



UNITED STATES *Dressage* FEDERATION  
Continuing Education Program for Judges and USDF "L"  
Graduates Host Application

Grants Funded by The Dressage Foundation

**A. ORGANIZER CONTACT INFORMATION**

Name of Organizer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (publish) \_\_\_\_\_ (cell) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

USDF Region: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Sponsoring Region/GMO: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. PROGRAM INFORMATION**

Please indicate below which of the possible continuing education programs you will be hosting. Organizers may elect to offer only one selection, or may choose to offer the entire series. Your decision should be based on regional needs and participation. **At least one instructor/speaker must be, at the minimum, a USEF 'S' Judge, as outlined in the program guidelines. It is recommended to include a USEF 'R' Judge.**

- "View from C"** - This program primarily involves using a system of headsets, where a moderator comments to the participants on what is being observed. This can take place at a clinic setting with demo riders or at a competition. If a competition setting is chosen the program will need to work around the show schedule. This program should include, at a minimum, an hour of lecture, discussion and Q & A, as well as at least two hours of observation of the tests, full tests and test movements, Training through Second Level.

Instructor(s)/Speaker(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Lecture Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of event: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. PROGRAM INFORMATION, continued**

- “Upgrade Your Judging Eye I” – This program primarily involves the use of videotapes/DVDs as educational tools. The tapes viewed could be one or a combination of the following; footage of full tests, selected movements, or freestyle tests. An example of using a combination would be using selected movements and relating those movements with music requirements for freestyle. The program would take place in a classroom setting with at least minimum 3 hours of lecture, discussion and Q&A.  
Participants should be prepared to judge full tests orally if asked.

Instructor(s)/Speaker(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Lecture Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of event: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- “Upgrade Your Judging Eye II” – This program primarily involves practice judging full tests at a dressage competition or clinic setting with demo riders. The program should use a combination of classroom time and practice judging of actual tests, involving at minimum three hours of lecture, practice judging, discussion and Q & A. Participants should be prepared to judge full tests orally if asked.

Instructor(s)/Speaker(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Lecture Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of event: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- “Musical Freestyle “L” Elective Weekend” – This program primarily involves Musical Freestyle, Pas de Deux and Quadrille with lecture, audio, and audiovisual portions. There will be no live demonstration horses. The program follows a structured format and is taught by USDF “L” Program Faculty. Curriculum and handouts are available through USDF.

\*Instructor(s)/Speaker(s): \_\_\_\_\_

\* At least one instructor must be a “L” Faculty Member

Location of event: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- Other: (subject to approval by Judges Committee)

Instructor(s)/Speaker(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Lecture Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of event: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**C. GRANT**

- Yes, this program will be applying for a grant. Grant applications are available through and must be submitted to USDF *at least 90 days prior to program start date.*
- No, we do not intend to apply for a grant.

**D. USDF/TDF BANNER**

Please provide me with a USDF/TDF banner to be displayed throughout the USDF CE Program.

Yes\*

No

\*Banners are sent to all programs applying for a grant

Ship Banner to: *\*Street addresses only*

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**E. APPLICATION FEE**

Applications should be returned to USDF and accompanied by the application fee of **\$35**, per application. The application fee includes the USDF University credit fee. If the program is not approved, the fee will be returned.

Payment Options:

\_\_\_\_\_ Check or money order is enclosed  
*(Checks made payable to USDF)*

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Bill my:

VISA

Master Card

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_

**F. APPLICATION APPROVAL**

*Applications must include required signatures below confirming approval of program. Incomplete applications will not be considered. USDF is not responsible for late, delayed, lost or misdirected mail, email or faxes.*

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED NO LATER THAN 90 DAYS PRIOR TO EVENT**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Organizer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Regional Director

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sponsoring GMO President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date