



EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM AGENDA 2023 METRO FIRE CHIEFS CONFERENCE Columbus, OH

June 6, 2023

National Fire Protection Association Update

Jim Pauley, President & CEO

International Association of Fire Chiefs Update

Chief Donna Black, IAFC President & Chair of the Board

The Company Officer's Responsibility in Carrying out the Fire Chief's Mission

Gordon Graham & Billy Goldfeder

The Practical use of Data in Metro Departments – A Case Study Approach

John Oates, IPSDI and TBD Metro Fire Chief(s)

Emerging Energy Technologies in the Built Environment – What Metro Chiefs Need to Consider

Dr. Steve Kerber, VP/Director & Fire Chiefs Panel TBD

The FDNY Experience – The Lithium-Ion Fire Challenge and growing tech-related fire problem.

Speakers TBD

June 7, 2023

International Association of Fire Fighters Update

Edward Kelly, General President

United States Fire Administration Update

Dr. Lori Moore-Merrell, USFA Administrator

Impacts of Climate Change on Emergency Response

Dr. Lori Moore-Merrell, USFA Administrator & Metro Fire Chiefs Panel TBD

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Toolkit

*Dr. Jennifer Taylor, Director, Center for
Firefighter Injury Research and Safety Trends*

Thursday, June 8, 2023

National Fire Chiefs Council, United Kingdom Update

CFO Mark Hardingham, President

Federation of European Fire Officers Update

CFO Stephan Wevers, President

Canadian Association of Fire Chiefs. CAFC Update

TBD

CTIF International Association of Fire & Rescue
Service Update

CFO Milan Dubravac, President

Ongoing Threat: Active Shooter – DHS Office of
Intelligence and Analysis

TBD

*A call to expand Whole Blood Programs – A
critical element to help Stop the Dying!*

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Fire Service Mental Health Program – San
Antonio Fire Department

Charles Hood, Fire Chief

It's more than PTSD - What the Data Actually Tell
Us About the Behavioral Health Needs of
Firefighters and the new requirements of NFPA
1582

Dr. Marc Krause

Update from Fire Fighter Cancer Cohort Study
(FFCCS) and a review of the International Agency
for Research on Cancer (IARC) Determination that
Occupational Exposure as a Firefighter Causes
Cancer

*Dr. Jeff Burgess, Director, Firefighter Health
Collaborative Research Program, and Professor
Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public
Health, University of Arizona*

National Firefighter Registry (NFR) Update

*Dr. Kenny Fent, Head of the NFR at the National
Institute for Occupational Safety and Health*

Note: The program offerings are preliminary and may be modified.

