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New Sub-Committees enhance Fire and Life Safety

Messages from The Center for Campus Fire Safety

The Center for Campus Fire Safety®, (The Center) the nation’s sole, non-profit, member-based organization dedicated to campus fire and life safety in the higher education community recently announced the expansion of its Professional Development, Education and Events Committee.

The purpose of the Professional Development, Education and Events Committee is to develop training programs, events, products and services that enhance the technical skills and professional knowledge of The Center’s members. This is a large committee that was recently divided into several sub-committees to allow smaller groups to work on more projects.

The committee’s primary responsibilities include: planning and implementing the annual Campus Fire Forum, Online Webinar Training, Professional Development Seminars (PDS) and other specialty training programs offered, or co-sponsored by The Center. This Committee is also responsible for working with non-profit partners and other Center networking activities related to professional development.
The overall committee is led by Michael Swain (University of Massachusetts, Amherst) and Janet Maupin (University of Champaign) with Neal Zipser (Kidde) as Vice Chair. Sub-Committees and their new leadership follows.

a) Forum Speaker Sub-Committee - Janet Maupin & Justin Daniels (University of Oklahoma) as Co-Chairs.
b) Webinar Speaker Sub-Committee - Neal Zipser
c) Campus Events/Projects Sub-Committee - Justin Daniels
d) Non Profit Partner Sub-Committee - John Fellers (Texas A&M) and Daniel Finnegan (SIEMENS) as Co-Chairs.
e) Product Development Sub-Committee - David Taylor, Gettysburg College
f) Outreach - Social Media Sub Committee - Neal Zipser and Michael Swain as Co-Chairs.

The Center is proud to have the following members as volunteers on the overall and sub-committees. Member that wish to participate can email: SupportTeam@campusfiresafety.org

Dave Taylor, Gettysburg College
Guy Swartwout, NYS Office of Fire Prevention & Control
Jan Parker, NC State Fire Marshal’s Office
Jill Marcinick, Live Safe
John Gallo, Stony Brook University
Lisa Korklan, Keltron
Greg Amyot, University at Albany
David P. Jetter, Miami Township Fire and EMS
John W. Fellers, Texas A&M
Justin Daniels, University of Oklahoma
Edward Conlin, Lasell College
Jim Patton, Corvallis FD
John Walsh, Tufts University
Steve Nardini, RealView LLC
Jim Gibbs, Arizona State
Michael Perlmutter, Hofstra University
Christopher N. Reynolds, Loyola University Maryland
Daniel P. Finnegan, SIEMENS

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About The Center for Campus Fire Safety (The Center)
The Center for Campus Fire Safety (The Center) is the voice of over 4000 campuses nationwide. It is a non-profit, membership based, organization devoted to reducing the loss of life from fire at our nation’s campuses. The Center serves as an advocate for the promotion of campus fire safety.

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