

JudoScotland Hall of Fame Policy

Introduction

1. JudoScotland has created this Policy to outline the criteria and process for nominating and awarding an individual with a Hall of Fame Award.
2. The award of Hall of Fame is a great honour that JudoScotland can bestow on an individual and is done so in recognition of a member who has made an exceptional achievement within judo, above and beyond what is expected of any member.

Purpose of the JudoScotland Hall of Fame Award Policy

3. The purpose of the Policy is to provide guidance for those who may wish to nominate an individual for a Hall of Fame Award; this may include Members, Staff, Volunteers, Board Directors and other persons connected to Scottish judo.
4. It is the intention that this Policy will ensure an open and transparent process for Hall of Fame Awards.

Awards Overview

5. Hall of Fame Awards will be given to individuals who meet all the criteria and whom have been ratified by the Board following a recommendation by the Nominations Committee.
6. Hall of Fame Awards will be announced through JudoScotland communications channels and will be awarded at appropriate times & places.

Nomination Process

7. Nominations for Hall of Fame Awards should be made using the Nominations Form and can be submitted at any time.
8. Only written submissions in the prescribed form will be considered.
9. Nominations may be made by any JudoScotland member with the exception of the individual who is being nominated.
10. The Nomination Form must be signed by two current JudoScotland members who are unconnected to the Nominee through marriage, relationship or family.

Award Process

11. The Chair shall convene a Nominations Committee (as and when appropriate) to:
 - (a) Review all Nominations
 - (b) Ensure that all recommendations are recorded
 - (c) Determine which, if any, Hall of Fame Awards will be recommended for consideration by the JudoScotland Board.
12. The Nominations Committee will consider and scrutinise the nomination(s). If a member of the committee is deemed to have a conflict of interest with a nominee, they shall not take part in the discussions.
13. Hall of Fame Awards will only be recommended to the Board after careful consideration of the merits of each nominee's dedication to the values of JudoScotland and will be treated with the strictest of confidence.



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14. The Nominations Committee may consult with others to confirm the validity of the nomination and the content within the Nomination Form.
15. All nominations will be considered using the criteria.
16. The Nominations Committee will decide whether to recommend Hall of Fame for the nominee(s) to the Board and the reasons for all decisions shall be recorded.
17. If unsuccessful, the person making the nomination will be informed in as timely a manner as possible.
18. Hall of Fame Award recommendation(s) will be made to the JudoScotland Board.
19. JudoScotland's Board will accept or reject the Nomination Committee's recommendations and will have absolute discretion in its decisions.
20. The successful nominee(s) will be contacted to offer them a Hall of Fame award
21. Hall of Fame Awards will be announced through appropriate JudoScotland communication platforms and will be presented at appropriate time(s) and venue(s).

Selection Criteria

22. The Nominations Committee will take into account the details as set out in the nomination form and as known to the Committee members.
23. The Committee will be looking for evidence to suggest that the Nominee has made an exceptional achievement within judo.
24. A Nominee will only be considered for a Hall of Fame award if:
 - (a) The nominated individual is a current member of JudoScotland (and is not in an active role as a JudoScotland Staff member, Board Director, President or Vice-President)
 - (b) Provided (a) is met the Committee will consider the evidence provided to show an exceptional achievement within judo. Factors which may be taken into account include, but are not limited to, the following judo related activities in terms of the nominee's commitment, dedication and regard in which they are held:
 - (i) Competitive Athlete / Coach / Team Manager medalling at European, World, Olympic or Paralympic level judo event(s)
 - (ii) Volunteer / Official / Referee successfully representing at European, World, Olympic and Paralympic level judo events
 - (iii) Exceptional achievement within judo contributing to the progress and development of the sport
 - (iv) Other exceptional achievement
 - (c) The individual is an advocate and supporter of JudoScotland and its programmes and activities
 - (d) The individual consistently demonstrates the values within Judo's Moral Code of courtesy, courage, honesty, honour, modesty, self-control, friendship and respect

Removal of Hall of Fame Award

25. Hall of Fame Award may be removed from a member where the Board reasonably considers that the individual has conducted themselves in a manner that reflects negatively and/or adversely on the reputation of JudoScotland or JudoScotland's activities, or has been found guilty of a serious breach of any of JudoScotland's codes of conduct.



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Hall of Fame Award Entitlements

26. Recognition on the JudoScotland Hall of Fame window/wall
27. Recognition on the JudoScotland website
28. Commemorative certificate to mark the award



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