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Global Academy  
For Leadership

**FRI 2010**  
Fire-Rescue International

McCormick Place  
August 24 - 28  
Chicago, Illinois

**Leadership  
Defined**



**Register Now!**

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## FRI 2010 – FIRE RESCUE INTERNATIONAL

### Experience FRI in Chicago

#### Fire-Rescue International (FRI) Takes Over Chicago

The Great Lakes Division is excited to be the host division for FRI 2010. Whether you're a first time attendee or a returning veteran you will be wowed by this year's expansive program. As you look at the schedule you will notice informative seminars, more workshops than ever before, and new education tracks—finding the sessions important to you has never been so easy. Plus, there are many specialized training opportunities unique to FRI that your entire department can benefit from, including:

- [Chief Officer Leadership Symposium](#)
- [Company Officer Leadership Symposium](#)

- [Executive Edge](#)
- [iWomen Leadership Conference](#)

Check out the full [FRI brochure](#) for a look at all that's happening.

Early registration ends July 17<sup>th</sup> so [sign up now](#). Remember, IAFC members save an additional \$150! Even if you can't make the education sessions you can still come check out the expo! The FRI Expo is one of the largest in the fire service, with so much to see and do. Take advantage of free health screenings in the SHS Health and Wellness Pavilion, see what's hot in the Technology Pavilion, and there's a Kids Camp the little ones can enjoy too! Get your free expo pass today at [www.iafc.org/expopass](http://www.iafc.org/expopass).

FRI provides the exceptional education today's fire and EMS leaders need to stay ahead, make this the year you attend FRI and come see for yourself!

## IAFC NEWS

### IAFC ANNUAL PHOTO CONTEST – “What’s your reACTION?”

The 4th annual IAFC Photo Contest has begun! Submit your best photos now through July 31, 2010. Check out the 6 categories new for 2010, along with contest guidelines and the new submission form at [www.iafc.org/photocontest](http://www.iafc.org/photocontest). You could win a prize, receive recognition at the [Fire-Rescue International Conference](#) in August, and be featured in one of our national marketing campaigns.

### IAFC HOOK & LADDER RECRUITMENT CLUB

The 2009-2010 new member recruitment season ends June 30. You win prizes for every paying member you recruit, plus bonus prizes for every 5 members you bring in to the IAFC. [Check out all the details and a full list of prizes](#). Over 55 members have recruited nearly 150 new members so far this season. Thanks for your support!

### SPREAD THE WORD! NEW MEMBER PROMOTION NOW THROUGH JULY 9

New members who [join online](#) by July 9 will save \$25 on their new member processing fee. As an IAFC member, they’ll also be able to save on [FRI registration](#). Pass this on to your colleagues, team members, and fellow leaders who would benefit from an IAFC membership. Don’t forget to tell them to put you down as their reference! View [member types, applications](#), and a full list of [member benefits](#).



## GLD CLOTHING STORE

Check out the GLD store for great shirts and wind shirts. Visit the GLD web site at [www.GLD-IAFC.org](http://www.GLD-IAFC.org) and click on the GLD store link to view the selection.



## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### FIRE RESCUE INTERNATIONAL

PLACE – CHICAGO, IL  
DATES – AUGUST 24-28, 2010  
Great Lakes Hotel – Swissotel

### GLD BOARD MEETING

PLACE – Swissotel – Chicago, IL  
DATE – August 25, 2010  
TIME – 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

### GLD ANNUAL MEETING

PLACE – McCormick Place – Chicago, IL  
ROOM – 5102 bc  
DATE – August 26, 2010  
TIME – 11:00 a.m.

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## **GLD ROOM BLOCK EXPIRES JULY 1, 2010 – BOOK NOW**

Pamper yourself with the award-winning hospitality at Swissôtel Chicago, which sets the standard for downtown Chicago hotel accommodations. Our world-class accommodations offer a virtual city tour including some of Chicago's finest landmarks all from the comfort of our luxurious guestrooms. Browse the extraordinary shopping landmark that is The Magnificent Mile. Select our luxurious downtown Chicago Illinois hotel for an unforgettable stay, beginning with an inspiring setting:

- ▲ Located just steps from The Magnificent Mile in downtown Chicago, Illinois
- ▲ A short walk to the city's financial, business, and entertainment districts
- ▲ Minutes from The Art Institute of Chicago, The Field Museum, and Shedd Aquarium
- ▲ Within 20 miles of Chicago's major airports - O'Hare International and Midway

## **Distinctive Services And Features At Our Hotel in Downtown Chicago, Illinois**

From the spaciousness of our deluxe guest rooms to the distinctive Edelweiss Penthouse, a sense of refinement and elegance pervades every detail - truly setting us apart among luxury hotels in downtown Chicago, Illinois. Enjoy striking lake and skyline views from your oversized guest room. Or indulge your taste buds at one of two onsite restaurants. Experience the world-renowned distinction of our downtown Chicago Illinois hotel, with exclusive features that include:

- ▲ 661 luxurious, oversized guest rooms and suites
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- ▲ Resourceful and friendly concierge
- ▲ 24-hour valet parking (fee applies)
- ▲ Two onsite restaurants and lounge
- ▲ Unique, 7,500-square-foot 42nd-floor Penthouse Health Club and Pool with panoramic views\*
- ▲ 24-hour room service and express checkout
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