



National Fire Academy

R0254 – Special Operations Program Management

Version: 1st Edition, 5th Printing, May 2018

Quarter:

ACE Credit: In the upper division baccalaureate degree category, two semester hours in fire service administration or fire management.

IACET Continuing Education Units: 4.0

Length of Course: 6 Days (34 hr., 10 min. contact hours, Sunday – Friday)

Prerequisite: Yes

Curriculum: Hazardous Materials

Training Specialist: Wayne Yoder

Instructor:

Instructor email/phone:

Classroom: J-

Meeting Time: 8 AM – 5 PM

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Special Operations Program Management and Leadership R0254

Training Specialist

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ACE recommendation

✉ **Dave
Donohue**
301-447-1094

**6-day
on-campus**

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Pending (ACE Review): In the upper-division baccalaureate degree category, 2 semester hours in fire science, emergency management or public safety.

Using activities and scenarios, you will manage and lead special operations programs. You will determine community needs and develop and sustain capabilities to meet them. Where appropriate, this course aligns with NFPA 475 and other industry standards.

Pre-course materials and course syllabus

Welcome Letter, BYOD Instructions, Pre-course Assignment:

https://apps.usfa.fema.gov/ax/pcm/pcm_r0254.pdf PDF 1.1MB

Course Syllabus:

https://apps.usfa.fema.gov/ax/syll/syllabus_r0254.pdf PDF 140KB

Selection criteria

Prerequisites

ICS 100-level and ICS 200 level training. Chief's signature attests that the applicant has completed this required training.

Upcoming offerings

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Q-462: ICS-100, Introduction to ICS for Operational First Responders

Completed On

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