

# INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

## Communication No. 1783

### ICE DANCE

#### ISU Seminars for Referees and Judges hosted by Members 2013

Further to ISU Communication No 1772 and after having received Members' applications, the ISU recognized the following Seminar for Referees and Judges:

**Beijing, China, September 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>, 2013**  
**(in conjunction with a National Chinese Competition for Juniors and Seniors)**

#### **Purpose**

This ISU Seminar will include a Judges section (September 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>, 2013) and a Referees section (September 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>, 2013):

- the Judges section forms an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of International Judges and first appointment of ISU Judges and therefore it serves the purposes of seminar attendance requirements included in Rule 412, paragraphs 1.d) (i), 2.c), 3.d) (i), 4.c) and Rule 413, paragraphs 2.c), 3.d), 4.c) for Ice Dance;
- the Referees section form an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of International Referees and re-appointment of ISU Referees, and therefore it serves the purposes of seminar attendance requirements included in Rule 412, paragraphs 2.c), 4.c) for Ice Dance.

**Note:** This Seminar does not count to become an International Judge or an International or ISU Referee. ISU Seminars and ISU Examinations for first appointment of International Judges and first appointment of International Referees and ISU Referees will be held in Frankfurt, Germany, on July 10-14, 2013 (see ISU Communication 1775, paragraphs 4 and 5).

#### **Moderators**

Moderators designated by the Ice Dance Technical Committee will conduct this Seminar.

#### **Participants**

This ISU Seminar is primarily for the Officials of the Host Member. However, Officials of other Members (not more than 2 per Member) can also attend subject to the availability of places.

This Seminar being organized in conjunction with a competition, the participants at the Seminar cannot also serve as Officials or Coaches at the competition.

Members wishing to nominate Officials to participate in this ISU Seminar, or the ISU Referees/Judges themselves, may make an application to the ISU Secretariat, with copies to the Host Member and the Chair of the Ice Dance Technical Committee, not later than six weeks prior to the scheduled date of the Seminar. The Host Member must also send to the ISU Secretariat, with a copy to the Chair of the Ice Dance Technical Committee, the names of those of its own Officials who will attend the Seminar.

Please note that at all 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013 ISU Figure Skating Championships (ISU European Figure Skating Championships, ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championship, ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships, ISU World Figure Skating Championships) the Initial Judges Meetings Ice Dance were conducted by a member of the Ice Dance Technical Committee. Therefore each of those Initial Judges Meetings and the respective Round Table Discussion formed together an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of ISU Judges, as per Rule 417, paragraph 5.

Members are reminded that according to changes passed by the ISU Congress 2012, those Initial Judges Meetings and Round Table Discussions no longer form ISU Seminars for re-appointment of ISU or International Referees.

### **Language**

This ISU Seminar will be conducted in English.

### **Expenses**

The responsibility for the expenses of this ISU Seminar will be allocated as follows:

- a) The administrative expenses (use of ice surface, classroom and all supporting equipment/facilities) will be borne by the Host Member.
- b) The travel and living expenses of the Moderators will be borne by the ISU.
- c) The travel and living expenses of the participants will be borne by their respective Members, or by the ISU Referees/Judges themselves in case of direct application (not through the Members).

### **Deadline:**

The deadline for sending the applications is July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2013.

Milan,  
March 15, 2013  
Lausanne

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