



26TH CAMPUS FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY FORUM

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November 4 - 7, 2024
Omni Hotel, Oklahoma City
100 W. Oklahoma City Boulevard Oklahoma City, OK 73109
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Welcome to Oklahoma City

Thanks for attending

More than a Campus Fire & Life Safety Forum ... IT'S FAMILY!

Our focus on Campus Fire & Life Safety is what has made our annual forum so successful over the years. We're the right size and we're focused ... and when we get together ... it's more than an Educational Forum - it's family!

We learn, we network both during the Forum and all year long as CCFS Members. We leave with answers and the realization that many of us share the same issues on campus ... that's the bond.

Our Forum includes a full schedule of education/community presentations, tech & technology updates and exhibits, discussion groups and networking events ... all designed to provide you with an unparalleled experience.

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A Special Thanks to the following CCFS Board Members & Advisory Council

CCFS Executive Committee

President - Justin Daniels, Vice President - Alan Sactor, Secretary Treasurer - Jody Nolan,
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Lorraine Carli, NFPA; Amy Daley, Fred Church Insurance; John Fellers, CSHEMA; Jesse Ferri, Student;
John Foley, Safer Buildings Coalition; Raymond Patterson, Siemens; Chief Shane Ray, National Fire Sprinkler
Association (NFSA); Shawn Simons, After The Fire; Michael Spaziani, FM; L. Vance Taylor, Chief of the Office
of Access and Functional Needs at the California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

*Center for Campus Fire Safety (CCFS) is a non-profit, membership based organization devoted to reducing
the loss of life from fire at our nation's campuses.*

Call us if you have questions/problems: Cathy Tabor, 781.831.1165

MONDAY (OPTIONAL TRAINING) ... MUST PRE-REGISTER!

Registration - North Pre Function - Eastside. Stop by to pick up your entry badge and more!

	Event/Presentation	Location	Speaker/Sponsor	Session Type
Mon 11/4				
8:00-8:45	Breakfast (Monday Training Class Only)	Five Moons 1		Food
8:45 - 10:45	Introduction to Fire Alarm Inspection and Testing	Paseo	Tim Knisely, AFAA	Optional Training
10:45-11:00	Break	Five Moons 1		
11:00-12:00	Overview of the NWS Storm Prediction Center	Deep Deuce	Matthew Elliott, Warning Coordination Meteorologist (NWS SPC)	Optional Training
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch (Training Class Only)	Five Moons 1		Food
1:00 - 1:40	Severe Storm Ingredients & Lightning Safety	Deep Deuce	Andrea Melvin, Outreach Programs Coordinator (OCS/ Mesonet)	Optional Training
1:40 - 2:20	Weather Radar Basics	Deep Deuce	James Hocker, OK- First Program Manager (OCS/Mesonet)	Optional Training
2:20 - 2:30	Break	Five Moons 1		Food
2:30 -3:10	Fire Weather	Deep Deuce	Monica Mattox, Assistant State Climatologist (OCS/ Mesonet)	Optional Training
3:10 - 3:50	Resources for Weather & Climate Hazard Planning	Deep Deuce	Rachel Riley, Director (OCS/SCIPP)	Optional Training
3:50 - 4:00	Q&A Session	Deep Deuce		Optional Training
2:00 - 10:00	Exhibitor Set-up	Five Moons 4-8		Exhibit

MONDAY TRAINING PARTNERS:

Automatic Fire Alarm Association (AFAA); The Storm Prediction Center (SPC)/National Weather Service (NWS); The National Centers for Environmental Prediction; The Oklahoma Climatological Survey (OCS); and The Southern Climate Impacts Planning Program (SCIPP).



TUESDAY

Registration - North Pre Function-Eastside. Stop by to pick up your entry badge and more!

