

CTIF NEWS

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FIRE & RESCUE



Delegates Assembly 2015

The 2015 CTIF Delegates Assembly took place in Zagreb, Croatia on the 3rd- 4th of September. Four new Vice Presidents was elected: Donald Bliss USA, Milan Dubravac Slovenia, Ole Hansen Norway and Zdenek Nytra from the Czech Republic.

General Secretary Michel Bour and Vice President Ante Sanader were re-elected.



The four vice presidents who left their positions are: Aleksander Chupryan Russia, Dennis Davis UK, Luther Fincher USA and Marketa Strzinkova the Czech Republic. We thank them for their great dedication and service to the organisation. The DA decided to appoint the four Honorary Members of CTIF.



The seminar was of a high international quality with a lot of interesting presentations.



We would like to thank Ante Sanader and Mario Starcevic and the other Croatian organisers and colleagues for an entirely successful event.



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VATROGASNA
ZAJEDNICA

Thank you all!

CTIF's main aim: To share knowledge

There is a lot of well developed knowledge and results in various CTIF groups. It can consist of procedures for a certain type of intervention, training courses with course material, computer tools, manuals, videos and so on. In some cases the results are not known;

- In other CTIF groups
- In the whole of CTIF
- In the outside world

Therefore CTIF Introduces the **Best Practice Procedures** as a series of quality controlled results. The reason is to highlight good and important results and to spread them, in order to avoid duplications, to facilitate important developments, to save money and in order to support a faster development of any and all Fire Service organisations.

At Delegates Assembly in Zagreb, for the first time in history **CTIF gave out an award for Best Practice Procedures**. Michel Gentileau, France was given the award for the outstanding work he and his colleague Serge Delauney have carried out regarding operating procedures for incidents with new vehicles.

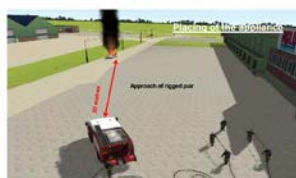


Michel Gentileau



Serge Delauney

Preparation



Dangerous areas



A complete interactive training manual in French and English is available at ctif.org: <http://godr.sdis86.net>

INTERVENTIONS D'URGENCE SUR LES VEHICULES

Au sommaire :

- 1^{ère} partie : généralités sur les véhicules
- 2^{ème} partie : véhicules hybrides (Veh) et électriques (EV)
- 3^{ème} partie : véhicules au GPLc
- 4^{ème} partie : véhicules au GNV
- 5^{ème} partie : véhicules à H₂
- 6^{ème} partie : la réponse opérationnelle adaptée aux interventions d'urgence sur véhicules

Emergency response on vehicles

Summary:

- 1st part : generalities about vehicles
- 2nd part : hybrid vehicles (HV) and electric vehicles (EV)
- 3rd part : LNG vehicles
- 4th part : CNG vehicles
- 5th part : Fuel cell electric vehicles (FCEV)

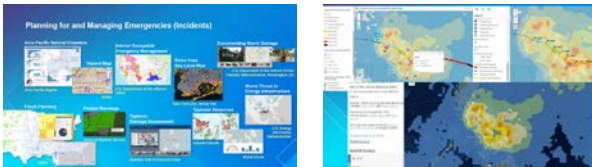


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Interesting topics from the CTIF seminar in Zagreb:



News from CTIF groups *More info at ctif.org*



The 46th Meeting in Warsaw Poland 10-12 September. New member country is Estonia. Minutes at ctif.org



The 8th Meeting in London, UK 19-20 October. Extended work-plan developed. 2 new member countries: Cyprus, Ireland



Welcome new Associated Members!



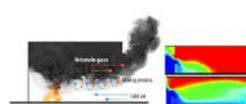
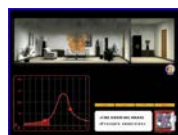
International Conference on Fire Behavior in Olsztyn, Poland 21-22 Sept.



Szymon Kokot-Góra Organizer State Fire Service of Poland



Jacek Borowski Chairman CTIF Training and Education



Best regards! Tore Eriksson and Michel Bour