



2024 PAWF International Wushu Judges Training & Certification Course

General Information

Santa Clara, California USA

Tuesday, August 26 to Friday, August 29, 2024

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GENERAL INFORMATION

The PAWF will hold English, Spanish, & Chinese International Wushu Judges Training & Certification Course in Santa Clara, California USA starting August 26, 2024. The purpose of this course is to offer participants technical training. All PAWF member federations are eligible to submit participants to the courses according to the stipulations within these regulations.

A. DATE AND PLACE

The PAWF International Wushu Judges Training & Certification Course will be held for 4 days from Tuesday, August 26 to Friday, August 29, 2024, at the Santa Clara Convention Center in Santa Clara, California, USA.

B. VENUE

Santa Clara Convention Center
5001 Great America Parkway
Santa Clara, California 95054

C. ELIGIBILITY OF PARTICIPANTS

1. All participants should be in good physical health.
2. All participants must be fluent in English, Chinese or Spanish languages.
 - The lecture and testing material for this PAWF Judges Course will be available in Spanish but PAWF and IWUF official languages remain English and Chinese.
3. All participants may only be approved to the course by their respective PAWF Member Federation/Associations.
4. All participants must be legal residents of the countries/territories which are submitting them.

D. ENTRIES

Final Entries

All final entries must be submitted through the PAWF Online Registration System. All sections of the online entry must be completed in full. Each group is required to print a copy of the submitted entry and present it upon arrival and registration at the respective course. The deadlines for the final entry to be completed through the online system for the course is as follows:

The deadline for the final entry to be submitted is:

24:00 (Pacific Time) on July 26th

PAWF Online Registration System URL: TBD

E. ARRIVAL & REGISTRATION

1. All participants are required to check in with the Organizing Committee at the 2024 PAWF Judges Course Registration Desk at the Santa Clara Convention Center in Santa Clara, California no later than 24:00 (Pacific Time) on August 25th.
Santa Clara Convention Center
5001 Great America Parkway
Santa Clara, California 95054
2. All participants are required to pay the relevant participation fees in full prior to arrival.

F. CERTIFICATION

1. All new participants that pass the examinations will be certified as A grade Pan American Wushu taolu or sanda judges and awarded the relevant judge certification and badges.
2. All existing judges which pass the examinations will receive their grade based upon the requirements set out by the PAWF Technical Committee and be awarded the relevant judge's certification and badges.
3. Those participants who fail to pass the relevant examinations will only receive certificates of participation.

G. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

1. The participation fees are as follows:
Taolu Course: USD 595
Sanda Course: USD 495
2. The international airfare and related travel expenses, as well as accommodations and participation fees shall be borne by the participants themselves.
3. The participants shall pay their full participation fee to the Pan American Wushu Federation upon registration.
4. Participants are responsible for their own accommodations, transportation, and meals.

H. OTHER MATTERS

1. All participants are required to abide by the conditions stipulated by the PAWF and the organizing committee. The PAWF reserves the right to deny participation in the course to those participants who fail to abide by the aforementioned conditions. All costs related to this shall be borne by the participants/federations themselves.

I. TECHNICAL DETAILS

1. Judges Grades
 - PAWF International Certified Judges Grades include:
 - Taolu: Grade B; Grade A
 - Sanda: Grade B; Grade A
2. Taolu Examination Course Participants

a. Technical Examinations

- i. All participants are required to perform 1 bare hand and 1 weapon routine from the following list:

1st or 3rd Set IWUF Compulsory Taolu Routines	
❖ Changquan	❖ Gunshu
❖ Nanquan	❖ Qiangshu
❖ Taijiquan	❖ Nandao
❖ Daoshu	❖ Nangun
❖ Jianshu	❖ Taijijian

- ii. If deemed necessary, the PAWF Technical Committee may require a participant to perform only half of their selected routine. In such cases, whether the participant performs the first half or the second half of their selected routine, will be determined by drawing random lots.

- iii. Note: the 1st or 3rd set compulsory routines must be learnt by the candidates themselves prior to arrival, the instructional videos may be found at www.worldwushu.tv

b. Theoretical Examination – IWUF Wushu Taolu Competition Rules (2019 version)

c. Practical Examination – Analysis and judging of video performances

3. Sanda Examination Course Participants

- a. Technical Examination – All participants are required to demonstrate sanda basic skills (hand techniques, leg techniques, wrestling techniques, defensive techniques) both individually and with an opponent.

b. Theoretical Examination – IWUF Wushu Sanda Competition Rules (2017 edition)

c. Practical Examination – Analysis and judging of live performance or video

PAWF International Wushu Judges Examination Course (Taolu) Schedule

Date	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
Tuesday, August 26	Arrival & Registration (All Day)		
Wednesday, August 27	Competition Rules – Group A Officiating	Practical Session – Group A Video Judging	Competition Rules – Group C Officiating
Thursday, August 28	Practical Session – Group C Video Judging	Competition Rules – Group B Officiating Q&A Session	Self-Study
Friday, August 29	Technical & Theoretical Examinations	Practical Examination & Closing Ceremony	

PAWF International Wushu Judges Examination Course (Sanda) Schedule

Date	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
Tuesday, August 26	Arrival & Registration (All Day)		
Wednesday, August 27	Competition Rules and Judging Laws	Platform Judging Training - Calls and Gestures	Video Judging
Thursday, August 28	Basic Sanda Technique Training – Hand Techniques, Leg Techniques & Wrestling/ Throwing Techniques	Technical Training & Q & A Session	Theoretical & Technical Examinations
Friday, August 29	Theoretical Examination	Technical Examination & Closing Ceremony	