



## INTERNATIONAL OFFICIATING WORKSHOP

The Australian Fencing Federation will be hosting an International Officiating Workshop on December 3-4 in Canberra prior to the National Open Fencing Championships. The workshop is being supported by the Olympic Solidarity Program and the FIE. The course is aimed at high-level referees (i.e. those who already have experience at refereeing at National Level competitions) who are interested in developing their refereeing skills or pursuing FIE Accreditation as a referee.

The course is scheduled be held in the Theatrette at the Australian Institute of Sport, and a specific timetable is given below. To register to attend the course, or for any further enquiries, please email [officiating@commissions.ausfencing.org](mailto:officiating@commissions.ausfencing.org)

### TIMETABLE

#### Tuesday 3 December

11:00 am	Introduction/Orientation
	Referee Accreditation and Development in Australia
	(Peter Creese – Chair, AFF Officiating Commission and Stephen Darragh, National Officiating Director)
3:00 pm	Foil Refereeing
	(Irina Knysch – Member of FIE Refereeing Commission)

#### Wednesday 4 December

10:00 am	Sabre Refereeing
	(Irina Knysch – Member of FIE Refereeing Commission)
3:00 pm	Epee Refereeing
	(Irina Knysch – Member of FIE Refereeing Commission)

There may also be an opportunity during the National Championships for those refereeing to receive feedback from the FIE Expert or to be assessed for National Referee Accreditation. Anyone interested in these activities should contact [officiating@commissions.ausfencing.org](mailto:officiating@commissions.ausfencing.org)