



TEXAS FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMISSION

Justice Through Science

WORKING GROUP ON FORENSIC SCIENCE DISCLOSURE

MEETING AGENDA

November 14, 2016, 10:00AM-3:00PM

Southwestern Institute of Forensic Sciences

Office of the Chief Medical Examiner

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Dallas, Texas 75207

1. Introductions and welcome.
2. Summary of applicable law (Tex. Code Crim. Proc. 38.01, 39.14(h), including relevant case law and administrative decisions).
3. Discussion of distinction between laboratory self-disclosure to Commission and the notification requirements of the State.
4. Presentation by John Hollway, Executive Director for the Quattrone Center for the Fair Administration of Justice on “just culture” reviews.
5. Identification of scope of work and deliverables.
6. Establishment of task sub-groups if needed.
7. Discussion of additional stakeholders to involve, possible outreach.
8. Staff assignments and action items.
9. Discussion of recommendations to the Commission.
10. Scheduling and location of next meeting.
11. Adjourn.