

IEC Minutes
September 2013

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| Tatyana Itkina | Coach Rep |
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Caroline Hunt Rhythmic Elite Program Director (non-voting)

- Per the Operating Code, the IEC nominated candidates to the International Brevet Course.
- A total of 10 candidates are possible per National Federation per the FIG Directives for this cycle. Such a small limit on the number of candidates is unprecedented.
- Via conference calls, the IEC identified criteria and nominated the 9 remaining candidates for the Brevet exam (1 judge already passed the Intercontinental exam).
- Primary criteria: proven experience at the international level over the past five years:
 - All must be existing Brevets from the previous cycle (demonstrated ability to pass FIG exam)
 - Most frequently assigned and available Brevets from the previous cycle who judged an official World Cup or Pan American event, one of which is age-eligible as a Youth Olympic judge
 - Brevets who judged an international event in the previous cycle and have been assigned to a World Cup in the new cycle
 - A second age-eligible YOG judge with demonstrated consistency over the previous Olympic cycle
- Based on this criteria, the following individuals were nominated to take the exam:
 - Catherine Yahkimovich
 - Natalia Lojevsky
 - Lucy Kerzerman
 - Andrea Buzas
 - Jaga Atanaskovic
 - Natalia Klimouk
 - Tatyana Itkina
 - Margarita Mamzina
 - Melissa Becker