



## Forensic Fallout:

### Scientific evidence and the prevention of wrongful convictions Wednesday, November 9, 2022

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