

6th Dan — Master Degree

Proposed designation: Senior Master

Primary focus: National technical development and mentorship.

Requirements

- Demonstrate authoritative knowledge of kickboxing technique and application.
- Mentor senior instructors.
- Contribute to the development of national training standards.
- Demonstrate competence in advanced technical assessment.
- Support coaching education and examiner consistency.
- Contribute to safeguarding, safety and responsible practice.
- Demonstrate substantial service to kickboxing.

Assessment: Technical and coaching portfolio, senior examiner assessment, technical presentation and formal panel review.

Recognition standard: Significant national-level contribution and established expertise in technical education.