	Event/Presentation	Location	Speaker/Sponsor	Session Type
Tue 11/5				
8:00 - 9:00	Breakfast in Expo (all welcome)	Five Moons 4-8		Exhibit/Food
8:00 - 5:00	Exhibit	Five Moons 4-8		Exhibit
9:00 - 9:15	Welcome CCFS & OK Officials	Five Moons 1-3	Justin Daniels	General
9:15 - 10:00	KEYNOTE - Influence and Impact.	Five Moons 1-3	Chief Keith Bryant, OK State Fire Marshal	General
10:00 - 10:30	Break in Expo (all welcome)	Five Moons 4-8	Sponsored by Kingfisher Inc.	Food
10:30 - 11:30	The Whole Community: It's About All of Us Disasters disproportionately impact older adults and individuals with disabilities.	Five Moons 1-3	L. Vance Taylor - Chief State Government Emergency Services	General/Virtual
11:30 - 1:00	Lunch with Exhibitors	Five Moons 4-8	Sponsored by UL FSRI	Exhibit/Food
1:00 - 1:15	CCFS Brief Li-Ion Update	Five Moons 1-3	Alan Sactor	General
1:15 - 2:15	Addressing Community Risks Associated with Lithium-Ion Batteries.	Five Moons 1-3	Nicole Sanders, Sr. Research Specialist, UL FSRI.	General
2:15 - 2:45	Break in Expo (all welcome)	Five Moons 4-8	Sponsored by Jensen Hughes	Food
2:45 - 3:45	Keeping Smoke Control Systems Maintained and Ready.	Deep Deuce	William Fletcher, Jensen Hughes	Breakout A
2:45 - 3:45	Successfully Lead the Way: Mastering Event & Incident Management at Colleges & Universities	Five Moons 1-3	Fred Rezler, Edwards	Breakout B
4:00 - 4:30	Fire Detection and Protection for E-Bike Storage Rooms on College Campuses.	Five Moons 1-3	Raymond Patterson, Siemens	General
4:30 - 5:00	UL300A & Fire Suppression for Residential Ranges	Deep Deuce	Jessica Tomczak, Denlar	General
6:30 - 9:30	President's Networking & Dinner Reception ... and Raffle #1	Social Capital	Sponsored by Founding Sponsor, Johnson Controls.	



Social Capital is on the other side of Sizzortail Park. It's a 5 minute walk through the park. Let's meet in front of the hotel at 6:15 PM and we'll start the walk together! We'll have a few cars available if you prefer to ride!

WEDNESDAY

Registration - North Pre Function-Eastside. Stop by to pick up your entry badge!

	Event/Presentation	Location	Speaker/Sponsor	Session Type
Wed 11/6				
7:30 - 8:30	Breakfast with Exhibitors	Five Moons 4-8		Food
7:30 - 2:00	Exhibit	Five Moons 4-8	(Tear down 2:00)	
8:30 - 9:30	KEYNOTE - Emerging issues for campuses across this country. This session will focus on lithium ion batteries, micro-mobility and electric vehicles.	Five Moons 1-3	Kelly Ransdell, NFPA Director of Public Education	General
9:30 - 10:00	Break with Exhibitors	Five Moons 4-8		Food
10:00 - 10:45	Grant Discussions	Five Moons 1-3	Lexipool	General/Virtual
11:00 - 12:00	Smoke Control - The ElectroMechanical Systems for Life Safety	Five Moons 1-3	Michael Ventola, Space Age	Breakout A
11:00 - 12:00	How the digitalization of fire alarm systems can elevate campus safety and enhance efficiency and effectiveness.	Deep Deuce	Jim Loftus and Brian Donovan SIEMENS	Breakout B
12:00 - 1:30	Lunch with Exhibitors	Five Moons 4-8		Exhibit/Food
1:30 - 2:30	Past, Current and Future of the Alarm Transmission Ecosystem.	Five Moons 1-3	Richard Roberts, Honeywell	Breakout A/Virtual
1:30 - 2:30	How to mitigate property exposures and enhance campus safety with strong partnerships.	Deep Deuce	Jennifer Housel, FM; and Jennie Robison - Director of OU-Health Sciences Campus.	Breakout B
2:45 - 3:30	Flexible Sprinkler Hose Systems (Past, Present and Future)	Five Moons 1-3	Mario Pernas, Victaulic	Breakout A
2:45 - 3:30	Special Events Safety	Deep Deuce	Justin Daniels CCFS	Breakout B
3:30 - 3:45	Break	North Pre-Function Space		Beverage
3:45 - 4:30	An Introduction to Firefighter Air Replenishment Systems (FARS)	Five Moons 1 - 3	Sean Cutting, JCI and Chief Gary L. West, Firefighter Air Coalition	General
4:30 - 5:00	The new crisis in Commercial Fire Communications - The truth about alternative pathways.	Deep Deuce	Daniel Rosales, Ametek	General

