FDNY AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS
Related to Diversity and Inclusion

Below is a list of **FDNY affiliated organizations whose mission focuses on racial, ethnic, cultural, religious, and/or other underrepresented groups**. For more info or to join, see below (listed in alphabetical order):

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<td><strong>AFFINITY</strong></td>
<td>Focus: civilian employees</td>
<td>Joyce Vitalis (Pres.), <a href="mailto:vitalij@fdny.nyc.gov">vitalij@fdny.nyc.gov</a>, (718) 999-2810</td>
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<td><strong>FDNY African Heritage Society</strong></td>
<td>Focus: African history, heritage and/or descent</td>
<td>Marilynn Gipson (Pres.), <a href="mailto:Marilynn.Gipson@fdny.nyc.gov">Marilynn.Gipson@fdny.nyc.gov</a>, (718) 999-2654, Programs/Events: Black History Month event</td>
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<td><strong>FDNY Columbia Association</strong></td>
<td>Focus: Italian history, heritage and/or descent</td>
<td>FDNYColumbia.com, Craig Silvino (Pres.), <a href="mailto:FDITALYNY@aol.com">FDITALYNY@aol.com</a>, (917) 337-7413, Programs/Events: Annual Dinner Dance</td>
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<td><strong>FDNY Emerald Society</strong></td>
<td>Focus: Irish history, heritage and/or descent</td>
<td>FDNYEmerald.org, William C. Nolan (Pres.), <a href="mailto:Dublinnola@aol.com">Dublinnola@aol.com</a>, (516) 376-7994, Programs/Events: St. Patrick’s Day Mass &amp; Parade</td>
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<td><strong>Firefighters for Christ FDNY</strong></td>
<td>Focus: individuals of the Christian faith</td>
<td>Jerry Sillcocks (Pres.), <a href="mailto:ffcfdny@aol.com">ffcfdny@aol.com</a>, (914) 419-6162</td>
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<td><strong>Fireflag</strong></td>
<td>Focus: individuals and allies of the LGBTQ community</td>
<td>Steven SanFilippo (President), <a href="mailto:eclown315@aol.com">eclown315@aol.com</a>, (917) 575-1064</td>
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<td><strong>FDNY Hellenic Society</strong></td>
<td>Focus: Greek history, heritage and/or descent</td>
<td>Peter Constantine (Pres.), <a href="mailto:fdnycreeks@gmail.com">fdnycreeks@gmail.com</a>, (914) 760-9968, Programs/Events: “Die for the Cross” event; Greek Parade</td>
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<td><strong>FDNY Hispanic Society</strong></td>
<td>Focus: Hispanic history, heritage and/or descent</td>
<td>HispanicSocietyFDNY.com, Jose Prosper (Pres.), <a href="mailto:President@fdnyhs.com">President@fdnyhs.com</a>, 929-384-1014, Programs/Events: Hispanic Society Dinner</td>
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<td><strong>FDNY Holy Name Society</strong></td>
<td>Focus: individuals of the Catholic faith</td>
<td>Brooklyn/Queens: Danny Prince (Pres.), (718) 496-3893, Manh/Bronx/S.I.: FDNYHolyNameSociety.com, Joe Bryant (Pres.), (516) 775-5120, Programs/Events: Communion Mass &amp; Breakfast, Annual Harvest Gala</td>
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FDNY Islamic Society | Focus: individuals of the Muslim faith
- Abdelrahman Abdelaziz: 718-575-9333, aka.abdelaziz@gmail.com

Ner Tamid | Focus: individuals of the Jewish faith
- Fdnynts.org, Nicholas Malter (Pres.), Nicholas.malter@fdny.nyc.gov
- Programs/Events: Hannukah and Passover events

FDNY Phoenix Society | Focus: Asian/Asian-American history, heritage and/or descent
- Facebook.com/FDNYPhoenixSociety/, David Lin (Pres.), FDNYPhoenixSociety@gmail.com
- Programs/Events: Lunar New Year/ Filipino/Indian Indep. & Korean Parades, United Dragon Boat Racing Team, Mandarin Language Classes, Hands-On Training, Promotion tutorial sessions

Pulaski Association | Focus: Polish history, heritage and/or descent
- FDNYPulaski.org, Mark Dziemian (Pres.), president@fdnypulaski.org, (347) 865-2374

S/Sgt. Christian Engeldrum FDNY VFW Post #12033 | Focus: US military veterans
- Fdnyvfw.com, William Hays (Commander), fdnyvfwcomms@gmail.com

FDNY Steuben Association | Focus: German history, heritage and/or descent
- FDNYSteuben.org, Bill Schillinger (Financ. Sec’y), bill@fdnysteuben.org, (917) 902-6689
- Programs/Events: Annual Picnic, Steuben Boat Ride, Steuben Day Parade, OctoberFest

FDNY St. George Association | Focus: individuals of the Christian (Protestant) faith
- James Hayhurst (Pres.), jim@fdnyrma.org, (516) 623-1835

United Women Firefighters (UWF) | Focus: female firefighters
- UnitedWomenFirefighters.org, Sarinya Srisakul (Pres.), sarinyyya@yahoo.com, (917) 559-1351
- Programs/Events: training programs for female candidates

FDNY Vikings | Focus: Scandinavian history, heritage and/or descent
- FDNYViking.org, Peter Liander (Pres.), fdnyvikings47@gmail.com, (718) 541-6442
- Programs/Events: Norwegian Independents Parade

Vulcan Society | Focus: African American firefighters
- VulcanSocietyFDNY.org, Regina Wilson (Pres.), vulcansocietypresident@gmail.com
- Programs/Events: remedial mentoring for probationary firefighters

Women’s Benevolent Association (WBA) | Focus: all female members of the Department
- Facebook.com/FDNYWomen, Kathleen Knuth (Pres.), Kathleen.Knuth@fdny.nyc.gov