

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

Communication No. 2145 (updated April 11, 2018)

ICE DANCE

ISU Seminar for Referees and Judges 2018

1. ISU Recognized Ice Dance Referees and Judges' Seminar 2018

Further to ISU Communication No. 2125 and after having received ISU Members' applications, the ISU recognized the following Seminar for Referees and Judges:

- **Milan, Italy** **June ~~22~~ 21- 24, 2018 New dates!**

The Referees' Seminar will start on Thursday, June 21, 2018 at 15.00.

The Judges' Seminar will start on Friday, June 22, 2018 at 9.00 and end on Sunday, June 24, 2018 at 12:00.

Purpose

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

- the Judge's section forms an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of International and ISU 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 Referee's section forms 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, in July 2019. ISU Examinations for first appointment of ISU Judges will be held in Oberstdorf, Germany, in September 2018.

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 ISU Member. However, Officials of other Members can also attend subject to the availability of places.

ISU 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 ISU 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 ISU 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 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 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) and 2018 Olympic Winter Games, the Initial Judges Meetings for Ice Dance were/will be conducted by an ISU Referee together with a Chair or a member of the Ice Dance Technical Committee. Therefore, each of those Initial Judges Meetings and the respective Round Table Discussion will form together an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of ISU Judges, as per Rule 417, paragraph 6.

Note - ISU Championships or Olympic Winter Games, Rule 417 paragraph 5, per ISU Congress 2016: An assigned ISU Referee conducting the Initial Judges Meeting (together with a Chair or a member of the Ice Dance Technical Committee), the Round Table Discussions along with the activity as the Referee for these Championships is considered acceptable by the respective Technical panel, form an ISU Seminar for re-appointment of ISU Referee.

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 ISU 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 ISU Members, or by the ISU Referees/Judges themselves in case of direct application (not through the ISU Members).

Deadline

The deadline for sending the applications is: **May 11, 2018**

Tubbergen,
February 16, 2018
Lausanne

Jan Dijkema, President

Fredi Schmid, Director General