



*Firedancer*  
THE COFFEE CONSULTANTS

## Probat Burns Professional Roasting Training

Probat Burns and Firedancer Coffee Consultants will offer a beginning and an advanced roasting training:

- *Introduction to Coffee Roasting (Beginner)* – Highlights of this class include learning where quality & value can be affected from the tree to the consumer, industry standards for cupping, and learning to properly evaluate and purchase the green coffee before you buy. This all leads to exploring the concepts of roasting; how to create a profile and repeat, as well as how to avoid top roast defects. We finish with an overview of equipment and plant safety, the basics you need to know.
- *Deeper Exploration of Roasting Concepts (Advanced)* - Each advanced class will explore 3-4 concepts regarding coffee roasting, all with deeper exploration of sensory evaluation, combined with our world class hands on experience. These two-day learning experiences will change every few months based upon demand and need. Is there something you want to explore?
- *Coffee Roasting “Defined”* - This unique one-day event will introduce someone to the world of coffee roasting. Perfect for anyone exploring getting into roasting; we will explore a bit of the history of roasting, review current equipment, technology and most importantly terminology. You will be introduced to the SCAA cupping protocols, along with an actual cupping, as well as getting your hands dirty on a Probatino and roasting your own coffee to take home.
- *Barista Roasting Series* - This one-day, hands-on roasting seminar is for anyone wanting to know more about roasting coffee and espresso. You will explore a bit of the history of roasting, review current equipment, technology and most importantly terminology. A brief exploration of roasting in regards to roasting for espresso will be discussed. In addition, you will cup coffee using SCAA protocols, as well as getting your hands dirty on a Probatino and roasting your own coffee to take home.

## Upcoming Schedule

Dates	# Of Days/Time	Classes Offered
September 9-11, 2015	3 days	Intro to Coffee Roasting
September 29, 2015	1 day	Coffee Roasting Defined
October 7-9, 2015	3 days	Intro to Coffee Roasting
October 28-29, 2015	2 days	Deeper Exploration of Roasting Concepts
October 28, 2015	1 day	Coffee Roasting Defined
November 2-4, 2015	3 days	Intro to Coffee Roasting
November 5-6, 2015	2 days	Deeper Exploration of Roasting Concepts
December 1-3, 2015	3 days	Intro to Coffee Roasting
December 4, 2015	1 days	Barista Roasting Series
January 5-7, 2016	3 days	Intro to Coffee Roasting
January 12, 2016	1 day	Coffee Roasting Defined
February 1-3, 2016	3 days	Intro to Coffee Roasting
February 4-5	2 days	Deeper Exploration of Roasting Concepts
March 15-17, 2016	3 days	Intro to Coffee Roasting
March 18, 2016	1 days	Barista Roasting Series

The training classes are held at:  
Probat Burns  
601 Corporate Woods parkway  
Vernon Hills, IL 60061

**For More Information on fees, registration & local information:**

[http://firedancercoffee.com/Upcoming\\_Events.html](http://firedancercoffee.com/Upcoming_Events.html)