

Thomas C. Lakamp

Adjunct Instructor

Education:

National Fire Academy – Executive Fire Officer Program – Emmitsburg, Maryland (2008)

B.S. (Fire and Safety Engineering Technology), University of Cincinnati

A.A.S (Fire And Safety Technology), University of Cincinnati

Professional Experience:

1988 - Present Cincinnati Fire Department, Cincinnati, Ohio

2000 – Present - District Fire Chief

Currently assigned to the Operations Bureau supervising seven fire stations and ten fire companies within Fire District Four. From 2001 to 2007 assigned as the Training Bureau Chief where responsibilities included training fire recruits and developing and implementing Fire and EMS continuing education for the 800 firefighters of the Cincinnati Fire Department.

1996-2000 Fire Captain

Served on an inner city Paramedic Engine Company responding to 3600 EMS and Fire emergencies per year.

1993 – 1996 Fire Lieutenant

1988 – 1993 Firefighter Paramedic

2004 – Present - Ohio Task Force One – USAR

Hazmat Team Manager – Deployed to Hurricane Katrina 2005

2004 – Present – Hamilton County Urban Search and Rescue Task Force

Serve the regional task force as a Duty Officer - Commander

1986-1988 – Firefighter EMT – Springdale Fire Department

1986-1998 – Northern Hills Fire Department

Honors:

Cincinnati Rotary Club – Administrative Award (2003)

University of Cincinnati – OLFS Distinguished Alumni

Publications:

Lakamp, T. and Kirby, M. *“Mission Impossible, Using Five Inch Line as a Temporary Water Supply”*, **Fire Rescue Magazine**, Vol. 27, Issue 10, 30-32 (2009)

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Lakamp, T. and Kirby, M. "*The Importance of the First Fire Line*", **Fire Rescue Magazine**, Volume 27, Issue 2.

Lakamp, T., Kirby, M. and Light, G. "*Preventing Line of Duty Deaths: The Cincinnati Experience*" **Fire Engineering**, March 2005.

Lakamp, T. "*The Cincinnati Fire Division Response to Civil Disturbance*", **Fire Engineering**, December 2001.