



# BURNING ISSUE

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WHEN?	October 19, 2020
WHERE?	<b>Greater STL SFPE Zoom</b> – a meeting link will be sent the day before the meeting
PROGRAM TOPIC	New Technology in Fire Suppression System Piping
SPEAKER	Luis Vecchio, Arcanum Alloys
OFFICERS & DIRECTORS MTG	11:30 AM – 12:00 PM
PROGRAM	12:00 PM – 1:00 PM
BUSINESS MTG	1:00 PM – 1:15 PM
COST	None

### RESERVATIONS

RSVP not required **unless you need a PDH certificate**. If you need a PDH, please email Sheila DeMand [sheila.demand@aon.com](mailto:sheila.demand@aon.com) before the call. A Zoom link will be emailed to all participants who are on our SFPE email list. If you are not on the email list, please email Holly Olson [hollyo@codeconsultants.com](mailto:hollyo@codeconsultants.com) for the link.

### SOCIETY OF FIRE PROTECTION ENGINEERS-*Greater St. Louis Chapter since May 14, 1961* EIN: 436061824

A not-for profit technical and professional organization, SFPE is the international clearinghouse for fire protection engineering information. The Society's goals are to advance the science and practice of fire protection engineering and its allied fields, to maintain high ethical standards among its members, and to foster fire protection engineering education.

## In the NEWS

### October Meeting Synopsis

Our speaker for the October will be Luiz Vecchio from Arcanum Alloys. Below is an outline of topics to be discussed.

Arcanum Alloys - Who we are

SODA™ Platform Technology - What we are doing to materials

Optiform® Applications and SFPE - What materials matter to you

Optiform® Material Performance - Why these materials matter to you

Tube Performance - How are these materials connected to your industry

Improve Design & Installation - What value are they bringing to the industry

Future with Material - How can the industry evolve with these new materials

<https://www.arcanumalloys.com/>

### SFPE 2020 Golf Outing

Golf Outing was **Thursday Sept. 17, 2020 at the Falls.**

Thanks to all who attended to support our scholarship program. It was a perfect golf day and masks, hand sanitizer and social distancing were the new normal (hopefully only for 2020!). Even with the reduced number of golfers due to the COVID challenges, we made enough to fund our large scholarship for the next year! Thanks to Larry Frank and team for all the hard work put into this Golf Outing!

Visit our website for Golf Outing Photos from 2020. It was a beautiful day!

<http://www.sfpe-stl.org/annualgolfouting.html>

### 2020 SFPE Scholarships

2020 Scholarships were awarded to 3 very deserving candidates. We had 10 qualified candidates this year! Thanks so much to all who contribute/participate in the annual Golf Outing that makes this possible for our Chapter!

Jessica Brinkley (Missouri S&T) \$3,000

Brenna Morris (KU) \$2,500

Katelyn Lang (KU) \$1,500

Many thanks for the hard work of our Scholarship Committee and Patrick Bastow, the Committee Chair!

## Fire Protection Oddities

Working Fire Door?



### 2020/2021 Meeting Dates

<i>DATES</i>	<i>TOPIC</i>	<i>SPEAKER</i>
9/21/20	OEO- Occupant Evacuation by Elevator	Dave Burkhart, CCI
10/19/20	New Technology in Fire Suppression System Piping	Luis Vecchio, Arcanum Alloys
11/16/20	Internal Pipe Corrosion	Jason Singh, United Fire
1/18/21	TBD	
2/15/21	TBD	
3/15/21	TBD	
4/19/21	TBD	
5/17/21	TBD	

### New SFPE Mailing Address

New mailing address as of 7/2019

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## ***In the NEWS***

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### **Request for Articles**

We are always looking for informative articles to share with our members. If you have authored an article or find one you believe would be of interest, please send it to me at [sheila.demand@aon.com](mailto:sheila.demand@aon.com).