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A WORD FROM THE EDITOR

A new year and a new start! As we look forwards in anticipation to our Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Member's Night in March 2023, let's do a short recap of the exciting activities held for our members during the last quarter and what we can potentially look forwards to in 2023.

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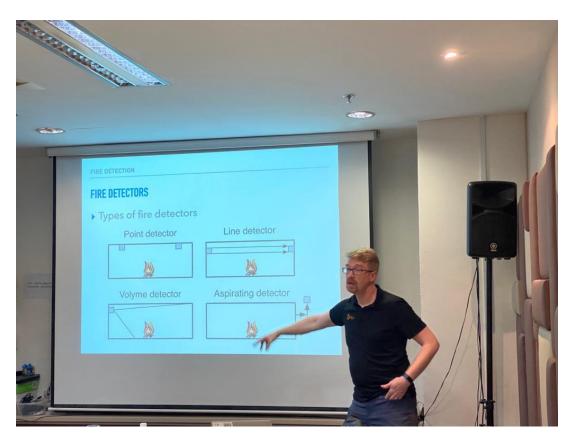
EVENTS & NEWS

Fire Detection Seminar with Professor Daniel Nilsson

22nd October 2022 from 2pm to 4pm

An in-depth exploration of fire detection by Professor Daniel Nilsson on 22 October 2022 at IFES office, with 16 IFE members, including SCDF, Fire Safety Engineers and Professional Engineers. The sharing covered the signatures generated by different types of fires which are essential for fire detector selection, exploration of alternative detection techniques (e.g., flame detectors, gas detectors, aspirating detectors, fiber-optic line heat detectors, multiple source detectors, etc.).





Photograph: Professor Daniel Nelson during his presentation



Photograph: Professor Daniel Nelson with the IFES members attending the seminar

EVENTS & NEWS

IFES Fire Safety Update Webinar

3rd November 2022 from 12:30pm to 6pm ONLINE WEBINAR

As part of IFES continuing professional development efforts for the wider fire safety community and industry, IFES organized a webinar provide attendees a better understanding to fire regulations and best practices.

The webinar addressed FSM responsibilities and responses with regards to DECAM, with updates on the latest SS546:2022 - Emergency Voice Communications in Buildings and SS578: Amendment 1 - Use and Maintenance of Portable Extinguishers.

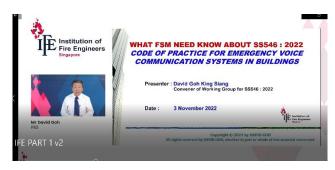
Invited speakers elaborated on the latest updates to the Code of Practice for Fire Precautions in Buildings 2018 (Batch 11) and electric vehicle charging in buildings. Additionally, IFES representatives presented on the salient updates of Code of Practice for Fire Precautions in Rapid Transit System from 2017 to 2022.











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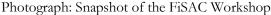
FiSAC (Fire Safety Asia Conference & Exhibition 2022)

16th to 18th November 2022

As one of the strategic partners for FiSAC, IFE Singapore joined other fire safety stakeholders in the 4th edition of Asia's most prominent fire safety event is back. Jointly organised by the National Fire and Emergency Preparedness Council and the Singapore Civil Defence Force, the Fire Safety Asia Conference & Exhibition 2022 was held from 16 to 18 November 2022 at the Singapore Expo.

IFE was one of the organizers of one of the post-conference workshops. The workshop was delivered by Mr Sean DeCrane "What AHJs need to know about Energy Storage System (ESS) Listings and Fire Propagation Testing" and Dr. Daniel Liang "Technical Due Diligence Work and Fire Safety of ESS" from UL and dealt with the fire safety challenges of ESS.







UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Maintenance of Fire Protection System (MFPS) Course 2023

31 March 2023

Objectives: To provide course attendees with comprehensive understanding on the operation, maintenance, inspection and testing procedures of the fire protection systems in buildings.

Who should attend: Personnel involved in operating and maintenance of fire protection systems in all types of buildings from fire protection industry.

Further details on enrollment: https://www.ife.org.sg/courses/

Training Course for Certification of Competency

20 February 2023

Objectives: To enable participants to qualify as competent persons in the inspection, maintenance and recharging of fire extinguishers. Such qualified persons are required for a fire extinguisher service workshop to be registered with TUV SUD as an approved workshop.

Who should attend: Participants who are currently working as fire extinguisher service personnel and wish to be certified as qualified operators in the inspection, maintenance and recharging of fire extinguishers.

Further details on enrollment: https://www.ife.org.sg/courses/

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