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## COOK COUNTY MEDICAL EXAMINER FORENSICS & TESTIMONY



Dr. Gitto



Dr. Kinn



Dr. Radzik



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**MAY 8TH FROM 8:30AM-4:00PM**

**9400 W HIGGINS RD SUITE 100. ROSEMONT, IL**

**Laptop Recommended   Coffee & Pastries   Lunch not included**

**\$40.00 - Members   \$50.00 - Non-Members**

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## Dr. Gitto

Dr. Lorenzo Gitto is a forensic pathologist with board certifications in Anatomic and Forensic Pathology (United States credentials) and a specialist in Legal Medicine (Italian credentials). After graduating from medical school in Italy at Sapienza University of Rome, he completed a Legal Medicine and Forensic Pathology at the same institution. In 2018, he moved to the United States where he worked as a Research Scholar at the State University of New York, Upstate Medical University, in Syracuse. He then graduated from the Anatomic Pathology residency program in at the same institution, and moved to Chicago, where he completed a Forensic Pathology fellowship at the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office. He currently works as an Assistant Medical Examiner at the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office in Chicago and coordinates the research activities of the office as the Research Director. He is a member of the National Association of Medical Examiners and the American Academy of Forensic Sciences. Dr. Gitto's academic background include numerous scientific publications, multiple research awards, editorial roles in forensic sciences journals, active involvement as a speaker and moderator at national and international conferences, and teaching as a guest professor in forensic pathology-focused medical courses.



Dr.Kinn

Dr. Megan Kinn is currently a Forensic Pathology Fellow at the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office in Chicago, Illinois, where she is training to be a Medical Examiner. She completed her Anatomic Pathology and Clinical Pathology residency training at McGaw Medical Center of Northwestern University, and is board certified in both Anatomic Pathology and Clinical Pathology. Prior to moving to Chicago, she completed her medical training at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, where she obtained a Doctor of Osteopathy degree (DO), as well as a Master of Science degree in forensic medicine. Dr. Kinn currently resides in Chicago with her husband and son and is looking forward to continuing on at the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office as an Assistant Medical Examiner.



Dr.Radzik

Dr. Bartłomiej “Bart” Radzik is a current Forensic Pathology Fellow at the Cook County Medical Examiner’s Office in Chicago, Illinois, where he is training to be a Medical Examiner. He completed his Anatomic and Clinical Pathology Residency at the University of Illinois at Chicago and is board certified in both Anatomic Pathology and Clinical Pathology. He completed his medical school training at the University of Illinois College of Medicine at Rockford. He is a born and raised Chicagoan, and is looking forward to continuing on at the Cook County Medical Examiner’s Office as an Assistant Medical Examiner.



Earl Briggs

Earl W. Briggs is the Chief of Investigations at the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office in Chicago, Illinois, and has been serving since December 2012, overseeing a range of responsibilities crucial to the medical examiner's operations. He holds a Master's Degree in Public Administration from Governors State University, which he completed in June 2011. Prior to this, he earned a Bachelor of Arts in Criminal/Social Justice from Lewis University in June 2008. A former U.S. Marine Corps Sergeant, he served from February 1975 to April 1978, specializing in various roles, including Combat Engineer, Landing Support Specialist, Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear (CBRN) Defense Specialist, and Military Security. He is a member of the International Association of Coroners and Medical Examiners and the American Board of Medicolegal Death Investigators. During his career, he received specialized training in several areas of investigation, firearms, and narcotics and served as a Criminal Justice Subject Matter Expert and Adjunct Instructor at ITT Technical Institutes in Orland Park, Illinois. Multiple awards received during his career reflect his commitment to law enforcement and public safety.