

## 5 DAY FIRE RISK ASSESSOR

*Module 1 of the Fire Manager Certificate*

*Public or In-house Options*

*“Vulcan has been working in partnership with us since 2005 to Provide corporate fire training to our head office based team. Much progress has been made to improve our legislation compliance, management and policy interpretation. Vulcan is a key partner for our Corporate Fire Safety Team.”*

*Stuart Rogers  
 Fire Safety Manager  
 Marks & Spencer*



*Very informative course. Lots of detailed information relayed at a good pace.*

*Graham Findlay  
 Norse Commercial*

*“Vulcan has had a significant impact in providing fire safety management training for delegates from industry, commerce and other organisations. Vulcan has an impressive balanced fire training portfolio and the IFSM were pleased to grant ‘Approved Centre’ status to them.”*

*Stuart Cocking Accreditation  
 Secretary of the Institute of  
 Fire Safety Managers*

### INTRODUCTION

Current fire safety legislation requires a risk based regime in organisations with a nominated competent person overseeing the fire safety management responsibilities.

This course has been designed specifically for individuals employed in industry, commerce and organisations who have been given the responsibility of managing fire safety in their workplace.

The course is **Approved by the Institute of Fire Safety Managers (IFSM).**

Delegates can enhance this qualification by taking the 4 Day Managing Fire Safety and Fixed Systems course (Module 2 of the Fire Manager Certificate). Which will enable them to apply for Fire Technician grade with the IFSM.

### ABOUT THE COURSE

A highly practical 5 day in depth course with multi-media presentations, working on plan drawings and practical exercises, held as public or in-house with up to 12 employees.

More in-depth than our 3 Day course, it forms part of the Fire Manager Certificate giving delegates the opportunity to apply for Fire Technician grade with the IFSM.

### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

Fire Risk Assessment toolkit and scale ruler  
 First class training and instruction  
 Comprehensive course notes  
 Use of laptops.

#### Free computer software for:

- Fire Risk Assessments
- Fire Records
- Fire Inspections
- Fire Emergency plans
- Fire Guides

Lunch and refreshments each day on public courses

*“The course has been very beneficial and invaluable in my job. The trainer knew what he was talking about. The notes are a very good point of reference. I have no difficulties in recommending Vulcan.”*

*Jim Hill  
Health & Safety Officer  
Dept for Employment and Learning, NI*



**Delegates discussing a fire risk assessment solution to a plan exercise.**

*“Just a brief missive to say how much I enjoyed the week and to commend everyone involved in a well presented course. I would especially like to thank the trainer for helping me, and I am sure I speak for everyone else on the course, to understand the crucial elements of responsibility needed in a fire safety role. I can only commend him on his professional approach and technical knowledge which I believe is crucial in imparting the information needed.*

*Richard Gargett  
Brush Electrical*

*“The 9 day course provides a good underpinning knowledge for fire risk assessment and facilitates entry into the IFSM professional body at Technician grade. The course is endorsed by the British Fire Consortium as part of its progressive member training programme.”*

*Ken Day  
Institute of Fire Safety Managers and British Fire Consortium*

### **WHO SHOULD ATTEND?**

Facilities Managers, Health and Safety practitioners and those looking for a framework for conducting fire risk assessments and compiling fire emergency plans. Those with very little or a good working knowledge of fire safety will benefit from this training.

### **QUALIFICATION ACHIEVED**

On successful completion of the course exam, delegates will be awarded the Joint IFSM/Vulcan Fire Risk Assessor Certificate.

### **WHAT WILL I BE ABLE TO DO AFTER THE COURSE?**

On completion of the course you will be better able to:

- Carry out fire safety provision advice on plan drawing;
- Advise on fire fighting access requirements;
- Identify any fire safety management Deficiencies;
- Confidently conduct effective fire risk assessments on medium and large sized workplaces
- Compile fire risk assessment reports using current methodology
- Compile and manage fire emergency plans
- Give advice on construction site fire safety requirements
- Maintain fire record documentation

### **COURSE CONTENT**

#### **Fire Risk Assessment**

Fire safety inspections and audits  
Fire safety risk assessments  
Identifying hazards  
People at risk  
Removal or reduction of hazards  
Improving fire safety provision  
Recording risk assessments using computer based risk assessment software  
Compiling a fire emergency plan

#### **Fire Safety Provision**

Means of escape  
Fire safety engineering  
Fire resistant construction  
Fire, heat and smoke spread  
Occupancy levels  
Travel distances  
Staircase designs  
Emergency lighting  
Doors on escape routes  
Automatic door release  
Access for fire fighting purposes  
Portable fire extinguishers and blankets  
Fire warning systems and maintenance  
Automatic fire detection  
Construction fire safety

Open book examination on fire risk assessment report writing from plan drawings and case history.

*Ask for course venues, dates and costs or in-house options.*