



2016 Chicago DanceSport Challenge

A National Qualifying Event

Presented by the Chicagoland Chapter #2001

October 28 - October 30, 2016

TEACHER-STUDENT EVENTS

A Teacher-Student event consists of a DanceSport Athlete and a partner. The partner may consist of a male or female teacher, regardless of the sex of the DanceSport Athlete. The Teacher must be a registered Professional Athlete or a DanceSport Athlete. This will add lots of fun to the competition, so dancers are encouraged to bring their instructors. Our competition is less expensive than typical Pro-Am events, plus we have more fun.

RULES FOR TEACHER-STUDENT EVENTS

The following definitions and rules apply for Teacher Student couples in the 2016 USA Dance Chicago DanceSport Challenge:

Student: The Student must be a USA Dance Athlete member in good standing and may be of any age and either sex. The Student is the only partner judged.

Teacher: The Teacher may be of any age and either sex, regardless of the age and sex of the Student. The Teacher is not judged. The Teacher must be either a USA Dance Athlete or Professional Athlete member in good standing.

A Teacher may partner with multiple Students in multiple age divisions, levels and disciplines, but not the same event with more than one student, per the rules of entry and registration.

Eligible Events: The event eligibility rules apply only to the age, sex, and proficiency level of the Student. The Student will be judged against other Students in the same age, sex, and level categories that are also dancing with Teacher partners. Otherwise, all the eligibility rules of the Chicago DanceSport Championship apply to entries by T/S couples.

A T/S couple may not compete in other events as a non-T/S couple. However, the Student may enter other events with other amateur partners that are not dancing as a Teacher, and the standard rules will apply to those entries. If the Teacher Partner is an amateur DanceSport Adult Athlete, then they have all the options available to them as any other amateur DanceSport Adult Athlete, with their regular partner.