

ALL STYLES COMBAT FIGHTING SOUTH AFRICA

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OFFICIAL MASA / MA & GCSA / SASC&OC TITLE & RECORD

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To Whom It May Concern:

The Martial Arts Authority (MASA) of South Africa was created in 1994 and is a Department of the South African Government.

The prime objective of the organization is the unification of various Martial Arts under one government regulated organization, which is managed using the fundamental principles of integrity, fairness, non-discrimination, oversight and accountability.

This in itself was a giant step forward, as it would not only ensure that there would not be any discrimination based on the grounds of race, gender, marital status, ethnic or social origin, colour sexual orientation, age, disability, religion, conscience, belief, culture, birth or HIV/AIDS status, but it would also ensure that all types of Martial Arts be accommodated without any discrimination towards any sport / art and its origins.

The Martial Arts & Games Committee South Africa ("MA&GCSA") is a national government department which is bound by strong ethical principles, as well as an institution which assists smaller groups with administrative training and guidance, so that they ultimately conform to the recognition criteria as stipulated by the South Africa Sports Council & Olympic Committee ("SASC&OC") and the constitution of Martial Arts Association of South Africa ("MASA").

Diversities

Due to MASA being an organization for all martial arts, it is in fact a multi-coded sports organization, which concerns itself with martial arts specifically.

MASA has opted to adopt a unique structure which accommodates even the smallest group and ensures that all groups have equal input and voting rights, thus large individual styles cannot use MASA as their individual powerbase to control the other groups.

Structure

MASA does not have provincial organizations as this could cause some smaller groups from being excluded in various decision making processes, but instead MASA has opted for a block representation system, ensuring that all organizations through their democratically elected representatives form part of the National Executive Council of MASA. When a new affiliate becomes part of MASA, they are placed in a "block", which is a committee specifically concerning itself with the functioning of martial arts that has its origin in a specific region. The following blocks exist in MASA at present:

- Japanese Weapons
- Japanese Throwing Arts
- Korean Martial Arts
- Mixed Martial Arts
- Sports Martial Arts
- Pankration
- Amateur Kick Boxing



Consequently, in light of the mission and spirit of Martial Arts & Games Committee, South Africa ("MA & GCSA") this body is committed to verification and preservation of Historical Facts and in completing its due diligence does without reservation, hereby **FULLY AND DEFINITELY ACKNOWLEDGE, SANCTION AND VERIFY THE WORLD RECORDS AND CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES AS RECORDED IN THIS DOCUMENT, ESTABLISHED BY MR. FRANK W. DUX**, listed (pages 3 & 4); whose achievements the 1988 motion picture Bloodsport is based upon with his winning the legendary "KUMITE" predecessor to Mixed Martial Arts events. For which Mr. Frank W. Dux is inducted into USA Hall Of Fame as a "**Living Legend**", May 10th. 2008.

This body further officially recognizes and equally confers upon him his NBC Television Sports given title as, "**The Godfather of Mixed Martial Arts.**"

MA & GCSA / MASA does hereby officially recognize and acknowledge as in keeping with the spirit of Kano Jigaro's legacy, Mr. Frank W. Dux Martial Arts Lineage under his Instructor Jack Seki, USA Jujutsu Champion 1966 - 1973 (student of Kano Jigaro), Mr. Frank W. Dux is a Grandmaster / Soke / Hanshi / Founder of his own Original Martial Arts System, entitled: Dux FASST, Dux Ryu, Dux Ryu Ninjutsu and is acknowledged (pg.10) "**Source Contributor**" to *US Navy SEAL Spec War CFC manual (k431-0097)*.

Based upon Mr. Frank W. Dux globally observable celebrity, community service, philanthropy, professionalism and verified Martial Arts Championship Titles & World Record achievements MASA / MA & GCSA does hereby endorse, promote and support "**The Frank Dux Fellowship Award.**" as is originally established by martial arts and business community leaders in Mexico City, Mexico 2003.

CERTIFICATE OF TITLE & RECORD



MASA / MA & GCSA does hereby, irrevocably, proclaim, verify and sanction Hanshi, Frank W. Dux Martial Art WORLD RECORD ACHIEVEMENTS and CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES INDEPENDENT OF THE VERIFICATION AND SANCTIONING BY OTHER ORGANIZATIONS (e.g. *International Fighting Arts Association, USA Martial Arts Hall Of Fame & Alliance, Black Dragon Fighting Society, Imperial in addition to Mass Media e.g. Black Belt, Katana, Bushido and Artes Marciales magazines, etc. USA NBC News, etc.*), AS LISTED AS FOLLOWS:

SOKE FRANK W. DUX

(10th Degree of 10 Degrees of Proficiency)

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TITLES

BLACK DRAGON FIGHTING SOCIETY • KOKURYUKAI
IMPERIAL • INTERNATIONAL FIGHTING ARTS ASSOCIATION • ALLIANCE

World Heavyweight Full-Contact Kumite Champion (undefeated)
(1975 – 1980)

Freestyle Weapons / Forms Champion
(1975 – 1980)

WORLD RECORDS

- 1975 – Most consecutive knockouts (for a single / 18mo Tournament) – 56
- 1975 – Fastest recorded Kumite knockout – 3.2 seconds
- 1975 – Fastest recorded punch resulting in knockout – .12 seconds
- 1975 – Fastest recorded kick resulting in knockout – 72 mph
- 1975 – Shortest knockout time average for a fight career – 01.20 seconds
- 1975 – First to achieve IFAA weapons / Forms score of a perfect “10”
- 1978 – First Kumite fighter to exceed 300 matches
- 1980 – First Kumite fighter to be undefeated with over 100 matches
- 1980 – Final Kumite fight record – 329 matches undefeated
- 1990 – Chi Kung “Tug of War” (Standing one leg) – 66 people Switzerland


- 1993 – First and only Martial Artist to break Bullet Proof Glass bare hand International Martial Arts Festival, Bercy Stadium, Paris, France
- 1993 – Chi Kung “Tug of War” (kneeling position) 23 people Switzerland
- 1993 – Jack Daniels – Whiskey Bottle Break via Descending Vertical Palm Heel Strike, International Martial Arts Festival, Bercy Stadium, Paris, France

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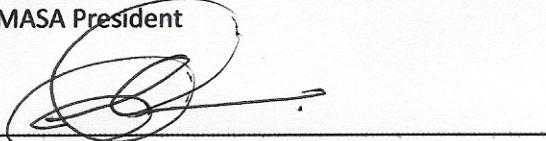
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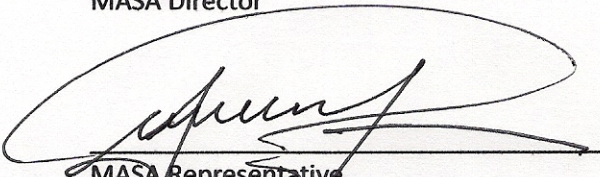
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