



OHIO WEEKEND at the NATIONAL FIRE ACADEMY



June 28th – June 30th
Emmitsburg, Maryland

2013

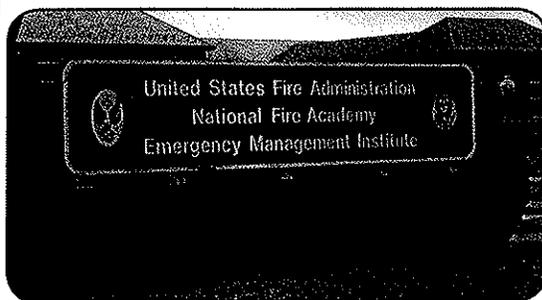


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2013 OHIO WEEKEND
at the
NATIONAL FIRE ACADEMY
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REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!!

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www.osfsi.org
A Bargain at \$200!
240 Registrations Available





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EMMITSBURG, MD



INVITATION

The Ohio Fire Academy and the Ohio Society of Fire Service Instructors cordially invite you to join us for a weekend of enrichment at the National Fire Academy (NFA). The courses selected for this learning opportunity are of the highest quality and are presented by NFA adjunct faculty.

WHEN

June 28, 2013	Departure (A.M.)
June 29-30, 2013	Classes at NFA
June 30, 2013	Return (late P.M.)

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

- 1) Obtain SID Number.
- 2) Use the attached NFA form (make additional copies if necessary).
- 3) Fill out the application form COMPLETELY.
- 4) Identify, in order of preference, up to three desired courses.
- 5) List preferred pick-up point and alternate where indicated. If you are providing your own transportation, please indicate so.
- 6) Registration fee or billing authorization MUST accompany the application form.
- 7) Return completed application form with FEE by May 15th, 2013 to the following address:

----- **DO NOT FAX** -----
NFA - Ohio Weekend
OSFSI
PO Box 518
Grove City, OH 43123

COST

The cost for the OHIO WEEKEND is \$200, payable in advance. There will be no refunds after June 1st, 2013. Checks should be made payable to: OSFSI
For other payment options visit: www.OSFSI.org

The cost includes the following: Bus Transportation to/from the NFA; All Meals at the NFA (meals in route are at student expense); Lodging at the NFA campus; All Course Materials; Two (2) Evening Social Activities

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation by chartered buses, leaving from various points around the state, is provided as part of the fee. There is no fee reduction for those providing their own transportation.

BUS PICK-UP POINTS (TENTATIVE)

Akron	Centerville	Columbus
Bowling Green	Cincinnati	Springfield
Cambridge	Cleveland	

ALL STUDENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED OF THE EXACT TIME AND LOCATION FOR THE PICK-UP POINTS.

SELECTION CRITERIA

The following NFA's selection criteria will be used in the event of more than 240 applications are received: First priority will be given to chief officers, senior line officers, company officers, and fire department safety officers. Second priority will be given to senior firefighters who initially serve as incident commanders for initial response personnel. Preference will also be given to those who have not previously attended the National Fire Academy.

AVAILABLE COURSES:

COURTROOM PREPARATION AND TESTIMONY FOR FIRST RESPONDERS (CPTFR)

This course will provide the necessary tools for all emergency responders who may be called upon for depositions and/or courtroom testimony relevant to facts witnessed on arrival at a scene as a first responder.

DECISION MAKING FOR INITIAL COMPANY OPERATIONS (CMICO)

The course was designed to develop the decision making skills needed by Company Officers to accomplish assigned tactics at structure fires. This course is for newly appointed Company Officers, or firefighters who may have acting Company Officer responsibilities.

DEPARTMENT WELLNESS COORDINATOR (DWC)

Provides the outline and resources for a fire/EMS department to implement and maintain a wellness program, in coordination with the department's health and safety program.

FIRE SERVICE SAFETY CULTURE: WHO PROTECTS FIREFIGHTERS FROM FIREFIGHTERS (FSSC: WPPF)

Course will help fire service personnel identify their present fire service safety culture, explain how culture drives safety behavior, identify risk management strategies, and develop a fire service safety culture intervention plan to reduce injury and death.

FISCAL MANAGEMENT & DECISION MAKING (FMDM)

Intended to improve emergency services by management of fiscal and resource allocation. By using the outcome-based Transformational Model in the decision-making process. Various software applications are presented with opportunities for student practice applying these tools to fiscal management.

