



# APPLICATION FOR ASSISTANT JUDGE

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Check Event(s) Applying For:

SLALOM       TRICKS       JUMP

Name \_\_\_\_\_ USA-WSWS Membership # \_\_\_\_\_

Age (Min. 15) \_\_\_\_\_ Area Code/Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Ranking List Level (if applicable):      Slalom \_\_\_\_\_ Tricks \_\_\_\_\_ Jump \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:**

- The following applicable blanks must be completed and signed by the Supervising Judge and the Chief Judge of the tournament in which the experience was completed for each event for which you are making application. Work must be completed in a three-year time frame.
- All the work in each section must be performed during separate AWSA-sanctioned tournaments unless otherwise noted. Signatures on outdated applications will be accepted for requirements on the current form if the old form is attached to this application.
- Upon completion, send the application to USA Water Ski & Wake Sports (USA-WSWS), Attention Officials' Programs, for processing. Retain a copy of this application for your records. If you are continuing to work on another event, use your copy of the submitted application to continue to obtain signatures and receive credit for the other event(s). Remember, if there is a newer released application, you must attach this copy to the new application when submitting to USA-WSWS.

**Fast Track Options:**

- **Ranking List Level 8 or higher rated** skiers may be issued an AWSA Assistant Judge rating in each event that a Level 8 or higher rating is held by sending this application, with the top portion completed, or a written request to USA-WSWS, Attention Officials' Programs.
- **Ranking List Level 7 rated skiers** may complete only those blanks on this application indicated with an asterisk (\*) for each event in which a Level 7 rating is held.

**Attention Supervising and Chief Judges:** Please be discriminating. AWSA cannot maintain a high standard of judges' qualifications unless you assume the responsibility of approving only qualified applicants. **For practical exercises, applicants must practice under the supervision of an AWSA-rated Regular or Senior Judge for a minimum of six skiers.**

**SLALOM EVENT**

Tournament Name	Date mm/dd/yy	Division	Supervising Judge's Signature (AWSA-rated Regular or Senior)	Chief Judge's Signature
Serve as Dock Starter: * 1.				
Explain to supervising judge how to verify the slalom course: * 1.				
Witness scoring/verify boat times with Scorer: * 1.				
2.				
Practical! – Practice slalom judging for a minimum of six skiers OR perform event boat video: * 1.				
*2.				
3.				



## TRICKS EVENT

Tournament Name	Date mm/dd/yy	Division	Supervising Judge's Signature (AWSA-rated Regular or Senior)	Chief Judge's Signature
Serve as Dock Starter: *1.				
Serve as Timer (either operate manually activated timing system or witness/operate video-based timing system): *1.				
2.				
Assist with scoring/reconciling of pink sheets: *1.				
2.				
Practical – Practice calling trick runs for a minimum of six skiers and record on pink sheets OR perform event boat video: *1.				
*2.				
3.				

## JUMP EVENT

Tournament Name	Date mm/dd/yy	Division	Supervising Judge's Signature (AWSA-rated Regular or Senior)	Chief Judge's Signature
Serve as Dock Starter: *1.				
Explain to Supervising Judge the Ramp Setting Chart in AWSA Rulebook for different slopes/heights, tolerances and Rule 1.12: *1.				
Explain to Supervising Judge the role of the Boat Judge, including responsibilities, boat times and re-ride options: *1.				
Practical <sup>2</sup> – Assist Supervising Judge with operation of Jump Measurement System for a minimum of six skiers: *1.				
*2.				
3.				

<sup>1</sup> One of these may be in the boat as a third person observing the boat judge, boat path and timing\*

<sup>2</sup> One of these may be in the boat as a third person observing the Boat Judge, boat path, jump course, safety, water conditions, timing, etc.\*

\* As the third person, you may also be appointed as the safety person, in which case you must wear a Coast Guard-approved life vest.

“Having completed the above listed work satisfactorily (as certified by the Supervising/Chief Judges), I hereby apply for appointment as an AWSA Assistant Judge.”

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_