



**Baraboo Fire Department presents DR. DAVID GRIFFIN**

# **In Honor of the Charleston 9: A Study of Change Following Tragedy**

On June 18, 2007, nine firefighters perished in a furniture warehouse fire in Charleston, South Carolina. The engineer of the first-arriving engine, David, relates how this experience has changed education and training on a national level. David gives a riveting account of what he witnessed that day and the crisis that ensued in the fire service and his personal life as well.

Also included in this powerful program is David's doctoral research on organizational crisis and how an organization can utilize organizational learning to improve upon crisis. Attendees will share in not only the pain of this occurrence, but also the triumph reflected in changes in numerous aspects of organizational culture. This program has been presented to over 200 organizations internationally, including private industry, public service, for profit, and non-profit organizations. While this is a course regarding a fire service event, it is relatable to all organizations.

Let David share his knowledge of organizational learning and how it can improve your organizations performance with this high-intensity program.

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 2017**

**9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**UW Baraboo/Sauk County Campus**

**Giese Lecture Hall**

**1006 Connie Road**

**Baraboo, WI 53913**



Dr. David Griffin is a Captain with the City of Charleston Fire Department in Charleston, South Carolina. He was the operator of the first due engine on June 18, 2007 when nine of his fellow firefighters perished in the line of duty. He has a Bachelor of Science in education from The Citadel, a Master of Science in executive fire service leadership, and a Doctorate of Education in organizational leadership and development. He is the author of the Best Seller *In Honor of The Charleston 9: A Study of Change Following Tragedy* and *ACTION: 9 Missions for Personal and Professional Growth*. David is also an international speaker and instructor, a certified Chief Training Officer and Fire Officer with The Center for Public Safety Excellence, is currently completing the Executive Fire Officer Program at The National Fire Academy, and owner of On A Mission, LLC at [drdavidgriffin.com](http://drdavidgriffin.com).

## **REGISTRATION**

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**\$65 per person (includes lunch and breaks)**

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