

## National Interagency Prescribed Fire Training Center

Over 15 years of Excellence in  
Experiential Learning

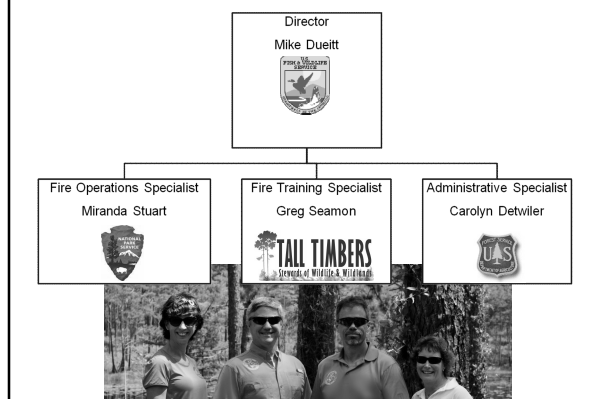
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## PFTC Mission Statement

To Maintain a National Interagency Center of ***Excellence for Prescribed Fire***, with an Emphasis on ***Actual Field Experience***, in Order to Increase Skills and Knowledge and to Build Confidence in the Application of Prescribed Fire.



## PFTC Staff



## Why Come to PFTC ?

Yr	# Days/Session	# Burns/Yr	Avg Burns/Session	Avg Burns/Module
98	30	107	36	12
99	30	190	48	11
00	21	197	49	13
01	21	145	36	10
02	21	197	39	10
03	21	214	36	11
04	21	159	40	9
05	21	138	46	11
06	21	147	37	10
07	21	161	40	9
08	20	178	45	10
09	20	172	57	9
10	20	162	41	9
11	20	176	58	10
12	20	96	32	10
13	20	172	34	11

## Participants by Agency SINCE 1998

Bureau of Indian Affairs	57
Bureau of Land Management	156
Department of Defense	34
USDA Forest Service	1,088
US Fish and Wildlife Service	166
International	46
NASA	1
National Park Service	130
Private	30
State	83
Tribal	5
Total:	1,796

## PFTC Accomplishments SINCE 1998

- Conducted 2,412 prescribed burns
- Burned in 6 states (MS, AL, FL, GA, SC, NC, and TN)
- Burned 883,484 acres (260,032 WUI )
- 4,917 training assignments (since 2003)
- Participants from 49 states and 16 foreign countries

## 2013 Accomplishments

Five 20-day Sessions



## Session Accomplishments

- 35 RXB2t = 164 assignments
- 1 RXB3t = 1 assignment



## Session Accomplishments

- 45 FIRBt = 187 assignments



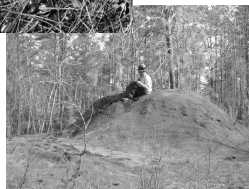
## Session Accomplishments

- 6 ENGBt = 9 assignments



## Session Accomplishments

- 24 FEMOt = 74 assignments



## Session Accomplishments

- 4 FFT1t = 74 assignments



### College Credit

- 3 participants registered for and received 3 hours of upper division credit from the University of Florida at a cost of \$210/credit hour.



### 2013 Operational Accomplishments

- 70,279 acres burned (26,079 WUI acres) during 172 burns
- Burns conducted in FL, GA, and SC
- 88% of acreage burned occurred on federal property
- 73% of burns occurred on non-federal property



### 2011 Resource Specialist Workshop

- 19 participants representing 5 federal agencies (NPS, BIA, USFS, FWS, DOD) and Tribes, NGOs, Local and State Agencies.



### 2013 Agency Administrator Workshop

- 31 participants representing the USFS and the USFWS.



### FY 2014 Plan

Agency Administrator Workshop:  
November 13-19, 2013

20-day Sessions:

January 12-31, 2014

February 9-28, 2014

March 9-28, 2014

April 6-25, 2014

June 8-27, 2014



### Participant Accomplishments

- Ten Take Home Messages

- Module Photos

- Module Videos

<http://www.youtube.com/user/rxpftc>

- Session and Workshop Quotes



Where Every Day is a Burn Day



We have a lasting impression  
on some of our participants



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Website –  
<http://www.fws.gov/fire/pftc/>

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<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Prescribed-Fire-Training-Center/696906933668849>

