



## **EASTERN WASHINGTON INTERAGENCY TRAINING ZONE**

# **Training Announcement S-290 Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior**

**Nominations due APRIL 1, 2012**

**Minimum number of students: 15**

**Maximum number of students: 30**

This is a classroom-based skills course designed to prepare the prospective fireline supervisor to undertake safe and effective fire management operations. It is the second course in a series that collectively serves to develop fire behavior prediction knowledge and skills. Fire environment differences are discussed as necessary; instructors will stress local conditions.

- Objectives:**
- Identify and describe the characteristics of fuels, weather, and topography that influence wildland fire behavior.
  - Describe the interaction of fuels, weather, and topography on wildland fire behavior, fireline tactics, and safety.
  - Describe the causes of extreme fire behavior conditions (long range spotting, crowning, and fire whirls) that develop due to weather, fuels, and/or topography.
  - Interpret, communicate, apply, and document wildland fire behavior and weather information.

**DATES OF CLASSES:** May 5-6 *AND* 12-13, 2012 **Must attend all days**

**PREREQUISITES:** Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)  
Completion of Pre-course work *AND* Pre-test with 70% score

**TARGET GROUP:** Firefighter type 2 (FFT2), supervisory dispatchers (EDSP), and fire effects monitors (FEMO)

**LOCATION:** Wenatchee, WA – US Forest Service Wenatchee Headquarters  
215 Melody Lane - Lower East Doors

**COURSE COORDINATORS:**

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NWCG INTERAGENCY TRAINING NOMINATION  
AND

**AGREEMENT TO COLLECT FUNDS**

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete Part I. Complete PART II only if there are charges for the training.

**Part I TRAINING NOMINATION**

Course Number S-290	Course Name Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations	PRIORITY ____ of ____
IQCS Session Number	Course Location USFS 215 Melody Lane, Wenatchee, WA	Course Date(s) 5/5-6 AND 12-13/2012
Course Tuition (if required)	Course Coordinator Name (First Last) Michelle Ellis	Course Coordinator Phone Number 509-548-2581
Course Coordinator E-Mail <a href="mailto:mrellis@fs.fed.us">mrellis@fs.fed.us</a>	Course Coordinator FAX Number 509-548-0917	Date Submitted
Employee's IQCS ID Number:		
Nominee's Name (First MI Last)		
Working Job Title		E-Mail
Agency Name		Fax
Home Unit	Nominee's Mailing Address (if different)	
Street	Street	
City	State	City State
Zip	Telephone	Zip Telephone
List training completed and dates pertinent to this course:		
List your past qualifications pertinent to this course:		
Nominee's Signature: (I will notify the Unit Training Representative if I am unable to attend.)		
Supervisor's Signature (I certify the nominee meets the prerequisites, or if not met I will put the reasons for attending the course in Remarks.)		
Remarks:		