THURSDAY

	Event/Presentation	Location	Speaker/Sponsor	Session Type
Thurs 11/7				
7:30 - 8:30	Breakfast and Town Hall Meeting. All attendees and exhibitors are invited!!	Automobile Alley B&C	Hosted by Justin Daniels. Open discussion time!	Food/Meeting
8:30 - 9:30	Special Event Management - It's becoming more frequent.	Automobile Alley A	James Rainer, Texas A&M	General
9:30 - 9:45	Beverage Break	Foyer		
9:45 - 10:45	Fire Marshal Challenges: How to Navigate Roadblocks to Compliance.	Automobile Alley A	Doug Gazzale - College Park Fire Department	General
11:00 - 12:00	Tigers "All In" for Community Risk Reduction: A Campus Approach to Reducing Risk.	Automobile Alley A	Kevin Christenbury & Craig Walters Clemson University Fire & EMS Department	General
12:15 - 2:00	*Lunch and Annual Member Meeting ... Plus Raffle #2	Automobile Alley B&C	Justin Daniels & Directors.	Food/Meeting

***Directors to be Sworn in on Thursday:**

Alan Sactor, University of Maryland ... President of CCFS through 2027

Jody Nolan, Rochester Institute of Technology ... Vice President of CCFS through 2027

James Rainer, Texas A & M ... Director of CCFS re-elected through 2027

Matthew Hicks, University of Maryland ... Director of CCFS through 2027

TOWN HALL AND ANNUAL MEETING - THURSDAY

... PLUS RAFFLE #2

- We hope you will stay for our Town Hall and Annual Meeting on Thursday.
- Town Hall:** The Town Hall Meeting is an open discussion group started by CCFS in the early 2000's. Today it has grown to be one of our most popular sessions at our Forum. The CCFS Board will host the 2024 Town Hall meeting with Breakfast. Breakfast will blend into casual discussions about problems and solutions on and off campus. The CCFS Board Members will add to the discussion and answer any questions, and we're hoping our exhibitors will join in and help provide solutions to user issues. All are welcome.
- Annual Meeting and Lunch:** All are welcome - this includes non-members too!!! You will hear our Directors' Report and witness the swearing in of newly elected and re-elected Directors ... plus the "Merch Raffle!!" ... At the **Annual Meeting** we'll have Raffle #2. 10 winners will receive a code to order up to \$38. of CCFS Merch, plus free shipping. Choose from golf shirts, caps, pullovers and more. Visit our Store and [Wear the Cause!!!](#) Must be present to win.



PRESIDENT'S NETWORKING RECEPTION



This event is made possible through the generosity of CCFS

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Tuesday Night @ Social Capital

All are welcome - Live Music! AND FUN

Social Capital is Oklahoma's craft beer headquarters ... and good food!. Just a walk across the park from our hotel, or a 3 minute car ride. We'll be in a casual roof-top setting both inside and outside. LET'S MEET IN FRONT OF THE HOTEL AT 6:15 AND WALK TOGETHER OR CCFS WILL BE HAPPY TO DRIVE YOU.

The menu! ... Apps bar @ 6:30 - Fajita and Taco Bar at 7:30 with beef, chicken and all the fixins.

The Music! ... Classic soft rock hits .. 60's, 70's 80's & 90's as well as early 90's - 2000's country music. Sing along songs!

The Raffle #1: We'll raffle off all exhibitor donations, plus the CCFS donation of a Yeti Cooler. You choose the color you want and we'll have it shipped to you ... simply give us your address. Must be present to win.



TECHNOLOGY EXHIBIT - TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

- The Technology Exhibit will be in the Five Moons 4 - 8 beginning with Breakfast Tuesday 8AM.
- On Wednesday, we'll start breakfast at 7:30 AM. The Exhibit will end on Wednesday at 1:30PM
- Please refer to the Exhibitor insert for a list of exhibitors and booth numbers.

Thanks for attending!

We look forward to seeing you at Campus Fire & Life Safety Forum 2025.

Where? Hint: It should be warm and sunny .. and will be announced during
our Annual Meeting on Thursday.

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