



**INTERNATIONAL  
SAMBO FEDERATION**

**REGULATIONS**  
**Pan American SAMBO referee's seminar**  
**July 7-8, 2026**  
**Alajuela (Costa Rica)**

**1. Dates and venue**

The seminar will be held on July 7<sup>th</sup> – July 8<sup>th</sup> in Alajuela, Costa Rica.

The seminar will be held in the Sports Complex Polideportivo Monserrat.

Address: 2Q2Q+5CG, Montecillos, Alajuela Province, Alajuela, Puente Arena, Costa Rica.

Tel: (+506) 8844-7919

E-Mail: [cremasanchez@yahoo.com](mailto:cremasanchez@yahoo.com)

**2. Participants**

Referees, who are included in the application from the National SAMBO Federation are invited to participate in the seminar.

Referees not included in the application of the national SAMBO Federation will not be admitted to the seminar.

Referees must be no older than 55 years (age is determined by the year of birth).

**3. Conditions and conducting**

Accommodation, meals and transfer of participants are responsibilities of participants themselves. The sending organization takes charge of the costs associated with accommodation, meals and transfers of the participants of the seminar.

The participation fee for the seminar is 50 US dollars and to be paid at the accreditation (in cash, strictly in US dollars), and 50 US fee is charged for the exam.

To participate in the seminar, the referee must have a SAMBO uniform and a referee uniform.

The seminar is conducted in Spanish and English.

**4. Accreditation**

Each participant must register in the FIAS database on the seminar page.

Without an electronic application in the FIAS database, the participant will not be admitted to the seminar.

Admission of participants takes place at the accreditation point, which will be held on July 7, 2026 at the Sports Complex Polideportivo Monserrat, from 13:00 to 13:30.

During the accreditation each participant must provide the Accreditation Commission his passport or identity card.

## 5. Technical conditions

Those referees who successfully pass the exam will be awarded with certificates of FIAS international category **B level** (Continental referee).

Those referees, who fail to pass the exam, will be awarded with certificates of participants.

## 6. Visa support

All the participants will be provided with visa support, necessary for obtaining a visa to enter Costa Rica.

Sambo and Associated Sports Federation of Costa Rica will provide the visa support for referees according to an application in the FIAS Database.

## 7. Application

Applications from National Federations must be completed in the FIAS Database, by July 6, 2026. No other method of application is considered.

## 8. Contacts

Sambo and Associated Sports Federation of Costa Rica

Phone: (+506) 8844-7919

E-mail: [cremasanchez@yahoo.com](mailto:cremasanchez@yahoo.com)

## PAN AMERICAN REFEREES SEMINAR PROGRAM

July 7-8, 2026

Alajuela (Costa Rica)

<b>July 7 (Tuesday)</b>	
13:00-13:30	Accreditation of participants
13:30-15:00	Sports SAMBO Rules – theoretical studies
15:00-15:10	Combat SAMBO Rules – theoretical studies
15:10-17:40	Break
17:40-19:00	Answers to questions (Sports and Combat SAMBO Rules)
19:00-21:00	The self-study
<b>July 8 (Wednesday)</b>	
10:00-11:30	Beach SAMBO Rules – theoretical studies
11:30-13:00	Refereeing of Sports SAMBO Competitions – practical studies
13:00-14:00	Refereeing of Combat SAMBO Competitions – practical studies
14:00-14:30	Break
14:30-15:30	Exam for Category B (CSF)
15:30-16:00	Summation