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8.3 Press

Press accreditation can only be given to professional journalists working for a media and having proof of their credentials.

Media professionals can register to request press accreditations until 12/01/26 through the online registration form which can be found here:

**PRESS
REGISTRATION**

Accredited journalists will not have access to the competition area and will be allocated in a dedicated press tribune.

Accredited photographers will have access to their allocated seats only upon presenting the accreditation cards given to them during registration. Video recording will not be allowed.

A mixed zone will be available for accredited journalists and photographers.

Should you need more information about press or media related issues, please directly contact the European Karate Federation's office: press@wkf.net

9. REFEREE PROGRAM

9.1 Referee Course Program - HQ

DAY	TIME	MEETING	ROOM
TUESDAY 3 February 2026	08:00- 8:45	Referee Commission Meeting	Apollo
	09:00-12:00	Referee Course Registration for candidates	Athena
	09:00-12:00	Referee Course Payments for candidates	Apollo
	12:00-13:00	Lunch	Atlantica Miramare
	13:00-15:30	Kumite theory / Kumite theory examination	Mermaid
	15:30-17:30	Kata theory / Kata theory examination	Mermaid
	18:30-21:30	Kumite – Practical examination Group 1	Mermaid
WEDNESDAY	08:00-11:30	Kumite - Practical examination Group 2	Mermaid

4 February 2026	11:45-14:45	Kumite - Practical examination Group 3	Mermaid
	15:00-16:00	Lunch	Atlantica Miramare
	16:00-19:00	Kumite - Practical examination Group 4	Mermaid
	19:15-21:45	Kumite - Practical examination Group 5	Mermaid

THURSDAY 5 February 2026	08:30-12:00	Kata – Instruction and Practical examination	Mermaid
	12:00-13:00	Lunch	Atlantica Miramare
	13:00-18:00	RC Administration	Apollo
	13:00-14:00	License Renewal Written examination	Athena
	18:00-19:00	Referee Course examination Results	Mermaid B
	20:00-21:00	Referees Briefing who are not attended on course	Mermaid
	21:00-21:30	Tatami Manager & Appeals Jury meeting	Mermaid

9.2 Referee Registration

Referee Course

The Referee Course registration will be on Monday 13th October, 2025.

The Referee Course registration will close on Monday 12th January 2026.

All registrations must be made **online**, within the deadlines above mentioned, through the following Sportdata:

[KATA REGISTRATION](#)

[KUMITE REGISTRATION](#)

Should you have any technical difficulties when registering, please contact support@sportsid.org.

Referees attending and officiating at the EKF Championships 2026