



**State of Connecticut
Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection
Commission on Fire Prevention and Control**

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1. UNH Going On line for Fire Service - Now is the Time to Obtain Your Degree

Did you start your degree but stopped because you are now on the job? Firefighters with a Bachelor Degree have a higher earning and advancement potential compared to those without one. At The University of New Haven, home of one of the largest, most comprehensive fire programs in the country, you don't have to choose between furthering your education and continuing to work. With our **ONLINE** BS in Professional Studies program, you can earn your degree at our private, not-for-profit university on a timeline that fits right into your unique schedule as a firefighter!

For our firefighters in the BSPS program we offer a 25% discount off our already low tuition rate \$595 per credit.

Our **ONLINE** BS in Professional Studies is specifically designed to equip adult learners with the skills and competencies necessary to understand, serve and lead organizations. With your vast experience and training as a firefighter you may also receive a minor in Fire Science with many of the credits you have earned on the job.

To learn how the previous college credits you have earned as well as your Firefighter certifications, will transfer into the University of New Haven's BSPS program, I would like to introduce you to your personal counselor, **Deirdre Milewski** you can contact her at dmilewski@newhaven.edu or (203) 932-7316.

2. Combat Ready Firefighting

Combat Ready Firefighting presented by Traditions Training - Hosted by the Long Hill Fire Department

The seminar will be held on November 5th beginning at 08:30 located at 14 Meadow Rd, Trumbull CT. Please see the attached flyer for more information. There is no cost to attend the class however **you must RSVP** to A/C Sanfanandre by email gsanfanandre@longhillfd.com as seating is limited.

3. CREC Public Safety Academy Annual Flag Football Tournament and Chili Eating Contest

Dear football lovers and friends,

CREC Public Safety Academy is happy to announce the Hometown Heroes Cup- Football and Chili Eating Contest, to be held on Saturday, November 12, 2016 at CREC Public Safety Academy in Enfield, CT. Each year, the Hometown Heroes Cup will include a summer golf tournament and additional events in the fall, winter and spring to honor the brave men and women who serve in all areas of public safety. All proceeds from this event will fund book scholarships, which will be given to deserving CREC Public Safety Academy Seniors. With your help, we can make this year's event a huge success!

Here are the details:

Event: Hometown Heroes Cup, Flag Football Tournament and Chili Eating Contest

Where: CREC Public Safety Academy – 1617 King Street, Enfield, CT 06082

When: Saturday, November 12th, 2016; 8:30 am Registration – 10:30 am Start

Cost: \$100 per team or \$300 for all three events

Attached, please find an info page and the registration form.

4. Save-the-Date NEDIAFC

NEDIAFC Annual Meeting and Education Seminar, March 23-24, 2017 NFPA Headquarters, Quincy MA. Please see attached for more info.

5. Weston Fire Department Request for Information

The Weston FD is looking for information from public safety entities currently using drones. Including but not limited to those who use drones with thermal imaging. If your agency uses a drone and is willing to share information about deployments, technology and procedure please contact Lieutenant Jason Greenfield of the Weston Fire Dept. Jgreenfield@wvfd.com or leave a message at 203-222-2647. Email preferred. "

6. CFPC/CFA Follow us on Twitter and Facebook

For the latest fire service news and information follow the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection's Commission on Fire Prevention and Control – Connecticut Fire Academy on its official Twitter page **@CTCFPC** or Facebook **@CTFireAcademy**



7. Previous Listserv Messages

To see some of the previous CFPC Listserv Messages, please go to the Commission on Fire Prevention & Control website, under Contact us, or follow this link

<http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/cwp/view.asp?a=889&q=246692>.

If you don't see the information you are looking for please contact jeff.morrisette@ct.gov or kara.ouellette@ct.gov

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