

Connecticut Fire Academy

2010 Seminar Series
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This class
is part of
June Fire
School

Company Officer Academy

Battalion Chief Michael Barakey



Your department expects new officers to make competent decisions, but how much training or direction did these officers receive from your organization? If the answer is, "Not much," you can change that. Most departments send recruits to a recruit academy, why not send newly assigned officers to an officer academy? This course will include discussions on career paths versus defined courses for officer training. Learn how to establish an officer academy from scratch, and take with you the resources to implement one in your department.



Michael Barakey is Battalion Chief for the Virginia Beach (VA) Fire Department. He is currently assigned to Operations, as part of Special Operations Marine Division. Chief Barakey is the department's Accreditation Manager and is a graduate of the National Fire Academy's Executive Fire Officer Program. He was the Chief of Training prior to moving to Operations. He is a Hazardous Materials Specialist, Instructor III, and a National Registered Paramedic. Barakey is a Plans Team Manager for VA-TF2 US&R Team and has a Master of Public Administration from Old Dominion University in Norfolk, VA. Chief Barakey is a classroom instructor for FDIC and is a regular contributor to Fire Engineering.

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Class held at the Connecticut Fire Academy

All Seminar Series presentations are scheduled from 8:30 am until 4:30 pm, registration begins at 8 am. 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 from www.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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Additional Speakers for 2010

Seminar Series

**Firefighter James Dalton and
Chief Peter Van Dorpe**
Chicago Fire Department
Friday, **August 20, 2010**

Lieutenant Michael Ciampo
FDNY
Friday, **October 15, 2010**

Daniel Madrzykowski
Fire Protection
Engineer, NIST
Friday, **Dec. 10, 2010**