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Arson Prosecution Knowledge for Investigators  
April 29, 2022

Maine Chapter IAAI  
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# Fire Prosecution Knowledge for Arson Investigators

**Friday April 29, 2022**

**Scarborough Public  
Safety Facility**

**275 US-1, Scarborough, ME 04074**

**9:00 - 16:00**

**Presented by**

*Maine Chapter of the International  
Association of Arson Investigators  
and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco  
and Firearms and Explosives*

**Special Note:**

With the ever changing requirements due to the COVID-19 virus, please be advised that masking and social distancing may be required. Make sure you provide a legible e-mail address so we can notify you in case there is a change in protection requirements. Thank You!



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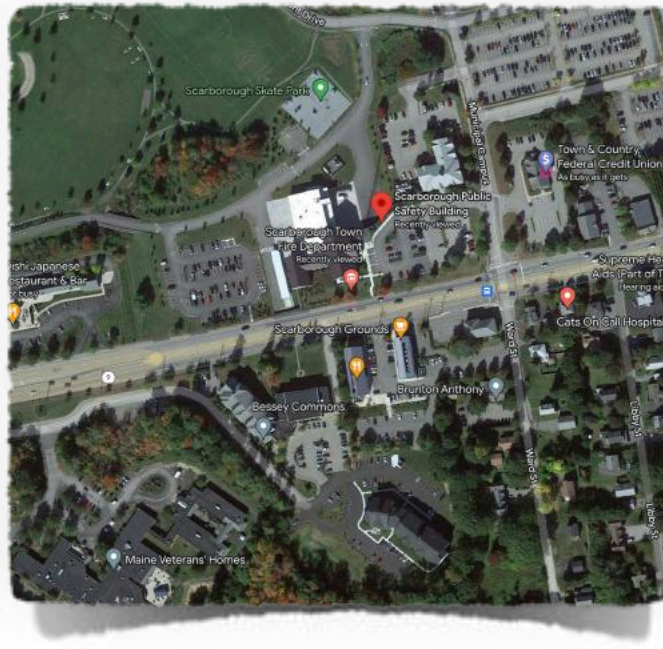
**Presenters:**

Darcie McElwee- United States Attorney  
Jonathan Sahrbeck - Cumberland County DiA  
Matthew T. Mehalic, Esq.  
Shana Clark- NHFMO CFI  
Kevin Connelly ATF Special Agent/CFI Program

**Program Information:**

This seminar will address various topics relevant to fire investigations and arson prosecutions (civil and criminal) in the State of Maine. As investigators, we never know if the incident we are investigating will ever go to trial either civilly or criminally. We need to approach every scene as if it will be going to trial, and we need to do so in a manner which will help the prosecutor in preparing for such an event.

This program is the second part of a two part series, the first was completed last year where prosecutors were introduced to current investigative techniques of arson investigators, and with updates in fire behavior, fire chemistry, and building construction. Now these same prosecutors will be providing us with an education to the legal systems, and how the two interact and means for both sides to bring a case to a successful conclusion.



**Directions From the Turnpike:**

Take Maine Turnpike to Exit 42. Continue straight at intersection onto Haigis Parkway and continue for 1.4 miles. Turn Left onto US Route 1 and drive 1.2 miles then turn Left onto Municipal Campus. Turn Left onto Durant Drive and continue to Public Safety parking area.

**Timeline:**

Registration	08:30
Class Begins	09:00
Lunch(provided)	12:00
Class Resumes	13:00
Class Ends	16:00
CFI Test (optional)	16:30

**Cost:**

\$40.00 for Maine Chapter Members  
\$50.00 for Non-Maine Chapter Members  
\$10.00 Late fee for registration at the door the day of the event.

Make all checks payable to:

**Maine Chapter I.A.A.I.**

Purchase Orders must accompany registration application.

**Mail application to:**

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**Message from the Maine Chapter IAAI**

The Maine Chapter of the International Association of Arson Investigators was formed in 1992 to further the education and training of fire and arson investigators throughout the State of Maine. The primary goal of the organization is to provide excellent training opportunities for as low a cost as possible to its members. The Directors of the Chapter would like your input as to future training programs you would like to see or any suggested instructors for our programs. Please contact any Director with your needs or suggestions. **Thank You**