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AGE ESTIMATION & TANNER WHITEHOUSE 3 METHOD WORKSHOP

29th October 2026

Venue: Pramukhswami Mecial College, Bhaikaka University, Karamsad, Anand

ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

Age estimation is an essential tool not only in forensic investigations but also in clinical diagnostics. This comprehensive workshop bridges the gap between the courtroom and the clinic. Participants will gain hands-on expertise in conventional skeletal age estimation techniques and advanced TW3 methods, exploring both their critical role in paediatric and endocrinological care and their rigorous standards for medicolegal admissibility.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS & AGENDA

- Fundamentals of Skeletal Maturation: Principles of conventional X-ray assessment for accurate age determination.
- The TW3 Method & Bone Mass Density: Step-by-step demonstration of the Tanner-Whitehouse 3 (TW3) method.
- Clinical Importance: Utilizing bone age assessments for diagnosing growth disorders, evaluating endocrinological milestones, and guiding paediatric treatments.
- Medicolegal Acceptance: Navigating the legal validity, evidentiary value, and courtroom challenges of radiological age reports.
- Practical Application: Interactive sessions featuring extensive case scenario-based age estimation by X-ray, as well as using Bone-Expert Software (TW3) to test and reinforce diagnostic and medicolegal reasoning.

RESOURCE PERSONS



DR. ARVIND KUMAR
Director Professor & Head, Dept of FMT, UCMS & GTB Hospital, New Delhi



DR. CHIRANTAP OZA,
Paediatric Endocrinologist, Shree Krishna Hospital, Karamsad



DR. PANKAJ PRAJAPATI,
Associate Professor, Dept of FMT, PDU Govt Medical College & Hospital, Rajkot

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EVENING SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

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EVENING PROGRAM - 5 PM ONWARDS

- **INTERACTIVE SESSION WITH INTERNATIONAL FACULTIES**
- **NETWORKING**
- **FUN AND ENGAGING GAMES**
- **MUSIC**
- **DINNER**



DR. GILLIAN JACKSON
National Poisons Information Service, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Little France, Edinburgh, UK



DR. HARUKI FUKUDA
Asst Professor, Dept of Legal Medicine Gunma University, Japan Academic Guest, University of Zurich



DR. MALERATO RAMELA
Specialist Forensic Pathologist, Dept of Forensic Medicine & Pathology, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa



DR SHAKEERA HOLLAND
Principal Specialist / Head: Clinical Unit, Diepkloof Cluster Forensic Pathology Services, Gauteng Academic Head of Division, Dept of Forensic Medicine & Pathology, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, South Africa



DR SHIRLEY JENA STUART
Head of Clinical Department / Chief Specialist Forensic Pathology Service, Northern Region, Gauteng Department of Health, South Africa

Registration Fees: Rs. 1000/- per participant for Research Workshop + Quiz + Evening Session Activities (Includes Delegate Kit + Breakfast, Lunch, Snacks, Dinner)
If required accomodation will be provided in hostel by paying minimal fees.

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PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

CAPTURE THE TRUTH: ADVANCED FORENSIC PHOTOGRAPHY SESSION

IN FORENSIC SCIENCE, A PHOTOGRAPH ISN'T JUST WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS – IT'S THE ULTIMATE WITNESS

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MORNING SESSION

Welcome to the Forensic Photography Masterclass at ICFMTCON 2026. Whether you are documenting a complex crime scene, capturing trace evidence, or recording critical medicolegal autopsy findings, the precision of your photography can make or break a case.

This intensive, hands-on workshop bridges the gap between technical photography and forensic investigation. This session will equip you with the practical skills needed to capture courtroom-ready images under the most challenging conditions.

What You Will Learn

Through a blend of interactive lectures and hands-on practical stations, participants will master:

- Crime Scene Documentation: The systematic approach to capturing overall, mid-range, and close-up shots without compromising scene integrity.
- Medicolegal & Autopsy Photography: Ethical and technical best practices for documenting injuries, lividity, and post-mortem changes with accurate color representation.
- Macro Photography: Capturing the microscopic details of tool marks, ballistics, and bite marks with pinpoint accuracy.
- Legal Admissibility: Understanding the chain of custody, metadata preservation, and preventing image manipulation claims in court.



Who Should Attend?

This workshop is highly recommended for professionals dedicated to the pursuit of justice and scientific accuracy:

- Forensic Medicine Experts & Postgraduates
- Law Enforcement Officers

RESOURCE PERSONS



DR. ABHISHEK DAS

Associate Professor, Forensic Medicine,
Jhargram Govt Medical College,
West Bengal

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POISON INFORMATION CENTER BY NIHR, UK

SPECIALIZED TRAINING ON PIC OPERATIONS, TOXICOLOGICAL MANAGEMENT, AND DATA SYSTEMS

Attendees: Various Poison Information Centers from India

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Venue: Pramukhswami Mecial College, Bhaikaka University, Karamsad, Anand

AFTERNOON SESSION

Dear All,

NIHR R4 team invites you to attend the ICFMT Conference 2026 and participate in our pre-conference workshop on 29th Oct 2026. The workshop will focus on two elements designed to build poison centre capacity:

POISONS INFORMATION DATABASES

Access to TOXBASE and helping to shape TOXBASE content for our Indian readers, by identifying priority poisoning challenges across India, focusing on what matters most to you.

