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## Committee on Scientific Approaches to Understanding and Maximizing the Validity and Reliability of Eyewitness Identification in Law Enforcement and the Courts

The National Academies' Keck Center  
Room 208  
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Washington, DC 20001  
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### Agenda

*Thursday, 6 February 2014*

#### Open Session

8:00-8:30      Continental Breakfast

8:30-8:45      Opening Remarks and Introductions

Co-chairs:      Tom Albright, Salk Institute for Biological Studies  
                         Jed Rakoff, US District Court for the Southern District of New York

8:45 – 9:30      The Illinois Pilot Program on Sequential Double-Blind Identification Procedures

Speaker:      Sheri Mecklenburg, U.S. Department of Justice

9:30-10:15      Face Recognition and Human Identification

Speaker:      P. Jonathon Phillips, National Institute of Standards and Technology

10:15-10:30      Break

10:30-11:15      Evaluating Eyewitness Research in Court: Moving from General to Specific Inference

Speaker:      John Monahan, University of Virginia

11:15-12:00	Eyewitness Identification from the Perspective of State Attorney Generals
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Speaker: Peter Kilmartin, State of Rhode Island

12:00-12:45	Lunch
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12:45-1:30	Costs and Benefits of Eyewitness Identification Reforms
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Speaker: Steven Clark, University of California, Riverside

1:30-2:30	Misinformation and the Creation of False Memories
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Speaker: Elizabeth Loftus, University of California, Irvine – *via videoconference*

2:30-3:15	Obtaining Better Descriptive Information: The Use of the Cognitive Interview
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Speaker: Ronald Fisher, Florida International University

Closed Session