Digital Impressions

Featured Product:

**ADAMSTM Web Advanced for Property and Evidence Management**

The ADAMS Web Advanced application for Property and Evidence Management is a browser-based, fully automated, turnkey solution that lets you efficiently check items in and out of your property rooms as well as locate and retrieve those items, reconcile the contents of your property rooms and limit your physical evidence storage requirements through accurate records management and disposal of your physical evidence. In addition, this solution is integrated completely with the ADAMS digital evidence system, which allows you to acquire, view, print and track your digital evidence using a single, sophisticated solution that is designed for maximum flexibility and ease of use. Our integrated solution provides a benefit unmatched by any other solution available today: You only have to introduce, maintain and support a single platform instead of managing, maintaining and supporting multiple platforms and multiple software solutions.

The feature-rich, fully customizable ADAMS Property and Evidence Management System also provides a variety of barcode labeling and scanning capabilities that enable you to simplify the storage, management and tracking of your physical property and evidence. It includes a robust, audit trail feature – just like the Foray ADAMS digital evidence system – to maintain the chain-of-custody for your physical evidence from the time it is collected at the scene of the crime until it is presented in court.

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Book Highlight:

**Crime Scene Photography, Second Edition** by Edward M. Robinson (with chapter contributions by David “Ski” Witzke) is scheduled for release early this year. This is an essential reference book for all aspects of crime scene photography that covers topics such as photography techniques, the Inverse Square Law, court cases affecting digital photography, photogrammetry and digital technologies. The Second Edition is printed in color with more than 600 full-color photographs. Also, there are new chapters on the history of forensic photography and digital image processing of evidentiary photography. *(Crime Scene Photography is required reading by the Crime Scene Certification Board of the International Association for Identification.)* This new edition can be ordered from Amazon.com or downloaded on e-book reader.
2010 EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCES

February
10th-12th – ASCR, San Diego CA*
17th-18th – Property and Evidence Assoc. of Florida, Orlando FL*
22nd-27th – AAFS, Seattle WA

March
1st-3rd – CA Police Chiefs Association, San Jose CA
2nd-5th – California Homicide Investigators Association, Las Vegas NV
14th-16th – Cop Tech Summit, Washington D.C.
20th-26th – CBDDIAI, Virginia Beach VA*
23rd-24th – GovSec, Washington D.C.
23rd-24th – Kansas DIAI, Kansas State University
24th-26th – Wisconsin DIAI, Stevens Point WI
29th-Apr. 2nd – Texas Police Chiefs Association, Addison TX

April
6th-7th – Nebraska DIAI, Ashland NE
12th-15th – Minnesota Chiefs of Police, St. Cloud MN
12th-15th – Mississippi DIAI & Alabama DIAI, Hoover AL
19th-20th – Computer Forensics Show, New York NY
19th-23rd – California Association of Criminalists, Yosemite CA

May
1st – Colorado Association of Property & Evidence, Mount Vernon Country Club
2nd-4th – International Conference for Police & Law Enforcement Executives, Ontario Canada
2nd-7th – Association of Firearms & Toolmarks Examiners (AFTE), Henderson NV
10th-12th – Oklahoma DIAI, Edmond OK*
10th-14th – California Association of Property & Evidence, Rancho Mirage CA
17th-18th – International Association of Arson Investigators, Orlando FL
17th-21st – Mid-Atlantic Association of Forensic Scientists (MAAFS), State College PA
19th-21st – Illinois DIAI, Joliet IL*
24th-26th – California DIAI, Rancho Mirage CA*
24th-27th – IACP-LEIM, Atlanta GA*

June
8th – Colorado Chiefs of Police, Pueblo CO
9th-11th – Louisiana DIAI, Metairie LA*
14th-18th – Texas DIAI, Round Rock TX*
22nd-23rd – Police Security Expo, Atlantic City NJ

July
7th-8th – Annual Mid South Police-Fire-EMS Expo, Nashville TN
11th-17th – International Association for Identification, Spokane WA*
20th-22nd – Louisiana Chiefs of Police, Lake Charles LA

August
9th-13th – International Homicide Investigators Association, Sparks NV
13th-15th – Texas Police-Fire-EMS Expo, Fort Worth TX
17th-19th – Digital Summit International, Las Vegas NV*

September
1st – VA Division of Forensic Science, Virginia Beach VA*
15th-16th – New York Police-Fire-EMS Expo, New York NY
20th-22nd – International High Technology Crime Association, Atlanta GA
20th-24th – SWAFS, Grapevine TX
20th-24th – Canadian Identification Society, Orillia Ontario Canada
22nd-24th – American College of Forensic Examiners, Orlando FL
27th-Oct.1 – Northwest Association of Forensic Scientists (NWAFFS), Portland OR

