Composite Drawing for Law Enforcement Certification/Re-certification for Composite Artists

Hosted by Stuart Parks Forensic Associates February 16-20, 2026 Prescott, AZ

Course objectives:

By the conclusion of this 40-hour training course, participants will have reviewed and been tested over all the necessary knowledge of a composite artist.

Re-certification is critical for participants as composite drawing is a perishable skill and needs periodic refreshing of skills in a structured, controlled environment.

Review and testing over the following Testing for Drawing ability:

(Review and drawing tests)

- Capturing the essence of different racial groups.
- Drawing male and female faces.
- Shading
- Accessory items: hats, glasses, mustaches and beards
- Communicating visual information
- Exactness of drawing.

General knowledge

(Review and written test)

- History of forensic art
- Terminology, ethics
- Standard operating procedure
- Other information

Interview Skills

(Review and video taped test)

- The cognitive interview
- Signs of deception: verbal, physical and statement analysis
- Memory

Who should take this class: The class is open by invitation only to qualified students who meet the requirements for the Certification course. After successful completion of this review and testing class, participants will receive a certificate and test results.

Enrollment information: \$795. Fee includes workbooks, handouts, and materials. For more information and to enroll: Carrie Stuart Parks, Stuart Parks Forensic Consultants, P.O. Box 73, Cataldo, ID 83810. (208) 682-2831. You may enroll by email or phone call. Payment is due prior to materials sent. Credit card or check.

Enrollment Forensic Classes

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