

"Training tools for an increasingly complex and dangerous job"



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When an incident occurs, it may be necessary to carry out an investigation. A good investigation will determine what happened and why, and becomes a learning tool to improve performance and save resources.

Fire Investigations is a two-part series of videos/DVDs designed for supervisors, safety officers, and other fire and plant personnel who may - as a part of their job - be called upon to carry out fire investigations in which there is property damage and/or injury. Produced in association with the International Fire Service Training Association, the package will help facilities and personnel comply with federal regulations and national standards, including NFPA 1500, Fire Department Occupational Safety & Health Program and OSHA's Process Safety Management of Highly Hazardous Chemicals standard.

The package includes two booklets written by Ludwig Benner which provide a description of the knowledge, methods and tools used to conduct basic investigations and fire investigations.

About "Introduction to Investigations"

The first module in the package, "Introduction to Investigations," outlines a systematic approach to the investigative process, showing how to interview witnesses, examine the scene, gather and maintain evidence, write reports and conduct follow-up activities. This film provides information that is fundamental to all types of investigations, and is the foundation of the second program. 28 minutes.

About "Fire Investigation"

The second module in the package tells how fires commonly begin and explains how fire may be expected to behave. It discusses the ways fire fighting tactics may affect the fire and destroy evidence, and provides methods for determining the point of origin and cause of a fire, including how to identify accidental fires versus arson. Other topics covered include gathering evidence and reporting. 28 minutes.

About the Technical Committee

Emergency Film Group programs are created with the assistance of authorities in the subject field. Technical committee members for Investigations include:

Ludwig Benner, President of Ludwig Benner & Associates, a firm specializing in investigation.

Ed Comeau, Writer-tech.com. Ed is a technical writer and publisher of *Campus*

Price Information for FIRE INVESTIGATIONS*

Two DVDs plus two booklets
Purchase-\$395 Rental-\$195 Preview-\$40

Also available separately:

Introduction to Investigations - \$295/\$150/\$25
Fire Investigation - \$295/\$150/\$25
Accident Investigation - \$295/\$150/\$25
HazMat Investigation - \$295/\$150/\$25

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Firewatch, a newsletter that focuses on campus fire safety.

Jan Dunbar, Battalion Chief, Sacramento (CA) Fire Dept. (ret.) He has served as Chairman of the California State Fire Marshal's committee to develop a hazardous materials specialist course.

Scott Kerwood, Chief, Sni Valley (MO) Fire Protection District.

About the filmmakers

Gordon Massingham, director. For over 20 years one of the world's leading creators of emergency response training. Winner of more than 130 national and international awards.

Jane Christopher, producer and editor. Jane has received several awards for filmmaking excellence.

J.B. Lamont, senior editor. J.B. is manager of the Avid non-linear editing suite at EFG. His work has been seen on NBC, ESPN, and many cable outlets.

About the Emergency Film Group

Emergency Film Group, a division of the Detrick Lawrence Corp., was established to distribute quality training films for emergency response and right to know education. Firmly committed to accuracy, EFG uses the best qualified advisors and production crews to ensure that programs are not only exciting to watch, but are also accurate in every detail.

EFG's worldwide list of customers range from the largest petrochemical companies, to government agencies, to small town fire departments. Every film comes with EFG's 30-day money-back guarantee if the customer is not satisfied.

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