



Sunday (One day)

34. Fireground Leadership and Operational Excellence on Today's Demanding Fireground

Instructor: Christopher Naum

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This is an engaging and thought-provoking program that challenges conventional fire service paradigms and explores leading edge fire service discussion points from across the North American Fire Services with new strategic, tactical and operational considerations due to building construction, extreme compartment fire behavior and occupancy risks and the demands associated with today's evolving and demanding fireground. Integrated leading insights and emerging concepts and methodologies related to fireground tactical theory, suppression needs for effective fire suppression and command operations and methodologies for operational excellence and firefighter safety.

About the instructor:

A 50-year fire service veteran and a highly regarded national and international instructor, author, lecturer and fire officer, a distinguished authority on building construction sciences affecting fireground operations, command and tactics, he has traveled extensively throughout the USA and globally delivering training programs on building construction & architecture sciences and firefighting, fireground leadership, command management and operational safety for over thirty-seven years. He is a sought-after national keynote speaker, instructor and presenter and has served as an FDIC General Session Keynote speaker and National Fire Academy Adjunct Instructor.