



ASFO 56TH ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM
**“LEADING THE WAY: CURRENT SYSTEMS AND NEW
ADVANCES AFFECTING FORENSIC ODONTOLOGY”**
FEBRUARY 10, 2026 NEW ORLEANS, LA
8 hours CEUs

7:00-8:00 am	Registration and breakfast
8:00-8:10 am	Welcome Dr. Mary Cimrmancic, ASFO President
8:10-8:15 am	Program introduction Dr. Dirk van der Meer, ASFO President-Elect
8:15-9:15 am	“Artificial and Augmented Intelligence” Dr. Kenneth Aschheim
9:15-10:15 am	"Restoring Names, Bridging Worlds: Collaboration and Compassion in Quebec Forensic Work" Dr. Corinne D’Anjou Hillary R. Parsons
10:15-10:30 am	BREAK
10:30-11:30am	“Dental Age Estimation” Dr. Kathy Kasper
11:30-11:45am	“Facing the Challenge, Finding the Solution: The Mexican Society of Forensic Dentistry.” Dr. Israel Soriano
11:45-12:00pm	“Forensic Odontology Response Team in Canada: FORT BC SOCIETY” Dr. Dirk van der Meer

12:00-1:30pm	LUNCH AND ASFO AGM
1:30-1:45pm	“Bundeswehr (Germany)” Dr. Alexander Selck
1:45-2:30 pm	“Is the World of Standards Influencing Forensics?” Col. Christoph Hemme
2:30-3:30 pm	“Dental Imaging: Understanding the Past and Embracing the Future” Dr. Mithun Rajshecar
3:30-3:45 pm	“Odont, Anthro and FIGG, a Teamwork approach to Identity” Dr. Lowell Reimer
3:45-4:00	BREAK
4:00-5:25pm	Town Hall discussion: “The Future of Forensic Odontology” Dr. Kenneth Aschheim Dr. Mark Eilers Dr. Derek Draft
5:25-5:30pm	Thank you and closing remarks Dr. Dirk van der Meer