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No. 140
Winter 2025

P.O. Box 621320 • Cincinnati, OH 45262-1320

Winter Seminar March 12, 2025

CCMS - Cincinnati, Ohio

645 W North Bend Road. Cincinnati, OH 45224

**6 Hours of Continuing Ed have been applied for
in Ohio, Kentucky & West Virginia**

Cost \$110 Members and \$220 non members.

DAY AT A GLANCE

.75 Hour – 8-8:45am Registration and Coffee

3.0 Hour – 9-12 Dr. Paul Koles – Autopsy demonstration with commentary

1.0 Hour – 12-1pm – Lunch

1.0 Hour – 1-2 Dr. Paul Koles – Autopsy demonstration completion

2.0 Hour – 2-4 CCMS Clinical staff/ students – Embalming of Autopsied case

ACCOMMODATIONS

Rooms are being held at the Home2 Suites by Hilton
9246 Schulze Dr., West Chester OH 45069 • Phone 513.805.4500.
Mention OEA for special rate of \$129. A link will be created soon.

Cut out and return with payment registration form

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President's Message

Greetings,
I hope you all had a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! I am sure you all have hit the ground running in 2025. Our unparalleled Mr. Hicks has done the same here at OEA with a full slate of great CEU programming. It kicks off with our Winter Seminar back at CCMS on Wednesday, March 12th.

Woody Wilson,
OEA President 2024-26

Secretary's Message

The OEA has another great line up in the works for 2025. Only the Fall Seminar venue and date needs securing. Check for updates on the website at www.ohemb.com.

Email OEA at well; OhioEmbalmersAssociation@gmail.com.

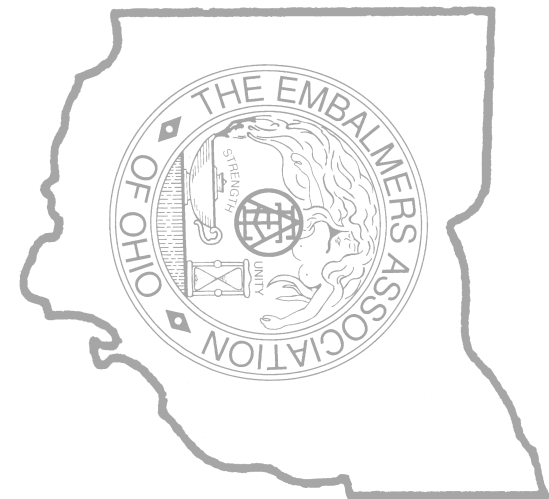
Snail mail: OEA PO Box 1320,
Cincinnati, OH 45262-1320.

Dates are:

Winter 3.12.25 • CCMS Cincinnati OH

Spring 5.7.25 • Brennans Cleveland OH

Fall 9.10.25 or 9.17.25 TBA -
maybe in North Central OH



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MEET THE SPEAKERS

Paul Koles, M.D. was associate professor of pathology and surgery and chair of the department of pathology in the Boonshoft School of Medicine at Wright State University. He has practiced and taught pathology for 30 years in postgraduate and undergraduate settings. His medical education research focuses on instructional strategies and assessment; team-based learning (TBL) is his primary area of interest. He has authored or co-authored more than 30 interdisciplinary TBL modules for medical students, integrating concepts from anatomy, physiology, pathology, microbiology, pharmacology, and clinical decision-making. He has facilitated over 50 TBL workshops and consultations for medical school faculty in the U.S. and Canada. Dr. Koles is certified by the American Board of Pathology in anatomic and clinical pathology with subspecialty certification in cytopathology.

TOPICS

Autopsy 4 hours

Dr. Koles will perform an autopsy in real time that will be streamed into the auditorium via camera feed. The attendees will be able to view the entire procedure and ask questions. Koles will point out points of interest to the embalmer. Dr. Koles will also elaborate on any complications or difficulties an embalmer might expect with embalming the case.

Autopsy Embalming

CCMS Clinical Faculty with assistance of Students will demonstrate embalming techniques on the body just autopsied by Dr. Koles. Chemical selection, cases analysis, vessel selection and injection techniques will all be discussed and demonstrated live and streamed in to the auditorium.