



IACP AUGUST VOLLMER LEADERSHIP IN FORENSIC SCIENCE AWARD

The IACP August Vollmer Leadership in Forensic Science Award recognizes the proactive, innovative use of forensic technologies by law enforcement agencies and units. Exemplary programs will demonstrate how new forensic technologies and techniques advance criminal investigations and enable agencies to strengthen their evidence collection and analysis. Alternatively, agencies and units may demonstrate innovative uses of current forensic technology and techniques toward achieving these goals.

Must be a law enforcement agency, unit, or multi-agency collaborative group.

Submission Tasks

- Contacts (Nominee, Point of Contact, Head of Agency, Nominator)
- Head of Agency Acknowledgement Letter
- Supplemental Materials (optional)

Questions

1. Explain why this individual or agency should be selected for this award. Describe the history, impact, and innovation that make the nomination unique.
2. What were the outcomes or results? If applicable, include evidence of demonstrated success.
3. How does this submission exemplify leadership and how can others benefit from the lessons learned or best practices?
4. Describe the incident in which current forensic science technology played a significant role in solving a major crime.
5. Illustrate how this technique or process can impact law enforcement and the forensic science field.