The topic "Fire Brigades in and on Water" already says a lot, primarily encompassing services of special fire brigade units (water brigades, divers) and their equipment (fire service rescue boats, barges and others). Furthermore, flood rescue operations may be included. Thus the contributions should or could contain:

- Technical description of equipment
- Development of special units
- Fire brigade and water brigade
- Special unit teams (e.g. divers)
- Water brigade training
- Major flood incidents

Rules:

As the conference volume must not exceed a certain dimension, each author (group of authors) may only submit one contribution. **ATTENTION:** Due to organizational issues only approximately 10 pages in format A4 (Arial 12) thus approximately 5,000 words may be published. Furthermore, the maximum number of images is 15 (when publishing the conference volume we reserve our right to exclude images due to insufficient quality).

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The article has to be published in German language (new German orthography), including an abstract in English and in the national language of the author. Authors are responsible for translations and have to organize these themselves, this is not done by the editorial office!

Please provide a short current information about each author for the list of authors at the end of the volume including year of birth, short biography of fire brigade career; with a maximum of 9 lines in Arial 9 as well as a portrait photograph in printable quality (!).

When submitting their articles, the authors agree to the publication of the text and images and their release in the conference volume of the International Study Group for the History of the Fire Service and Fire Protection in the CTIF as well as on the respective disk, in the internet and in relevant journals.
I ask you to:

- Respect the submission deadline!
- Send images in appropriate quality!
- Only submit proofread articles!
- Include a „current“ photograph of the author! Quality!

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THANK YOU!

We are an open working group, nonetheless this topic makes it necessary to stick to the segmentation into individual countries respectively regions. Therefore, we ask you to check beforehand with your chairman if more than one contribution is submitted per province (Germany: 16 provinces, Austria: 9 provinces).

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Fig. 1: apple on jute

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Thank you very much for your contributions and have a good time writing,

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