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Forensic entomology: From Sung Tzu's observations to today's genomic revolution

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Forensic entomology uses living organisms to tell us about the process of decomposition. From the early days of observing the close association of decomposition and insects, to today, where we look into the genomes of these insects to learn about their behaviors and variabilities, this presentation will examine how far we've come – and where we are heading – in time of death estimations.

The Forensic Science Lecture Series (FSLs), sponsored jointly by the Indiana Medical History Museum and the University of Indianapolis Archeology & Forensics Laboratory, was established in 2004 to help educate the public in the forensic sciences and related fields and to spotlight the fascinating stories that scientists have to tell.

