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PRESENT:

INTERMEDIATE DIGITAL IMAGING

FORAY Technologies is proud to announce that it is hosting a five-day, hands-on training program in forensic digital imaging the week of **July 28th – August 1, 2008** at the **Johnson County Courthouse in Olathe, KS.**¹

This five-day course will provide participants with a comprehensive understanding of the Microsoft[®] Windows[®] environment as well as develop a thorough understanding of Adobe[®] Photoshop[®]. In addition, participants will have a thorough understanding of digital imaging concepts and how these concepts can aid in the forensic investigative process. Participants will benefit from applying these newly learned concepts in a practical exercise using their own images!

This hands-on training program will focus on the **intermediate** imaging concepts and techniques for enhancing digital photographs, preparing proof sheets, creating court exhibits and more. It will also provide an advanced understanding of digital imaging technologies as well as deliver an indispensable understanding of and hands-on experience with the most commonly used image enhancement tools. For example, you will learn how to scale digital images for accurate, life-size output as well as learn the recommended procedures for enhancing various types of images for maximum image quality and contrast. You will also learn how and when to apply different techniques to remove background noise as well as how to enhance contrast to bring out ridge detail that is barely visible to the human eye.

Each student must bring a minimum of five images on compact disk to be enhanced as part of their practical exercises. These images can be either latent prints, questioned documents, surveillance photos, and so forth. Students are encouraged to use images that will test their skill, but that will not frustrate them during the learning process.

David Witzke, better known as Ski, has more than 14 years of experience with forensic digital imaging and AFIS technologies. His extensive background covers all facets of software development, user and technical documentation development, systems integration and installation, technical support, and training. Ski has been conducting forensic digital imaging training programs for law enforcement agencies at all levels (local, state and federal) throughout the United States, Canada and England for more than eight years. He has an established reputation in forensic image processing and is frequently a guest speaker at regional and international conferences in the United States and abroad. He has also taught forensic digital image processing for the Latent Print Program at the FBI Academy in Quantico, Virginia as well as at the British Columbia Institute of Technology in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

¹ Participants must attend all five days of training. It is also recommended that each person attending this program have at least a basic understanding of the Microsoft Windows NT, 2000, ME, or XP operating system.

REGISTER NOW!!!
CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED!!!

What: Intermediate Digital Imaging
Where: Johnson County Sheriff's Office
Johnson County Courthouse
JIMS Training Center²
100 North Kansas Ave
Olathe, KS 66061
When: July 28 – August 1, 2008
Time: 0830-1630 each day
Cost: \$995.00 per attendee

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____
Agency: _____
Street Address: _____
City, State and ZIP Code: _____
Work Phone: _____ Alternate Phone: _____
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Please mail/email completed registration form with payment to:

FORAY TECHNOLOGIES
ATTN: Training Registration
3911 5th Ave, Suite 300

San Diego, CA 92103 Fax: 619-858-1366 Email: training@foray.com

Full payment is required prior to first day of class. Cancellations will be handled as follows: cancellations made 45 days prior to the first day of class will receive a full refund; cancellations within 30-44 days will be refunded at 50% of the course cost, and cancellations made less than 30 days will not be refunded.

Attendees will receive written course confirmation prior to course start date.

Foray, LLC reserves the right to cancel the above course due to unforeseen circumstances outside our control; we strongly encourage necessary travel arrangements to be made upon receipt of written confirmation.

Recommended Hotel Accommodations: Holtz Executive Village, 866-413-3032. (Group code: **Foray Group)**

The Government room rate is **\$96.00** per night. (**\$103.00** will get you a suite!) The hotel offers a complimentary breakfast daily. There is *free* wireless and wired internet in all guest rooms and throughout the hotel; there is a 24 hour business center; an indoor swimming pool (pack your swimsuit!). The hotel is within walking distance to shops and restaurants.

This hotel rate is available until July 11, 2008.

Daily transportation will be available to and from the training site from the hotel for \$5.00/day
(Please advise hotel if you will be utilizing this service)

The Holtz Executive Village is approximately 45 minutes from MCI (Kansas City, MO International airport)
Recommended airport transportation: Prestige Transportation 866-413-2993

² Use the south side entrance of the courthouse. Security will allow training attendees in the building. The classroom is located on the lower level of the courthouse. Ask for the JIMS training room.