

# COURSE DESCRIPTION

**DESCRIPTION:** The course covers brain and cognitive issues relating to forensic science. It then connects the cognitive issues to practical and specific issues in forensic decision making. In addition to knowledge about the cognitive factors in forensic decision making, the course also provides practical solutions to address weaknesses, as well as best practices to enhance forensic practices. More details are available at: [www.cci-hq.com](http://www.cci-hq.com)

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** This course is aimed at forensic examiners, quality assurance units, crime scene investigators, and managers across the forensic science domains. The training program is appropriate for beginner, intermediate, and advanced level staff.

**INSTRUCTOR:** Dr. Itiel Dror has received the Association of Business Psychology's Annual Award for 'Excellence in Training' for his courses on cognitive and human factors in forensic decision making. The purpose of the award is to recognize excellence in demonstrating how applying an understanding of the science of human behavior can impact and deliver practical value to organizations. The association commented that Dr. Dror's workshops are, "A highly rigorous application of relevant theoretical frameworks", "Truly innovative, breaking entirely new ground in a most challenging context", and "Entirely focused on application of conceptual models – underpinned by deep research".

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