Dear visitors,
The increasing threat of devastating fires through global warming is a challenge for fire fighting activities. AIRTEC will give the fire fighting community a platform to discuss and exhibit in a special area of Heli World the fire fighting challenges.

AIRTEC welcomes all interested experts and visitors to Frankfurt and wishes a fruitful conference and exhibition.

Prof. Dr. Johann G. Goldammer,
The Global Fire Monitoring Center (GFMC)

Dear participants of Working on Fire Conference, global change is unavoidable. Wildfire occurrence is likely to increase in frequency as in intensity. And Athens is right next door! Can we stop the threats by these increasing blazes before they grow uncontrollably, threatening lives, homes and villages, destroying landscapes?

**Working on Fire - Protect Your Community!**

... is the topic of a conference (German/English) and workshop taking place in Frankfurt/Main, Germany.

This event combines the wide array of fire-fighting issues. It is not only the actual fight, it all starts long before a wildfire incident: Land management, precise monitoring, surveillance and detection in critical periods, fire fighting forces including rotary and fixed wing planes on strategic standby, as well as a sensible and sensitive handling of nature, of landscapes, of wild and cultivated lands and of the people living on them.

“Working on fire” at HELI World in Frankfurt will place ground-based and aerial fire-fighting tools and teams in context. Demonstrations and practical experience and the wish to learn from one another will complete the presentations. Firefighting, First aid, evacuation, Urban Search and Rescue and follow-up care of fire casualties are among the topics like risk mitigation, disaster prevention, and provisions for the civil protection programs.

Key points of the conference program and presentations on “Future Challenges in Fire Fighting” are:

- How to respond
- How to plan
- How to protect
- How to dispatch and coordinate (resources)
- How to command and to control
- How to cooperate
- How to fight and to operate
## Part I: Planning for the Disaster

Chair: Prof. Dr. Johann G. Goldhammer, The Global Fire Monitoring Center

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Ralph Tiesler, Vice President, Federal Office of Civil Protection and Disaster Assistance (BBK) |
| 11.30 | **New Facts on Climate Change – Worldwide and in Germany**  
Dr. Paul Becker, Germany’s National Meteorological Service, DWD |
| 12.00 | **GMLZ: Worldwide Information and Resource Management**  
Thomas Mitschke, GMLZ, Federal Office of Civil Protection and Disaster Assistance (BBK) |
| 12.30 | **HELIALERT – A new Partnership in Disaster Control**  
Michael Hütte, HELIALERT |
| 13.00 | **Industry Presentations: Helicopter Fire Fighting Systems**  
Steven Daniels, President & CEO, Simplex  
Shawn Bethel, Division Manager, SEI Industries  
Jürgen Schmid, CEO, SEMAT |
| 14.00 | **Break** |

## Part II: Prevention, Monitoring and Early Detection

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| 14.30 | **International Strategy for Disaster Reduction (UNISDR)**  
Prof. Dr. Johann G. Goldammer (GFMC) |

## Part III A: Wildfire Fighting Strategies

Chair: Walter Egger, President CTIF

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Ralf Ackermann, Vice President, Int. Association of Fire and Rescue Services (CTIF) |
| 09.40 | **Forest Fire Fighting in the State of Brandenburg**  
Diethelm Witthoff, Ministry of the Interior, Brandenburg State |
| 10.05 | **Basics and Concepts of Fire Analysis**  
Daniel Kraus (GFMC) |
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All prices are including VAT.

Delegate Information:
The registration fee includes admission to the conference and to the exhibition, conference documentation, CD Rom and refreshments. 1 day or 2 day registration includes also a snack.

* by registration until September 30, 2009
** Your company must be an exhibitor at AIRTEC 2009 to qualify for the exhibitor registration rate

Full registration fee is due prior to the start of the conference.

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