

**FCIA Firestop Industry Conference & Trade Show Agenda**  
**Hyatt Tamaya, Santa Ana Pueblo, NM**  
**“Healthcare Focused Firestopping & Effective Compartmentation”**  
**Tuesday, November 5, 2013**

<b>Time / Location</b>	<b>Description</b>
8:30 am – 2:00 pm <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>Conference Registration</b>
	<i>FCIA Education Sessions help attain and maintain status as a FM 4991 Approved Contractor DRI, UL – ULC Qualified Firestop Contractor DRI or International Accreditation Services IAS AC 291 Special Inspection Agency responsible individual. Pre-Registration required. AHJ’s may attend the education session for free. UL’s Firestop Exam is free for AHJ’s.</i>
8:00 am – 9:00 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST</b> <i>(for Management System and Exam Education Seminar Attendees)</i>
9:00 am – 10:30 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>FCIA Management System Manual Development Education</b> <b>Free to FCIA Members – (Non Members - \$495 Extra Fee)</b> <b>Jeff Gould, FM Global &amp; Matthew Schumann, Underwriters Laboratories</b> <i>If your firm is pursuing FM 4991 Approval or UL-ULC Qualification, don’t miss this session about management systems and the firestopping industry. Get your company started using the FCIA Sample Management System Manual Template handout.</i>
10:30 am – 10:45 am	<b>Break, Sponsored by BALCO, INC.</b>
10:45 am – 12:00 pm <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>FM &amp; UL/ULC Firestop Exam Education for becoming a DRI</b> <b>Free to FCIA Members – (Non Members - \$295 Extra Fee)</b> <i>FCIA’s Firestop Manual of Practice (MOP) is the basis for the FM &amp; UL, ULC Firestop Exams. Start the path towards FM 4991 Approval and/or UL or ULC Qualified Firestop Contractor status with this session. This education session is meant to help your ‘short term memory’ preparing for the test. The class is not a substitute for reading the FCIA Firestop Manual of Practice.</i>
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch Break for Exam Education and Exam Participants</b> <b>Sponsored by FCIA</b>
1:00 pm – 4:30 pm <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>FM &amp; UL-ULC Firestop Exam - DRI Candidates &amp; Inspection Personnel</b> <i>FCIA wishes the very best for success! Note-you become a ‘DRI’ when the company passes the audit from FM Approvals, UL-ULC. Firestop Inspection Agency personnel receive a certificate that states they passed the FM or UL-ULC Exam. ULC Exam adds an extra set of questions specific to Canada requirements.</i>
	<i>NOTE: UL-ULC exam is an ‘open book’ exam. Bring your own FCIA Firestop Manual of Practice to use if needed. FM Approvals does <u>not</u> allow use of the FCIA Manual of Practice during the exam.</i>
5:30 - 6:30 pm <i>The Wolf</i>	<b>FCIA Welcome Reception – Sponsored by Specified Technologies, Inc.</b> <i>All Attendees and Spouses/Guests Welcome!</i>
7:00 pm	<b>Dinner on your own</b>

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**Wednesday, November 6, 2013**

