

University of New Haven

HENRY C. LEE COLLEGE OF
CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND FORENSIC SCIENCES

ONLINE GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

FORENSIC GENETIC GENEALOGY

Required Courses

Spring I: January–March

FORS 6600 Fundamentals of Forensic Biological Evidence

Spring II: March–May

FORS 6601 Forensic Genetic Genealogy

Summer: May–August

FORS 6602 Genealogy Principles & Methods

Fall I: August–October

FORS 6603 Forensic Genetic Genealogy Practicum



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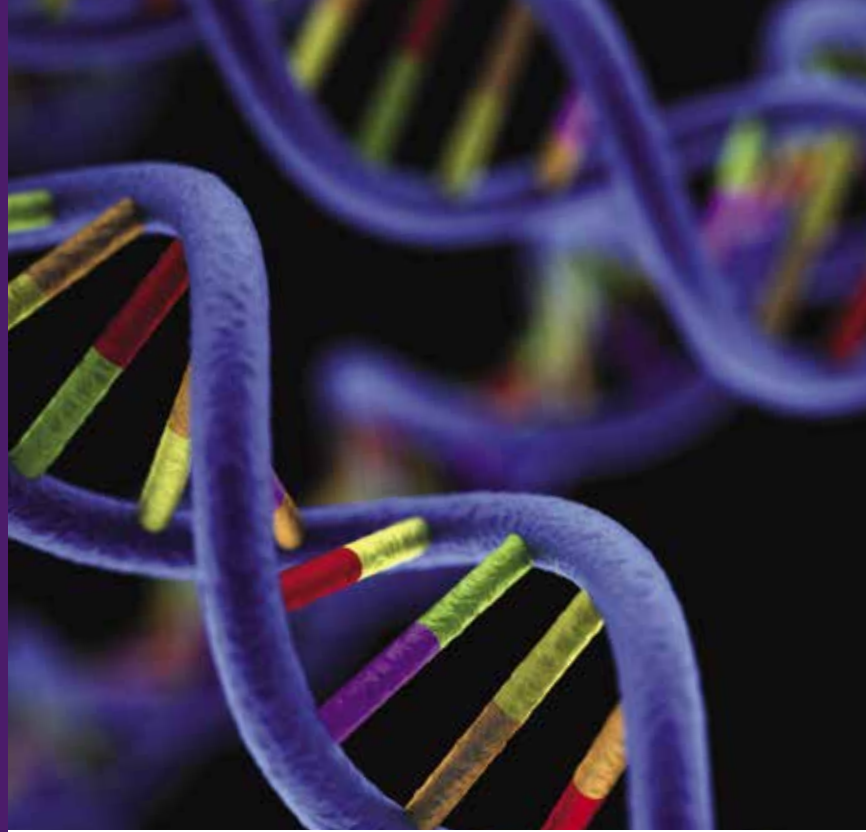
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Program Description

The online graduate certificate in Forensic Genetic Genealogy provides individuals in either the public or private sector with the foundational concepts and application of both genetic genealogy and traditional genealogy to forensic investigations. This can include but is not limited to criminal, civil, and family history investigations.

The fundamentals of forensic biology and forensic DNA analysis will be included to provide the student with the principles, applications, and interpretation of biological evidence as it relates to forensic investigations. The principles of genetic genealogy will be explored to provide an understanding of the various DNA testing methods available for use in genetic genealogy investigations. Traditional genealogy methods in the form of documentary evidence will provide the student with a strong foundation in the Genealogy Standards used in genealogical research to obtain valid results. Investigation techniques and ethical concepts will be included throughout the certificate program. The certificate program will culminate in the student undertaking an independent forensic genetic genealogy practicum on a genetic genealogy investigation or research project.

All courses are online and offered in 4 sequential accelerated term formats. Each course is 3 credits, totaling 12 credits.

Discounts Available

30% tuition discount for current law enforcement and crime lab professionals