

Women in Wildland Fire Boot Camp - 2016

The Women in Wildland Fire Boot Camp is a two week-end training session to help you expand your skill set and increase your marketability in the field of wildland firefighting. Although the training focuses on women in wildland fire, all interested persons are encouraged and invited to attend. No previous experience is required.

WHAT: Wildland Firefighting Fundamentals

WHEN: March 4-6 and 11-13, 2016

WHERE: Classroom locations in Albuquerque NM & Mesa AZ, Field Day held at Sandia RD & Mogollon Rim RD

APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 5, 2016

Overview: The first weekend will offer a comprehensive introduction to wildland firefighting including required training to meet the Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2) qualifications and candid discussion with current fire leaders.

Weekend two will complete the required training and field work and provide enhancement sessions to help you seek job opportunities in wildland firefighting. Attendance at both weekends is required.

Course Offerings:

**I-100 (Introduction to Incident Command system) - (required pre-work)

S-130 Basic Wildland Fire Fighting

S-190 Introduction to Wildland fire Behavior

L-180 Basic Fire Leadership

IS-700 FEMA Emergency Support

Arduous Pack Test (3 mile walk with 45-pound weighted pack in under 45 minutes)

Special Enhancement Sessions:

- What is wildland firefighting?
- "Are You FireFit?" - Fitness and Wellness
- Completing the USAJobs application process
- Networking and Panel Discussion w/experts

For additional information, please contact:

Francesca Chavez (505) 306-5181

fechavez@fs.fed.us

Joe Scholz (505) 270-5525

jlscholz@fs.fed.us

Cory Ball (928)477-5024

cjball@fs.fed.us

Or visit <http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/r3/fire-aviation>

