

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

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Judges Draw by number for ISU Figure Skating Championships 2009

The ISU Council at its meeting held in Trento, Italy on October 3, 2008 took the following decision on the number of Judges used in the ISU Championships based on the powers granted to the Council in the Constitution in Article 17, paragraph 1, q) (i):

Rule 582, paragraph 5,c), Rule 660, 5,c) and Rule 972 paragraph 4, b) of the ISU Special Rules for Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance, and the Special Rules for Synchronized Skating 2008, are changed as follows:

“Each panel of Judges will consist of a maximum of nine (9) Judges but not less than 8 Judges”

All other paragraphs in these rules mentioning the number of Judges are changed accordingly. The number of the Alternate Judges remain four (4). The drawing procedure and the allocation of Judges for the second segment remain unchanged. Please observe ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules 2008, ISU Judging System - General, especially paragraph f).

The above maximum number of Judges will also be applied to the ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Final (Senior and Junior).

In accordance the above and with Rules 582 (Single & Pair Skating), 660 (Ice Dancing) and 972 (Synchronized Skating), the draw for Judges by number for the above-mentioned Championships was held on October 6, 2008, at the Hotel Hilton in Zürich in the presence of Mr. David Dore, ISU Vice-President Figure Skating, Mr. Peter Krick, Chair Sports Directorate, Mr. Aris Stampfli, auditor from BDO Visura, as well as Mr. Roland Wehinger, President of the Swiss Skating Federation.

The results of the draw are as follows:

1. Judges drawn for the ISU European Figure Skating Championships 2009, Helsinki – Finland

Explanation of the chart:

1 = Judge drawn for first segment (Short Program/Compulsory Dance)

2 = Judge drawn for second segment (Free Skating/Original Dance)

In accordance with Rule 582, paragraph 6d), the Judges marked with “2” are seeded for the second segment and the panel will be completed with additional 5 Judges drawn amongst the 9 Judges (marked with “1”) who are judging the first segment. For Ice Dancing, Rule 660, 6d) also applies.

Member	Men	Ladies	Pairs	Ice Dance
AUT			ALT 4	1
BLR	1	1		
BUL				1
CRO	2			
CZE	2			1
EST		1		
FIN	2	2	ALT 3	
FRA	1		1	1
GER	1	1	1	1
GBR	1		1	2
GRE			1	
HUN		1		1
ISR	2		1	2
ITA		2	1	1
LTU		1		2
NED		2		
NOR		1		
POL			1	1
RUS		2	1	
SVK	1			
SLO	1	1	ALT 1	
ESP	1			
SWE	1	1		
SUI	1		ALT 2	1
UKR		1	1	2

In addition, 4 alternate Judges for Pairs were drawn. These Judges will not be present on site unless one of the drawn Judges (by name) would withdraw and the Member of that Judge has not entered with a substitute Judge by name. In this case only will the alternate Judge (in order of draw) attend the Championships.

2. Judges drawn for the ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2009, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Explanation of the chart:

1 = Judge drawn for the whole event

Member	Men	Ladies	Pairs	Ice Dance
AUS	1	1	1	1
AUT	ALT 1			1
BLR			ALT 3	
BEL		ALT 2		
CAN	1	1	1	1
CHN	1	1	1	1
TPE		1		
CRO	ALT 2			
CZE		ALT 3		
DEN			1	
FIN	1			
FRA	ALT 4			
GER		ALT 4		
GBR			ALT 1	ALT 1
ITA	ALT 3		ALT 2	
JPN	1	1	1	1
LAT				1
LTU				ALT 4
MEX	1	1		
NOR	1			
KOR		1	1	
RUS			ALT 4	1
SLO	1			
RSA		1		
ESP			1	
SWE			1	
SUI				ALT 3
UKR				ALT 2
USA	1	1	1	1
UZB		ALT 1		1

In addition, 4 alternate Judges for Men, Ladies, Pairs and Ice Dancing were drawn. These Judges will not be present on site unless one of the drawn Judges (by name) would withdraw and the Member of that Judge has not entered with a substitute Judge by name. In this case only will the alternate Judge (in order of draw) attend the Championships.

