

Bernalillo County Office of Senior and Social Services

Bringing Generations Together Thru Genealogy

DNA in Genealogy: Testing, Tools and Techniques

Feb. 8 –
March 15, 2021

Free Six-Part Series
for Bernalillo County
residents

Register at

<http://bit.ly/361qTMY>

- **Feb. 8: Introduction to Genealogy** will show how genealogists combine documentation and DNA to build family trees and uncover old family secrets, and show practical and easy to use tools for unlocking a family's past.
- **Feb. 15: Introduction to DNA Testing for Genealogy** will review DNA testing, pros and cons, what test results look like, and differences of ethnicity estimates.
- **Feb. 22: Chromosomes, Centimorgans and Segments** will examine advanced DNA matching examples and how to organize and understand DNA matches to help solve brick walls in a family tree.
- **March 1: The Science of Genetic Genealogy** will explore the uses of Y-DNA, mitochondrial DNA and autosomal DNA and demonstrate how DNA can help corroborate documentary evidence. Learn about chromosomes, DNA, recombination, SNP's, STR's, meiosis, haplotypes, haplogroups, alleles and much more.
- **March 8: Finding Unknown Parents** will illustrate how adoptees can combine genealogy and DNA to identify biological families with research tools and strategies Genetic Genealogists use.
- **March 15: Forensic DNA is a featured bonus to the series.** Learn the history and use of Forensic DNA in forensic investigations, its development and the current use of Genetic Genealogy to help solve crimes.

**Online
via Zoom
Mondays
10:30 a.m. - noon**

Genealogists:

- Martin Brady
- Lark Robart
- Philip Spivey
- John Adam Farris

**Members of the
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Genealogical
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