



# 18th Annual USJF National Kata Conference

## August 2 - 4, 2018 • Honolulu, Hawaii

Sponsored by the USJF Kata Committee and the Judo Black Belt Association of Hawaii

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Conference website: <http://www.2018usjfkataconference.com/>

The United States Judo Federation (USJF) Kata Development Committee and the Judo Black Belt Association of Hawaii invite you to experience a rare opportunity to learn all 7 kata in Hawaii:

### Chief Clinician **Eiko Shepherd, 8<sup>th</sup> Dan**

USA International Coach  
USA World Master Level Instructor  
USA Kata Judge (National Class A - All 7 Kata)  
USJF Kata Chariperson - Kata Development  
National Youth Kata Coordinator  
Former Shiai Competitor  
Originally from the Kodokan, Tokyo, Japan



*Photo by: Brenda Stretch*

Shepherd Sensei will be assisted by:

- Wilina Monar, 4<sup>th</sup> Dan – Head Sensei, Soko Joshi Judo Club; Over 20 years instruction under Master Keiko Fukuda
- Leanne Oue, 2<sup>nd</sup> Dan – USJF Kata Committee Secretary, World Masters Gold Medalist in Nage-no-Kata, World Masters Bronze Medalist in Ju-no-Kata, Pan American Gold Medalist in Goshin Jutsu, Pan American Silver Medalist in Ju-no-Kata

## Conference Information

### Kata Conference Dates

August 2, 3, 4 (Thursday – Saturday)

### Conference Venue

Ala Wai Golf Course Ballroom  
404 Kapahulu Avenue  
Honolulu, HI 96815

### Conference Website

<http://www.2018usjfkataconference.com/>

### Kata to be Covered

Nage-no-Kata, Katame-no Kata, Ju-no-Kata, Kime-no-Kata, Goshin-Jutsu, Koshiki-no-Kata, Itsutsu-no-Kata

### Kata Conference Registration Fees

	Register by 6/30	Family Discount	Register 7/1 and on
3-day Conference	\$150	\$125	\$180
2-day Conference	\$125	N/A	\$150
1-day Conference	\$70	N/A	\$100
Youth 10-16	\$40 per day	N/A	\$50 per day

Registrations must be received by mail by 7/30/18. **No walk-in registration.**

### Hotel Information

Aston Waikiki Sunset  
229 Paoakalani Street  
Honolulu, HI 96815

Toll free registration: 1-855-534-9011 (Daily 7am – 5 pm Hawaii Standard Time)

Group rate: \$175/night + tax (must book by 6/30/18)

Kitchen, 1 Bedroom with double beds plus sofa bed in living room

Group name: 2018 USJF National Kata Conference

### Contact Information

For registration: Rodney Nakayama / (808) 629-7534 / [rodney@satocpa.com](mailto:rodney@satocpa.com)

For all other matters: Gary Hashiro / (808) 543-7767 / [ghashiro@hawaii.rr.com](mailto:ghashiro@hawaii.rr.com)

Conference T-shirt information to follow later.

# Registration Form

To qualify for Pre-registration, form and payment must be received by 6/30.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Dojo \_\_\_\_\_

Belt color/Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Card: USJF, USA Judo, USJA (circle one) Card# \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. date \_\_\_\_\_

*You must present a current card before participating*

If assistance/accommodation is needed (check appropriate item):

Vision Loss/Blindness \_\_\_\_\_ Hearing Loss/Deafness \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please specify the type of assistance/accommodation requested or name of person assisting: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact/Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate line:

	<u>Pre-reg (thru 6/30)</u>	<u>After 6/30</u>
___ 3-day conference	\$150	\$180
___ 2-day conference (check days attending) ___ Thu ___ Fri ___ Sat	\$125	\$150
___ 1-day conference (check day attending) ___ Thu ___ Fri ___ Sat	\$70	\$100
___ Youth ages 10-16 (check days attending) ___ Thu ___ Fri ___ Sat	\$40/day	\$50/day

