

# 2017

## APMLA

### GENERAL MEETING & ICRC WORKSHOPS

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## FORENSIC ISSUES IN HUMAN MIGRATION



APMLA  
General Meeting



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Workshops



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**JULY 17, 2017** \* Agenda of 17 July 2017 has changed,  
Please looking at 2<sup>nd</sup> page

- 09:00 – 09:30: Humanitarian Forensic Action on Behalf of Decedent Migrants: Principles and Recommendations from the ICRC (Andres Patiño – ICRC Coordinator for Asia and the Pacific)
- 09:30 – 10:00: The application of forensic radiology in human identification and death investigation and the selection of DNA-rich sites for profiling. (Noel Woodford – Director VIFM)
- 10:00 – 10:15: COFFEE BREAK
- 10:15 – 10:45: Challenges and Opportunities for Managing Forensic Data Related to Decedent Migrants (Maria Mikellide – ICRC Forensic Coordinator for Sri Lanka)
- 10:45 – 11:15: Data Management from Cross National Forensic Identification Efforts – experiences from the Mediterranean (Danilo de Angillis – LABANOF -TBC)
- 11:15 – 11:45: The ICRC Approach to Migration – A Humanitarian Perspective (Cornelius Brueser – ICRC Regional Migration Advisor)
- 11:45 – 12:15: The ICRC's Work in Restoring Family Links and Clarifying the Fate of the Missing (Svetlana Yudina – ICRC Regional RFL Advisor)
- 12:15 – 13:45: LUNCH
- 13:45 – 14:15: Approaches to Identifying Decedent Migrants in the Mediterranean: Experiences from Italy (Danilo DeAngillis – Forensic Odontologist at LABANOF)
- 14:15 – 14:45: Country Situation: Malaysia (Shah Mahmood – APMLA Chairman)
- 14:45 – 15:15: Death and Migration: A Reality for Nepal (Rijen Shresta – Institute of Legal Medicine, Nepal)
- 15:15 – 15:30: COFFEE BREAK
- 15:30 – 16:00: Program on the Missing and Dead from Migration in Australia (Megan Goodwin – Australian Red Cross)
- 16:00 – 16:30: Interpol and the Identification of decedent migrants (Cyril Gout – Assistant Director of Interpol FDP)
- 16:30 – 17:00: Panel Discussion

**JULY 18, 2017**

- 08:30 – 08:45: Welcome from the ICRC Head of Delegation (Beat Schweizer – ICRC HoD Bangkok)
- 08:45 – 09:00: Welcome from the APMLA (Shah Mahmood – APMLA Chairman)
- 09:00 – 09:30: Opening Ceremony (Permanent Secretary Ministry of Justice Thailand, CIFS, APMLA Chair)
- 09:30 – 10:30: Plenary Session : The search for missing persons in Colombia: a joint initiative using joint tools and databases (Andrés Patino Umama)
- 10:30 – 10:45: COFFEE BREAK
- 10:45 – 12:00: Plenary Session MIM Software updated (Dr. Nak-Eun Chung)
- 12:00 – 13:00: LUNCH BREAK
- 13:00 – 14:00: APMLA AGM
- 14:00 – 15:15: APMLA Work Group Mtgs
1. DBM Training for First Responders
  2. Management of International Assistance and Cooperation in Disasters
  3. Management of Fragmented Body Parts in Disasters
  4. Planning for Temporary Body Storage in Disasters
  5. Missing Person Identification
  6. Advocacy for Forensic Medical Capacity Development
  7. Medico-legal Investigation of Gender-based Violence
  8. Torture and Custodial Death
  9. Melanesian Working Group
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**JULY 19, 2017**

- 08:30 – 09:00: Registration
- 09:00 – 10:30: Workgroup Presentations
- 10:30 – 10:45: COFFEE BREAK
- 10:45 – 12:30: APMLA Planning
- Membership Development
  - Newsletter, Website and Communication
  - Partnerships and Cooperation
  - Next APMLA AGM Mtg
- 12:30 – 13:30: LUNCH
- 13:30 – 15:30: Depart or Tour Option





## ICRC Workshop on the Management and Identification of Decedent Migrants

**EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:** After attending this workshop, attendees will become familiar with normative and practical considerations for investigations applied to the recovery, documentation, management and identification of decedent migrants and the search for missing migrants.

**IMPACT ON THE FORENSIC SCIENCE COMMUNITY AND/OR HUMANITY:** This workshop will impact the forensic community by providing an updated review of current knowledge and practice in humanitarian forensic action applied to the management of decedent migrants and investigations into missing migrants.

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** A multidisciplinary panel of international experts will share their recommendations, experiences, and lessons learned in the practice of humanitarian forensic action applied to the management and identification of decedent migrants. Topics for discussion will range from applicable legal frameworks; the integration of various forensic disciplines for the search, recovery, analysis, identification and management of the dead in humanitarian operations, to the proper disposal of the dead and addressing the needs of the bereaved. Case studies will be provided exploring challenges and opportunities in humanitarian forensic action on behalf of deceased migrants.

**Chair:** Dr Mahmood Shah, APMLA President

**Co-Chair:** Andres Patiño, former ICRC Regional Forensic Coordinator, Asia and the Pacific

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