

## Forensic Investigation Internships - List of Potential Agencies

**(Internships are not limited to this list.)**

Please contact the **Internship Coordinator** to help plan your internship course:  
Dr. Patricia Dahl: 785-670-1413, [patricia.dahl@washburn.edu](mailto:patricia.dahl@washburn.edu)

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### Kansas

#### Kansas Bureau of Investigation

KBI Forensic Science Laboratory Internship Program

(Latent prints, firearms/ballistics, digital forensics)

Rachel White, Internship Coordinator: [Rachel.White@KBI.KS.gov](mailto:Rachel.White@KBI.KS.gov)

(785) 296-1117

Website: [http://www.kansas.gov/kbi/about/about\\_lab\\_internships.shtml](http://www.kansas.gov/kbi/about/about_lab_internships.shtml)

Application Deadlines: Feb. 1 (summer), May 1 (fall), Oct. 1 (spring)

#### Johnson County Sheriff's Office Criminalistics Laboratory

(CSI, ballistics, fingerprint)

Marah Carney, MSFS, Internship Coordinator: [marah.carney@jocogov.org](mailto:marah.carney@jocogov.org)

Rebecca Vincent-Giles, CSCSA, MFS

Crime Scene Investigator III: [Rebecca.Vincent@jocogov.org](mailto:Rebecca.Vincent@jocogov.org)

11890 S. Sunset Dr., Olathe, KS 66062

(913) 826-3210 or 3209

Website: <http://www.jocosheriff.org/operations-bureau/criminalistics-laboratory/crime-lab-internships>

Application Deadlines: Johnson County Crime Lab internships are based on their available projects. Students can also apply for an internship with their own research project in mind. Please check their website for more information.

#### Leawood Police Department

Troy Rettig, Chief of Police

4201 Town Center Drive

Leawood, KS 66211

(913)-339-6700 or (913) 663-9300

Applications: each semester (1 student)

#### Salina Police Dept. Property and Evidence Unit

300 W. Ash Street

Salina, KS 67401

(CSI)

Jessica Patterson: [jessica.patterson@salina.org](mailto:jessica.patterson@salina.org)

Forensic Medical Management Services – Shawnee County Coroner’s Office  
(doing business for Shawnee County Coroner’s Office and several other KS counties)  
320 S. Kansas Ave.  
Topeka, KS 66603  
Mary Deseck, Medicolegal Death Investigator  
785-251-2350  
[mbdeseck@forensicmedkas.com](mailto:mbdeseck@forensicmedkas.com) or [www.forensicmed.com](http://www.forensicmed.com)

Forensic Medical Management Services – Kansas City Office  
40 South 18<sup>th</sup> Street  
Kansas City, MO 66102  
(913)-299-1533  
Kelsey, Director: [contactus@forensicmedks.com](mailto:contactus@forensicmedks.com)

Sedgewick County Regional Forensic Science Center  
1109 N. Minneapolis  
Wichita, KS 67214  
(Firearms, evidence warehouse)  
Dr. Shelly Steadman, Director  
(316) 660-4800  
Website: <https://www.sedgwickcounty.org/forensic-science/>

Wichita Police Department  
455 N. Main – 6<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Wichita, KS 67202  
(316) 268-4407  
Website: <https://www.wichita.gov/WPD/Investigations/Pages/CSI.aspx>

## Missouri

Jackson County Medical Examiner’s Office  
950 E. 21<sup>st</sup> Street  
Kansas City, MO 64108  
(816) 881-6650 or (816) 881-6600  
Holly A. Cass, Forensic Supervisor: [H.Cass@jacksongov.org](mailto:H.Cass@jacksongov.org)

Kansas City, Missouri Police Department – Crime Lab  
2645 Brooklyn  
Kansas City, MO 64127  
(816)-234-5000 or (816) 234-5402  
[Joshua.Heinen@kcpd.org](mailto:Joshua.Heinen@kcpd.org) (Internship Coordinator)  
[Mindy.davis@kcpd.org](mailto:Mindy.davis@kcpd.org)  
(CSI, latent prints, BPA, firearms, footwear/tire tracks)  
Website: <https://www.kcpd.org/crime/crime-lab/forensic-career-opportunities/>  
Application Deadlines: Through February 5 for summer internships (as of 2024)

Missouri State Highway Patrol Crime Lab  
Crime Lab Division  
Jefferson City, MO – General Headquarters  
(Firearms, latent prints)  
Brian Hoey, Director  
(573) 526-6134

Website: <http://www.mshp.dps.missouri.gov/MSHPWeb/PatrolDivisions/CLD/index.html>

Major Crash Investigation Unit  
(Crash investigation)  
Lt. Brandon White, Field Operations Bureau  
(573) 526-6145

### **Nebraska**

Douglas County Nebraska Crime Lab  
15345 West Maple Road, Omaha, NE 68116  
(402) 444-6855 or (402) 444-6070  
(CSI, fingerprints)

Manuel Garcia, CSI Supervisor: [manuel.garcia@douglascounty-ne.gov](mailto:manuel.garcia@douglascounty-ne.gov)

Amanda Neely, Lab Director: [amanda.neely@douglascounty-ne.gov](mailto:amanda.neely@douglascounty-ne.gov)

