# RESEARCH STUDY

*Assessment of Stress, Burnout, and Resilience in Crime Scene Investigators*

The purpose of this study is to collect data from a CSI sample to aid in the development of interventions that will have utility in increasing resilience and reducing stress and burnout in CSIs. This study will look to: (1) identify whether personal strengths (i.e., hope, optimism, social support) are associated with increased resilience, (2) determine the extent to which resilience protects against job burnout, and (3) ascertain whether resilience mediates the negative relationship between personal strengths and reduced burnout. It is anticipated that results of the investigation will aid in the establishment of preventive measures that serve to increase resilience and reduce stress and burnout in CSIs.

***To participate in this research, you must:***

1. Be a Crime Scene Investigator

2. Be employed in the State of Florida

3. Be 18 years of age or older

***Participation in this study involves:***

Completing a brief anonymous online survey. Participation in the survey is completely voluntary and all of the responses will be kept confidential. No identifying information will be collected and all responses will remain anonymous. The survey should take 35-40 minutes to complete and may be completed in one sitting.

***Survey:***

To access the survey, please follow the link included below:

<https://novapsy.sjc1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8Ap0PI2QTASCzsh>

**If you have any questions or difficulties accessing the survey/link, please feel free to contact the Principal Investigator, Brittany Plombon, M.S., at** [**bp789@mynsu.nova.edu**](mailto:bp789@mynsu.nova.edu) **or Co-Investigators or Vincent Van Hasselt, Ph.D., at** [**vanhasse@nova.edu**](file:///Users/Brittany/Downloads/vanhasse@nova.edu)**; and Teresa Bryant, M.S., at** [**TeresaB@jupiter.fl.us**](file:///Users/Brittany/Downloads/TeresaB@jupiter.fl.us)**.**