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### **REPORT ON EXPERT LECTURE**

**Title of the Event:** Forensic Science & Legal Reforms 2023

**Date:** 5th February 2026

**Time:** 2:00 PM onwards

**Venue:** Seminar Hall 015, The ICFAI University, Jaipur

**Organized by:** IcfaiTech (Forensic Science), Faculty of Science & Technology

**Resource Person:** Sh. Dheeraj Verma, Police Inspector, Rajasthan Police Academy (RPA), Jaipur, Rajasthan.

#### **Objective of the Lecture:**

The expert lecture was organized with the objective of bridging the gap between academic theory and legal reality. The session aimed to familiarize students with recent criminal law reforms introduced in 2023 and their direct implications on forensic science practices, evidence collection, and admissibility in courts.

#### **Summary of the Lecture:**

The session commenced with a formal welcome and introduction of the esteemed guest speaker, Sh. Dheeraj Verma. The speaker provided an in-depth overview of the newly introduced criminal laws of 2023 and explained how these reforms are reshaping criminal investigation procedures in India.

Special emphasis was laid on decoding the new legal provisions relevant to forensic investigations. The speaker elaborated on updated protocols for crime scene management, evidence collection, preservation, and documentation, particularly focusing on digital evidence and its growing significance in modern investigations.

Sh. Verma discussed the role of forensic experts in ensuring the admissibility of evidence in courts under the revised legal framework. Real-life case experiences were shared to help students understand practical challenges faced by investigating officers and forensic professionals. The session also highlighted the importance of maintaining chain of custody and following standard operating procedures to ensure legal compliance.

### **Career Readiness and Student Interaction:**

The lecture proved highly beneficial for students aspiring to pursue careers in forensic science, law enforcement, and criminal investigation. The speaker guided students on aligning forensic practices with statutory requirements and emphasized the need for continuous skill enhancement.

An interactive question-and-answer session was conducted, during which students actively participated and clarified their doubts regarding legal reforms, forensic reporting, and career opportunities in the field.

### **Outcome of the Event:**

The expert lecture significantly enhanced the understanding of students regarding the practical application of forensic science within the updated legal system. It successfully bridged theoretical knowledge with real-world investigative practices and motivated students to stay updated with evolving legal and forensic standards.

### **Conclusion:**

The expert lecture was informative, insightful, and academically enriching. The Department of Forensic Science expresses its sincere gratitude to Sh. Dheeraj Verma for sharing his valuable expertise and practical experiences. The event was a great success and contributed positively to the professional development of the students.





*Bridging the Gap Between Academic Theory and  
Legal Reality.*

**EXPERT LECTURE**

# Forensic Science & Legal Reforms 2023

*Reshaping Criminal Investigation in India*



**SH. DHEERAJ VERMA**

Police Inspector,  
Rajasthan Police  
Academy (RPA), Jaipur

## Decoding New laws

### **Evidence Collection:**

New protocols from digital evidence and crime scene investigation, emphasizing expert

### **Career Readiness:**

Understanding Admissibility of evidence and Aligning with current statutory requirements.

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