**HEALTHCARE INDUSTRY DAY –**

**FCIA WELCOMES ASHE FACILITY & ICC GOVERNMENTAL ATTENDEES**

<b>Time / Location</b>	<b>Description</b>
6:30 am – 7:30 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>Exhibitor Tabletop Set-Up, Conference Registration Open</b>
7:30 am – 8:15 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>Continental Breakfast - Tabletops Open</b> <b>Sponsored by HILTI</b>
8:15 am – 9:30 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>George Mills, The Joint Commission (Note: Speaker Update)</b> <i>The Joint Commission (TJC) surveys healthcare facilities worldwide to help clients provide a safe ‘Environment of Care’ for patients. Listen as George fills us in on how TJC views fire and smoke barriers, and how ASHE and TJC work together to provide resources to solve the #1 and #2 problem in healthcare facilities – Penetrations and Doors.</i>
9:30 am – 9:45 am	<b>Break, Sponsored by Specified Technologies, Inc.</b>
9:45 am – 10:30 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	<b>FCIA Code Update – Bill Koffel, PE, FSPE, Koffel Associates, FCIA’s Code Consultant</b> <i>We all work together at the ICC and also NFPA advocating safe buildings in the code arena. What happened at the International Fire Code Public Comment Hearings? How have we affected fire and life safety? What changes affected Life Safety? What’s next for all of us in code development to provide better fire and life safety in buildings?</i>
10:30 am – 11:00 am	<i>Find your way across the parking lot for Golf, at the meeting point for Geocaching, Adobe Brick Making, Horseback Riding or just relax at a Hotel Tamaya Activity</i>
11:00 am – 6:00 pm <i>Tayama Twin Warriors Golf</i>	<b>Ray Usher Memorial Golf Tournament (and other fun things)</b> <i>Golf and lunch for pre-registered golfers. Proceeds fund the Bob LeClair Memorial Scholarship for Fire Protection Engineering Students at the University of Maryland. Special thanks to all FCIA Sponsors!</i>
11:00 am – 6:00 pm	<b>Non-Golfers – Voluntary Donation to Bob LeClair Scholarship</b> <i>Meet at Concierge Geocaching -11 am, Brick Making -1:30 pm, Horseback Riding -3 pm, (Registration Required)...or other Hyatt Tamaya Fun!</i>
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <i>The Wolf</i>	<b>FCIA Welcome Reception &amp; Golf Awards</b> <b>Sponsored by 3M</b> <i>OPEN TO ALL attendees, spouses, guests and speakers! Congratulate 2013 Champs from Golf and trade stories from Geocaching, Adobe Brick Making, Horseback Riding and more!</i>

**\*Trade Show setup is Wednesday, 6:30 am – 7:30 am and open at 7:30 am.**  
*Display Wednesday morning, Thursday all day, Friday morning - Casual Dress for all*

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<b>Time / Location</b>	<b>Description</b>
7:30 am – 5:00 pm <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	Conference Registration Open
7:30 am – 8:30 am	FCIA Continental Breakfast, <i>Sponsored by Specified Technologies, Inc.</i>
7:30 am – 8:15 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i>	Tabletops Open – Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors
8:15 am – 9:30 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i> <i>(same location unless otherwise specified)</i>	<p><b>FCIA President’s Welcome &amp; Association Report</b></p> <p><b>FCIA Board Candidate Presentations</b>  <i>FCIA Board of Director Elections takes place today. FCIA candidates present their board platforms.</i></p>
9:30 am – 9:45 am	<b>Break &amp; Exhibitor Tabletop Time</b> <b>Sponsored by BALCO INC.</b>
9:45 am – 10:45 am	<p>*FM 4991 Approved Contractor Program  <b>Jeff Gould, FM Approvals</b></p> <p>*UL Qualified Firestop Contractor Program – <b>Matthew Schumann, UL</b></p> <p>*IAS AC 291 Accreditation – <b>Bill McHugh, FCIA</b></p> <p><i>FCIA Supports both FM 4991 and the UL/ULC Qualified Firestop Contractor Programs for firestop contractors who choose to pursue this important company accreditation. FCIA also collaborated with IAS to build IAS’ AC 291 Accreditation Criteria for Firestop Inspection Agencies. Listen to why you should consider staying or becoming Approved, Qualified or Accredited.</i></p>
10:45 am – 11:00 am	<b>Break &amp; Exhibitor Tabletop Time</b> <b>Sponsored by Thermafiber, Inc. (an Owens Corning Co.)</b>
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	<p><b>Healthcare Focus General Session</b>  <b>Jonathan Flannery, ASHE Codes and Standards</b>  <i>FCIA drove public comments that supported many of ASHE’s code proposals this code cycle that helped build a safe healthcare structure. Learn more about what ASHE is doing to help FCIA members bring value to healthcare facilities.</i></p>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	<p><b>FCIA Luncheon &amp; Exhibitor Presentations</b>  <i>FCIA appreciates the support of the tabletop exhibitors. Each firm has two minutes to present FCIA important information.</i>  <b>Luncheon Sponsored by HILTI</b></p>

