



**OFFICIAL PROGRAMME**

**FRENCH FIREFIGHTERS  
NATIONAL CONGRESS**

**LE MANS 2025**



## Ceremonies

### Location

**9:00 - 10:00**

**OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE "SAPEURS-POMPIERS DE FRANCE" (SPF) VILLAGE**

24 H du Mans circuit

**11:00 - 12:30**

**OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE SINAPSS\* EXHIBITION AND THE FRENCH FIREFIGHTERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS**

Followed by a walk-through and official opening of the 2026 congress stand (Haute-Savoie Mont-Blanc)

\*International Salon of Security and Rescue Professionals and Participants

Parc Expo Esplanade

## SPF Innovation Award

### Room

### Coordination

**15:00 - 17:00**

**SPF INNOVATION AWARD: FINALIST PITCHES**

Lecture theatre

Innovation & Anticipation Working Group

**18:00 - 18:30**

**PRIZE GIVING FOR THE SPF INNOVATION AWARD AND THE ENSOSP\* INNOVATION AWARD**

\*French National Fire Officers Academy

Lecture theatre

Innovation & Anticipation Working Group

## Conferences

### Room

### Coordination

**15:00 - 16:15**

**YOUNG FIREFIGHTERS (JSP\*): RECOGNISING THEIR SKILLS TOWARDS BECOMING VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS**

\*Jeunes sapeurs-pompiers

Michel Vaillant

Young Firefighter Commission (JSP)

**15:00 - 16:15**

**SHOULD MOUNTAIN RESCUE CONTINUE TO BE FREE?**

Bugatti

Mountain Rescue and perilous environments Commission (SMPM)

**15:00 - 16:45**

**SOLIDARITY: DISABILITY IN THE FIRE SERVICE**

Maison-Blanche

Œuvre des pupilles (ODP: Association for orphans of firefighters) and Health & Quality of life in service Commission

**16:30 - 18:00**

**PHYSICAL AND MENTAL PREPARATION TO BE OPERATIONAL**

Michel Vaillant

Sports & Sports techniques Commission

**16:30 - 18:15**

**DIVERSITY: ADDRESSING GENDER ISSUES IN THE FIRE SERVICE**

Bugatti

Equality & Diversity Working Group

**17:00 - 18:30**

**FIREFIGHTER TELETHON PARTICIPATION: WHAT IS IT FOR? 2025 CHALLENGES**

Maison-Blanche

Telethon Working Group

Thursday  
**9<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**Morning**

## Events

## Location

**10h00 - 12h00**

**BIKE CHALLENGE**

24 H du Mans circuit

**12h00 - 13h00**

**BIKE CHALLENGE PRIZE GIVING**

24 H du Mans circuit  
podium

## Conferences

## Room

## Coordination

**8:30 - 10:15**

**THE IMPACT OF NEW ENERGIES  
ON VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT**

Michel Vaillant

Technical Commission,  
standards & risks

**8:30 - 10:30**

**AVAILABLE TRAINING OFFERS TO  
CONTRIBUTE TO THE POPULATION'S  
RESILIENCE**

Bugatti

First Aid & Training  
Commission

**8:30 - 10:00**

**HEALTH SUBDIVISION: DISCUSSION  
PANEL BY ROLES**

1. Psychology: relationship between male and female firefighters, managing the differences
  2. Animal management and care during natural disasters - by veterinarians
  3. Firefighter pharmacists integrated into the RTN\* team: benefits of synergetic dynamics
- \*Technological and Natural Risks

Maison-Blanche

SSSM Commission  
(Medical Health &  
Rescue Service)

**10:00 - 12:30**

**GREAT DEBATE  
NEW ENERGY VEHICLES: ARE WE  
SUBJECTED TO RISK OR CONTROLLING IT?**

Le Forum

FNSPF Executive  
Committee

**10:30 - 12:30**

**NEXSIS (NATIONAL EMERGENCY COMMS  
NETWORK), RRF (RÉSEAU RADIO DU FUTUR):  
ARE THE TOOLS ADAPTED TO THE NEEDS OF  
ALL CIVIL SECURITY PLAYERS?**

Michel Vaillant

Information & Communication  
Systems (SIC) Commission

**10:45 - 12:15**

**THE RESILIENCE OF FIREFIGHTERS FACING  
CRISES: FOREST FIRES**

Bugatti

Dr Nicolas Alfano

## Conferences

## Room

## Coordination

**13:30 – 15:30**

**VOLUNTEERING: SE-MANS-TICS AND  
MANAGE-MANS – A REAL ENDURANCE  
RACE, JUST LIKE THE 24 H DU MANS!**

Michel Vaillant

Volunteer firefighter (SPV)  
Commission

**13:30 – 15:30**

**US, THE FUTURE OF PROFESSIONAL  
FIREFIGHTERS**

Bugatti

Professional firefighter (SPP)  
Commission

**13:30 – 15:30**

**FUTURE HEALTH SUBDIVISIONS (SDS):**  
The place of artificial intelligence, and the SDS'  
future missions

Maison-Blanche

SSSM Commission  
(Medical Health &  
Rescue Service)

**15:45 – 17:15**

### ODP\*'S AGM

\* Œuvre des pupilles (ODP: Association for orphans  
of firefighters)

Lecture theatre

ODP Executive  
Committee

**15:45 – 17:30**

**FIREFIGHTER'S OPERATIONAL RESILIENCE  
IN THE EVENT OF A NATURAL DISASTER**  
Examples: Mayotte and Réunion island

Michel Vaillant

Information & Communication  
Systems Commission  
with CGL Eric Faure, Indian  
Ocean Chief of General Staff

