

# WSESI

Wisconsin Society of Emergency Services Instructors



## 61<sup>ST</sup> Annual **INSTRUCTORS CONFERENCE**

February 18-20, 2022

Co-Hosted by

**Fond du Lac Fire Rescue (FDLFR)**  
and **Moraine Park Technical College (MPTC)**



### **MPTC Main Campus**

235 N. National Ave.  
Fond du Lac, WI  
(Track A & D Programs)

### **FDLFR Station 1**

815 S. Main St.  
Fond du Lac, WI  
(Track B & C Programs)

### **Radisson Hotel & Conference Center**

625 W. Rolling Meadows Dr.  
(Friday Dinner  
& Annual Meeting)

*\*The three venues are within 12 minutes' drive of each other – see Conference webpage for map.*

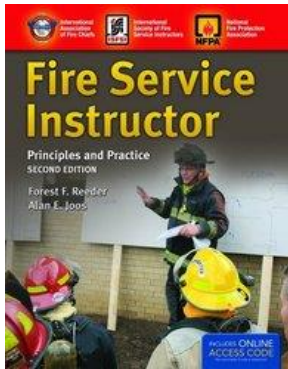
- **Pre-Conference Training: Emergency Services Instructor (ESI)**
  - **NEW! ESI II Train-the-Trainer**
- **Friday Workshops: NFPA 1403 -or- 'Tag-team Chiefs'**
- **Friday Dinner Social and WSESI Annual Meeting**
- **Instructor Development – Two Saturday presentations**
- **NFPA 1403 Compliance for Live Burns**
- **NEW! Technical Rescue Awareness Train-the-Trainer**
- **National Fire Academy class – Saturday/Sunday**



For latest official information, visit [www.wsesi.org/annual-conference](http://www.wsesi.org/annual-conference)

## PRE-CONFERENCE TRAINING:

Monday, February 14 through Friday, February 18 – 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM



### Emergency Services INSTRUCTOR (ESI) at MPTC

Experienced MPTC instructors will conduct this course; it is the prescribed class for those seeking certification as Wisconsin Fire Instructor I, and prerequisite for Fire Officer candidates.

Course fee of **\$225.00** includes:

- Course textbook
- Handout materials
- Complimentary pass to Friday's Social!  
(RSVP for planning, please).

*Class will be limited to 30 students. Register TODAY!*



### **NEW! – ESI II TRAIN-THE-TRAINER at FDLFR**

This certification level of Emergency Services Instructor goes beyond the lesson plan and into the design of complete curriculum features for the instructor's intended audience. The Train-the-Trainer class prepares instructors to deliver the ESI II course in their respective WTCS Districts.

All participants must hold a current ESI I certification to attend.

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## Friday WORKSHOPS – 1:00 to 5:00 PM

**Track B Participants: NFPA 1403 – Classroom Session at FDLFR**

(See next page for full details of this track!)

**Tracks A, C, & D Participants – “Tag-Team Chiefs” Presentations at MPTC**



### **MOLSON-COORS ACTIVE SHOOTER EVENT**

*Fire Chief AARON LIPSKI, Milwaukee Fire Dept.*

Learners will:

- analyze PRE-event planning / preparatory efforts / SOGs.
- hear recordings of event fireground audio w/ presenter commentary and characterize strengths / weaknesses of collective response.
- identify disparities between SOGs and the real-time response.
- identify and discuss instructional strategies for closing the gaps between and SOGs and real-world performance.



### **THE IMPORTANCE OF THE 4 C'S: DIAMOND STANDARD LEADERSHIP**

*Fire Chief MIKE STANLEY, City of Oshkosh Fire Dept.*

This interactive discussion will explore the high value that leaders possess, how they can be developed, and what are common characteristics of great leaders. Participants will be challenged to identify how they can become better leaders and how they can develop future fire service leaders.

Objectives-

1. List common traits of successful leaders
2. Describe the need for situational leadership
3. Apply development techniques to future leaders

**Friday Evening:  
DINNER BUFFET  
SOCIAL  
5:30 – 7:00 PM  
Included with  
Conference fee!**

Instructor of the Year presentation



**WSESI 61<sup>ST</sup>  
ANNUAL MEETING  
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FRIDAY, FEB. 18  
7:00 PM**

## **SATURDAY/SUNDAY PROGRAM**

*Continuing program tracks from Friday:*

### **TRACK A – INSTRUCTOR DEVELOPMENT**

**TWO Saturday Presentations:**



#### **SO YOU'RE THE NEW TRAINING OFFICER!**

***JIM AUSTAD, Fox Valley Technical College***

This session will guide you as a new or seasoned training officer on how to build a training program to be compliant with SPS 330, ISO and NFPA. This program will also help you lead your organization to meet your mission of your department along with increasing your recruitment and retention.



#### **TRAINING FOR SUCCESS**

***Division Chief DAVID BRIGGS,  
Wausau Fire Dept. -and-  
Asst. Chief JOHN AUSTAD,  
Sun Prairie Fire & Rescue***



Bring your flash drives and laptops; prepare to add to your training repertoire and training program organization. This session includes a brief lecture component followed by a "sharing" session to assist each other in developing departmental training plans and/or course planning. Consider this a collaborative "brainstorming" session to grow as an educator.

