

“Recent Developments and Needs for Wildfire Fighting on the Ground: Tactics and Technologies”

A Video Conference organized by

Field Analytical Chemistry and Technology Unit/ National Technical University of Athens (FIACU / NTUA)

Global Fire Monitoring Center (GFMC) (Conference Chair)

European Center for Forest Fires (ECFF)

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Objective

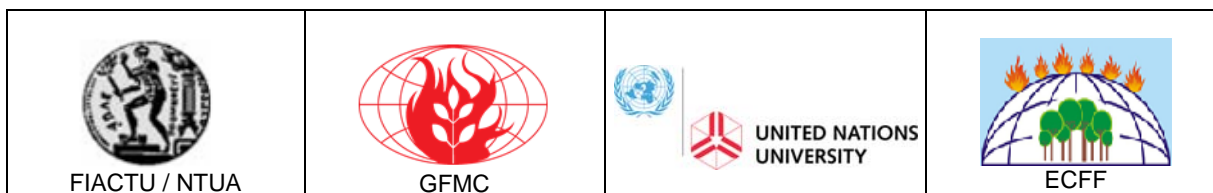
FIACU / NTUA, in the framework of the FP7 project “FIRELI (Fire Retardant Hoses Lines for Forestry Fire-Fighting Applications/No: 222152)” co-organizes with the ECFF and the GFMC a teleconference on recent developments and needs for ground methods and tools for forest fire suppression. The conference will be held 10 June 2010.

Main topics of the teleconference agenda will be tactics and training in forest fire suppression, technologies and ground means used, as well as end-users requirements. Participants from different fire services and relevant organizations in Europe are invited.

This exercise on 31 May 2010 will bring partners together in an informal way to check the technical facilities and check the possibility of presentations of partners who wish to actively contribute.

The video conference will be organized in cooperation and participation with:





Duration: Up to 1 h

Objectives:

- Testing: 1) PPT Presentation capabilities
 2) Quality of image and sound
 3) Video broadcasting

Moderator: M. Statheropoulos

Draft Agenda

- **Introduction (J.G. Goldammer)**
- **Session I: Tactics for fighting forest fires on the ground**
 - EuroFire standards (GFMC)
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- **Session II: Technologies and ground means**
 - Prescribed fire on terrain contaminated by Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) and land mines (GFMC)
 - Fire-fighting equipment and tools (PRODUCTOS MESA)
 - Field testing of new fire-fighting hose (FIACU/NTUA)
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- **Session III: End-users requirements**
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List of Participants (Status: 27 May 2010)

- **GFMC (DE)**
Prof. J.G. Goldammer
- **FIACU / NTUA (GR)**
Prof. M. Statheropoulos, Dr Sofia Karma
- **CTIF FFC (NO)**
Mr Havard Sormoen
- **CTIF FFC (CH)**
Mr Daniele Ryser
- **Civil Defence Fire Service (CY)**
Mr Chris Eliou
- **DGPEIS (ES)**
Mr Sebastia Massague
- **PRODUCTOS MESA (ES)**
Mr Fernando Marijuan
- **MSB – The Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency/Operations Section Coordination & Operations Department (SE)**
M Josefin Gullstrand
- **Hellenic Fire Service**
Mr Antonis Panagiotakis

Video broadcasting

- CTIF FFC (FI) ?
- CEREN (ALPFIRS/Entente Interdépartementale en vue de la Protection de l'Environnement et de la Forêt contre l'Incendie) (FR)
- UNECE / FAO ToS Forest Fire