October
1st-3rd – Pittsburgh Police-Fire-EMS Expo, Pittsburgh PA
4th-8th – Tri-Division IAI, Salt Lake City UT
4th-8th – Mid-West Association of Forensic Scientists (MAFS), Kansas City MO
17th-21st – Florida DIAI, St. Petersburg FL*
23rd-27th – IACP, Orlando FL
24th-28th – Georgia DIAI, Savannah GA*
27th-30th – International Association of Forensic Nurses, Pittsburgh PA

November
5th-6th – CBDDIAI, Ocean City MD

(*) - Foray Technologies will attend these conferences (subject to change)

Foray Technologies Presents:
Intermediate/Advanced Digital Imaging Class
June 14th - 18th, 2010
Hosted by Salt Lake County Sheriff’s Office
Salt Lake City, UT
Fee - $995 per attendee
Contact Lynn Slaughter @ Ext. 517 for more info
Foray Technologies Teams Up with Forensic Digital Imaging, Inc. to provide wounded Veterans with work skills and experience in the preservation of archaeological artifacts

In October 2009, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Center of Expertise (CX) for Curation and Management of Archeological Collections (CMAC), St. Louis District, began a groundbreaking new project, the Veterans Curation Project (VCP). This project employs and trains Iraq and Afghanistan returnees along with Vietnam era veterans in archaeological curation processing under the management of the Corps of Engineers, Brockington and Associates, Inc., and Forensic Digital Imaging, Inc. In total, three laboratories have opened in Augusta, GA., St. Louis, MO., and Washington, D.C.

The Forensic Connection:

In August of 2009 Forensic Digital Imaging, Inc. (FDI) was awarded a contract for the VCP program to develop and implement a complete digital imaging system designed for the visual documentation of artifacts and documents associated with archaeological collections owned by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. As president of (FDI) David Knoerlein “digitaldave” a retired forensic analyst, recognized the similarities between forensic evidence processing and management and the archaeological curation process. Working with collections experts and with the mission goals of the program in mind, David created a comprehensive system of equipment, software, procedures, and training to meet their special needs. All of the system components (cameras, lighting, copy stand, camera stand, etc.) were specifically chosen and configured with an understanding that many of the veterans may have disabilities that would limit their ability to manually operate certain equipment. Knoerlein installed identical equipment in all three locations and developed a training program to ensure that each veteran was capturing museum quality images in the exact same manner using the same lighting as all of the other veterans.

It was decided early on that a forensic imaging management system would be utilized to acquire, store, and manage all of the digital assets. After numerous meetings with Foray Technologies personnel and experts in the archaeological curation field a solution was designed for the VCP by Foray Technologies using Foray’s Authenticated Digital Asset Management System (ADAMS)™ software platform to meet the specific needs of the VCP program.

Foray Technologies sales, tech support, and developmental staff have been and continue to play a major role in making this very important program a success. The knowledge and experience that the veterans are receiving from this program will hopefully help them to find satisfying full-time employment in the future. They deserve the best we can offer.

Article contributed by David Knoerlein, President of Forensic Digital Imaging, Inc.

USER GROUP MEETING UPDATE:

SAVE THE DATE – 2010 FORAY USER GROUP MEETING HAS BEEN SCHEDULED!!!!!!!

The Foray ADAMS™ User Group Meeting has been scheduled and we would love to see you in sunny San Diego, so save the date and contact your Sales Representative for additional information (fees, travel, etc) and to register!

Dates: August 23rd – 25th (Welcome Reception held Sunday evening August 22nd)

Location: San Diego, CA (Hello Sunshine!!)

This is a great opportunity to meet and interact with other Foray ADAMS ™ users and to play a key role in future development of Foray Technologies applications for the law enforcement community. Topics will include:

- Demonstrations of newly released and upcoming Foray Evidence Management applications
- Technical Support Updates and Q&A
- User Presentations
- Best Practices for Digital Evidentiary Photography and Digital Image Processing
- User Group Discussions – System Validation, SOP Preparation and Development
- And much more!!!!

For additional information please contact Foray Technologies at (619) 858-1360
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In a world where law enforcement agencies are experiencing unprecedented cooperation with each other, Foray Technologies is ready to assist you. Our solutions help you organize your physical and digital evidence for easy access, rapid analysis and effective presentation while maintaining a rock-solid, defensible chain of custody.

Let us join your team and share the experiences we’ve gained from having the world’s largest law enforcement agencies as our customers.

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