



## **EX COM Communication**

### **WUKF Referee Commission**

The main purpose of the WUKF Referee Commission is to deliver outstanding competitions with the highest degree of sporting integrity. The Commission will allow us to continually develop and improve the WUKF in respect of our values.

### **WUKF Values**

- We provide high quality competition
- We are together as one team
- We work in the spirit of friendship and cooperation
- We believe in respect and fairness
- We are a democratic non-profit making organisation
- We support the confederation strategy
- We support clean sport

### **Role Description**

Commission members exist to deliver high quality events for athletes, coaches and federations within the WUKF sport Karate environment. You should have exemplary knowledge of WUKF rules and a strong history of supporting the organisation nationally and internationally. You will have a track record in developing, training and communicating with officials across the WUKF. Strong organisation skills and leadership skills are necessary for this role, and this must be evidenced.

As a member of the Commission, you will be expected to implement the strategic agenda of the organisation and attend regular meetings with colleagues, Executive Committee, Athletes & Coaches Commission and other relevant groups.

You are expected to be an ambassador for the WUKF.

### **The Commission**

The WUKF Referee Commission will be formed by:

- 7 WUKF Referees
- 1 Member of the WUKF Executive Committee – Mr Joe Mirza

### **Please note:**

- The Commission will stand down every 4 years with reselection completed by an application process. All members will be subject to an annual appraisal by the WUKF Executive Committee.
- If a member leaves the Commission within the term, the vacancy will be advertised with a new member being appointed by the Executive Committee.
- The Referee Commission & Executive Committee can invite any relevant party of attend meetings.

### **Application Process**

There is a four-stage application process outlined below:

- Applicants must receive approval from their National Federations to apply.
- A covering letter and Karate CV (including relevant external experience) must be sent to [roy.okane@wukf.org](mailto:roy.okane@wukf.org) by no later than 17:00 BST on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September. In the covering letter, please include a brief description of why you want to apply (covering letter minimum of 250 words).
- Applications will be scrutinised with selected applicants being invited for an online interview with members of the Executive Committee.
- Successful applicants ratified by the Executive Committee and notified.