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**2023 IAMI ATS Training Agenda –  
South Point Hotel, Casino & Spa  
9777 Las Vegas Blvd. Las Vegas, NV 89183  
(DRAFT: 8/29/2022)**

## **Sunday February 26, 2023 Classes**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Room 1</b>	<b>Room 2</b>
<b>0900-1100</b>	HIN 101	CMFI Primer – Harlow, Hunter, Nolan
<b>1100-1200</b>	LUNCH	
<b>1200-1400</b>	Marine Fire Investigations-Kerr, Harlow	CMFI Marinas and Boatyards-Rutherford, Nolan, Lawson
<b>1400-1415</b>	BREAK	
<b>1415-1615</b>	Forensic Photography	CMFI Explosions-Collins, Kerr, Lawson

*\* The above courses are recommended for the first time attendee and those planning to take the CMI Examination.*



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## Monday, February 27, 2023 Classes

Time	General Session	Room 2
0830-0930	Opening Ceremony Welcome: Benediction: National Anthem:	All attendees should attend General Session
0930-0945	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
0945-1245	In-depth Case Study: The " <u>Conception</u> "	All attendees should attend General Session
1245-1345	<b>Lunch on Your own</b>	<b>Lunch on Your own</b>
1345-1445	The Difference in working a Boating Incident from the Criminal Side vs Civil Side - Nav Rules	CMFI-LPG and Liquid Fuel Appliances-Cote, Collins
1445-1500	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
1500-1700	Proportional Fault? An Analysis of Nav Rules	CMFI-Fuel Systems-Cote, Collins, Palcher



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## Tuesday, February 28, 2023 Classes

Time	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3
<b>0800-0900</b>	The Magic and Mysteries of Gasoline Engines and Outdrives	Basics for LEO (More details coming)	CMFI-Insurance, Legal and Ethical- Derie, Rutherford
<b>0900-0915</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>0915-1015</b>	Root Cause Failure Analysis – Methodology and Process	Boat Theft for LEO	CMFI-Standards and Regulations- Harlow, Cote, Malool
<b>1015-1030</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>1030-1230</b>	Did this Mechanical Breakdown Cause the Accident? Engine Failure Analysis (3)	Boating Under the Influence LEO	CMFI-Electrical-Cote
<b>1230-1330</b>	<b>Lunch On Your Own</b>	<b>Lunch On Your Own</b>	<b>Lunch On Your Own</b>
<b>1330-1530</b>	Insurance Fraud, it's rise in a post-COVID world & the marine industry	Statement Analysis Part 1	CMFI-Engines and Exhausts-Hunter, Laird, Alcus
<b>1530-1545</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>1545-1745</b>	Lithium Ion Batteries - A "HOT" Topic	Statement Analysis Part 2	CMFI-Commercial Vessels and Cargo- Derie



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## Wednesday March 1, 2023

Time	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3
<b>0800-1000</b>	Using Emerging Technology and High-Tech Equipment in Accident Investigation (Part 1)	Accurint (extensive background abilities)	CMFI-Complex Marine Fire Investigations-Kerr, Harlow, Lawson, Nolan
<b>1000-1015</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>1015-1115</b>	Using Emerging Technology and High-Tech Equipment in Accident Investigation (Part 2)	Cell Phone Fencing	CMFI-Structures and Materials-Hunter, Malool, Alcus
<b>1115-1215</b>	You can't make this Sh*t up!	Cell Phone Fencing	CMFI-Fire Detection and Suppression-Derie, Malool
<b>1500-1700</b>	<b>Business Meeting</b>		

*President's reception (finger food) will be held on Sunday evening [February 26, 2023.](#)*

*Awards Banquet held on Wednesday evening [March 1, 2022.](#)*

**\*\*\* Certified Marine Investigators; IAMI's Certified Marine Investigator (CMI) examination will be given to Members who have been approved prior to the conference. Start your CMI Application process by logging into the "Members Only" area of [iamimarine.org](http://iamimarine.org). First review the posted 'CMI Program', then complete the online application. Make your \$95.00 application fee online and submit your application to IAMI HQ with its supporting documentation to expedite review and approval by the CMI Committee.**

***This training agenda is subject to change.***