NCKA Eligibility Requirements

- 1. Full time college student (undergraduate or graduate) in good academic standing (2.0 GPA for undergraduate and 3.0 GPA for graduate students on a 4.0 scale for the most recent completed semester). Individual and team event contestant rules follow the official ISKF rules.
- All team members must attend the same University and/or College. (Teams may consist of members who attend multi-campuses within one University system.)
- 3. Permission to compete from the Regional ISKF Director.
- 4. Collegiate contestants have 4 academic years in which to complete their NCKA eligibility. The 4 years may be non-consecutive, and without an age limitation (excepting that kumite age restrictions will be according to ISKF rules — 45 years of age).
- Regional Directors will be responsible for insuring ISKF membership dues are current and validating student eligibility status as regards full-time attendance, academic standing, and number of participating years.

NCKA tournaments are open to all college students practicing Shotokan Karate.

Contest rules of the ISKF are used for all individual and team events.