



THE ARIA RESORT  
LAS VEGAS, NV

30 MARCH - 3 APRIL 2026



## EDUCATION FOR THE IFRM & SFRM FIREPROOFING EXAMS

IFRM and SFRM Contractor Accreditation Programs prove Contractor knowledge, establish quality control processes, and ultimately improve the quality and accuracy of installed Intumescent Fire-Resistive Materials (IFRM) and Sprayed Fire-Resistive Materials (SFRM).

### PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

## MONDAY, 30 MARCH 2026 - IFRM FIREPROOFING EDUCATION

### JOSHUA 1

All times listed are in PDT

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	PFPCON '26 Registration Open
7:30 am - 8:00 am	Continental Breakfast for IFRM & SFRM Education Attendees
8:00 am - 8:15 am	NFCA: The Vision, The Mission, The Association Gabby Peck, Ph.D., NFCA
8:15 am - 9:15 am	UL Product iQ Directory & IFRM Systems Selection Bill McHugh, The McHugh Company   Rich Walke, CTI
9:15 am - 9:45 am	Primers and NFCA Technical Bulletins TBD
9:45 am - 10:00 am	Break
10:00 am - 10:30 am	Measuring Thickness of IFRM Applications TBD
10:30 am - 10:45 am	IFRM Thickness Gauge Demo TBD
10:45 am - 11:30 am	NFCA 300 Application Standard Gabby Peck, Ph.D., NFCA
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	NFCA 400 Quality Control Standard Gabby Peck, Ph.D., NFCA
12:00 pm - 12:45 pm	Luncheon for IFRM & SFRM Education Attendees



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## MONDAY, 30 MARCH 2026 - IFRM & SFRM FIREPROOFING EDUCATION

**JOSHUA 1**

All times listed are in PDT

- 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm NFCA & UL SFRM Accredited Contractor Program Overviews  
Bill McHugh, The McHugh Company | Mark St. Onge, UL Solutions
- 2:00 pm – 2:30 pm Restrained Versus Unrestrained  
John Dalton, GCP
- 2:30 pm – 2:45 pm Break
- 2:45 pm – 4:15 pm ICC Building Code  
Bill McHugh, The McHugh Company | Rich Walke, CTI

## TUESDAY, 31 MARCH 2026 - SFRM FIREPROOFING EDUCATION & EXAMS

**JOSHUA 1**

All times listed are in PDT

- 7:00 am - 5:00 pm PFP CON '26 Registration Open
- 7:30 am – 8:00 am Continental Breakfast for IFRM & SFRM Education Attendees
- 8:00 am – 9:00 am UL Product iQ Directory & SFRM Systems Selection  
Dan Ehehalt, Isolatek
- 9:00 am – 9:30 am Beam Substitution Procedures & Examples  
John Dalton, GCP
- 9:30 am – 10:00 am Thickness Adjustment Procedures & Examples  
John Dalton, GCP
- 10:00 am – 10:15 am Break
- 10:15 am – 11:15 am UL Fire-Resistance Topics  
Rich Walke, CTI
- 11:15 am – 12:00 pm NFCA 100 Application Standard  
Gabby Peck, Ph.D., NFCA | Rich Walke, CTI
- 12:00 pm – 12:30 pm NFCA 200 Quality Control Standard  
Gabby Peck, Ph.D., NFCA | Rich Walke, CTI
- 12:30 pm – 1:15 pm Luncheon for IFRM & SFRM Exam Attendees
- 1:30 pm – 6:30 pm NFCA IFRM & SFRM Fireproofing Exams  
Note: The IFRM & SFRM Fireproofing Exams are online OPEN BOOK exams. Participants MUST provide their own copy of the NFCA Handbook of Accepted Fireproofing Knowledge (HAFK) and handouts, as well as a laptop and charger.

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## EDUCATION FOR THE FM & UL FIRESTOP EXAMS

FCIA's Education for the Firestop Exams helps prepare Specialty Firestop Contractors and Special Inspectors to pass the FM or UL Firestop Exams. Passing the Firestop Exam(s) is required for Firestop Contractors pursuing FM 4991 Approved or UL Solutions Qualified Firestop status and for Firestop Inspectors to prove competence to AHJ's or International Accreditation Services IAS AC 291 Special Inspection Agency responsible individual status.

### PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

#### MONDAY, 30 MARCH 2026

##### JOSHUA 2

All times listed are in PDT

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	PFPCON '26 Registration Open
12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	FCIA Education for the FM & UL Firestop Exams Gabby Peck, Ph.D., FCIA
2:00 pm - 2:15 pm	Break
2:15 pm - 3:30 pm	FCIA Education for the Firestop Exams (continued)
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	Quality Management System Manual Development: A How-To Session Scott MacGovern, FM Approvals   Mark St. Onge, UL Solutions

#### TUESDAY, 31 MARCH 2026

##### JOSHUA 2

All times listed are in PDT

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	PFPCON '26 Registration Open
7:30 am - 8:00 am	Continental Breakfast for Firestop Exam Attendees
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	FM & UL Firestop Exams

Note: The UL Firestop Exam is OPEN BOOK exams. UL Exam Participants MUST provide their own copy of the FCIA Manual of Practice. The UL Canadian Supplement covers questions specific to Canada. The FM Firestop Exam DOES NOT allow use of the MOP during the exam.



## TUESDAY, 31 MARCH 2026

All times listed are in PDT

7:00 am – 6:00 pm	PFPCON '26 Registration Open	Registration Desk 2
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	Exhibitor Move-In	Mariposa Ballroom

### PFPCON '26 SPECIAL EVENT: HANDS-ON ON-SITE DEMOS

12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Meet in Hotel Lobby and Board Busses	Hotel Lobby
12:30 pm	Depart Hotel for TBD	
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm	On-Site Demos TBD	
3:30 pm - 3:45 pm	Board Busses	
3:45 pm – 4:15 pm	Return to The Aria Resort & Casino	
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm	Welcome Reception with Exhibitors Attendees, Spouses, Guests, and Speakers Welcome Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom

## WEDNESDAY, 1 APRIL 2026

All times listed are in PDT

7:00 am – 5:00 pm	PFPCON '26 Registration Open	Registration Desk 2
7:30 am – 6:30 pm	PFPCON '26 Expo Floor Open	Mariposa Ballroom
7:30 am – 8:00 am	Networking Breakfast with Exhibitors Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
8:00 am – 8:45 am	Breakfast Session FCIA & NFCA: The Missions, The Partnership, The Future Lindsey Dutkiewicz, FCIA & NFCA   Joe Wilkinson, 2026 FCIA Board President   Steve Winston, 2025 NFCA Board President	Mariposa Ballroom
8:45 am – 10:00 am	Opening Keynote Session Diana Kander, Keynote Speaker, Innovator, Entrepreneur	Mariposa Ballroom
10:00 am – 10:15 am	FCIA & NFCA Committee Introductions FCIA Committees: Canada   Code   Marketing   Membership   Standards NFCA Committees: Accreditation   Canada   Education   Finishes Task Group   Safety	Mariposa Ballroom

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## WEDNESDAY, 1 APRIL 2026

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10:15 am – 10:45 am	<b>Networking Break with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
10:45 am – 12:00 pm	<b>NFCA Award of Excellence Nominees</b>	Joshua 5 & 6
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	<b>FCIA Committee Action Session</b> Marketing & Membership Committees	Joshua 9 & 10
10:45 am – 11:45 am	<b>FCIA Committee Action Session</b> Standards Committee	Joshua 1
10:45 am – 11:45 am	<b>FCIA Committee Action Session</b> Accreditation Committee	Joshua 2
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	<b>Networking Lunch with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	<b>Week of Learning Exhibitor Updates</b>	Mariposa Ballroom
2:00 pm – 2:15 pm	<b>FCIA &amp; NFCA Committee Introductions</b> FCIA Committees: Accreditation   Education   Inspection   Program NFCA Committees: Program   Project Management Task Group   Technical Codes & Standards   Women in Fireproofing	Mariposa Ballroom
2:15 pm – 2:45 pm	<b>Networking Break with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
2:45 pm – 3:30 pm	<b>Firestop Education Session</b> Specified Technologies Inc.	Joshua 9 & 10
2:45 pm – 3:30 pm	<b>Fireproofing Education Session - Laborer Education Programs</b> TBD	Joshua 5 & 6
3:30 pm – 4:15 pm	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Accreditation & Education Committees	Joshua 3
3:30 pm – 4:15 pm	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Safety Committee	Joshua 4
3:30 pm – 4:15 pm	<b>FCIA &amp; NFCA Joint Committee Action Session</b> Canada Committees	Joshua 5 & 6



