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Fire Instructor Development Seminar



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Rethinking Fire Service Instruction

Presented by: Eddie Buchanan, Division Chief of Operations Hanover Fire & EMS Richmond, Virginia

This program will focus on how to motivate students to train and embrace the pride, honor and traditions of the fire service. The program will also explore ways to “rethink” the way we deliver training and make the most of technology that is available today.

Course Learning Objectives

- Develop detailed understanding of student learning domains
- Create tangible ideas for instilling organizational values through training
- Examine instructional delivery systems and benefits of each
- Explore the concepts of instructor-centered vs. student centered learning environments
- Examine distance education concepts available to emergency services
- Understand the concept the “virtual presence” in the learning environment
- Explore tactics for delivering hands-on training through the distance education environment

Eddie Buchanan began his fire service career in 1982 and currently serves as the Division Chief of Operations for Hanover Fire & EMS in Richmond, Virginia. Hanover Fire & EMS is a large combination system, consisting of approximately 150 career personnel and 300 active volunteer responders.

Eddie is the author of the Volunteer Training Officer's Handbook from Fire Engineering Books & Videos and serves on the Board of Directors for the International Society of Fire Service Instructors. He also serves on the Technical Committee on Fire Service Training for the National Fire Protection Association. He is a former board member for the Volunteer/Combination Officer's Section of the International Association of Fire Chiefs serving as an instructor for the “Beyond Hoses & Helmets” program. He serves on the National Advisory Council for Fire Corps and is coauthor of the Red and Blue Ribbon Reports from the VCOS/IAFC. He writes regularly for Fire Engineering Magazine and teaches throughout the country.

Course #08240, Course Fee \$55, All classes held at the Connecticut Fire Academy

All Seminar Series presentations are scheduled from 8 am until 4:30 pm. Lunch is included. Acceptance confirmation notices with directions will be mailed approximately two weeks prior to the start of the program. Students canceling seven days in advance will receive a full refund. Application forms can be duplicated or downloaded at ct.gov/cfpc and returned via fax or mail with payment. Additional questions can be directed to Program Manager Mark Salafia, phone 877-528-3473 ext 286 or email mark.salafia@po.state.ct.us

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