3. Judges drawn for the ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2009

Explanation of the chart:

1 = Judge drawn for first segment (Short Program/Compulsory Dance)

2 = Judge drawn for second segment (Free Skating/Original Dance)

In accordance with Rule 582, paragraph 6d), the Judges marked with “2” are seeded for the second segment and the panel will be completed with additional 5 Judges drawn amongst the 9 Judges (marked with “1”) who are judging the first segment. For Ice Dancing, Rule 660, 6d) also applies.

Member	Men	Ladies	Pairs	Ice Dance
AUT				2
BLR		1		
BEL		1		
BUL	2			
CAN	2		1	
CHN		2	1	
CRO	1			
CZE			1	1
DEN		1		
EST		1	2	
FIN		1		1
FRA	1	1	2	1
GEO				2
GER	1	1		1
GBR	2			1
ISR	1			
ITA	1		2	1
JPN			1	
LTU		2		
POL			1	1
RUS	1	2	1	2
SVK		2	1	1
SLO		1		
RSA		1		
ESP	2			
SUI	1		1	2
UKR	1			
USA	1		1	1

In addition, 4 alternate Judges for Pairs were drawn. These Judges will not be present on site unless one of the drawn Judges (by name) would withdraw and the Member of that Judge has not entered with a substitute Judge by name. In this case only will the alternate Judge (in order of draw) attend the Championships.

4. Judges drawn for the ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2009, Los Angeles, CA – USA

Explanation of the chart:

1 = Judge drawn for first segment (Short Program/Compulsory Dance)

2 = Judge drawn for second segment (Free Skating/Original Dance)

In accordance with Rule 582, paragraph 6d), the Judges marked with “2” are seeded for the second segment and the panel will be completed with additional 5 Judges drawn amongst the 9 Judges (marked with “1”) who are judging the first segment. Rule 660, paragraph 6d), also applies.

Member	Men	Ladies	Pairs	Ice Dance
AUS	1	1		2
AUT	1			1
BEL	2			
BUL	1			2
CAN			2	1
CHN	1		1	
TPE		1		
CRO				
CZE	2			1
EST				1
FIN				
FRA		1	2	1
GER	2		1	2
GBR			2	
GRE			1	
HUN		1		1
ISR	2		2	1
ITA		1	1	
JPN				2
LTU		1		
MEX	1	1		
POL	1	2	1	1
KOR				
ROU	1			
RUS			1	1
SVK		2		
SLO				
ESP	1	1		
SWE	1			
SUI		1		
UKR		2	1	
USA			1	
UZB		2	1	

In addition, 4 alternate Judges for Pairs were drawn. These Judges will not be present on site unless one of the drawn Judges (by name) would withdraw and the Member of that Judge has not entered with a substitute Judge by name. In this case only will the alternate Judge (in order of draw) attend the Championships.

5. Judges drawn for the ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships 2009, Zagreb, Croatia

Explanation of the chart:

- 1 = Judge drawn for first segment (Short Program/Compulsory Dance)
- 2 = Judge drawn for second segment (Free Skating/Original Dance)

In accordance with Rule 972, paragraph 4, the Judges marked with “2” are seeded for the second segment and the panel will be completed with additional 5 Judges drawn amongst the 9 Judges (marked with “1”) who are judging the first segment.

CAN	1
CRO	1
CZE	1
FIN	1
FRA	1
GER	2
GBR	1
HUN	1
ITA	2
JPN	1
SWE	2
SUI	1
USA	2

Note:

In accordance with Rule 582 and 660, paragraph 5 d) and 972, paragraph 3e), entries by names must be forwarded to the Organizing Committee of the Respective Championships, to the Sports Director Figure Skating and to the ISU Secretariat, 45 days prior to the beginning of the Championships. Only the official forms, sent by the Organizing Committee to all Members, and signed by the President or General Secretary of the Member concerned will be accepted.

Milano,
October 10, 2008
Lausanne,

Ottavio Cinquanta, President

Fredi Schmid, Director General