

# Fire Leadership for Women

PFTC Modules for February and March 2018

One Million Acres



and Counting



*Women make up 10% of the wildland firefighting community - ground level through upper leadership!*

## OUR GOAL:

Encourage leadership on the fireline (from entry level to upper management) using prescribed fire as a catalyst to bring women together to become strong and assertive leaders; to challenge themselves; enhance strengths and improve upon weaknesses; creating a support network, enhancing longevity and success for women in wildland fire management.

## What students can expect to get from the session:

- Discussions on perspectives from working in a male dominated world – challenging supervisors, barriers to long-term fire roles, family/life choices, practical experiences of working alongside men for positions in leadership.
- Establish a network of women committed to pursuing long-term careers in wildland fire management.
- Find mentors who are invaluable for career progression.
- Improve self-confidence.
- Gain practical leadership experience as RXBB, FIRB, ENGB & FFT1.
- Compare thoughts with counterparts facing similar struggles, and those who are successfully working in fire-related careers.



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## How to be selected into the program:

Candidates must submit applications including: 1 KSA answer, a copy of your current red card, and IQCS master record.

**KSA:** Why are you interested in a module specifically designed to support fire leadership for women?

**To Apply:** Copy and paste into your browser: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScdkAfDUhlvxVoAFBbGmyjEdGOyp0ChuMHhIrZt9EKQ6AHQvg/viewform>

**\*\*Application Deadline is October 20. Selection notifications made by mid-November\*\***

**For additional information go to:** <http://www.fws.gov/fire/pftc/>