



Women in Wildland Fire Boot Camp - 2017

The Women in Wildland Fire Boot Camp is a two weekend 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: October 7-8 and October 14-15, 2017 (excluding travel)

WHERE: Beaverhead Work Center on the Black Range Ranger District, Gila NF

APPLICATION DEADLINE: September 22, 2017 @ 4:30 p.m. MST

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 **(required pre-work)

Special Enhancement Sessions:

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

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