FCIA Education & Committee Action Conference
The InterContinental Hotel Kansas City at the Plaza
Kansas City, MO

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
FCIA Education Sessions help FCIA Members attain and maintain FM 4991 Approved or UL/ULC Qualified Firestop DRI status or International Accreditation Services IAS AC 291 Special Inspection Agency responsible individual status.

Monday, May 11, 2020
Pavilion One

11:30 am – 5:00 pm  Registration Open
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm  Lunch for Quality Management System and Firestop Exam Education Session Attendees
Sponsored by FCIA Silver Members: Construction Specialties Inc. | Emseal Joint Systems Ltd. | Fireline 520, an Inpro Co. | ROCKWOOL, Inc.
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm  FCIA NEW Member Session – What is FCIA? What does it do?
**Open to all FCIA ECA Conference Attendees**
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm  FCIA Education for the FM & UL/ULC Firestop Exams
Bill McHugh, FCIA
FCIA’s Firestop Manual of Practice (MOP) is the basis for the FM & UL/ULC Firestop Exams. These exams are used to demonstrate individual competency for FM 4991 Approved Contractor and UL/ULC Qualified Contractor Program DRI’s, as well as for IAS AC 291 Responsible Persons and Special Inspectors. Prepare for the Firestop Exams by strengthening your ‘short-term memory’ with this Test Prep session.
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm  Break
Sponsored by FCIA
2:45 pm – 3:45 pm  FCIA Education for the FM & UL/ULC Firestop Exams, continued
Bill McHugh, FCIA
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm  FCIA Management System Manual Development Education
Bill McHugh, FCIA | Jeff Gould, FM Approvals | Ruben Sandoval, UL LLC
Pursuing FM 4991 Approval or UL/ULC Qualification or IAS Accreditation? This session takes an in-depth look at the Quality Management System Manual requirements of the program and contains tips for how to write one for your company. It also covers what questions might be on the exam.
Tuesday, May 12, 2020

Pavilion One

7:30 am – 5:00 pm
Conference Registration Open

7:45 am – 8:30 am
Continental Breakfast for FM & UL/ULC Firestop Exam Education Session Attendees
* Sponsored by 3M Fire Protection Products *

8:30 am – 12:00 pm
FM & UL/ULC Firestop Exam for DRI Candidates & Inspection Personnel
Note: The UL/ULC Firestop Exam is an OPEN BOOK exam. UL Exam Participants MUST provide their own copy of the FCIA Manual of Practice. The ULC Addendum covers questions specific to Canada. The FM Firestop Exam DOES NOT allow use of the MOP during the exam.
Tuesday, May 12, 2020

Salons 2 & 3

7:30 am – 5:00 pm  Conference Registration Open

12:30 pm – 1:15 pm  Welcome Lunch
   Sponsored by TBD

1:15 pm – 1:45 pm  FCIA President’s Welcome & Association Comments
   Ben Urcavich, FCIA 2020 President | Bill McHugh, FCIA Executive Director

1:45 pm – 2:30 pm  Partnership Program Updates
   - FM 4991 Approved Contractor Program | Jeff Gould, FM Approvals
   - UL/ULC Qualified Firestop Contractor Program | Ruben Sandoval, UL LLC
   - IAS AC 291 Company Accreditation | Bill McHugh, FCIA

FCIA supports both the FM 4991 Approved and the UL/ULC Qualified Firestop Contractor Programs for Firestop Contractor Company accreditation. FCIA also collaborated with IAS to build the firestopping section in the IAS AC 291 Accreditation Criteria specifically for Firestop Inspection Agency Companies. This session will look at program updates and initiatives for each.

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm  Keynote Session – Business Development
   TBD
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3:30 pm – 4:00 pm  Take the Plunge – FCIA Committees: Who Are We and What Do We Do?
   FCIA Committee Chairs
   Think FCIA Committee participation is only open to FCIA Board Members? It’s not! Attend this session to hear a brief introduction on the FCIA Committees, including an overview of what each does, what their goals are and how you can become involved, starting today.

4:00 pm – 4:45 pm  FCIA Committee Reports & Committee Action Roundtable Sessions
   (All FCIA Members welcome)
   - Accreditation
   - Canada Task Group
   - Code
   - Standards
   - Inspection
   - Marketing
   - Membership
   - Program
   - Technical Education & Apprenticeship (TEA)

Visit with FCIA Committees and Members for two sessions of interactive FCIA Committee Roundtable meetings. Meet the Committee members, hear about current and future Committee work, and find the Committee that best suits your talents!

Rooftop Ballroom
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm  Welcome Reception Attendees, Spouses, Guests and Speakers Welcome
   Sponsored by TBD
### Wednesday, May 13, 2020

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3:45 pm – 4:00 pm   Break
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4:00 pm – 5:45 pm   FCIA Contractor Members Only Session

Rooftop Ballroom

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm   FCIA Cocktail Reception
                    Sponsored by TBD
                    All Attendees, Spouses, Guests and Speakers Welcome
Thursday, May 14, 2020

Salons 2 & 3

7:30 am – 9:30 am Conference Registration Open

7:30 am – 9:00 am FCIA Continental Breakfast
Sponsored by TBD

8:00 am – 8:45 am A Look at the 2024 Code Cycle and Proposals
Bill Koffel, P.E., FSPE, Koffel Associates, FCIA’s Code Consultant
The International Building Code is a model building code developed by the International Code Council. The IBC is intended to protect public health and safety while avoiding both unnecessary costs and preferential treatment of specific materials or methods of construction. Getting a code proposal drafted, submitted, and passed is a long and detailed process, but one that FCIA has navigated successfully. Attend this session for a look at the FCIA code proposals, as well as others, for the upcoming 2024 International Building Code development cycle.

8:45 am – 10:00 am Education Session TBD

10:00 am – 11:00 am Education Session TBD

11:00 am – 11:30 am Closing Remarks
Bill McHugh, FCIA Executive Director | Ben Urcavich, FCIA 2020 President

11:30 am FCIA Education & Committee Action Conference Ends

Plan to attend FIC 2019, FCIA’s Firestop Industry Conference & Trade Show
at The Trump National Doral Hotel, Miami, FL November 5-8, 2019!

Through active participation in the FCIA and related forums, members contribute to the advancement of the firestop and compartmentation industry and maintain exceptional knowledge of this specialized trade.

“Consider getting involved in FCIA. Volunteer for a Committee, then maybe run for the FCIA Board of Directors. We need you!”

Jay McGuire, 2019 FCIA President