

FlashPoint

the only hands-on, live-event, fire protection training course



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ENROLL NOW

Arm yourself with invaluable fire protection know-how to:

- › *Manage your risk*
- › *Protect your insurability*
- › *Minimize inspection and maintenance costs*
- › *Improve safety*

FREE ENROLLMENT

With your paid invoice, compliments of . . .

USA*Automatic Sprinkler Corporation*
a fire protection company

*Upcoming sessions:
July 14, 2006*

October 13, 2006

January 12, 2007

*Located at:
FlashPoint Center*

*Register by calling:
317.573.8160*

*Or online at:
flashpoint101.com*



Knowledge Is Power

Attend This Friday Afternoon Workshop, and Master the Critical Points of Your Fire Protection System. See and Learn How It Works Under Real Conditions, So You Can:

Optimize Your Loss Control

You've invested in a fire protection system. Make sure it's primed to do exactly what it's supposed to do—prevent a serious fire. Plus, gain insight into fire protection systems that can be specially designed to alleviate any concerns you might have for water damage, environmental violations or hazmat spills.

Meet Your Insurance Requirements

Knowing your system is the key to meeting the inspection provisions under your fire insurance policy. Take note of a thorough checkpoint process that will help you stay up-to-date and up-to-code, according to your coverage.

Minimize Your Maintenance Costs

Learn from the experience of others. Open discussions among instructors and fellow attendees reveal the costly pitfalls associated with underestimating the value of routine and proper maintenance. Find out how to head off serious problems—possibly saving you thousands of dollars in repairs or even complete system replacement.

Recognize & Respond to “Trouble Conditions”

Become an expert on how to read and react to your fire alarm panel. Prevent false alarms. Preempt a system malfunction. Know whom to call and when. And keep your service costs down.



A Classroom Unlike Any Other

Bringing an exciting and intriguing component to the FlashPoint 101 course is the FlashPoint Center facility. We're not talking desks and blackboards. This hands-on, live-event fire lab will show you firsthand how systems just like yours are designed to work under real scenarios.

Housing the latest equipment from the leading manufacturers, the FlashPoint Center features fully operational:

- Chemical-Based Extinguishing Systems.
- High- and Low-Pressure CO₂.
- FM 200 Clean Agent Systems.
- Foam Systems.
- Electric and Diesel Fire Pumps.

Plus! Every system is tied into a:

• **Gamewell-FCI Fire Alarm System**

Enabling you to see how fire alarm and detection equipment is installed and how it interacts with different suppression systems.

• **Burn Room**

Giving you an eyewitness account of how different suppression systems activate at that crucial moment.





Walk Away With Information Based on Fact

How do you know your fire protection system will perform as it should if it's never been put to the test? Get closer to the truth by enrolling in FlashPoint 101.

This unique, informal training workshop is headed by experienced and certified instructors, but fueled by other attendees just like you—business and industrial professionals with similar fire protection systems, similar concerns and similar stories to tell.

Combining hands-on training and real demonstrations of the latest fire protection systems with real-life stories from others in your shoes, FlashPoint 101 presents the road map to a higher level of confidence in your own system—a level you can't reach on speculation and hand-me-down inspection rituals.

Here, among your peers, you'll learn everything you need to know about inspecting, maintaining and operating:

- Alarm and Detection Systems
- Fire Pumps
- Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems
- Preaction Systems
- Storage & Commodity Protection Systems (including an update on fire codes)
- Fire Extinguishers
—*and more!*



You Can't Have Too Many Watchdogs

Every life in your company is at stake. So, it's worth it for anyone who comes in visual or hands-on contact with your fire protection system—from the CEO to the receptionist—to attend FlashPoint 101.

The course is especially popular among:

- Risk managers
- Insurance agents
- Plant & production staff
- Operations managers
- General managers
- Private business owners
- Property managers
- Maintenance managers
- Architects & engineers

Enroll Today!

*You Owe It To Yourself
and Your Employees.*

*FlashPoint 101 Is
Timely, Convenient
and Informative—
Packing a Full
Training Workshop
Into Just 2+ Hours.*

Above all, it's FREE!

*Call 317.573.8160 to
reserve your space for
the next session.*

About Your Instructors

Every one of USAutomatic's finest is certified by the National Institute for Certification and Engineering Technologies (NICET).

John Murley is USAutomatic Sprinkler's wiley vet, with 35 years' experience in the fire protection industry.

- Conducted technical field inspections and analyses for Factory Mutual Engineering, the Indiana State Fire Marshal's Office and "Automatic" Sprinkler Corporation of America.
- Bachelor of Science Degree in Trade and Industrial Education from Oklahoma State University.
- Associate's Degree in Fire Protection.

Brenton W. Agan offers unique knowledge in special hazards suppression and water-based automatic sprinkler systems.

- 28 years' experience in fire protection contracting.
- Bachelor of Science Degree from Miami University of Ohio.

R. Bruce Agan developed USAutomatic Sprinkler's apprenticeship training program, registered with the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.

- 31 years' experience in fire protection contracting.
- Responsible for all Authorized Provider IACET standards, criterion and guidelines.
- Bachelor of Science Degree from Miami University of Ohio.

Kenneth A. Merritt is USAutomatic Sprinkler's alarm specialist with more than two decades of fire alarm system background.

- 28 years' experience in fire alarm contracting.
- Both IACET and Gamewell/FCI trained, and attends continuing education training annually.
- Bachelor of Science Degree from Purdue University.

For Advanced Training, Enroll in FlashPoint 401.

As a certified Continuing Education Unit (CEU) of the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 1620 First Street, NW, Suite 615, Washington, DC 20006, the FlashPoint Center hosts advanced fire protection training courses in major fire protection categories. Call 317.573.8160 for more information.

Look for these upcoming courses coming soon. >

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Inspection & Testing of Wet Pipe Systems

Materials, tools and test equipment provided

References: NFPA 13, NFPA 25 Cost: \$275
CEU: 0.5 Prerequisite: None

Inspection & Testing of Dry Pipe Systems

Materials, tools and test equipment provided

References: NFPA 13, NFPA 25 Cost: \$275
CEU: 0.5 Prerequisite: None

Inspection & Weekly Testing of Diesel Fire Pumps

Materials, tools and test equipment provided

References: NFPA 13, NFPA 20, NFPA 25 Cost: \$275
CEU: 0.5 Prerequisite: None

Fire Sprinkler Inspection, Testing & Maintenance Certification

*Includes hands-on experience with wet, dry, preaction and foam systems.
Fire pumps and standpipe systems also included.*

References: NFPA 25 Cost: \$985
CEU: 2.0 Prerequisite: Entry-level experience with water-based fire protection systems

