

SPECIAL SEMINAR

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Albert E. Scherr is a nationally recognized authority on forensic DNA evidence, serving as the lead attorney in numerous pretrial hearings in homicide, robbery, and sexual assault cases to determine the admissibility of forensic DNA evidence. In addition, Professor Scherr has extensive experience as a trial and appellate lawyer for more than 20 years. He has handled over 40 homicide cases and has trial experience as a criminal defense lawyer in a wide variety of cases. As a law professor, Professor Scherr teaches courses in Criminal Procedure; Evidence; Expert Witnesses & Scientific Evidence; Genetics & The Law, and Trial Advocacy. He directs the Trial Advocacy Program at Pierce Law, and has lectured to judges and lawyers on a variety of evidence issues. Professor Scherr is currently the principal investigator on a two-year NIH grant to study genetics, police investigation and Constitutional privacy. He has also co-designed & taught a national model, NIH-funded Summer Faculty Institute at Dartmouth that educates undergraduate faculty from around the country in the ethical, legal and social issues of the Human Genome Project.

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Professional Seminar

DNA Labs & Forensic Infallibility: CSI It Ain't

Wednesday, March 28

2:15 pm

Room 140 Cowley Hall

Community Seminar

Genetics, Privacy & The Constitution: Do You Know

Where Your DNA Is?

Wednesday, March 28

7:30 pm

Room 100 Cowley Hall



Both seminars are open to students, faculty and the public

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