



Surface Skeleton and Buried Body Recovery Seminar
March 26 – March 28, 2025
8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Hosted by the Yavapai County Sheriff's Office and
Prescott Valley Police Department

Class Location:

Prescott Valley Public Library
7401 Skoog Boulevard
Prescott Valley, AZ 86314

Registration is \$500 per student (\$20.8/hr. CE)
Course is approved for 24 hours of continuing education by
AZPOST and ABMDI

Instructed by:

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(Forensic Anthropologist)

and

Frank Di Modica, RG
(Phoenix Police Department –Ret.)

The Surface Skeleton and Buried Body Recovery Seminar is a **3-day, hands-on course** designed to orient detectives, crime scene investigators and medico-legal death investigators to the proper techniques for processing surface skeleton and buried body scenes. **Training hours are 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM each day.**

Day One: Classroom Lecture

- * **Forensic Anthropology**
- * **Surface and Buried Body Recovery Techniques**

Day Two: Field Recovery Exercise

- * **Clandestine grave exhumation**

Day Three: Classroom Lecture

- * **Forensic Odontology,**
- * **Forensic Entomology,**
- * **Cadaver dog**
- * **Group presentations**

The seminar has enjoyed 30 years of success in Arizona, Nevada, Ohio, and The Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC) in Georgia. The principal instructors have decades of experience in the field and have worked as a team in presenting this course for its duration. Students should come prepared to learn proper archeological and anthropological techniques for such recoveries through classroom instruction and by excavating a clandestine grave scenario. The class will include discussion of forensic anthropological, odontological and entomological principles and proper crime scene management. A human scent trained cadaver dog will provide a demonstration.

Class size is limited to allow for adequate hands-on involvement in the practical exercise. **Register early** to ensure a spot in this training.

HOW TO REGISTER:

STEP 1: Contact Frank DiModica by e-mail at **AZ4N6Training@yahoo.com** to confirm availability and to reserve your spot.

Registration guaranteed only after payment is received.

STEP 2: Complete the registration form on-line at:

<https://drfulgi.com/bbs-registration-form/>

STEP 3: Pay \$500.00 registration fee. (Refer to registration page for payment options)

Registration guaranteed only after payment is received.

Registration fees will NOT be refunded after February 28, 2025

We do not have a specific hotel for this training but there are several options in Prescott Valley

Rental car recommended for out of state attendees.

Training facility is approximately 95 miles (90-minute drive) from Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport.