

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

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ICE DANCE

Ice Dance Judges Examination 2008

In accordance with Rule 425 paragraphs 11 & 12, to be eligible for promotion to the class of "ISU Judge" the candidate must have passed the ISU Ice Dance Judge's Examination.

The Ice Dance Technical Committee announces that the Ice Dance Judges Examination will be held on the occasion of the Senior International Competition "Nebelhorn Trophy 2008" in:

Oberstdorf, Germany, September 25 - 27, 2008

The Examination will be conducted in English by Examiners appointed by the Ice Dance Technical Committee.

The Examination will consist of two parts: a practical part and a written part that will include true or false and multiple choice questions. The written part will be held on Thursday, September 25 in the morning and the practical portion will consist of the judging of the Compulsory Dance, Original Dance and the Free Dance of the Nebelhorn Trophy Competition.

Both parts of the Examination will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Judging System. The candidates are required to bring with them the ISU Special Regulations and Ice Dance Technical Rules 2006 (*if the 2008 edition is not yet available at the time of the examination*), the ISU Ice Dance Handbook 2003 with updated charts, diagrams and descriptions of the senior and junior Compulsory Dances announced for 2008/2009 season and all pertinent ISU Communications (i.e. 1496, 1497 and any consequent ones).

Candidates should plan to arrive in the afternoon of Wednesday, September 24 and leave in the morning of Sunday, September 28, 2008.

Candidates having passed the examination will immediately be informed by the IDTC and added to the current list of ISU Judges.

Expenses:

The responsibility for the expenses of the Examination is as follows:

- a) The travel and living expenses of the Examiners will be borne by the ISU.
- b) The administrative expenses (room and supplies) will be borne by the ISU.
- c) The living expenses (room and meals) of the attending candidates from dinner on Wednesday, September 24 until breakfast on Sunday, September 28 will be borne by the ISU.
- d) The travel expenses of the attending candidates will be borne by the respective Members.

A Member whose Judge(s) does not display a working knowledge of English, in the opinion of the Ice Dance Technical Committee, shall reimburse the ISU for the living expenses (room and meals) of the Judge.

Milano,

July 14, 2008

Lausanne,

Ottavio Cinquanta, President

Fredi Schmid, Director General