

***LexTech Inc.***  
**AFGROW Training Class**

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**Classroom:** [Homewood Suites by Hilton® Dayton-Fairborn](#):  
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**Date:** 8-10 May 2012

**Time:** 8 AM to 4:30 PM (24 hours)

**Cost:** \$605.00/person until August 18, \$645.00/person thereafter (continental breakfast and refreshments are provided)

**Course Description:** The 3-day class will familiarize students with the design and operation of the [AFGROW crack growth life analysis program](#). This will include a review of Linear Elastic Fracture Mechanics (LEFM) concepts, example problems, and new AFGROW capabilities including: an advanced solution for continuing damage (corner & through crack at a notch), compression and tension spectrum filtering, independent compression and tension K-Solution filtering. The class will also provide an introduction to the use of advanced features unique to AFGROW (COM automation, Advanced Multiple Crack Solutions, and Plug-In K-Solutions).

We are including a section on additional tips and tricks to help users model some practical complex geometries (i.e.: continuing damage scenarios). A certificate of completion will be issued to participants upon completion of the training.

**Course Outline:** ([select to view class syllabus](#))

**Registration Deadline:** May 7, 2012

**Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations before April 1, 2012 will receive a 50% refund or full credit toward a class held in 2012-2013. Cancellations after April 1, 2011 may only receive full credit for a class held in 2012-2013.

**Lodging:** A block of rooms is available at a corporate rate of \$119.00 until April 20. The rooms are available on a first come, first served basis. Please call the Homewood Suites (937) 429-0600, and provide the code word: **AFGROW**. Homewood Suites provides a complimentary hot breakfast every morning and an evening Manager's

Reception with a complimentary light meal and beverages every Monday-Thursday (subject to state and local laws).

**Local Attractions:** The U.S. Air Force museum is within 5 minutes driving distance of the class location. A number of restaurants, hotels, and shopping opportunities are also within a 5 minute drive.