

Officials Requirements - Judges

Achieving New Levels and Continued Maintenance Requirements

| Requirements to Achieve Level | | | |
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| Level 1 (L1) | Level 2 (L2) | Level 3 (L3) | Level 4 (L4) |
| Has judged at one of the three most recent World Championships | Qualified to judge World Championships, RC, RL, & other tournaments | Qualified to judge RC, RL, & other tournaments | Qualified to judge at local tournaments (& be a third judge in boat at an RC or RL tournament) |
| See L2 | Completed two judging clinics | Completed a judging clinic | N/A |
| See L2 | Achieved average score of 80% on 4 WBC exams each within 60 minutes | Achieved average score of 75% on 4 WBC exams each within 90 minutes | Achieved average score of 70% on 3 WBC exams with no time limit |
| See L2 | Completed a minimum of 3 practical exams administered by an L1 or L2 judge & passed the final one | Completed a minimum of 3 practical exams administered by an L1 or L2 judge & passed the final one | N/A |
| See L2 | Judged ≥ 2 National/Confederation Championships or four 3-event RC or RL tournaments | Judged ≥ 1 National/Confederation Championships or three 3-event RC or RL tournaments | N/A |
| Provide mentorship to L4, L3, & L2 judges | Receive mentorship from an L1 judge; provide mentorship to L3 & L4 judges | Receive mentorship from either an L2 or L1 judge; provide mentorship to L4 judges | Receive mentorship from either an L3, L2, or L1 judge |
| Maintenance Requirements | | | |
| Level 1 (L1) | Level 2 (L2) | Level 3 (L3) | Level 4 (L4) |
| Must be completed every 2 years | Must be completed every 2 years | Must be completed every 2 years | Must be completed every 2 years |
| See L2 | Achieved average score of 80% on 4 WBC exams each within 60 minutes | Achieved average score of 75% on 4 WBC exams each within 90 minutes | Achieved average score of 70% on 3 WBC exams with no time limit |
| See L2; in addition, judged at least one of the three most recent World Championships* | Judged at least one RC, RL, or other tournament* | Judged at least one RC, RL, or other tournament* | N/A |
| Provide mentorship to L4, L3, & L2 judges | Receive mentorship from an L1 judge; provide mentorship to L3 & L4 judges | Receive mentorship from either an L2 or L1 judge; provide mentorship to L4 judges | Receive mentorship from either an L3, L2, or L1 judge |

*Waivers to this requirement may be granted in the event that the individual has an undue hardship of not having access to tournaments. Waivers may be requested from and granted by the Chair of the World Barefoot Council.