



FRANK WHITE, JR.
Jackson County Executive

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 19-18

**TO: MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE
CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE**

**FROM: FRANK WHITE, JR.
COUNTY EXECUTIVE**

DATE: June 3, 2019

RE: APPOINTMENT OF MEDICAL EXAMINER

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MARY JO SPINO
COUNTY CLERK

I hereby appoint Dr. Marius C. Tarau, M.D., as Medical Examiner effective June 3, 2019, occasioned by the resignation of Dr. Diane C. Peterson, M.D. A copy of Dr. Tarau's resume is attached.



Frank White, Jr., County Executive

Dated: 6/3/2019



MARIUS C. TARAU, M.D.

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 05/2018-Present **Program Director-Forensic Pathology Fellowship**
Jackson County Medical Examiner Office, Kansas City, MO
Running the ACGME-accredited fellowship program in all aspects related to education, teaching, training and accreditation
- 04/2011-Present **Deputy Medical Examiner-Forensic Pathologist**
Jackson County Medical Examiner Office, Kansas City, MO
Responsible for investigating sudden, violent, unexpected and suspicious deaths in the city of Kansas City, the surrounding counties of Platte, Cass and Clay, and other Missouri counties on a referral basis
- 05/2012-Present **Clinical Assistant Professor**
Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, School of Medicine, University of Kansas Medical Center
- 04/2011-Present **Clinical Assistant Professor**
Department of Pathology, University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Medicine
Involved in training residents during Forensic Pathology rotation; primary supervision of the fellow with regards to all his/her duties for the on-call days, participating in providing feedback to the fellow and participating in program evaluation
- 04/2010-03/2011 **Forensic Pathologist**
Private Autopsy Service, LLC, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Providing professional, medico-legal death investigation services to the private sector in Oklahoma City Metro area
- 01/2008-03/2011 **Medical Examiner-Forensic Pathologist**
Office of the Chief Medical Examiner, Oklahoma City, OK
Responsible for investigating sudden, violent, unexpected and suspicious deaths in the State of Oklahoma
- 12/2006-12/2007 **Deputy Coroner-Forensic Pathology Fellow**
Montgomery County Coroner's Office, Dayton, OH
Performing autopsies covering a wide variety of traumatic and natural deaths; reviewing histology, toxicology results and investigators reports; attending in court to observe the

presentation of medico-legal evidence; conducting scene investigations; establishing the cause and manner of death

10/ 2002- 9/2006 **Resident Physician in Anatomic and Clinical Pathology-
ACGME-accredited integrated program among Barnabas
Medical Center, Livingston, NJ, Newark Beth Israel Medical
Center, Newark, NJ and Monmouth Medical Center, Long
Branch, NJ**

Reviewing slides and rendering anatomic diagnosis under supervision, involved in various lab test performance, quality assurance and control, performing autopsies, participating in inter-departmental conference, tumor boards, involved in various research projects

05/2000-09/2002 **Research Associate
Ohio State University, Department of Pharmacology, Division
of Clinical Trials, Columbus, OH**

Assisting with clinical pharmacology studies; assisting with development and implementation of protocols; assisting in recruiting patients for clinical studies; evaluating preclinical data; checking vital signs, drawing blood and collecting biological specimens; assessing side effects as drug related or intercurrent illness; evaluating lab results; monitoring Phase I and II drug studies for protocol adherence.

BOARD CERTIFICATION

Diplomate of the American Board of Pathology- Anatomic Pathology
-Forensic Pathology

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

2003-present The American Society of Clinical Pathology
2007-present National Association of Medical Examiners
2007-present American Academy of Forensic Sciences

EDUCATION

1988-1994 Medical Doctor -"Iuliu Hatieganu" University of Medicine and
Pharmacology, School of Medicine, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

1982-1986 Bachelor -"Horea, Closca si Crisan" National College, Alba-Iulia,
Romania

MEDICAL LICENSE: Missouri-active
Kansas-inactive
Oklahoma-inactive
Indiana- inactive
Ohio-inactive

REFERENCES

Diane Peterson, MD	Chief Medical Examiner/ Coroner Johnson County Medical Examiner Office Olathe, KS (913) 477-8419 Diane.Peterson@jocogov.org
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Kent Harshbarger, MD, JD, MBA	Coroner-Forensic Pathologist Montgomery County Coroner's Office-Dayton, OH (937)225-4156 harshbargerk@mcohio.org
Eric Duval, DO	Forensic Pathologist- Medical Examiner Oklahoma Office of the Chief Medical Examiner (405) 248-9733 Eric.Duval@ocme.ok.gov