

## **Benefits of Membership with the MNIAI**

Membership in the MNIAI provides the following important benefits for forensic science and law enforcement professionals:

- Annual Educational Conference.
- Promotes accuracy, precision, and specificity in the forensic identification sciences.
- Membership qualifications ensure that only eligible individuals are admitted as members. Consequently, MNIAI membership, as an extension of IAI membership, substantiates professional competency and is widely recognized by courts and other domains as a sign of distinction in the area of forensic science.
- Personal contact with many up-to-date, talented forensic identification specialists in the region through annual conferences.
- Information on the latest decisions and other late-breaking items posted regularly to the MNIAI's web site.
- Employment announcements available on the MNIAI website.
- Forensic resources and training listed on the MNIAI website.
- A Membership Directory via the MNIAI website.
- Access to training articles and the Division newsletter, Gopher Identification, via the MNIAI website.