LEADERSHIP 1 FOR FIRE & EMS: STRATEGIES FOR COMPANY SUCCESS (L-1)

Presents the company officer with the basic leadership skills and tools needed to perform effectively in the fire service environment. The course includes techniques and approaches to problem-solving, ways to identify and assess the needs of the company officer's subordinates, methods for running meetings and decision-making skills.

MARKETING FIRE PREVENTION IN YOUR COMMUNITY (MFPYC)

Students begin developing a marketing plan for fire prevention and apply a plan that will outline target hazard risk, identify significant opponents, and present allies who may be available within their community.

TRAINING OPERATIONS IN SMALL DEPARTMENTS (TOSD)

Course is designed to provide students with some basic tools and skills to coordinate training in a small fire/emergency medical service organization.

Ohio Weekend students need to register for a FEMA Student Identification Number (SID).

1. Register at <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid>
2. Select "Need a FEMA SID?" on the right side of the screen.
3. Follow the instructions to create your account.
4. You will receive an email with your SID. Save this number in a secure location.

Use the SID in box #6. on the General Admissions Application

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY
GENERAL ADMISSIONS APPLICATION SHORT FORM

See Reverse for
Privacy Act Statement

O.M.B. No. 1660-0100
Expires August 31, 2013

SECTION I - GENERAL INFORMATION

1. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo, Day, Yr.)	2. GENDER <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE <input type="checkbox"/> MALE	3. U.S. CITIZEN <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	If No, City and Country of Birth:
4a. ETHNICITY 1. <input type="checkbox"/> HISPANIC or LATINO 2. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT HISPANIC or LATINO	4b. RACE (Please check all that apply) 1. <input type="checkbox"/> AMERICAN INDIAN or ALASKA NATIVE <input type="checkbox"/> ASIAN 3. <input type="checkbox"/> BLACK or AFRICAN AMERICAN 4. <input type="checkbox"/> WHITE <input type="checkbox"/> NATIVE HAWAIIAN or PACIFIC ISLANDER		
5. PLEASE PRINT YOUR NAME (Last, First, Middle, Suffix)			6. Student ID# (SID)
7. MAILING ADDRESS (Street, avenue, road no./city or town, and zip code)		8. WORK PHONE NO. ()	
		9. HOME PHONE NO. ()	
		10. FAX NO. ()	
		11. E-MAIL ADDRESS	

Notate your 1st, 2nd & 3rd Choices

CPTFR CMICO DWC FSSC:WPFF FMDM L-1 MFPYC TOSD

13. DO YOU HAVE ANY DISABILITIES (Including special allergies or medical disabilities) WHICH WOULD REQUIRE SPECIAL CONSIDERATION DURING YOUR ATTENDANCE IN TRAINING?
 NO YES (If yes, indicate & describe any special considerations required on a separate sheet)

SECTION II - EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

14a. NAME AND COMPLETE ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION BEING REPRESENTED		14b. NFIRS # (NFA ONLY)	15. CURRENT POSITION AND NUMBER OF YEARS IN POSITION
16. CHECK THE BOX(ES) BELOW THAT BEST DESCRIBE YOUR ORGANIZATION		16b. ORGANIZATION	16c. CURRENT STATUS
16a. JURISDICTION 1. <input type="checkbox"/> STATEWIDE 2. <input type="checkbox"/> COUNTY GOVERNMENT 3. <input type="checkbox"/> CITY/TOWN/VILLAGE	4. <input type="checkbox"/> SPECIAL DISTRICT/TOWNSHIP 5. <input type="checkbox"/> FEDERAL/MILITARY (non-DHS) 6. <input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY/BUSINESS	7. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN 8. <input type="checkbox"/> DHS/FEMA 9. <input type="checkbox"/> TRIBAL NATION	1. <input type="checkbox"/> ALL CAREER 2. <input type="checkbox"/> ALL VOLUNTEER 3. <input type="checkbox"/> COMBINATION 1. <input type="checkbox"/> PAID FULL TIME 2. <input type="checkbox"/> PAID PART TIME 3. <input type="checkbox"/> VOLUNTEER 4. <input type="checkbox"/> DISASTER RESERVIST

SECTION III - ENDORSEMENT AND CERTIFICATION

17a. I certify that the information recorded on this application is correct. Falsification of information will result in denial of a course certificate and stipend (U.S.C. 1001).

17b. I hereby authorize the release of any and all information concerning my enrollment in this course to the chief officer in charge, or designee, of my organization. All requests for information shall be in writing from said chief officer or designee.

