

Cohort 2-2023 Friction Ridge Track Student Comments:

I really enjoyed the Printscore exercises because I am a visual learner, and being able to practice comparisons helped me understand the ACE-V methods and helped me become more confident in my evaluations.

The Friction Ridge Examination track absolutely exceeded my expectations. The amount of comparison exercises was really valuable to my understanding, and the lecturers were very insightful. The lecturers teaching the courses were absolutely wonderful, encouraging, and insightful. Their knowledge was very helpful, making the track more enjoyable.

Everything we did will successfully prepare us for the actual job!

I liked most of all the great knowledge learned. The instructors are very knowledgeable.

The Friction Ridge Track was great. I learned so much, and my expectations were met. The instructors were very patient and answered every question we had.

The whole track was great. All the instructors made it easy and fun. Thank you, Maria, Donna, and Sonya.

I learned SO much and gained so much valuable knowledge from our instructors! Truly appreciate each and every one of them. You can tell how much they care about the field and want us to succeed. You really can't put a price on that.

The track 100% exceeded my expectations by far.

I appreciated the videos shared of Maria in the field in conjunction with sharing in real-world experiences.

I enjoyed the hands-on comparison work sheets the most.

The quality is great. Everything that was covered was great and very thorough. The different experiences and knowledge from the three instructors was very helpful.

I liked that the instructors were knowledgeable and were always willing to help. They provided constructive criticism and managed to encourage participation.

I was not expecting the track to be as detailed and in-depth. It exceeded my expectations.

I liked that there was a lot of emphasis on the method of fingerprint examination. It became second-nature to me. It talked about a lot of things I never would have thought were important to the field.

I enjoyed and appreciated the instructors. They explained everything thoroughly and provided support that I am sure will help me get a job.

The quality of the Friction Ridge Examination Track exceeded my expectations. I thought this section would only teach me how to lift and examine fingerprints. It also taught me plenty of other things that will be helpful in my career, such as courtroom testimony and the scientific basis of friction ridge comparisons.