



Coach Accreditation Framework - Fact Sheet

- Judo Australia (JA) is implementing a new 4-tiered Coach Accreditation Framework (CAF) to best deliver effective coach development at all levels in Australia
- The CAF will replace the previous NCAS Accreditation System (the Australian Sports Commission no longer uses the NCAS branding and sports can no longer use that terminology)
- The CAF is based upon an athlete centred approach and utilises a range of coach education delivery methods
- The CAF comprises the following 4 program levels:

<u>Program</u>	<u>Competency Level</u>	<u>Coordination</u>
Assistant Coach	Coaches of children and beginner Judoka	Club Head Coach/ Member State
Coach Judo	Coaches with experience effectively running a Judo session within a club environment across a range of athlete abilities	Member State
Senior Coach	Coaches with experience coaching club and state level Judoka across a range of age groups and abilities	Member State
Advanced Coach	Coaches of Judoka aiming for National level representation across a range of age groups	Judo Australia

- Anyone who has completed an IJF Academy Level 1 or Level 2 Instructor course can apply for CAF Senior Coach level accreditation, having met all the pre-requisite requirements for the that CAF level
- Anyone with a current NCAS coaching accreditation will be able to maintain that accreditation until its existing expiry date. Upon expiry they will be able to transition across to a CAF level accreditation, having met all the pre-requisite requirements for that relevant CAF level
- Anyone with an expired NCAS accreditation will be able to transition across to a new CAF level accreditation immediately, having met all the pre-requisite requirements for that relevant CAF level
- Transition levels from former NCAS system:

<u>Former NCAS Level</u>	<u>CAF Level</u>
Club	Coach Judo
State	Senior Coach
National	Senior Coach