PATIENT INFORMATION DATABASES

MyPID (developed as part of our NIHR R4 project) is an entirely standalone and free-to-use, no-strings-attached resource, giving Users total autonomy and ownership of their own patient data. The link (https://ee.kobotoolbox.org/x/dGIukVir) is to the data inputting front end. Users also have access to a behind-the-scenes administration suite, where they can control access, analyse and/or export their own data, and edit their own version of the database. NIHR R4 built the logic and now freely shares the code. Users can choose to keep on KOBO, which provides the platform and host server access (KOBO – free to not-for-profits and a trusted platform of RedCross data collection efforts), or they can take the code and build on a platform and server of their choosing.

RESOURCE PERSONS



DR. GILLIAN JACKSON
National Poisons Information Service, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Little France, Edinburgh, UK



MS. DHANNYA V SASI
Project & Policy Officer, University of Edinburgh, UK



DR. INDIRA MADHAVAN
Professor, General Medicine, Govt Medical College, Thrissur, Kerala

APPLIED FOR GMC CREDIT HOURS

ADVANCED POSTMORTEM COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY (PMCT)

UNLOCK THE FUTURE OF FORENSIC INVESTIGATION: HANDS-ON INSIGHTS & PRACTICAL REALITIES

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MORNING SESSION

ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

Step into the next era of forensic pathology with our exclusive pre-conference workshop on Postmortem Computed Tomography (PMCT) at ICFMTCON 2026.

Designed for forensic professionals seeking to bridge traditional practices with modern virtual autopsy techniques, this workshop draws directly from two and a half years of institutional experience (PSMC, Karamsad) in selectively integrating PMCT into routine forensic casework.

WHAT TO EXPECT?

- **Real-Case Visualizations:** Move beyond theory. See exactly how postmortem pathologies, trauma, and internal anomalies manifest on digital scans through actual case reviews.
- **The Siemens Syngo Experience:** The workshop features practical sessions utilizing the advanced Siemens Syngo Workstation, demonstrating real-time data manipulation, 3D reconstructions, and multiplanar reformatting.
- **Critical Balanced Discussions:** Engage in open, evidence-based dialogues analyzing the practical advantages, diagnostic triumphs, and current limitations (disadvantages) of PMCT in daily practice.

LEARN FROM ACTIVE PRACTITIONERS

This session will be led by expert resource persons who do not just teach PMCT but actively utilize it in their ongoing forensic investigations. Participants will benefit from their first-hand clinical insights, operational troubleshooting tips, and legal-medicolegal perspectives.

Whether you are looking to establish a PMCT protocol at your institution or simply want to master the interpretation of virtual autopsy findings, this workshop offers the practical blueprint you need

RESOURCE PERSONS



DR.VINOD CHAUDHARI
Professor & Head
JIPMER, Pondicherry



DR. HARUKI FUKUDA
Asst Professor, Dept of Legal Medicine Gunma University, Japan
Academic Guest, University of Zurich



DR. SHRIDHAR DAVE
Asst Professor,
Dept of Radiodiagnosis,
PSMC, Karamsad

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RESEARCH WORKSHOP & QUIZ COMPETITION

FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

29TH OCTOBER 2026

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BHAIKAKA UNIVERSITY,
KARAMSAD, ANAND

MORNING SESSION

RESEARCH WORKSHOP

- The Art of Scientific Writing
- Strategic Journal Selection
- The Critical 'Why' of Publishing
- Impact Factor & Indexing of a Journal

AFTERNOON SESSION

QUIZ COMPETITION

For Undergraduate Students in Forensic Medicine

✓ TOP 10 TEAMS (20 STUDENTS) WILL GET COMPLETE **REIMBURSEMENT** OF THEIR **REGISTRATION FEE**

REGISTRATION FEE

₹1000 PER PARTICIPANT

(Includes Delegate Kit + Breakfast, Lunch, Snacks, Dinner)

Hostel accommodation will be provided if needed, at a minimum price.

APPLIED FOR GMC CREDIT HOURS

QUIZ MASTER



Dr. Abhishek Das
Associate Professor,
Forensic Medicine,
Jhargram Govt Medical College,
West Bengal

RESOURCE PERSONS



Dr Puja Dullo
Professor & Head,
HPE & Physiology,
Parul Institute of Medical Sciences & Research,
Vadodara



Dr Saurav Chattopadhyay
Professor & Head
FMT, Nil Ratan Sarkar Government Medical College,
Kolkata



Dr Sayak Sovan Datta
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PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

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Your registration entitles you to attend two workshops.
One in the morning and another in the afternoon.

