

In 2008, the Joint POW/MIA Accounting Command's Central Identification Laboratory opened the Forensic Science Academy, an advanced forensic anthropology program consisting of five courses.

Located on the island of Oahu, Hawaii, the Central Identification Laboratory is one of the largest and most scientifically diverse laboratories in the world.

The mission of the Joint POW/MIA Accounting Command is to achieve the fullest possible accounting of Americans missing as a result of our nation's past conflicts.

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Forensic Science Academy

FSA INCENTIVES

- Largest forensic anthropology staff in the United States
- \$12,000 stipend and up to 15 credit hours awarded
- Accompany a search and recovery team to Laos or Vietnam



The **mission** of the Forensic Science Academy (FSA) is to serve as a scientific training center of excellence for forensic anthropology, archaeology, and odontology.

IN THE LABORATORY

The Central Identification Laboratory is the only accredited skeletal Identification Laboratory (ASCLD-LAB) in the U.S. Fellows receive training in anthropology, archaeology, and odontology, and train in a variety of techniques and identification methods in a unique and technologically advanced laboratory. Fellows will also receive specialized training in establishing a biological profile, cause & manner of death, GIS & remote sensing, soils, and more.

IN THE FIELD

Fellows receive unique training during a 35-day mission to Laos or Vietnam, where they assist in an archaeological excavation. Fellows also study at Khon Kaen University, Kingdom of Thailand, honing their skills in human variation, bone disease, and innovative identification methods. Students are also provided training in land and underwater archaeological equipment and methods.

FSA History

The Fall Academy will be the fourth class, with more than 22 anthropology Fellows trained to date. Up to six highly competitive positions are offered each Fall.

Applications

Applications are accepted throughout the year. Check for applicable project numbers & submission deadlines:

http://www.orau.org/maryland/participants/apply.htm

FSA Acceptance

Students are accepted into the program each fall based on academic performance and recommendation of faculty members.





An advanced forensic anthropology program.

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