## WEDNESDAY, 1 APRIL 2026

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3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	<b>FCIA Committee Action Session</b> Inspection Committee	Joshua 9 & 10
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm	<b>Firestop Committee Action Session</b> Program Committee	Joshua 2
4:15 pm – 4:45 pm	<b>NFCA Annual Business Meeting &amp; Elections</b>	Joshua 5 & 6
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Networking Reception	Mariposa Ballroom

## THURSDAY, 2 APRIL 2026

All times listed are in PDT

7:00 am – 5:00 pm	<b>PFPCON '26 Registration Open</b>	Registration Desk 2
7:30 am – 5:30 pm	<b>PFPCON '26 Expo Floor Open</b>	Mariposa Ballroom
7:30 am – 8:00 am	<b>Networking Breakfast with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
8:00 am – 9:00 am	<b>First Brood</b> Dr. Anirban Basu, Sage Policy Group	Mariposa Ballroom
9:00 am – 9:30 am	<b>Networking Break with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
9:30 am – 10:00 am	<b>The Firestop Contractor Accreditation Programs:</b> <b>News You Can Use</b> Scott MacGovern, FM Approvals   Mark St. Onge, UL Solutions	Joshua 9 & 10
9:30 am – 10:15 am	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Marketing & Membership Committees	Joshua 3
9:30 am – 10:15 am	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Program Committee	Joshua 4
9:30 am – 10:15 am	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Manufacturer & Technical Codes & Standards Committees	Joshua 5 & 6
10:00 am – 10:45 am	<b>Firestop Education Session</b> Hilti	Joshua 9 & 10

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All times listed are in PDT

10:15 am – 10:45 am	<b>The Fireproofing Contractor Accreditation Programs: Updates and More</b> Lindsey Dutkiewicz, NFCA   Mark St. Onge, UL Solutions	Joshua 5 & 6
10:45 am – 11:00 am	<b>Networking Break with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	<b>Education Session - Sales</b> TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	<b>Networking Lunch with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
1:00 pm – 1:45 pm	<b>Education Session - Jensen Hughes</b> TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
1:45 pm – 2:15 pm	<b>Networking Break with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
2:15 pm – 3:00 pm	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Finishes Task Group	Joshua 3
2:15 pm – 3:00 pm	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Women in Fireproofing Committee	Joshua 4
2:15 pm – 3:00 pm	<b>NFCA Committee Action Session</b> Project Management Task Group	Joshua 5 & 6
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	<b>FCIA Committee Action Session</b> Code Committee	Joshua 1
2:15 pm – 4:15 pm	<b>FCIA Committee Action Session</b> Education Committee	Joshua 9 & 10
2:15 pm – 4:15 pm	<b>FCIA Committee Action Session</b> Program Committee	Joshua 2
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<b>Fireproofing Education Session - Use AI to Grow Business</b> TBD	Joshua 5 & 6
4:00 pm – 4:45 pm	<b>Fireproofing Education Session - Fireproofing Startup</b> TBD	Joshua 5 & 6





## THURSDAY, 2 APRIL 2026

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4:15 pm – 5:15 pm	<b>FCIA Contractor and Inspection Agency Members Only Session</b>	Joshua 9 & 10
6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	<b>PFPCON '26 Annual Dinner &amp; NFCA Awards &amp; Entertainment</b> Sponsored by TBD	Primrose Ballroom

## FRIDAY, 3 APRIL 2026

All times listed are in PDT

7:00 am – 5:00 pm	<b>PFPCON '26 Registration Open</b>	Registration Desk 2
7:30 am – 11:00 am	<b>PFPCON '26 Expo Floor Open</b>	Mariposa Ballroom
7:30 am – 8:15 am	<b>Networking Breakfast with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
8:15 am – 9:15 am	<b>The Passive Fire Protection Code Report</b> Bill McHugh, McHugh Consulting   Gabby Peck, Ph.D., FCIA & NFCA   Rich Walke, CTI	Mariposa Ballroom
9:15 am – 9:30 am	<b>Networking Break with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
9:30 am – 10:30 am	<b>Fireproofing Education Session - Legal</b> TBD	Joshua 5 & 6
9:30 am – 10:30 am	<b>Firestop Education Session - Project Management</b> TBD	Joshua 9 & 10
10:30 am – 10:45 am	<b>Networking Break with Exhibitors</b> Sponsored by TBD	Mariposa Ballroom
10:45 am – 11:45 am	<b>Closing Plenary Session</b> TBD	Mariposa Ballroom

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