



COURSE DESCRIPTION

All students are responsible for bringing their **IRPG** (Incident Response Pocket Guide), **FLHB** (Fireline Handbook), and applicable **PTB** (Position Task Book) to each class session. Additional items to bring will be mentioned in the course acceptance letter. As a student, you are responsible for double-checking your enrollment status and current address, phone numbers, and email addresses. This will help ensure that you will receive any and all information pertaining to the class for which you are enrolled. **If your supervisor has enrolled/nominated you, it's critical that you double-check your enrollment status.**

To see the updated enrollment for a class, go to uvu.edu/ufra/training/wildland/schedule.html and click on the "roll" link. These are updated weekly. If you have any questions or concerns, call Dan Cather at (801) 863-7423.

S-404. SAFETY OFFICER

Course Description

This course is designed to meet the training needs of a safety officer type 1 (SOFR), safety officer type 2 (SOF2), and line safety officer (SOFR) on an incident, as outlined in the *NIMS: Wildland Fire Qualification System Guide* (PMS 310-1) and the Position Task Book developed for each position.

Objectives

Upon successful completion of this course, students should be able to:

- Arrive at an incident, properly equipped, and gather information to assess the assignment and begin the initial planning activities of a safety officer.
- Identify, prioritize, and mitigate hazards and risks on the incident.
- Plan, staff, and manage an incident safety action plan to meet the needs of an incident.
- Coordinate and plan with command and general staff to assist in safely accomplishing the overall incident objectives.
- Ensure that the preparation of special reports for the final incident package and incident closeout with the agency administrator are completed.

Target Group

Personnel desiring to be qualified as a safety officer type 2 (SOF2), safety officer type 1 (SOF1), or line safety officer (SOFR)

Course Prerequisites

None