**Henry Templeman** is a dactyloscopist and fingerprint examiner consultant who specializes in empirical probability modeling to conservatively estimate and predict the quantitative-qualitative weight and match probability for fingerprints.

Henry Templeman’s statistical match probability “T-Model” is based on empirical research, experiment, and extended validation study. As a result, it is considered to have greater empirical content than conventional ACE-V fingerprint methodology, and therefore greater predictive power.

Henry Templeman has worked in the field of fingerprints for over 20 years, instructed numerous law enforcement classes in fingerprints and processing physical evidence for latent fingerprints, and has qualified as expert fingerprint witness in US District, State of California city and county municipal and superior courtrooms.

Henry Templeman is a Certified Latent Print Examiner (CLPE) and Certified Crime Scene Analyst (CCSA) by the International Association for Identification. He is an active member of the International Association for Identification and California State Division of the International Association for Identification.

The T-Model has shown to be more accurate and reliable than fingerprint examiner intuition and subjective judgment in identifying fingerprint “look-alikes” as insufficient to establish positive identification, and as a result is deemed to provide superior quality assurance to guard against erroneous fingerprint identifications.

The superior accuracy and reliability of empirical probability modeling (T-Model) over subjective probability modeling (ACE-V) can provide both defense and prosecution with true scientific basis for whether or not an amount of matching fingerprint ridge features in two impressions is sufficient to establish inference for positive identification with a reasonable degree of scientific and probabilistic certainty.

For further information, please visit the following web site:

[www.henrytempleman.com/services](http://www.henrytempleman.com/services)
Services and Fees

Henry Templeman provides fingerprint examination and consultation services, e.g., with conventional ACE fingerprint methodology based on professional judgment and/or empirical probability based on the T-Model, for $200 per hour.

How to Get Started

Call (925) 997-2247 or email henry@henrytempleman.com to request fingerprint examination services. In general, messages and email are returned within 24 hrs.

Upon agreement of services, the client will preferably submit the fingerprint material for examination as follows:

High resolution digital images of the fingerprint material may be sent to the following email address: henry@henrytempleman.com

Hard copies of fingerprint material, i.e. photographs, or digital images on CD or USB in BMP, JPG or TIFF format, may be sent by insured registered mail. Call (925) 997-2247 for further details.

There is a $300 non-refundable surcharge for fingerprint material requiring pickup and return within the San Francisco bay area.

Upon receipt of fingerprint material, an initial examination is performed. The total estimated time and cost for the services requested are provided to the client. Upon approval of the total estimated cost for services, an invoice is forwarded to the client by email or US mail. Upon receipt of the total estimated payment, fingerprint examination services are scheduled and performed.

Upon completion of fingerprint examination services, a written report is provided to the client with the results and conclusions of the examination.

Please call (925) 997-2247 or email henry@henrytempleman.com for fees regarding crime scene consultation, training classes, keynote speaker, and so on.

NOTE

Henry Templeman is currently employed as a Senior Latent Print Examiner at the city of San Jose Police Department. In order to avoid conflict with current job duties, at this time casework located in Santa Clara County or that may involve courtroom testimony is not accepted.

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