**Send registration to:**

JBBAH  
2018 USJF National Kata Conference  
P.O. Box 22411  
Honolulu, HI 96823-2411

**Make checks payable to:**

JBBAH

## Daily Schedule

(Schedule of events tentative and subject to change)

August 2, 3, 4, 2018

<b>Thursday, August 2</b>	<b>Day 1</b>	
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Registration and Check in	
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Opening Ceremony	
9:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Ju no Kata	Sensei Monar/Sensei Oue
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch Break	
1:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Kime no Kata	Sensei Shepherd
4:00 PM	End of Day 1	

<b>Friday, August 3</b>	<b>Day 2</b>	
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Goshin Jutsu	Sensei Shepherd
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch Break	
1:30 PM – 2:00 PM	Rejuvenation practice	Sensei Shepherd
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Katame no Kata	Sensei Monar/Sensei Oue
4:00 PM	End of Day 2	

<b>Saturday, August 4</b>	<b>Day 3</b>	
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Nage No Kata	Sensei Shepherd
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch Break	
1:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Itsutsu no Kata/Koshiki no Kata	Sensei Shepherd/Sensei Monar
4:00 PM – 4:30 PM	Conference Closing Ceremony	

**WARNING!**  
**WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE**

In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way, including travel to and from, in any Judo tournament, practice, clinic, and related events and activities ("Activity") of the **United States Judo Federation, Inc., USA Judo/United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Association, Inc., Judo Black Belt Association of Hawaii, Inc., Hawaii Boys & Girls Club Judo, Boys & Girls Club of Hawaii, and City and County of Honolulu**, I agree:

1. I understand the nature of Judo activities and believe I am qualified to participate in such Activity. I also understand the rules governing the sport of Judo.

2. I further acknowledge that prior to participating, I will inspect the mats, equipment, facilities, competition pools or divisions, and the elimination or scoring system to be used, and if I believe anything is unsafe or beyond my capability, I will immediately advise my coach, supervisor, and/or a tournament official of such conditions and refuse to participate.

3. I acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in a contact sport that might result in serious injury, illness or disease, including permanent disability or death, and severe social and economic losses due not only to my own actions, inactions or negligence, but also to the actions, inactions, or negligence of others, the rules of the sport of Judo, or conditions of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, I acknowledge that there may be other risks not known to me or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.

4. Knowing the risks involved in the sport of Judo, I assume all such risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, illness, disease, permanent disability, or death.

5. I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the **United States Judo Federation, Inc., USA Judo/United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Association, Inc., Judo Black Belt Association of Hawaii, Inc., Hawaii Boys & Girls Club Judo, Boys & Girls Club of Hawaii, and City and County of Honolulu**, together with their affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, officers, agents, coaches, and other employees or volunteers of the organization, event officials, medical personnel, other participants, their parents, legal guardians, supervisors and coaches, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners, lessors, and lessees of premises used in conducting the event, all of whom are hereinafter referred to as "Releasees", from any and all litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage or costs on account of injury, illness, disease, including permanent disability and death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Releasees or otherwise to the fullest extent permitted by law.

**I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WARNING, WAIVER, AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND KNOWING THIS, SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE. I AGREE TO PARTICIPATE KNOWING THE RISKS AND CONDITIONS INVOLVED AND DO SO ENTIRELY OF MY OWN FREE WILL. I AFFIRM THAT I AM AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE, OR, IF I AM UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, I HAVE OBTAINED THE REQUIRED CONSENT OF MY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN AS EVIDENCED BY THEIR SIGNATURE BELOW. I INTEND THIS TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THAT THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**FOR PARENTS/LEGAL GUARDIANS OF PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE  
(UNDER AGE 18 AT TIME OF REGISTRATION)**

This is to certify that I, as parent/legal guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release, as provided above, of all the Releasees, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation including litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage or costs which may incur as the result of the minor child's participation in these programs as provided above, even if arising from their negligence, to the fullest extent permitted by law. I have instructed the minor participant as to the above warnings and conditions and their ramifications.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian

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Parent/Legal Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date