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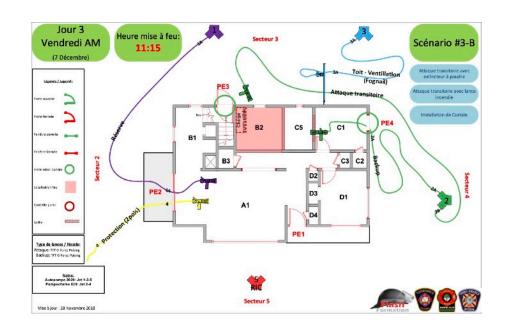
# From May 12 to May 17, 2024

# **Summary**

For several years, the Flash Formation team has acquired exceptional expertise on structural firefighting tactics with live fire in an acquired structure. Our team has been responsible for scientific, educational and demonstrations live fires as well. Team members have visited many departments, even several countries to improve this expertise. We have taken the decision to share our expertise by organizing a training week focused on live fire in an acquired structure in strict compliance with NFPA 1403 standards.

This training week is offered to all firefighters from Quebec or from abroad wishing to live this experience!

More than a week of training... A **unique experience** with leaders in Quebec's firefighting tactics. Including both training days and evenings of exchange between **enthusiasts of fireground operations**. A week hosted by passionate firefighters for passionate firefighters!





#### Our achievements

- More than 7,000 copies sold of our books "Thermal Phenomena" and "Smoke Analysis"
- More than 125 fire departments and brigades trained in Canada
- Participation in various NFPA, IFSTA and UL committees
- Conferences and training presented in France, Switzerland, Netherlands, Portugal, Croatia
- Achievements of 12 educational and scientific launches
- Writing of 4 Flash
   Training magazines
   delivered to all fire
   services in Quebec

# Our purpose

**Flash Formation** aims to make the profession of firefighter ever safer through the distribution of accessible and educational training.

The founding values of the company being at the heart of all our projects, we believe that reducing accidents during interventions must involve the development of those involved. This is why Flash Formation sees to the optimization of fire fighting tactics through its active participation in various research and development programs.



#### Why Flash Formation?

- Reduced injuries to firefighters and citizens
- Reduced losses through more effective tactics

#### How?

- Through research and development during live fire
- Through our participation in UL, IFSTA and NFP committees
- Through our numerous training courses received and given all over the world

# What is the « TAKTIK » project?

The word « TAKTIK » comes from the translated word tactic in swedish. A country famous for their innovative approach in fireground operations and from which many of our training is inspired and based on. Previous training week editions were based on our flash formation specialized firefighting combat program.

For 2024, a new concept will take place. Besides being fully bilingual (French and english), this trainning week edition will be a sharing venue on international fireground practices hosted and moderated by many reknown speakers in the fire service from different countries.

Candidates will be separeated in four teams, each having a specific subject related to various tactical aspects of fireground operations. Several months before the training week, each team will prepare a classroom presentation which they will then offer to other teams. Thereafter, each team will be assigned 2 live fire scenarios to put into practice based on their presentation.

#### The main topics will be:

- Gas Cooling
- Transitional Attack
- Ventilation Control
- Fire spread in conventional structures
- Flowpath



The goal of such a project is to immerse each candidate in a training process on a much longer timeframe than a week. Also, the knowledge shared will enhance by various candidates attending that training week.

A group of 20 to 25 candidates is ideal for this project. Candidates must master the english language without being necessarily fully bilingual.

# Schedule PROJECT « TAKTIK 2024 »

Day	PERIOD	Event
Sunday	PM	Arrival
	Evening	Greetings, welcome cocktail Instructors presentation and week schedule
Monday	AM	Flash Formation NFPA 1403 Classroom theory
	PM	Case studies presentation and teamwork analysis
	Evening	Educational aspect A Presentation
Tuesday	AM	Live fire no. 1 —NFPA 1403 Presentation
	PM	Live fire no. 2 et no. 3 — Aspect A
	Evening	Educational aspect B Presentation
Wednesday	AM	Educational aspect C Presentation
	PM	Leadership Team Building exercise
	Evening	Montreal Field trip and dinning & Team Building exercise feedback
Thursday	AM	Live fire no. 4 et no. 5 — Aspect B
	РМ	Live fire no. 6 — Aspect C
	Evening	Educational aspect D Presentation
Friday	AM	Live fire no. 7 — Aspect C & no.8 — Aspect D
	PM	Live fire no. 9 — Aspect D
	Evening	Dinner & training week debriefing
Saturday	AM	Breakfast and airport shuttle

# Hurry! Only 20 places available\*

**Registration Before: March 1st, 2024** 

Costs: Only 3 425€ /participant – 4 995\$ CAN/ participant

\*A 50% deposit (non-refundable) will be required at the time of registration to secure your place.

Accommodation, meals (breakfast & lunch) are included.

Dinner and personal firefighting gear are not included in the price.

For personal firefighting gears, there is possibility to rent some at fair costs.

# For more details, please contact us: taktik2024@flashformation.com

\* Please note that Flash Formation reserves the right to cancel the training week if the number of participants is not sufficient. The deposit will be refundable only if canceled by Flash Formation. For logistical reasons, Flash Formation can review the training schedule of the week.