17c. Further, I understand that the National Emergency Training Center (NETC), the Mt. Weather Emergency Operations Center (MWEOC), and the Noble Training Facility (NTF) are not authorized to provide medical or health insurance for students. I maintain appropriate insurance on an individual basis.

17d. I agree to abide by the rules, policies, and regulations of NETC, MWEOC and NTF. Failure to do so will result in denial of the student stipend, expulsion from the course, and possible barring from future National Fire Academy (NFA) and Emergency Management Institute (EMI) courses.

18a. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	18b. DATE
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19. APPROVAL BY THE HEAD OF THE SPONSORING ORGANIZATION (NOT REQUIRED FOR SELF STUDY PROGRAMS):

By signing this application, I certify that my organization does not discriminate on the basis of age, sex, race, color, religious belief, national origin, economic status, or disability in providing educational opportunities for its employees.

19a. SIGNATURE	19b. PRINTED NAME AND TITLE	19c. DATE
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20. ADDITIONAL ENDORSEMENTS FOR APPLICATION TO THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE (NOT REQUIRED FOR SELF STUDY PROGRAMS)

20a. SIGNATURE AND DATE (State Office)	20a. SIGNATURE AND DATE (FEMA Regional Office)
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21. SUBMIT APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE SPONSOR

22a. DISPOSITION

ACCEPTED

REJECTED

20b. SIGNATURE OF REVIEWER

22c. DATE

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY STATEMENT

NFA and EMI are Equal Opportunity institutions. They do not discriminate on the basis of age, sex, race, color, religious belief, national origin, or disability in their admissions and student-related procedures. Both schools make every effort to ensure equitable representation of minorities and women in their student bodies. Qualified minority and women candidates are encouraged to apply for all courses.

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

GENERAL - This information is provided pursuant to Public Law 93-579 (Privacy Act of 1974), Title 5 United States Code (U.S.C.), Section 552a, for individuals applying for admission to NFA Or EMI.

AUTHORITY - Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974, as amended, Title 15 U.S.C., Sections 2201 et. seq.; Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended, Title 42 U.S.C., Sections 5121, et. seq.; Title 44 U.S.C. Section 3101; Executive Orders 12127, 12148, and 9397; Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

PURPOSES: To determine eligibility for participation in NFA and EMI courses. Information such as age, sex, and ancestral heritage are used for statistical purposes only.

USES: Information may be released to: 1) FEMA staff to analyze application and enrollment patterns for specific courses, and to respond to student inquiries; 2) a physician to provide medical assistance to students who become ill or are injured during courses; 3) Members of the Board of Visitors for the purpose of evaluating programmatic statistics; 4) sponsoring states, local officials, or state agencies to update/evaluate statistics of NFA and EMI participants; 5) Members of Congress seeking first party information; and 6) Agency training program contractors and computer centers performing administrative functions.

EFFECTS OF NONDISCLOSURE - Personal information is provided on a volunteer basis. Failure to provide information on this form, however, may result in a delay in processing your application and/or certifying completion of the course.

Information Regarding Disclosure of Your Social Security Number Under PL 93-579, Section 7(b) - E.O. 9397 authorizes the collection of the SSN. The SSN is necessary because of the large number of individuals who have identical names and birth dates and whose identities can only be distinguished by the SSN. The SSN is used for record-keeping purposes, i.e., to ensure that your academic record is maintained accurately. Disclosure of the SSN is voluntary. However, if you do not provide your SSN, another number will be substituted, which will delay processing of your application or course certificate.

PAPERWORK BURDEN DISCLOSURE NOTICE

Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 6 minutes per response. The burden estimate includes the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the needed data, and completing, reviewing, and submitting the form. You are not required to respond to this collection of information unless a valid OMB control number appears in the upper right corner of this form. Send comments regarding the accuracy of the burden estimate and any suggestions for reducing this burden to: Information Collections Management, Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW, Washington, DC, 20472. and Paperwork Reduction Project (1670-0100). **NOTE: Do not send your completed form to the above address.**

STUDENT INFORMATION SHEET

With the changes made to the National Fire Academy application, each student will need to complete this form as well.

Name: _____

OFA STUDENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:

_____ Last 4 digits of Social Security Number

_____ Date of Birth

FEMA Student Identification Number _____

COURSE SELECTION

Select desired course & Pick up location, in order of preference (1st, 2nd, 3rd)

- _____ COURTROOM PREPARATION AND TESTIMONY FOR FIRST RESPONDERS (CPTFR)
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| ___ Centerville | ___ Cincinnati | ___ Cleveland |
| ___ Columbus | ___ Springfield | ___ Own Transportation |

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