

PROGRAM - CTIF Seminar

Wednesday, 11th June, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

***Wildfire Management: Response, Prevention, and Community Resilience**

Speakers:

- **Chief Anthony Marrone (California), CTIF Forest Fire Commission**
LA Wildfires – A presentation, covering his work with LA Fire Chiefs and air operations in wildfire response.
- **Representative of NFPA (USA)**
Wildfire 360 – A session covering wildfire management before, during, and after devastation, including urban planning, community outreach, evacuation procedures, and alarms, with potential contributions from NFPA.
- **Representative of DG ECHO**
Presentation of the European wildfire response system, including rescue operations and fire prevention measures.
- **Dr Frédérique Giroud (France), CTIF Forest Fire Commission**
Fire Analyst: A New Function in Forest Fire Management - An introduction to the emerging role of the fire analyst in France and Europe. This function supports incident commanders in tactical decisions and helps adapt forest fire strategies to changing fire behavior caused by climate change.
- **Zisoula Ntasiou (Greece), Vice president of CTIF, CTIF Forest Fire Commission**
Bilateral cooperation in the field of wildfire between Greece and Bulgaria.
- **Representative of Japan**
Presenation of large wildfire in Japan.
- **Representative of OBA**
Presenation of large wildfire in Chile.

***Fire Sports Worldwide**

Speakers:

- **Represenative of Bulgaria**
will present following topics:
 - *Working with adolescents;*
 - *National volunteers competition - always prepared to fight against the natural disasters;*
 - *First European Fire Applied Sport Championship - Dolna Banya 2025*
- **Zdenek Nytra (Czech Republic), chairperson of Fire Sport Competition Commission CTIF**
Presentation of the work and purpose of the commission.