



NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY
CENTER FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

FIRE SENIOR MANAGEMENT LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

The Northwestern University Center for Public Safety (NUCPS) is proud to introduce the Senior Management Leadership Program for fire professionals (Fire SMLP).

This series offers high-quality professional development in a format designed especially for the busy executive.

Timely Fire SMLP topics are selected to inform and prepare senior fire executives for the real world challenges faced by today's leaders.

Sessions are held at NUCPS in Evanston, Illinois on the first Wednesday of the month from 1–4 p.m. and are preceded by a free catered lunch that begins at noon.

For those unable to travel to Evanston, Fire SMLP sessions are also offered as webcasts that can be viewed from anywhere with a computer and an internet connection.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Fire SMLP participation is limited to Fire Chiefs, Deputy Fire Chiefs, Commanders, and other "exempt rank" fire personnel.

PRICE

Single session/webcast - ~~\$100~~ \$75*

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

To register, please visit nucps.northwestern.edu/firesmlp or call 800-323-4011, extension 1-7245.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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April 7, 2010

"Locked in Irons" - Planning and Budgeting during the Economic Storm

Robert M. Buhs, Executive Director
Illinois Fire Chiefs Association

In order to provide leaders with strategies for facing current economic challenges, this session discusses previous recessions and highlights the actions local governments have taken to weather economic downturns.

May 5, 2010

Misconduct Investigations

Captain Kevin Johnson (Ret.)
Sacramento Police Department

In 2005, the Sacramento Fire Department experienced several high-profile misconduct incidents involving more than 40 firefighters. With no formal investigative unit, the department was quickly overwhelmed by investigations, interviews, and case documentation. This lecture discusses an organizational response to misconduct investigations. By using the misconduct incidents experienced by the Sacramento Fire Department as a case study, this lecture further examines organizational issues that contributed to the misconduct.

June 2, 2010

May Day for Mental Health

Chief Patrick J. Kenny (Ret.), Assistant Executive Director
Illinois Fire Chiefs Association

This presentation addresses mental health challenges in the Fire Service and the lack of "tools" available to deal with these challenges. The National Fallen Fire Fighters Foundation's (NFFF) Life Safety Initiative #13 states that "Firefighters and their families must have access to counseling and psychological support." Are we, as a service, really addressing this initiative?

This program is brought to you with the proud support of the Northeastern Illinois Public Safety Training Academy.



* NUCPS has temporarily discounted the cost of all NUCPS program offerings of **three weeks or less**. Register now and save 25 percent on single registrations and 35 percent on second and subsequent registrations from the same agency for the same course. Please note that all discounts will be applied by NUCPS once registration is complete, but before payment is collected. Prices shown on the web site are full price.