



**IWWF European Wakesurf Committee presents
The First International Wakesurf Judging Seminar
Castelldefels, Spain
May 6th – 7th 2023**

In 2022 European Confederation of International waterski and wakeboard Federation announced the establishment of European Wakesurf Committee to develop a new and fast growing boat discipline that has been embraced – wakesurf. By that time National level judging Seminars had been conducted by World wakesurf Committee for many National Federations including European countries.

This year we invite you to attend the 1st International judging Seminar! The long awaited event will be held in Spain, Castelldefels, near Barcelona, only 10 minutes from Barcelona El Prat airport.

The event will be held by the Chair of the European Wakesurf Committee Maria Bulgakova, UKR.

Hotel



The event is hosted by 153 Hotel located 200 meters from the Castelldefels beach. Completely refurbished in 2021, it has a bar, swimming pool and garden area. Olympic wakeboard cable park situated on Canal Olimpic de Catalunya is only 3 km away from the Hotel.

Hotel offers a very good deal on rooms' prices for dates of event. Please, choose your room and book directly with hotel until April 21st. Extra 5% discount on prices stated on website will apply when making final reservation using code "WAKESURF23".

<https://www.hotel153.es/en/hotel-153-en/>

Inform Maria of your reservation – wakesurf.iwwf@gmail.com – to keep the track.

How to get

The nearest airport is El Prat Barcelona airport. From there you can either take a bus to Castelldefels or catch a taxi which is only 10 minutes drive.



Should you choose to reach Castelldefels by car, please, look up google maps for the most convenient directions from your starting point.

Food

Choose “breakfast is included in the price of the room” when booking. Coffee breaks on Saturday and Sunday are free of charge. We suggest you make your own arrangements for lunches. There are lots of restaurants and cafes with tasty Spanish and international cuisine in the area.

For dinner on Saturday we will offer you to join everyone in one of the local restaurants. Details to be announced at the beginning of the Seminar.

Program of Seminar will include:

- Rules and theory sessions
- The role, responsibilities and duties of judges
- Building the wakesurf course
- Introduction to calculator’s role and duties
- Introduction to driver’s role and duties
- Video analysis
- Practical task - working in groups to prepare and run competition

There are 3 levels of wakesurf judging:

- 1) National level Judge – eligible to judge National events including National Championships
- 2) International level 2 Judge – eligible to judge National and International events excluding titled events
- 3) International level 1 Judge – eligible to judge all events, including IWWF titled events such as Regional and World Championships





At the first International Seminar you will have the opportunity to pass National or International 2 level exams. To be eligible for International 2 level exam you must proof you passed National level exam during the last two years term (confirmation link to the Event Management System must be provided).

Schedule of Seminar is a subject to unessential changes. All participants are advised to arrive Friday, May 5th, to be ready to start at 09:00 am on Saturday, May 6th. You will be free to leave Sunday after the end of exam which is scheduled to be at 14:00.

Friday, May 5th	All day	Arrivals
Saturday, May 6th	9:00 am – 11:00 am	Rules, theory Part 1
	11:00 am – 12:30	Coffee break
	12:30 – 13:30	Rules, theory Part 2
	13:30 – 15:00	Lunch break
	15:00 – 18:00	Video analysis, practical tasks
	18:00	End of Seminar day 1
	20:00	Dinner out
Sunday, May 7th	9:00 – 11:30	Recap, Questions and answers session
	11:30 am – 12:00	Coffee break
	12:00 – 13:00	Theoretical exam
	13:00 – 14:00	Video exam
	Approximately 14:00	End of Seminar, time to go back to reality from wonderful time spent with wakesurf community!

The cost of participation is 70 euros per person to be paid in cash before the start of the Seminar. Please send the fulfilled application form (attached) to

Maria Bulgakova @ wakesurf.iwwf@gmail.com

This is also your main contact for any additional questions.

Add the dates to your calendar and come study with us!

See you soon 🤝🤝



2023 Wakesurf Judging Seminar Registration Form

Name and Last name:

Federation: _____

Contact information:

e-mail: _____

phone number: _____

Arrival date: _____ Departure date: _____

Level of exam you wish to take – mark one (please submit the proof of National level accreditation for International 2 exam)

Judging - National

Judging – International 2

Any comments?

Signature: _____

Date: _____