



2016 Training Chiefs Conference

Sponsored by:

The Mississippi State Fire Academy
Mississippi Fire Instructors Association

Hosted By:

Lafayette County Fire Department
Oxford Fire Department

October 5-6, 2016

Oxford Conference Center
102 Ed Perry Blvd.
Oxford, MS 38655

Don't Miss It!

Wednesday, October 5th, 2016

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Registration/Vendor Room Open/Coffee	
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Ceremony	Chief Steven Ashby, Program Manager, MSFA <u>Posting of the Colors</u> Oxford Honor Guard Gulfport Pipes and Drums Invocation <u>Introductions</u> Chief Jerry Johnson, Retired Chief/Coordinator Pat Patterson – Mayor, City of Oxford Wes Anderson, Lafayette Fire Coordinator Jeff Busby, President, Board of Supervisors Reggie Bell, Director of MSFA Chief of Oxford Fire Dept. Chief Kim Thorn, Lafayette Fire Dept. Oxford Conference Center Staff Vendors
9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Conference Overview	
9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Psychology of Educating the Adult Learner (Part 1)	Dr. Kim Sallis, University of MS
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Network Break – Vendor Room Open	
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Emergency Spanish for Firefighters	Sam Slick, President of Command Spanish
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch Provided	
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Leadership-Where's your vision & do you have a plan?	Chief Terry Wages, Brandon Fire Dept.
2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Network Break – Vendor Room Open	
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Break Out Sessions:	
First Track	Staying Alive in the Fire Service	Trust Care/ Vendor Spotlight
Second Track	Getting Started as New Training Chief/Officer	Chief John Jennings, Biloxi Fire Dept.
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Network Break – Vendor Room Open	
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Occupational Cancer Awareness & Prevention in the Fire Service, FF Cancer Support Network	Curtis Dunn, Lt. Retired, Arlington TX FD [VP FCSN Central States]

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**The
Blind
Pig**

Dinner & Social on the Square:

6:00 p.m.

The Oxford Double Decker Bus will begin shuttling all attendees to the historic downtown Oxford square where you can enjoy dinner wherever you like.

8:00 p.m.

After dinner join us tonight at The Blind Pig and Deli for the “Social on the Square,” featuring the fantastic Gulfport Pipes & Drums, the only FD Pipes & Drums organization in the state of Mississippi!

Networking Social

Tuesday Night: 5:30p.m

at

Marriot Town Place Suites

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Thursday, October 6th

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Vendor Room Open/ Coffee and Pastries	
8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Accreditation Updates to Curriculum and Testing	Instructor Chief Shannon Sandridge
9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Vendor Thanks	
9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Networking Break – Last Time Vendor Room Open	
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Higher Education & Professional Development in the Fire Service (<i>Higher Education + Training + Experience</i>)	Todd Briggs, Waldorf University Steven Bardwell, Waldorf University
11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	MS Fire Service Instructors Association (<i>Presentation/Elections</i>)	Chief Ricky Leister – President
11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Interdepartmental Training Resources	Kris Koziol, Sr Instructor, MSFA
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Raffle Ticket Winners Announced	Special Guest
	Closing Remarks	Instructor Chief Steven Ashby

Vendor Information – 2016 Fire Department Training Chiefs Conference – October 5 & 6, 2016, Oxford, MS

Please neatly print or type all information:

(Name) **(Title)**

(Vendor or Organization)

(Email Address)

(Mailing Address)

Work Number **Cell Number**

NOTE: See previous page for lodging reservations

Vendor Conference Fee:

Gold Sponsor Level - \$750.00 (Due September 13, 2016): limited to 7 sponsors.

This sponsor will receive three registration fees and two tables for booth space for your sales people located inside the Oxford Conference Center and exterior space for apparatus, equipment, etc.. Your registration fees will also include drinks and snacks throughout the entire conference and lunch with the training conference personnel on Wednesday.

Silver Sponsor Level - \$500.00 (Due September 13, 2016: Unlimited sponsorship.

This sponsor will receive two registration fees and two tables for booth space for your sales people located inside the Oxford Conference Center. Your registration fees will also include drinks and snacks throughout the entire conference and lunch with the training conference personnel on Wednesday.

Bronze Sponsorship Level - \$300.00 (Due September 13, 2016: Unlimited sponsorship.

This sponsor will receive one registration fee and one table for booth space located inside the Oxford Conference Center. Your registration fee will also include drinks and snacks throughout the entire conference and lunch with the training conference personnel on Wednesday.

[Additional vendor guest fee - \$50.00]

Sponsorship Opportunities:

- Tuesday Night Social Sponsor
- Pipes and Drums Sponsor (Social on Square)
- Wednesday Morning Break Sponsor
- Wednesday Afternoon Lunch Sponsor
- Wednesday Afternoon Break Sponsor
- Double Decker Sponsor (Ride to the Square)
- Thursday Morning Break Sponsor

Vendor Registration is to be mailed to:

**MS Fire Service Instructor's Association, Attention Ginger Hand
41 Blake Rd, Hickory, MS 39332
Ginger Hand, hvfd33@yahoo.com**

Sponsor Level - \$ _____