

**New York State Association of County Coroners and Medical Examiners
Spring 2013 Conference
Friday, March 15 – Sunday, March 17, 2013
The Otesaga Resort Hotel, Cooperstown, NY
“OCCUPATIONAL DEATH INVESTIGATION”**

Friday, March 15, 2013

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	NYSACCME Board of Directors Meeting
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Registration
7:00 pm	Dinner on your own

Saturday, March 16, 2013

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:00 am – 8:15 am	Welcome – President Scott Schmidt
8:15 am – 9:15 am	“Occupational Deaths in Rural New York” – John J. May, MD
9:15 am – 10:15 am	“Completing the Death Certificate: Quality Data Saves Lives” – Anne Marie M. Gibson
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Break
10:30 am – 11:30 am	“A Crash Course in Commercial Vehicle Investigations” – Inv. Robert Bennett and Sgt. Scott Henderschott
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	“Injuries Happen Even with Well Intentions” – Craig Konkle
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch and Accreditation Meeting
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	“Case Studies Involving Deaths in the Workplace” – Richard T. Callery, MD
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Break
3:15 pm – 4:15 pm	“Working to Live, Only to Die at Work” – Jonrika M. Malone, MD
4:15 pm – 5:15 pm	“Nature & Pathology of Electrical Injuries” – Michael Sikirika, MD
5:15 pm – 6:00 pm	Break
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Cocktail Hour
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Dinner / Business Meeting / Presentation "Trust Me, I'm an Expert, Pro vs. Con, Fact or Fantasy?" – William J. “Jack” Gibbons, Esq, JD
9:00 pm – 12:00 am	Hospitality Suite

Sunday, March 17, 2013

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Breakfast
8:00 am – 9:00 am	“Fear of Flying” – Dianne R. Vertes, MD, PhD
9:00 am – 10:00 am	“The Extrication: What is the Role of the Coroner/ME?” – Robert J. Zerby, Jr., ABMDI
10:00 am – 10:15 am	Break
10:15 am – 11:15 am	“Occupational Deaths in Confined Spaces” – Hal G. Brown
11:15 am – 12:45 pm	“Timber Harvesting Risks” – John C. Prindle, MD

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Speaker's Abridge Biographies

Investigator Robert Bennett, Collision Reconstruction Unit, NYSP Troop "C" Unit Coordinator, Unadilla, NY
Hal G. Brown, Deputy Director, Office of the Medical Examiner, State of Delaware, Wilmington, Delaware
Richard T. Callery, MD, Chief Medical Examiner, State of Delaware, Wilmington, Delaware
Anne Marie M. Gibson, Principal Investigator for the Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries in NYS & Research Scientist with the NYSDOH, Albany, NY
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Sergeant Scott Henderschott, Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Unit, Collision Reconstruction Technician, NYSP Troop "C", Unadilla, NY
Craig Konkle, Energy Development Emergency Response Coordinator, Lycoming County Dept. of Public Safety, Montoursville, PA
Jonrica M. Malone, MD, Forensics Pathology Private Consultant, Former Associate Chief Medical Examiner, Erie County, NY
John J. May, MD, Attending Physician, Director, New York Center for Agricultural Medicine & Health, Director, Bassett Research Institute, Professor of Clinical Medicine and Epidemiology Columbia University, Cooperstown, NY
John C. Prindle, MD, Broome County Coroner, Glen Aubrey, NY
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Robert J. Zerby, Jr., ABMDI, Chief Medical Investigator, Monroe County Medical Examiners Office, Rochester, NY

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