

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

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SYNCHRONIZED SKATING ISU JUDGES / REFEREES SEMINAR

The ISU Synchronized Skating Technical Committee (SySTC) has arranged for this year's ISU Judges' / Referees' seminar as follows:

Lyon, FRANCE – October, 23-25, 2015

Purpose:

This ISU Seminar will include a Judge's section and a Referee's section.

This ISU Seminar will include also a session off-ice and a session on-ice.

- the Judges section forms an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of International Judges, ISU Judges and a seminar for National Judges;
- the Referee's section forms an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of International Referees and ISU Referees.

Note:

Please note that at all 2013, 2014 and 2015 ISU Synchronized Skating Championships (including ISU 2014 SyS Junior World Challenge Cup), the Initial Judges Meetings and Round Table Discussion were conducted by a member of the Synchronized Skating 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. Consequently, Judges/Referees having officiated at one of these ISU Championships (or ISU Events) are not required to attend this Seminar as recertification requirement (for ISU Judges only).

ISU Seminars and ISU Examinations for first appointment of International Judges and ISU Seminars and ISU Examinations for first appointment of International Referees and ISU Referees will be held in Frankfurt, Germany, in July, 2015.

Participants /Applications:

Each ISU Member may announce one or several Judges/Referees to attend by **August 15, 2015**.

National Judges up to an agreed number may also participate in this seminar for the purpose of additional education. The application should indicate if the participant will attend the Referees Seminar, Judges Seminar, or both Seminars.

The number of participants is limited to 30. However, a **minimum of 10 participants** is required. The selected participants will be notified of their acceptance after the deadline.

Language:

The Seminar will be conducted in English.

Moderators:

Ms. Karen Wolanchuck, member of the Synchronized Skating Technical Committee

Mr. Mika Saarelainen, member of the Synchronized Skating Technical Committee

Hotel:

Hotel Best Western Charlemagne

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69002 Lyon, France

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<http://www.bestwestern.fr/fr/hotel-Lyon, Best-Western-Hotel-Charlemagne, 93451>

All participants are responsible for arranging their own travel.
The hotel accommodations will be done directly by the Lyon Glace Patinage Club.
The cost per person will be 425 Euros.

The delegate rate include, the room for two (2) nights with breakfast, all meals from dinner on Friday, October 23 to lunch on Sunday, October 25 (2 dinners and 2 lunches) and all coffee breaks.

This must be paid in cash (Euros) by all delegates at registration in Lyon, to the representative of the Lyon Glace Patinage Club, or by Bank transfer (IBAN: FR76 1780 6001 7474 5381 7900 046).

Time Schedule for Judges and Referees:

Arrival Friday, October 23, 2015

Friday, October 23, 2015

14:00 Judges/Referees Seminar Registration
14:30-16:30 Judges Seminar GOE
16:30-16:45 Coffee Break
16:45-19:30 Referees Seminar 1
20:00 Dinner at the hotel

Saturday, October 24, 2015

08:00-10:00 Judges Seminar PC 1
10:00-10:15 Coffee Break
10:15-11:45 Judges Seminar PC 2
12:00-13:00 Lunch at the Hotel
14:00-19:00 Competition SP
20:00 Dinner at the hotel

Sunday, October 25, 2015

08:00-10:00 Referees Seminar 2
10:00-10:15 Coffee Break
10:30-12:45 Judges Seminar On Ice
13:00-14:00 Lunch at hotel
14:00-15:30 Judges/Referees Seminar Q&A

16:00 End of the Seminars and departure

The applications must be sent to the ISU Secretariat by **August 15, 2015** with a copy to Mr. Philippe Maitrot, member of the Synchronized Skating Technical Committee, and Mr. Remi Jacquemard, member of the French Federation.

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