

TO: AIBA National Member Federations

DATE: September 6, 2017

SUBJECT: **AIBA 2-Star R&J Certification Course**

Ref. No: AOB170906

Dear Presidents and Secretary Generals,

This letter is to inform you of the upcoming AIBA 2-Star R&J course that will take place during the International Tammer Tournament in Tampere, Finland.

This is an extraordinary opportunity for National Federations to enrol their best eligible R&Js. The main objective here is to help develop R&Js and increase the pool of elite officials around the world.

Please review the following information below which details the logistics and eligibility for the course.

Invitation to AIBA 2-Star R&J Certification Course

1. Course Description:

The course consists of 3 parts; theoretical, practical and written examination. The theoretical part will take place before the start of the Tammer Tournament, while the practical portion of the course will take place during the Tournament. Therefore, each applicant selected for the course will automatically be appointed to work as a Referee and Judge during this event.

2. Location and Dates:

Tampere, Finland

- Arrival date: November 14, 2017
- Course dates: November 15 – 19, 2017
- Departure date: November 20, 2017

3. Eligible Applicants:

- Current Certified and active 1-Star R&Js, certified for at least 12 months or
- Current Certified 2-Star R&Js not active in International events since 2013

Note: R&Js already certified as 2-Star and currently active are not required to attend this course. The AIBA R&J Commission will review all applications and make a selection shortly after the course application deadline. AIBA will immediately confirm the acceptance of the R&Js that can attend the course.

4. Financial Terms and Conditions:

The applicants or their respective National Federation must cover the following expenses:

- Flights
- Visa
- Personal Interpreter (not needed If basic English is understood or more than 20% of the participants speak one of the other 4 Official AIBA languages, then AIBA will cover the cost of an Interpreter)
- Accommodations (price per person includes room and 3 meals a day)
 - Double Room – 80 EUR
 - Single Room – 110 EUR
- Course Fee:
 - \$200 USD

5. Application Process:

All National Federations must enrol their applicants by using the AIBA database. Please follow the attached module to apply for the course.

6. Deadline:

- The deadline is **September 22, 2017** for all applications.
- If you have any questions, please direct them to refereejudge@aiba.org

We appreciate the participation of your R&Js and look forward to having them in this course to further develop their skills.

Best regards,



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AIBA Sports & Development Director

Cc: William Louis-Marie, AIBA Executive Director
Osvaldo Bisbal, AIBA R&J Commission Chairperson

Attachment: RJ_COURSE_MODULE