Often instructors know how to present material; however, many are a little stranded when it comes to creating a class or presentation with a goal in mind. Much of this is learned over time and through experience. This session is designed to help educators define a training need, establish the objectives, goals, or JPR's and put methodology into a plan to fulfil a need.

**COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS** – By registering for the 2022 Conference, you are agreeing to observe and follow the public health policies and precautions prescribed by and for our co-host venues – Fond du Lac Fire Rescue, Moraine Park Technical College, and Radisson Hotel & Conference Center – in effect as of the dates of the Conference. Registered attendees will be furnished with copies of (or access to) the policies, and notified of any updates in policies/procedures taking effect in advance of the Conference dates.

## **TRACK B – NFPA 1403 COMPLIANCE TRAINING at FDLFR**



Emphasis on  
**ACQUIRED STRUCTURE PREPARATION**

*David Yakowenko*  
*Racine Fire Dept.*

*Yak-Attack Innovations & Training, LLC*



One and a half or experienced live-burn instructors will take you through a complete hands-on experience that will focus on the preparation of an acquired structure, balancing realistic learning experiences with the safety of all participants.

**Classroom session: Friday 1-5 PM – Field Practical: Saturday 8AM-4PM**

**NFPA-compliant turnout gear, with SCBA & spare tank, is required for all participants**

***DOCUMENTED FIREFIGHTER I AND Emergency Services Instructor I* is required for all participants**

***Enrollment is limited to 15 students. Register NOW!***

## **TRACK C – TECHNICAL RESCUE AWARENESS**

### **TRAIN-THE-TRAINER at MPTC**

**Presented by WTCS Fire Certification & Education**

In this debut of the state-wide roll-out, developers of the Technical Rescue curriculum will unpack and explain the Implementation Guide, lesson plans, and resources available to instructors for this new Certification level!

**Classroom session: Saturday, February 19 – 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM**

***DOCUMENTED Emergency Services Instructor I***  
**is required for all participants**



## **TRACK D –** **National Fire Academy (NFA) Course:** **STRATEGY & TACTICS for** **INITIAL COMPANY OPERATIONS (STICO) F0455** **Held at FDLFR**

This two-day course is designed to meet the needs of Company Officers (COs) responsible for managing the operations of one or more companies during structural firefighting operations. This course is designed to develop the management skills needed by COs to accomplish assigned tactics at structure fires.

**Saturday, February 19 and Sunday, February 20 – 8AM to 5PM**

**All participants must have a FEMA Student ID number (SID) and submit it for registration.**

**SIDs can be obtained at <https://www.usfa.fema.gov/training/nfa/admissions>**

**Class size limit: 30 – Register early!**



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Pre-Conference (Mon.-Fri.):	Emergency Services Instructor (ESI)	\$225.00
	Emergency Services Instructor II Train-the-Trainer	-No Fee-
<b>CONFERENCE FEES: Include programs and Friday buffet social</b>		
<b>\$10 Early-bird Discount: Register by January 17, 2022!</b>		
After January 17:		
	WSESI Members	Non-members
<b>Track A: Instructor Development</b>	\$80.00	\$95.00
<b>Track B: NFPA 1403 Live Burn</b>	\$110.00	\$125.00
<b>Track C: Tech. Rescue Train-the-Trainer*</b>	\$70.00*	\$85.00*
<b>Track D: NFA Course: STICO*</b>		

**\*PLEASE NOTE** – WTCS Fire Training and the National Fire Academy does not charge fees for the courses in Tracks C and D, respectively; consequently, this fee is not required for those attending only the Saturday/Sunday programs for these tracks. The fee covers the costs for attending the Friday program and dinner, fully available to Track C and D participants. We encourage you to take advantage of these additional opportunities!

**WSESI MEMBERS – Renewing your membership?**  
**Include your dues with your conference registration!**  
 (Remember to update contact information per renewal notice)  
**Joining / Returning? Include membership application**  
 (paper or online)

**Lodging** (on your own) is available – \$99.00 +tax  
 Contact Radisson Hotel and identify WSESI block –  
 Book early! — Phone: 1-920-923-1440



**QUESTIONS? COMMENTS? SUGGESTIONS?**

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 – or – complete and return this form with your payment. Agency invoice and PayPal options available.

This form may be copied as needed.

Full name (certificate):		First name (nametag):		Department or agency:	
Address:		City State Zip:		Phone:	E-mail address:
WSESI member? Y/N		Track A: Instructor Development	ESI -or-		
Select Program(s):			Conference Fee(s)		
Emergency Service Instructor (\$275.00)		Track B: NFPA 1403 Acquired Struc. Prep.	Join/Renew/Returning Members: 2022 Dues		
ESI students: Staying for the Friday Dinner? Y/N		Track C: Tech. Resc. Awar. T-t-T	Additional (guest) Friday Dinner Buffet tickets (\$30.00): Qty. _____		
ESI 2 Train-the-Trainer		Track D: NFA Class: STICO	<b>TOTAL:</b>		

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