Website: <https://www.omahasheriff.org/internships>

Application Deadlines: summer internships only (check with agency for deadlines)

### **Colorado**

Colorado Bureau of Investigation – Forensic Internships  
690 Kipling St., Suite 3000  
Lakewood, CO  
(Digital, footwear/tire track, firearms/toolmarks, latent prints)  
(303) 239-4201

Email: [cdps\\_cbi\\_laboratory\\_internships@state.co.us](mailto:cdps_cbi_laboratory_internships@state.co.us)

Website: <https://cbi.colorado.gov/sections/forensic-services/forensic-internships>

Application Deadlines: Applications will open October 2024 for 2025

Colorado State Patrol – Vehicular Crimes Unit  
700 Kipling St.  
Lakewood, CO 80215  
(Crash investigation)  
(303) 239-4500

Website: <https://csp.colorado.gov/crash-investigation>

Denver Police Department Crime Lab  
1371 Cherokee Street  
Denver, CO 80204  
(Crime scene, firearms, forensic imaging, latent prints, computer forensics)  
Dr. Gregory LaBerge, Director, Ph.D.  
(720) 337-2010

Website: <https://www.denvergov.org/Government/Agencies-Departments-Offices/Agencies-Departments-Offices-Directory/Police-Department/Crime-Information/Denver-Crime-Laboratory>

Jefferson County Regional Crime Lab  
200 Jefferson County Parkway  
Golden, CO 80401  
Dr. Joel Gunn, Deputy Coroner; [jmgunn@jeffco.us](mailto:jmgunn@jeffco.us)  
(303) 271-6480  
Website: <https://www.mshp.dps.missouri.gov/MSHPWeb/PatrolDivisions/CLD/index.html>

Colorado Springs Police Department & El Paso County Sheriff's Office – Metro Crime Lab  
705 S. Nevada Ave  
Colorado Springs, CO 80903  
(Chemistry, CSI, DNA, firearms, latent prints)  
Amanda Kimball: [Amanda.Kimball@coloradosprings.gov](mailto:Amanda.Kimball@coloradosprings.gov)  
Rosario Hubbell: [rosariohubbell@elpasoco.com](mailto:rosariohubbell@elpasoco.com)  
Colorado Springs PD: (719) 444-7000  
Website: <https://coloradosprings.gov/police-department/page/metro-crime-lab>

### **Oklahoma**

Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation – Forensic Science Center  
(Latent prints, firearms, digital evidence)  
800 East 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Edmond, OK 73034  
Website: <https://oklahoma.gov/osbi/services/support-services-division/employment/careers/osbi-practicum-program.html>  
Application Deadlines: Oct. 1 (spring); March 1 (summer and fall)

### **Texas**

Houston Forensic Science Center  
500 Jefferson, 13<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Houston, TX 77002  
(Latent prints, firearms, multimedia evidence, research & development)  
(713) 929-6760  
Website: <https://hfsctx.gov/internship-opportunities/>  
Application Deadlines: Feb. 1-28 (summer), July 1-31 (fall), October 1-31 (spring)

### **Illinois**

Illinois State Police – Division of Forensic Services  
Crime Scene Services Command  
South 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 9005  
Springfield, IL  
(800) 892-4095 or (217) 785-7542

Website: <https://isp.illinois.gov/Forensics>

Forensic Science Centers/Labs: Chicago, Rockford, Morton, Joliet, Springfield, Belleville

Website: <https://isp.illinois.gov/Forensics>

Application Deadlines: Sept. 30 (spring), January 31 (summer), April 30 (fall)

## Iowa

Iowa State Police, Division of Criminal Investigation- Criminalistics Lab

2240 South Ankeny Blvd.

Ankeny, IA 50023

(DCI-CSI, forensics-crime lab, arson, crime scene, firearms, latent prints, photography)

(515) 725-1500

Email: [etechs@dps.state.ia.us](mailto:etechs@dps.state.ia.us)

Website: <https://dps.iowa.gov/divisions-iowa-department-public-safety/iowa-division-criminal-investigation/iowa-dci-criminalistics-laboratory>

## South Dakota

Rapid City Police Dept. – Evidence Section

625 1<sup>st</sup> Street

Rapid City, SD 57701

(CSI, fingerprints)

Brendan Matthew, Lab Director: [Brendan.Matthew@rcgov.org](mailto:Brendan.Matthew@rcgov.org)

(605) 394-6033

Website: <https://www.rcgov.org/departments/police-department/careers-police-dept/rcpd-internships-319.html>

## Other

IAI (International Association for Identification) List of Internships:

[https://www.theiai.org/internship\\_opportunities.php](https://www.theiai.org/internship_opportunities.php)

Dept. of Forensic Science Internship: <https://dfs.dc.gov/page/internships-dfs>

FBI Internship Program: <https://www.fbijobs.gov/students/undergrad>

Center for Forensic Science Research and Education Internship:

<https://www.forensicscienceeducation.org/forensic-education/internship-offerings/>

Dept. of Justice – Computer Forensics Internship: <https://www.justice.gov/criminal-ceos/computer-forensics-internship>

CSI Academy of Florida Internship Program: <https://csiacademyflorida.com/about-us/csi-academy-internship-program-2/>

Homeland Security STEM Internship Program: <https://www.dhs.gov/homeland-security-careers/health-science>