	20 hours	February 2015
Homicide Investigation Public Agency Training Council	20 hours	September 2014
Forensic Pathology for Investigators Public Agency Training Council	16 hours	August 2014
Marijuana Leaf Identification Utah Bureau of Forensic Services	32 hours	February 2014
Child Death and Homicide Investigation Public Agency Training Council	16 hours	October 2013
Crime Scene Investigation & Reconstruction National Crime Investigation and Training	60 hours	September 2013
Toolmark Evidence Recognition & Recovery Nebraska Wesleyan University	8 hours	March-April 2013
Specialized Photography Nebraska Wesleyan University	8 hours	February 2012