

PROFESSIONAL FIRE & FRAUD
INVESTIGATORS ASSOCIATION
356 Melaleuca Dr.
Springfield, MO 65809



53rd Annual
**FIRE AND FRAUD
INVESTIGATION**
PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT SYMPOSIUM



Sept. 30 - Oct. 2, 2019
Columbia, MO

The 53rd Annual Professional Fire and Fraud Investigators Professional Development Symposium will be held Sept. 30 - Oct. 2, 2019 at the Drury Plaza Hotel Columbia East.



TRAINING CREDITS

Training hours from this seminar can be applied to the recertification requirements of the Missouri Division of Fire Safety Fire Investigator Certification program. **A total of 23 hours in continuing education will be held.** Attendance will be monitored and is required to receive a certificate for these hours.



Selected hours from this seminar can also be applied to the continuing education requirements for peace officer certification in Missouri. The Missouri Division of Fire Safety is an approved POST provider and is cosponsoring this symposium.

POST now requires individuals to submit their POST officer license number when signing in for approved CEU's.

SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION

PFFIA members: \$200 Nonmembers: \$225

Preregistration must be mailed by Sept. 15, 2019. Walk-in registration will be accepted at the seminar with an additional charge of \$10.

Registration includes lunch on Monday and Tuesday.



SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION



PLEASE PRINT All Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Representing: _____

Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

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*Payment must accompany registration.
Make checks payable to P.F.F.I.A.*

**To use a credit card, contact
Bill.Zieres@gmail.com**

**New
Address** →

**Mail registration to:
PFFIA Training Symposium
356 Melaleuca Dr.
Springfield, MO 65809**



SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM



Sunday, Sept. 29, 2019

6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Registration

Monday, Sept. 30, 2019

7:30 - 8 a.m. Registration

8 a.m. **Fire Dynamics and Analysis**
Dr. Trevor Maynard
Special Agent Kurt Franzi
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco,
Firearms & Explosives

12 p.m. Networking lunch provided

1 p.m. **Fire Dynamics and Analysis**

Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2019

8 a.m. **Taking Action Against Cancer in
the Fire Service**
Jeff Strawn, State Director
Firefighter Cancer Support
Network



SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM



Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2019

11 a.m. Annual Association Membership
Meeting and Election

12 p.m. Networking lunch provided

1 p.m. Tactical First Aid for the First Responder
Chief Rob Wylie (ret.)
Cottleville Fire Prot. District

Wednesday, Oct. 2, 2019

8 a.m. **Burn Cell Research & Education**
Trace Lawless IAAI-CFI
Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance Co.
Special Investigations

1 p.m. **Live Burn Cell Demonstration at
Boone County Fire Prot. District
Training Center**
Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance Co.
Special Investigations

5 p.m. **Symposium Concludes**

LODGING

The new Drury Plaza Hotel Columbia East is providing a room rate of \$110 per night for conference attendees. This is a new Drury Hotel located at 3100 Interstate 70 Dr. SE, Columbia, MO, southeast of the I-70 and Highway 63 junction.

The hotel offers guests a free hot breakfast each morning and a complimentary manager's reception each evening.

Reservations can be made by reserving online, go to www.druryhotels.com, then enter **Group number of 2373771**. Reservations may also be made by calling 1-800-325-0720 and refer to the Group number of 2373771. **Reservations by attendees must be received on or before Friday, August 30, 2019.**



ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION

The Annual Meeting and Election of Officers will be held Tuesday, Oct. 1 during the Symposium.

There are several changes to the Association Bylaws which will be voted on by the membership at this meeting.

The proposed changes can be reviewed at PFFIA.com

NFPA 1033, *Standard for Professional Qualifications for Fire Investigator*, Section 1.3.7 states fire investigators need continuing education on a variety of subjects to stay current for their qualifications and expertise.

This year's symposium provides training on several of the topics listed in this section of the standard including:

- 🔥 Fire science
- 🔥 Thermodynamics
- 🔥 Fire dynamics
- 🔥 Fire analysis
- 🔥 Fire chemistry
- 🔥 Thermometry
- 🔥 Computer fire modeling
- 🔥 Fire analysis



On Wednesday, Oct. 2, Grinnell Mutual Reinsurance Co. Special Investigations will be conducting "Burn Cell Research and Education" involving live burn demonstrations - fire dynamics, thermometry, fire growth, extinguishment and ventilation, and competent ignitions. **Conference attendees will watch four full-scale burns** and observe the thermal effects and monitor the fire conditions inside the burn cells.

PFFIA is extremely grateful to Grinnell Mutual and their staff for their expert assistance with the Symposium.