**15:45 – 17:30**

**FIREFIGHTERS FACING NEW ENERGIES  
IN BUILDINGS**

Bugatti

Risk Prevention & Anticipation  
Commission

**15:45 – 18:00**

### HISTORY & MUSEUMS

1. Firefighters during the 2nd World War (by A. Bertolo)
2. Jacques Périer (firefighter historian), presentation of  
researcher's archive collection (by the Musée  
de Lyon)
3. History of fire safety on the 24 H du Mans events  
(by A. Horb)

Maison-Blanche

History & Museums  
Commission

## Conferences

## Room

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**8:30 – 9:45**

### CASDIS\* PRESIDENTS, SDIS\*\* DIRECTORS AND DEPUTY DIRECTORS MEETING

\* Departmental Fire service board of directors

\*\*Departmental fire service

Michel Vaillant

DF – SDIS Commission  
(DF: Association of French Departments)

**8:30 – 10:00**

### ROAD RESCUE IN THE FACE OF NEW ENERGY: ADAPTING TO A CHANGING WORLD

Bugatti

Transport & Road Rescue Commission

**8:30 – 10:00**

### BURN-OUT: UNDERSTANDING THE INVISIBLE

Maison-Blanche

Health & quality of life in service Commission

**10:00 – 12:00**

### GREAT DEBATE THE NEW CIVIL SECURITY MODERNISATION ACT (MOSC2): BEFORE AND AFTER

Lecture theatre

French Institute for Civil Security  
(IFRASEC: Institut français de sécurité civile)

**12:00 – 12:30**

Speech by M. François Sauvadet, President of Départements de France (Association)

Lecture theatre

**10:00 – 12:00**

### HOW DO FORMER/RETIRED FIREFIGHTERS FIT INTO THE FIREFIGHTING COMMUNITY?

Michel Vaillant

Former Firefighter Commission (ASP)

**10:15 – 12:00**

### FIREFIGHTER CALENDARS: CHALLENGES, RISKS AND COMMUNICATION OPPORTUNITIES

Bugatti

Firefighter Communications Services

**10:30 – 12:00**

### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE (IN ENGLISH)

Dedicated to foreign delegations

Maison-Blanche

International Relations Working Group

Friday  
**10<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

## Afternoon

**16:00 – 17:00**

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF FRENCH FIREFIGHTERS\***  
**AGM**  
\*FNSPF

Lecture theatre

**17:00 – 18:00\***

**EXCHANGE OF SPEECHES BETWEEN THE FNSPF  
PRESIDENT AND STATE REPRESENTATIVE\***

Lecture theatre

\*Subject to timings

## Events

## Location

**18:30 - 19:00**

**FLAG HANDOVER CEREMONY**

24 H du Mans circuit

**19:00 - 21:00**

**CLOSING EVENING**

RESERVED FOR CONFERENCE DELEGATES,  
EXHIBITORS AND ORGANISERS

24 H du Mans circuit





# CORNER PROGRAMME

SPF Stand

Wednesday  
**8<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

## The theme of the presentation

By:

**14:35 – 15:05**

WHAT ARE NEW ENERGY SOURCES?  
HOW TO PROCEED DEPENDING ON THE  
SITUATION.

Technical Commission,  
Standards and Risks

**15:10 – 15:40**

FIRE SERVICE NGOS IN MAYOTTE

NGO's

**15:45 – 16:15**

VIDEO GAMES: A NEW COHESION  
AND COMMUNICATION TOOL FOR  
THE FIREFIGHTER WORLD

eSports Team

**16:20 – 16:50**

THE CITIZEN COMMITMENT ACCOUNT FOR  
VOLUNTEERS: HOW DOES IT WORK?

APFR Association

Thursday  
**9<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**Morning**

## The theme of the presentation

By:

**9:35 – 10:05**

THE FUTURE OF PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS...  
Conference teaser

Professional Firefighters  
Commission (SPP)

**10:10 – 10:40**

THE IMPACT OF COMMUNICATION  
AND SOCIAL NETWORKS ON COMMITMENT  
AND ITS LONGEVITY

Firefighter  
Communication  
Services

**10:45 – 11:15**

THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE PATS (ADMINISTRATIVE,  
TECHNICAL AND SPECIALISED PERSONNEL) IN THE  
NETWORK: BY WHAT MEANS?

PATS Commission

**11:20 – 11:50**

DOES TELETHON-FUNDED RESEARCH ONLY  
HELP RARE DISEASES?

AFM-Téléthon

Thursday  
**9<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**Afternoon**

**The theme of the presentation**

By:

**15:10 – 15:40**

**FIRST AID: THE ROLE OF THE OFFICIAL  
FRENCH FIREFIGHTER SHOP (BOSPF)**

First Aid & Training  
Commission

**15:45 – 16:15**

**2026-2027 SPORTS CALENDAR**

Sports & Sports Techniques  
Commission

**16:20 – 16:50**

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APFR Association

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**The theme of the presentation**

By:

**10:10 – 10:40**

**SOLUTIONS TO MONITORING  
MANUAL VENTILATION**

Medical Archeon (medical  
technology manufacturer)

**10:45 – 11:15**

**SENDING PATS ALONGSIDE FIREFIGHTERS  
ON REINFORCEMENT DEPLOYMENTS**

PATS Commission

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NGOs

**14:35 – 15:05**

**FIRST AID STATION (DPS): ORGANISATION,  
UNIFORMS AND VEHICLES**

First Aid & Training  
Commission