

## Vaulting Judges Career Path

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Ground Jury Member - President of the Ground Jury - Foreign Judge

### Requirements

- ✓ English proficiency grade of C1 or higher
- ✓ FEI Level 3 Judge for at least 2 years
- ✓ Be in good standing with the FEI
- Officiating experience within 10 years of application**
- ✓ 3x CVI2\*/3\*/4\* or CVIO3\*/4\* as President of the Ground Jury
- ✓ 3x CVI2\*/3\*/4\* or CVIO3\*/4\* as a Foreign Judge

### Maintenance

- ✓ CES Online Assessment every year
  - ✓ CES Maintenance Course every 3 years
  - ✓ 3 Intl. Shows (CVIs) within the last 3 years as a Level 4 Judge <sup>1</sup>
- <sup>1</sup>The CES Officiating Review will not be applied, by decision of the FEI Board on 5 June 2024.

### Education

- For Transfer-up**
- ✓ Pass the Transfer-up Level 4 Judges Education with examinations:
  - Pass the online problem-solving case studies  
If passed, invited to an online interview
  - Pass an online interview  
If passed, the Official is provisionally transferred up to Level 4
  - Pass a three-day in-person course at FEI HQ  
If passed, the transfer-up to level 4 is confirmed

### Status

- Level 4 Vaulting Judge**
- ✓ On passing the Level 4 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, participants are listed as Level 4 Judges in the FEI Database

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Ground Jury Member - President of the Ground Jury - Foreign Judge

### Requirements

- ✓ English proficiency grade of B2 or higher
- ✓ 6 Intl. Shows (CVIs) as a Ground Jury Member

### Maintenance

- ✓ CES Online Assessment every year
  - ✓ CES Maintenance Course every 3 years
  - ✓ 3 Intl. Shows (CVIs) within the last 3 years as a Level 3 Judge <sup>1</sup>
- <sup>1</sup>The CES Officiating Review will not be applied, by decision of the FEI Board on 5 June 2024.

### Education

- For Transfer-up**
- ✓ Pass a Transfer-up Level 3 Judges Course with examination

### Status

- Level 3 Vaulting Judge**
- ✓ On passing the Level 3 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, participants are listed as Level 3 Judges in the FEI Database

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Ground Jury Member

### Requirements

- For National Judges from NFs with Equivalency**
- ✓ English proficiency grade of B1 or higher
- ✓ Formally recommended by National Federation
- ✓ Completed online Vaulting Foundation Course
- ✓ 2 passed Shadow Judgings Level 1 at Intl. Shows (CVIs) or online  
Compulsory, Free and Technical Tests - Horse Score  
Compulsory Test (1, 2, 3) - Exercise Score  
Free Test - Technique Score (Performance, Degree of Difficulty)
- ✓ Passed online Level 1 Judges Equivalency examination
- For Level 1 Judges**
- ✓ English proficiency grade of B1 or higher
- ✓ 1 year & 3 Intl. Shows (CVIs) as a Level 1 Judge

### Maintenance

- ✓ CES Online Assessment every year
  - ✓ CES Maintenance Course every 3 years
  - ✓ 3 Intl. Shows (CVIs) within the last 3 years as a Level 2 Judge\* - one may be replaced by a Vaulting Challenge <sup>1</sup>
- \*condition non applicable to Equivalency Officials for the initial 3 years of officiating.
- <sup>1</sup>The CES Officiating Review will not be applied, by decision of the FEI Board on 5 June 2024.

### Education

- For Transfer-up**
  - ✓ Pass a Transfer-up Level 2 Judges Course with examination  
Free Test - Artistic Score (Squad, Individual, Pas-de-Deux)  
Technical Test - Exercise Score  
Technical Test - Artistic Score
  - ✓ \*Pass 2 Shadow Judgings Level 2 at Intl. Shows (CVIs) or online  
Free Test - Artistic Score (Squad, Individual, Pas-de-Deux)  
Technical Test - Exercise Score  
Technical Test - Artistic Score
- \*Transfer-up Course must be passed prior to attend Shadow Judgings

### Status

- Level 2 Vaulting Judge**
- ✓ On passing the Level 2 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, participants are listed as Level 2 Judges in the FEI Database

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Ground Jury Member

### Requirements

- For National Judges from NFs with Equivalency**
- ✓ English proficiency grade of A2 or higher
- ✓ Formally recommended by National Federation
- ✓ Completed online Vaulting Foundation Course
- For National Judges**
- ✓ English proficiency grade of A2 or higher
- ✓ Formally recommended by National Federation
- ✓ Completed online Vaulting Foundation Course
- ✓ 2 passed Sit-Ins at Intl. Shows (CVIs) in the last 3 years

### Maintenance

- ✓ CES Online Assessment every year
  - ✓ CES Maintenance Course every 3 years
  - ✓ 1 Intl. Show (CVI) or Vaulting Challenge within the last 3 years as a Level 1 Judge\* <sup>1</sup>
- \*condition non applicable for the initial 3 years of officiating at Level 1
- <sup>1</sup>The CES Officiating Review will not be applied, by decision of the FEI Board on 5 June 2024.

### Education

- For National Judges from NFs with Equivalency**
  - ✓ Pass a Transfer-up Level 1 Judges Course with examination  
Compulsory, Free and Technical Tests - Horse Score  
Compulsory Test (1, 2, 3) - Exercise Score  
Free Test - Technique Score (Performance, Degree of Difficulty)
  - ✓ \*Pass 2 Shadow Judgings Level 1 at Intl. Shows (CVIs) or online  
Compulsory, Free and Technical Tests - Horse Score  
Compulsory Test (1, 2, 3) - Exercise Score  
Free Test - Technique Score (Performance, Degree of Difficulty)
  - For National Judges**
  - ✓ Pass a Transfer-up Level 1 Judges Course (in-person) with examination  
Compulsory, Free and Technical Tests - Horse Score  
Compulsory Test (1, 2, 3) - Exercise Score  
Free Test - Technique Score (Performance, Degree of Difficulty)
  - ✓ \*Pass 2 Shadow Judgings Level 1 at Intl. Shows (CVIs), 1 may be online  
Compulsory, Free and Technical Tests - Horse Score  
Compulsory Test (1, 2, 3) - Exercise Score  
Free Test - Technique Score (Performance, Degree of Difficulty)
- \*Transfer-up Course must be passed prior to attend Shadow Judgings

### Status

- Level 1 Vaulting Judge**
- ✓ On passing the Level 1 examination(s) and fulfilling all requirements, participants are listed as Level 1 Judges in the FEI Database

National Judges

National Judges from NF with Equivalency

All roles according to the FEI Vaulting Rules Art. 723