

IJCSL Program

The role of officials in high performance sport can be contentious potentially affect outcomes. In Canoe Slalom touches and missed gates can be critical to the allocation of medals. High quality officiating under pressure comes from knowledge, individual excellence and teamwork.

IJCSL is currently the required certification to be eligible to judge at the World Championships and Olympic games.

In conjunction with the 2018 ICF CSL World cup N°2, the ICF Canoe Slalom Committee will run the **International Judge - Canoe Slalom (IJCSL)** training and assessment from 28th to the 30th of June 2018 to improve Judge's skills and certify them for International competition.

This training aims to:

- Developing a positive, excellence seeking mindset for individual judges.
- Developing strong small team and larger judging teamwork
- Acceptance of different perspectives as valid
- Reinforcing role clarity for each Technical Official role but especially for each Gate Judge, Transmission Judge and gate team
- Understanding the Video Judge's role.

IJCSL certification involves:

- A 2 X1.5-hour seminar, which covers the roles and skills, required to be an effective judge at international level - it will not be a review of the rules but more about how each judge applies them and how they work together to ensure fair and equal competition for all Athletes.
- A half day practical component where candidates can view all the functional areas that Technical Officials fulfil – see what works well and why
- The assessment;
 - A written assessment based on knowledge of the 2017 ICF Canoe Slalom Competition Rules and the ICF 2017 Statutes. This is 10 multiple choice questions on the competition rules and 10 on the statutes.
 - An assessment of the penalty rules (Rules 29) based on a sequence of video footage and diagrams
 - An assessment of the penalty rules based on diagramsTo pass the assessment an average mark of 80% must be attained across the three assessment areas but at least 80% must be attained on the written Competition Rules assessment.

We remind you that a good working knowledge of the ICF CSL rules and statutes is required prior to attending this program.

You will need a passport style photo on your application form. We cannot process your IJCSL certification unless we have the photo. Please bring the photo to the training if it was not on your application.

The provisional Schedule for the IJCSL training and assessment is;

Date	Time	Program
27 th of June (evening)	18:00	IJCSL Seminar – place to be determined (at the venue)
28 th of June	9:00 -11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ICF CSL Rules and Statutes assessment • Statutes, rules and Video Judge assessment Place Tbd at the competition venue
29 th Afternoon & 30 th of June morning	TBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practical Component – this will be organised on a rotation basis to fit with Officiating requirements

Please note that this schedule may be modified to meet the requirements of the event and local organizing committee.

For further information regarding this program please contact Colin Woodgate,
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We look forward to seeing you at the 2018 ICF CSL World cup n°2.

Links:

ICF Canoe Slalom Competition Rules 2017 available at and ICF Statutes 2015 available at
<https://www.canoeicf.com/rules#slalom>