

BAFA 2023 Spring Conference Schedule

Theme: Trauma analysis in forensic anthropology

Start time	Item	Speaker	Length
08:30	BAFA Committee Meeting	Closed to Committee	30-minutes
0900	Registration and Arrival (Tea, Coffee & Pastries)		
0930	Conference Welcome from BAFA Chair	Dr Julie Roberts	15-minutes
0945	Introduction		Session chair – TBC
	Keynote presentations	Dr Charlie Primeau	Post-mortem micro-CT trauma visualisation and analysis
		Samantha Coberly (pre-recorded)	GSW and indirect trauma
1015			30 minutes
1045	Q&A	Session chair - TBC	15 minutes
1100	Break (Tea, Coffee & biscuits)		
1125	Student presentations (round 1)	Introduction	Panel chair - TBC
		Rebecca Strong	Identifying potential weapons from skeletal sharp force injuries using geometric morphometrics
		Ryan Thomas	The use of medical devices in personal identification by forensic anthropologists
		Olga Nechyparenka	Enamel as a Diagnostic Tool for Early-Life Trauma in Forensic Settings
		Q&A Session	Panel chair - TBC
1140			15 minutes
1155			15 minutes
1210			20 minutes
1230	Lunch (Conference Buffet in Restaurant)		
1330	Student presentations (round 2)	Introduction	Panel chair - TBC
		Rachel Bishop	A Case Analysis of Criminal Dismemberment in the United Kingdom from 1970 to 2020
		Marion Davidson	An Analysis of Decision-Making and Interpretation of Results from FORDISC®
		Luke William Gent	A novel approach of age-at-death estimation of skeletal remains through DNA methylomics
		Q&A Session	Panel chair - TBC
1345			5 minutes
1350			5 minutes
1355			15 minutes
1410	Break <i>(Committee and attendees to vote for best presentations)</i>		
1425	Results of presentation competition announced	Dr Julie Roberts	5 minutes

1430	CPD Workshop 'Trauma Analysis'		
	Dr Julie Roberts	<i>Trauma description and Interpretation</i>	30 minutes
	Hands-on practical		45 minutes
	Discussion		30 minutes
1615	Closing remarks from BAFA Chair	Dr Julie Roberts	5-minutes
1620	Networking Opportunity (<i>closing by 1700</i>)	-	40 minutes

⇒ Followed by student social, and quiz at 1800 (all welcome) – *location TBC*