



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS
SUMMER SPORT DIRECTOR POSITIONS
(Length of term: 2022-2025)

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| ➤ ATHLETICS | ➤ KARATE |
| ➤ BADMINTON | ➤ ORIENTEERING |
| ➤ BASKETBALL | ➤ SAILING |
| ➤ BEACH VOLLEYBALL | ➤ SHOOTING |
| ➤ BOWLING | ➤ SWIMMING |
| ➤ CRICKET | ➤ TABLE TENNIS |
| ➤ CYCLING ROAD / MOUNTAIN BIKE | ➤ TAEKWONDO |
| ➤ FOOTBALL | ➤ TENNIS |
| ➤ GOLF | ➤ VOLLEYBALL |
| ➤ HANDBALL | ➤ WRESTLING Freestyle / Greco-Roman |
| ➤ JUDO | |

General responsibilities of Sport Director are defined in the ICSD Constitution and Bylaws as follows:

[ICSD Constitution](#)

Article 9. ICSD Sport Directors

9.1 The Executive Board shall appoint an ICSD Sport Director for each Summer and Winter Deaflympic sport for a four (4) year Deaflympic term.

9.2 The Sport Directors shall be deaf and meet basic professional standards and the requirements of the [ICSD Code of Ethics](#).

9.3 The roles and responsibilities of the Sport Directors, as well as the procedure of their appointment is provided for in the Bylaws.

Bylaws to Article 9: ICSD Sport Directors

20. Roles and responsibilities of the Sport Directors

20.1 The Sport Directors shall lead their respective sport in accordance with the ICSD vision, mission, objects, and goals and shall act in a professional and ethical manner at all times.

20.2 The Sport Directors shall report to the Vice President - Sports and shall provide support and advice to the Sports Commission and the Secretariat.

20.3 The Sport Directors shall oversee all aspects of competition organization, management and delivery for their sport and shall liaise with the local organizing committees with copy to the ICSD Secretariat.

20.4 The Sport Directors shall manage the relationship between ICSD and the ISF for their sport and keep abreast of all changes to the rules and regulations in the ISFs with copy to the ICSD Secretariat.

20.5 The Sport Directors shall maintain the ICSD sports regulations for their respective sport and approve world records where applicable with the ICSD Secretariat.

20.6 Sport Directors shall remain one (1) extra day after the conclusion of the Deaflympics or World Championships to prepare a technical report to the Executive Board.

20.7 The Sport Directors shall provide for their respective sport an electronic copy of a full list of participants, results, and world records where applicable no later than one (1) month after the conclusion of the Deaflympics or World Deaf Championships to the Secretariat.



For the general responsibilities of the Sport Directors at the [Deaflympics](#) and [World Deaf Championships](#), please refer to the respective regulations. Please note that in the current regulations, Technical Directors should be read as Sport Directors.

The appointment procedure for Sport Directors is defined in the Bylaws as follows:

21. Appointment of the Sport Director

21.1 *The Secretariat shall administer applications to the Sport Director roles.*

21.2 *Vacant positions for the Sport Director roles shall be advertised and circulated to the Members after the conclusion of the Summer and Winter Deaflympics.*

21.3 *Applications shall be made in writing with a letter of support from at least one (1) Full or Associate Member and shall include a summary of the applicant's competition history, sports management experience, sports qualifications, a photocopy of their passport, a criminal background check, and any supporting material such as resumes, certificates and references.*

21.4 *A nominated individual must be able to meet the requirements of the ICSD Code of Ethics.*

21.5 *The Vice President - Sports shall review all applications, interview the applicants, and make recommendations to the Executive Board for their consideration and approval.*

21.6 *The new Sport Directors appointed for a term of four (4) years shall be announced three (3) months after the conclusion of the Summer or Winter Deaflympics.*

In addition to the above, the following criteria are recognised by the international Deaf Sport community.

- ◆ Sport Directors must have a proven commitment their respective sport.
- ◆ ideally Sport Directors will have experience of their respective sport at major international competitions as an athlete, coach or official.
- ◆ Sport Directors must be able to communicate in International Sign.
- ◆ Sport Directors should also be able to communicate in written English.
- ◆ Sport Directors should be comfortable dealing with senior sports managers.

The positions are voluntary and are often filled by former athletes looking to give something back to their sport. All expenses when making trips on behalf of the ICSD will be covered as defined in the Bylaws as below. The ICSD Secretariat also supports Sport Directors in their work.

22. Expenses of the Sport Directors

22.1 *Each Sport Director's travel, accommodation, and meal expenses for site inspections for the Deaflympics or the World Championships shall be the responsibility of the organizing committee.*

22.2 *Each Sport Director's travel, accommodation, and meal expenses to the Deaflympics or the World Championships for the duration of the event shall be the responsibility of the organizing committee.*



Application

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Required documents for application:

- 1) YOUR LETTER OF INTEREST
- 2) YOUR RESUME (CV)
- 3) ONE (1) LETTER OF SUPPORT

PLEASE SUBMIT BY E-MAIL: OFFICE@CISS.ORG

THE DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS 20 JULY 2022

ICSD Executive Board hopes to make an announcement of the new Sport Directors by the middle week of August.

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