

Mississippi Fire Academy graduates who have successfully completed the following IFSAC or Pro Board Certification course(s) may submit an official transcript and copy of their certificates to Purdue University Global Admissions, along with all other required admissions paperwork and potentially receive the following credits in one of our PG fire science degree programs. Certifications must be current and completed after January 1, 1992, to be eligible for transfer credit. Purdue Global is on a quarter credit hour (QCH) system and all credits awarded will be in quarter credit hours. When more than a single credit recommendation is listed the credits will be awarded to the one option that best fits the students' degree need.

MFA IFSAC/Pro Board Accredited Certificate	PG transfer Credit Recommendation	PG QCH
NFPA 1001 Firefighter I-II	FS100-Introduction to Fire & Emergency Services	5
NFPA 1002 Driver Operator: Pumper	FS103-Fire Protection Hydraulics and Water Supply	5
NFPA 472 Hazardous Materials Technician	Lower Level Fire Science Elective or Open Elective	5
NFPA 1021 Fire Officer I-IV	• For Fire Officer I: Lower Level Fire Science or Open Elective	5
	• For Fire Officer II: Same as for Fire Officer I or FS201-Strategy and Tactics	5
	• For Fire Officer III: Same as for Fire Officer II, or FS202 Principles of Emergency Services, or FS302 Advanced Principles of Firefighter Safety and Survival	5/6
	• For Fire Officer IV: Same as for Fire Officer III with added option of FS403-Leadership and Management	5/6
NFPA 1031 Fire Inspector I-II	• For Fire Inspector I: Lower Level Fire Science or Open Elective	5
	• For Fire Inspector II: Same as for Fire Inspector I or FS105-Fire Prevention Practices	5
NFPA 1033 Fire Investigator	FS101-Fire Behavior and Combustion or FS301-Fire Investigation and Analysis	5 or 6
NFPA 1035 Fire & Life Safety Educator I-III	• For Fire and Life Safety Educator I: Lower Level Fire Science or Open Elective	5
	• For Fire and Life Safety Educator II: Same as for FLSE I	5
	• For Fire and Life Safety Educator III: FS304-Community Risk Reduction for Fire and Emergency Services, or FS401-Fire Prevention Organization and Management	6
NFPA 1041 Fire Service Instructor I-III	• For Fire Service Instructor I: Lower Level Fire Science or Open Elective	3
	• For Fire Service Instructor II: Lower Level Fire Science or Open Elective	3
	• For Fire Service Instructor III: Upper Level Fire Science or Open Elective	6

To avoid duplication of knowledge, multiple certifications within a single certification series cannot be combined. Credits will be applied to the highest level certificate only. For example, if a student has completed both the Fire Inspector I and Fire Inspector II on his or her transcript the student will have Fire Inspector II applied toward potential credits. Whereas if a student has Fire Inspector II and Fire Officer III on his or her transcript then these are considered separate series of certificates and both certificates can be applied toward potential credits.