



## Oklahoma State Taekwondo Association

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**To: Masters, Instructors, Black Belts**

**Re: Official USA Taekwondo Referee Seminar**

I am very pleased to announce the upcoming USA Taekwondo Referee Seminar to be held April 19, 2020 at the US Central Taekwondo Association Headquarters (Main Gym), 10801 S. Sunnyslane, Oklahoma City, OK 73160.

As USA Taekwondo is an official governing body for the US Olympic Committee, this seminar is recognized for official referee certification in the United States.

From this referee seminar, we will select referees for the Oklahoma State Taekwondo Championship to be held April 25, 2020. It is important that we have well qualified referees as this state competition determines which competitors may proceed to the National competition. The 2020 USA Taekwondo Nationals will be held in San Antonio, Texas from the 1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> of July.

We are happy to welcome back Grand Master Seung Hwan Kim, USA Taekwondo Referee Chairman, to instruct the seminar. He will be providing us all with the latest in rules, hand signals, and electronic scoring techniques. Many of the rules have changed this year so it would be in your best interest to attend this seminar.

Each attendee will receive an official USAT certificate of participation to document their experience toward higher level certifications.

This seminar is open to black belts, age 16 and over. Seminar attendance is limited to 45. Anyone ages 12 or older may Audit the course for \$40. This includes parents, color belts, and anyone else who is interested in learning about the rules of sparring. You must be a member of USA Taekwondo. You may do this by registering for USAT and becoming a "Supporting Member". This membership is only \$25 for the year. (School Code 445)

The seminar will begin at 1pm. Dress code is Taekwondo uniform for Master, Instructors, and students. For parents and others who participate and are not a Master, Instructor, or student wear comfortable clothing such as leggings, sweats, and a comfortable t-shirt. Please bring notepad and pen to take notes.

To apply for the seminar, please submit the enclosed application and application fee of \$70 to Oklahoma State Taekwondo Association. Please make checks to OSTA. You may also register online at [usat.hangastar.com](http://usat.hangastar.com).

Don't miss this opportunity to learn from the finest and establish your referee credentials so that you may participate in one of the most exciting aspects of Taekwondo! Please call me if you have any questions. I hope to see you in April!

Sincerely,

In Hui Won, President

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