

# Hotwork Supervision Training

NOTE: Proof of training and competence in **Hotwork** is now required by many UK Retail organisations

**Poorly Managed  
Hotwork is a  
Major Cause of  
Fires**

**Training Course Dates:**

**Numerous dates and  
venues across UK –  
Please call**

**Key Facts:**

**1 day duration**

**Assessable (test at end)**

**12 delegates max**

**Can be delivered 'in-house'**

**Suitable for anyone  
undertaking or supervising  
Hotwork**

**Course Includes -**

**Full course notes**

**CPD certificate**

**Memory Stick with lots of  
templates, tools and notes**

Individual price =  
£185 + VAT

'In -House' Course  
Price = £1725 +VAT  
(12 delegates max)

Terms and conditions  
apply

**Fires** in buildings under construction, refurbishment or undergoing maintenance are frequently caused by poorly managed **Hotwork**. Underlying factors include; poor understanding of **Hotwork** permits, inadequate assessment of building fire safety design and systems and lack of control of contractors.

Horizonscan's Hotwork Supervision Training has been designed to address these issues and give those tasked with **Hotwork** and **Hot-work** supervision the necessary knowledge to complete the tasks safely.

Upon successful completion of a short test at the end of the course, delegates will be issued with a Certificate as evidence of training and competency. This course is specifically designed for those tasked with supervision and management. of hotworks.



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# Programme

## Topics covered:

- Case studies of retail hotwork fires and common causes
- Legal context and interaction between Fire Safety Order and Construction Design Management (CDM) Regulations
- Fire Prevention on Construction sites (combined code) and insurance context
- Hierarchy of controls, definition of hotwork, competency, hot work permits, the responsibility 'transaction'
- The hot work process, The role of the hot work 'firewatcher', Risk Assessment
- Fire – what is it, how does it spread, fireloading, means of escape
- Active and passive fire systems
- Hotwork hazards – Gas, electricity, abrasive wheels, hot air guns, drills, acetylene, etc
- Hotwork hazard spotting exercise
- Actions in the event of Fire: raising the alarm, firefighting, working with the fire service

The Course takes 8 hours to complete including assessment test.



# Instructors

## Russ Timpson

Russ is a chartered fire engineer, and formerly editor of the fire section with the Construction Health & Safety Manual. Russ has delivered Hotwork training across the UK to many construction companies. Including:

- Bowmer & Kirkland
- Fit-Out UK
- Barr Construction
- Dudleys
- Sainsbury's
- RG Carters
- Johnson Group

The course has been developed following extensive consultation with those responsible for Retail construction and maintenance. A number of large Retail companies now require Hotwork training as a pre-requisite to undertaking work on their sites.

## In-House Courses

Hotwork Supervisor Training can be delivered as an 'In-House' training course. This can save time and fit in with company timetables. Horizonscan will deliver all training materials and complete all relevant administration. Organisations choosing this option will need to provide a suitable training venue adequate for 12 delegates.

## Refresher

Hotwork Supervisor Training is valid for a period of 5 years.