WORKSHOP THEME & DETAILED TOPIC	TARGETED PARTICIPANTS
MORNING SESSION	
Research Publication & Journal Selection Navigating the complexities of academic writing and choosing high-impact journals for forensic research.	• Undergraduate Students • Postgraduate Students • Faculty Members
Post Mortem Computed Tomography (PMCT) Practical insights through real case-based scenarios in virtual autopsy and imaging.	• Forensic Medicine Postgraduates • Radiology Postgraduates • Forensic Medicine Faculty
Age Estimation & Tanner Whitehouse 3 Method Standardized skeletal age assessment for forensic and clinical pediatric applications.	• Forensic Medicine Faculty • Forensic Medicine Postgraduates • Pediatricians
Forensic Photography - A Hands-on Expreience Practical training in systematic crime scene documentation using standardized photographic techniques to ensure accurate evidence.	• Police Officers • Forensic Medicine Postgraduates
AFTERNOON SESSION	
Poison Information Center by NIHR, UK Specialized training on PIC operations, toxicological management, and data systems.	• PIC Members • Toxicologists • Forensic Medicine Postgraduates • Forensic Medicine Faculty
FORENSIQUIZ Forensic Medicine Quiz Session designed specifically for first to final year MBBS students.	• Undergraduate Students

Note : The workshop can accommodate upto 40 undergraduate students only.



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WORKSHOP DAY – 29 OCTOBER

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SR. NO.	WORKSHOP THEME	TARGETED PARTICIPANTS	RESOURCE PERSON
MORNING SESSION: 09:30 AM - 12:30 PM			

1	**Research Publication & Journal Selection:** Navigating the complexities of academic writing and choosing high-impact journals for research.	• Undergraduate students
		• Postgraduate students
		• Senior residents
			• **Dr. Saurabh Chattopadhyay**
			  ◦ *Professor & Head, Dept of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology, NRS Medical College, Kolkata*
			• **Dr. Puja Dulloo**
			  ◦ *Professor & Head, Health Profession Education & Physiology, Parul University, Vadodara*

2	**Postmortem Computed Tomography (PMCT)** Practical insights through real case-based scenarios in virtual autopsy and imaging.	• Forensic Medicine Postgraduates
		• Radiology Postgraduates
		• Forensic Medicine Faculty
			• **Dr. Haruki Fukuda**
			  ◦ *Assistant Professor, Dept of Legal Medicine, Gunma University, Graduate School of Medicine, Japan*
			  ◦ *Academic Guest,University of Zurich, Switzerland*
			• **Dr. Vinod Ashok Chaudhari**
			  ◦ *Professor & Head, Dept of Forensic Medicine, JIPMER, Puducherry*
			• **Dr. Shridhar Dave**
			  ◦ *Assistant Professor, Dept of Radiodiagnosis, PSMC, Karamsad*

3	**Age Estimation & Tanner Whitehouse 3 Method** Standardized skeletal age assessment for forensic and clinical paediatric applications.	• Forensic Medicine Faculty
		• Forensic Medicine Postgraduates
		• Paediatricians
			• **Dr. Chirantap Oza**
			  ◦ *Paediatric Endocrinologist, PSMC Karamsad*
			• **Dr. Arvind Kumar**
			  ◦ *Director & Professor, Forensic Medicine, UCMS, New Delhi*
			• **Dr. Pankaj Prajapati**
			  ◦ *Associate Professor, PDU Govt Medical, College Rajkot, Gujarat*

4	**Forensic Photography - A Hands-on Experience** Practical training in systematic crime scene documentation using standardized photographic techniques to ensure accurate evidence.	• Police Officers • Forensic Medicine Postgraduates	• **Dr. Abhishek Das** ◦ *Associate Professor, Forensic Medicine, Jhargram Govt Medical College, West Bengal*
AFTERNOON SESSION: 02:00 PM - 05:00 PM			

5	**Poison Information Center by NIHR, UK** Specialized training on PIC operations, toxicological management, and data systems.	• PIC Members
		• Toxicologists
		• Forensic Medicine Postgraduates
		• Forensic Medicine Faculty
		• Faculty & Residents of various clinical departments
			• **Dr. Gillian Jackson**
			  ◦ *Manager, National Poisons Information Service, Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh, Little France, Ediburgh*
			• **Dhannya V Sasi**
			  ◦ *Project & Policy Officer, University of Edinburgh*
			• **Dr. Indira Madhavan**
			  ◦ *Professor, General Medicine, Govt Medical College, Trivandrum, Kerala*

6	**FORENSIQUIZ** Forensic Medicine Quiz Session is designed specifically for first to final year MBBS students.	• Undergraduate Students	• **Dr. Abhishek Das** ◦ *Associate Professor, Forensic Medicine, Jhargram Govt Medical College, West Bengal*