

COMPANY OFFICER CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

This certificate program provides a comprehensive understanding of the skills necessary for success as a Company Officer/first line supervisor in the Fire Service industry. This program is designed to meet the needs of in-service professionals interested in promoting to a supervisory position and for those seeking to advance their knowledge in this area. Students will gain knowledge of leadership, finance, human resources, developing policy and procedures and managing critical incidents.

| Required Courses – Major: | | Units |
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| ADJ 150 | Public Safety Leadership | 3 |
| FSC 50A | Training I: Instructional Methodology | 2.5 |
| FSC 70A | Company Officer 2A: Human Resources Management for Company Officers | 2.5 |
| FSC 70B | Company Officer 2B: General Administrative Functions | 1.5 |
| FSC 70C | Company Officer 2C: Fire Inspections and Investigations | 2.5 |
| FSC 70D | Company Officer 2D: All-Risk Command Operations | 2.5 |
| FSC 70E | Company Officer 2E: Wildland Incident Operations for Company | 2.5 |
| Total units required for Certificate | | 17 |

Program Level Student Learning Outcomes:

1. Explain the basic administrative functions in the fire service including budgeting, technology, and human resources.
2. Demonstrate competency in planning, safety and management of large-scale incidents.
3. Identify strategies to maintain a fire department's image and mission to the public.

Career Opportunities in FIRE SCIENCE

Completing the Company Officer Certificate of Achievement can lead to career opportunities including but are not limited to: Fire Captain, Fire Engineer/Driver-Operator, or Lieutenant.