



# 2023 CENTRAL DISTRICT OFFICIATING EXPERIENCE

## WHAT

A development and exposure opportunity for certified USA Hockey officials from the Central District. The experience is held in cooperation with the USA Hockey Central District Select 14 Camp. The camp also serves as a USA Hockey certification seminar for the 2023-24 season.

## WHEN

Based on success from previous years, the Central District Officiating Experience will take place in two parts:

### DEVELOPMENT CAMP

**June 11-13, 2023**

This camp is designed for officials, ages 17+, who would like to improve their officiating abilities, and are interested in developing their skills at the local and state level. Ideal for newer members and officials who enjoy working games in the youth, high school, and adult categories.

### EXPOSURE CAMP

**June 13-16, 2023**

This camp is designed for officials between the ages of 17-28 who would like to take their officiating to a more advanced level and who are interested in developing the skills to be considered for Tier I (AAA), Juniors, college, and minor professional levels. Ideal for Level 3 or 4 members who want to gain exposure to higher levels and concepts.

### AGENDA AT-A-GLANCE

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 11

- Afternoon - arrivals
- Evening - dinner, classroom, ice session

#### MONDAY, JUNE 12

- Morning - strength & conditioning, breakfast, classroom, ice session
- Afternoon - lunch, game play
- Evening - dinner, classroom, ice session

#### TUESDAY, JUNE 13

- Morning - strength & conditioning, breakfast, closing session
- Afternoon - lunch, game play, departures

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#### TUESDAY, JUNE 13

- Afternoon - arrivals
- Evening - dinner, classroom, ice session

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14

- Morning - strength & conditioning, breakfast, classroom, ice session
- Afternoon - lunch, game play
- Evening - dinner, classroom, ice session

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 15

- Morning - strength & conditioning, breakfast, classroom, ice session
- Afternoon - lunch, game play
- Evening - dinner, classroom, ice session

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 16

- Morning - strength & conditioning, breakfast, game play
- Afternoon - departures



## WHERE

The 2023 Central District Officiating Experience will take place at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa. Lodging is included in an air-conditioned dorm on the campus of ISU.

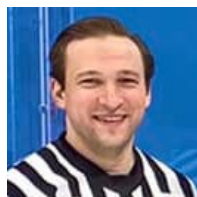
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## WHO

The Central District Officiating Experience is open to officials from the Central District which includes the states of Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, and Wisconsin. The Central District Officiating Experience staff consists of officials with experience at the highest levels of amateur, collegiate, and professional hockey.



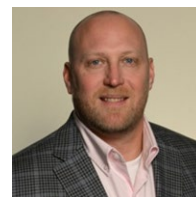
Stephen Reneau  
Referee Instructor  
AHL & 2022 Olympics



Billy Hancock  
Linesman Instructor  
AHL & 2022 Olympics



Andy Hudson  
Camp Co-Director



Jordan Crowell  
Camp Co-Director

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## WHY

The Central District Officiating Experience is the initial opportunity for officials to become involved in the USA Hockey Development Camp System. Attendees should have the desire to improve and develop their officiating skills, and be willing to accept performance feedback, coaching, and constructive criticism.

The camp also serves as a recruiting opportunity for the USA Hockey Officiating Development Program which involves leagues such as the NA3HL, NAHL, USHL and others. It is also a chance for officials to challenge themselves, to meet other officials from the District, to make new friends, and to have fun.

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## HOW

Officials who are interested in being considered must apply for consideration. Applications must be filled out online and will be accepted beginning in March. The deadline to apply is March 31.

Applicants will be notified of their status in mid-April and will be required to confirm their attendance and register/pay by the end of April.

[APPLY NOW](#)

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## FEES

The Central District and its affiliate members cover a large portion of expenses. Attendees are responsible for paying a reasonable registration fee to confirm their attendance. Fees help offset expenses for lodging, meals, supplies and other miscellaneous expenses.

Development Camp: \$125 | Exposure Camp: \$175