**FCIA Ladies Tour Information!**  
 Depart Hotel: 9:30 am  
 Arrive Back: 2:30 pm  
 Includes Historic Walking Tour of Old Town ABQ, lunch and time for shopping!  
 \*Registration required.  
 Contact FCIA for more information at 708-202-1108

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<b>Time</b>	<b>Function</b>
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i> <i>(same location unless otherwise specified)</i>	<b>Healthcare Engineering and Canada</b> <b>Peter Whiteman, Incoming CHES President</b> <i>The Canadian Healthcare Engineering Society (CHES) is the national association for Healthcare Engineers in Canada. CHES members manage the operation, maintenance, fire protection and safety of healthcare facilities, their engineering systems and equipment buildings. Learn more about CHES and firestopping as Peter provides insight into this group.</i>
2:00 pm – 2:15 pm	<b><i>Break &amp; Tabletop Time - Sponsored by Thermal Ceramics</i></b>
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	<b>Firestopping Test Standards – How Can We Do Better?</b> <b>Luke Woods, Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.</b> <i>How much fun can it be to analyze what the test standards are for? Listen in as the firestopping industry looks at how they really work in great detail and how we as an industry can improve on them.</i>
3:15 pm – 3:30 pm	<b><i>Break &amp; Tabletop Time</i></b> <b><i>Sponsored by Thermafiber, Inc. (an Owens Corning Co.)</i></b>
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	<b>FCIA Voting Members (Contractors Only) Session</b>
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm <i>The Cottonwoods</i>	<b>FCIA Annual Awards Reception</b> <b><i>Open to all attendees, spouses, guests and speakers</i></b> <b><i>Sponsored by FCIA</i></b>
7:00 pm – 10:30 pm <i>The Cottonwoods</i>	<b>FCIA Annual Awards Dinner</b> <b>FCIA Awards</b> <b><i>Attendee Awards Dinner included in FIC Conference Registration. Additional fee for Spouse / Guest. Sport Jacket Recommended.</i></b>  <b><i>While the Cottonwoods is a short walk from the Tamaya Ballroom area, a complimentary Hyatt Shuttle bus is also available.</i></b>  <b><i>Smoking is not allowed in the Cottonwoods.</i></b>

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8:00 am – 9:00 am <i>Tamaya Ballroom</i> <i>(same location all day)</i>	<b>FCIA Continental Breakfast</b>  <b>Tabletops Open – Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors</b> <i>Sponsored by Thermal Ceramics</i>
9:00 am – 10:00 am	<b>Controlling Fire on NASA Spacecraft - Dr. Harold Beeson</b> <b>White Sands Test Facility, NASA (Johnson Space Center)</b> How to protect people in the Space Station when they can't just 'step outside'. Material selection, extinguishment, compartmentation.
10:00 am – 10:15 am	<b><i>Break &amp; Tabletop Time</i></b> <b><i>Sponsored by HILTI</i></b>
10:15 am – 11:00 am	<b>FCIA Legal Session – Kevin S. Dale, Hendrick Phillips</b> <i>FCIA &amp; Hendrick Phillips brings interesting perspectives to FCIA's Membership whenever he speaks.</i>
11:00 am	<b>FCIA Conference Wrap Up</b>
12:30 pm	<b>FCIA Firestop Industry Conference &amp; Trade Show Ends</b>  <b>NOTE: Some FCIA Committees are welcome to meet after the Conference's Conclusion. Meeting rooms available.</b>
12:45 pm -11:00 pm	<b>Optional Trip to Santa Fe, NM! Tours, Dinner &amp; more! Contact FCIA office for registration information.</b>

***Don't miss FCIA's Spring 2014 Education and Committee Action Conference, April 28-May 2, 2014! Watch for details at FCIA.org!***

**FCIA Recognizes the following Trade Show Exhibitors.**  
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- ***ON Center Software***
- ***Rectorseal***
- ***Specified Technologies, Inc.***
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