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| See the source image | Module Code:FCRC01 | Module Title: Introduction to Crime Scene Investigation |  |

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| **Module Overview** | Welcome to your first steps into the world of investigating crime scenes. In this module, you will gain the foundations of understanding crime scenes and assessing them, as well as looking at the different types of evidence available and how evidence can begin to form a picture of what happened. This module is practically based, with lectures to discuss the different theories followed by practical sessions in the Crime Scene House to develop your skills. |

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| Week | **Session Content per week – to consist of 1 x lecture and 1 x practical each week** |
| 1 | Introduction to the module  |
| 2 | Personnel at the crime scene  |
| 3 | Assessing and preserving the scene  |
| 4 | Evidence  |
|  | **READING WEEK** |
| 5 | Contamination of evidence  |
| 6 | Fingerprints  |
| 7 | Fire Event |
| 8 | Other samples  |
| 9 | Footwear and impressions  |
| 10 | Report writing  |
| 11 | Giving evidence in court  |
|  | **CHRISTMAS BREAK** |
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| 12 | Assessment briefing |
| 13 | Assessment Week  |
| 14 |  Semester A Ends End of Semester Feedback |