National Fire Academy End of Course Evaluation

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End-of-Course Part I: Course Evaluation Data

To what extent do you agree with each of the following?

This course…

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Does Not Apply
increased my knowledge of/skills in this topic	○	○	○	○	○	○
allowed enough time to complete assignments	○	○	○	○	○	○
was well organized	○	○	○	○	○	○
challenged me to learn more about this topic	○	○	○	○	○	○
used effective teaching techniques (lecture, audio/visuals (AV), scenarios, Web)	○	○	○	○	○	○
had a good balance of individual and group-based techniques	○	○	○	○	○	○
helped me clarify my goals and professional expectations	○	○	○	○	○	○
provided up-to-date information	○	○	○	○	○	○
included useful Web/technology resources for the material	○	○	○	○	○	○
met my expectations	○	○	○	○	○	○

The course materials…

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Does Not Apply
were clear and easily readable	○	○	○	○	○	○
supported class discussion	○	○	○	○	○	○
will be a useful references when I get back on the job	○	○	○	○	○	○
were easy to access	○	○	○	○	○	◉

The AV materials for this course…

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Does Not Apply
were of good technical quality	○	○	○	○	○	○
enhanced my learning	○	○	○	○	○	○

Have you taken other NFA classes?

	Yes	No
On campus	○	○
Off campus	○	○
Online	○	○

To what extent did this course REQUIRE you to use…

	A Lot	Some	Not at All	Does Not Apply
Internet and technology resources	○	○	○	○
NFIRS data	○	○	○	○
Federal, local or State resources	○	○	○	○
GIS data	○	○	○	○

How might this training class be improved and why is the improvement needed?

[text box]

How do you access information about NFA classes? *(Mark all that apply.)*

☐ USFA/NFA Web page

☐ Local departments

☐ Other students

☐ Information at conferences

☐ Social Media

☐ Other (please specify) [text box]

Would you recommend this course to someone?

○ Yes

○ No

Because… [text box]

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Before taking this class, was this material…

○ completely new to you?

○ somewhat familiar to you?

○ very familiar to you?

What is the highest level of education you have completed?

○ Less than high school

○ HS graduation or equivalency

○ Some college

○ AA degree

○ Bachelor's degree

○ Master's degree

End-of-Course Part II: Instructor Evaluation

This instructor…

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Does Not Apply
knew the material well	○	○	○	○	○	○
regularly clarified course and assignment expectations	○	○	○	○	○	○
encouraged independent thinking	○	○	○	○	○	○
fostered a collaborative "team-based" learning experience	○	○	○	○	○	○
supplemented course with helpful experience	○	○	○	○	○	○
answered students' questions clearly	○	○	○	○	○	○
presented engaging lectures and discussion	○	○	○	○	○	○
led the learning process without dominating it	○	○	○	○	○	○
exhibited a positive attitude toward students	○	○	○	○	○	○
conducted the class in a professional manner	○	○	○	○	○	○
worked well with co-instructor(s)	○	○	○	○	○	○
is worth recommending to others	○	○	○	○	○	◉

Is there any particular feedback you have regarding this instructor? *(Be as specific as possible.)*

End-of-Course Part II: Overall Training

Considering the training OVERALL, to what extent do you agree that...

This training experience...

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Does Not Apply
will help me do my current job better	○	○	○	○	○	○
was consistent with my department's training expectations	○	○	○	○	○	○
will be useful for a department the size of mine	○	○	○	○	○	○
will be applicable to my future work	○	○	○	○	○	○
included material helpful to my department's prevention efforts	○	○	○	○	○	○
will help reduce the fire-related risks in my community	○	○	○	○	○	○
provided sufficient opportunities for networking	○	○	○	○	○	○
provided information my department can use when preparing for or responding to an all-hazards and/or terrorist event	○	○	○	○	○	○
is worth recommending to others	○	○	○	○	○	○

Answer each of the following items as they apply to the class you have just completed. Indicate "Does Not Apply" where appropriate.

How satisfied are you with NFA's...

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Does Not Apply
Classroom and learning facilities	○	○	○

LRC	○	○	○
Dormitory rooms	○	○	○
Student center and facilities	○	○	○
Dining facilities	○	○	○
Course registration and administrative details	○	○	○
Workout/weight room facilities	○	○	○

End-of-Course Part III: Training Benefits

How likely are you to re-apply to NFA for future training?

○ Very likely

○ Somewhat likely

○ Not sure; can't say

○ Not likely to re-apply

Do you plan to use the ACE (American Council on Education) credit recommendation associated with this course?

○ Yes

○ No

○ I can't say. I don't know what ACE is.

○ Not sure yet.

Do you plan to use this course for Continuing Education Credit (CEU)?

○ Yes

○ No

○ I can't say; I don't know how to do this.

When considering your future training needs, which of these venues would you prefer? *(Please select one.)*

Traditional classroom training ◉

Online training ○

Blended training ○

What are suggested topics for future NFA training classes?

Additional Comments?