31st Annual NASFM Fire Prevention & Safety Symposium
September 14th – 16th 2021

Educational Agenda

Tuesday, September 14th

7:30-9:00 Fire Marshal Only Forum (Atrium Room)

9:30-11:30 Opening Ceremony with remarks from Tonya Hoover, Acting US Fire Administrator. A side-by-side fire sprinkler demonstration will follow the Opening Ceremony. (Stowe Room)

12:00-1:00 Lunch for registered attendees (Atrium Room and Courtyard)

1:00-4:00 Educational Sessions (Stowe Room)
- 1:00-1:45 Michael Bellaman; President & CEO, Associated Builders and Contractors – Construction Site Safety
- 1:45-2:30 Steve Kerber; Vice President, UL Fire Safety Research Institute – Re-imaging the UL FSRI Mission
- 2:45-3:00 Kevin Sehlmeyer; MI State Fire Marshal, Regional Advocate National Fallen Firefighters Foundation – Updates and Key Initiatives Impacting States
- 3:00-4:00 Sponsor Showcase featuring FM Global and Kidde

6:00-9:00 Taste of Vermont Dinner Event for registered attendees (Ticket required) (Atrium Room and Courtyard)

Wednesday, September 15th

7:30-9:00 Fire Marshals Only Forum (Atrium Room)

9:15-12:00 Educational Sessions (Stowe Room)
- 9:15-10-15 NFPA Staff, Ray Bizal - Outthink Wildfire! and Kelly Ransdell-NFPA LiNK Initiative
• 10:30-11:30 Alan Perdue & John Foley; Safer Buildings Coalition – State Policy opportunities and Implications for In-Building Emergency Responder Communications
• 11:30-12:00 Sponsor Showcase featuring Knox and Ominshield by GHS

12:00-1:00 Lunch for registered attendees (Atrium Room and Courtyard)

12:00-5:00 Exhibit Hall Open (Pinnacle and Collins Rooms)

Thursday, September 16th

7:30-9:00 Fire Marshals Only Forum (Atrium Room)

9:15-12:00 Educational Sessions (Stowe Room)
• 9:15-10:15 Matt Hinds-Aldrich; American Association of Insurance Services – Breaking Down the Barriers to the Insurance Industry
• 10:30-11:30 David Wales; Founder, SharedAIM – A Human Focused Look at CRR Activities
• 11:30-12:00 Sponsor Showcase featuring Envisage and the Interstate Renewable Energy Council

12:00-1:00 Lunch for registered attendees (Atrium Room and Courtyard)

1:00-3:00 Educational Sessions (Stowe Room)
• 1:00-2:00 Chris Forkner; ATF Special Agent - The ATF Firewall Program: A law enforcement and prosecution initiative targeting violent offenders who commit arson.
• 2:00-2:45 Mike Desrochers, VT State Fire Marshal & Kelly Nicolello, UL Senior Engineer – ICC Fire Service Membership Council Emerging Trends Program

3:00-5:00 Fire Marshal Only Forum (Stowe Room)