

***Invitation to IOF Ski Orienteering Event Advisers' Clinic  
Boden, Sweden, Tuesday 23 July 2013  
in conjunction with O-Ringen Boden 2013***

This Event Advisers' Clinic is organised for the education and recruitment of new IOF licensed Ski Orienteering Event Advisers and organisers. National federations are asked to identify and enter suitable candidates.

**\*\*\*\* Outline of the Clinic \*\*\*\***

**Organiser:** IOF Ski Orienteering Commission

**Date & time:** Tuesday 23 July 08:00-17:00

**Clinic site:** O-Ringen city, Boden Arena – soccer stadium

**Course Objectives and requirements:** The main objective of this IOF Event Advisers' Clinic is to prepare participants to be licensed Ski Orienteering Event Advisers. The requirements for licensing are:

1. Be an active ski orienteer.
2. Have competed in countries other than your own.
3. Have controlled or played a major part in the organisation of National or International standard SkiO events in the last 3 years.
4. Be competent in the English language.
5. Have attended, and have been an active participant in, an IOF SkiO Event Advisers' Clinic.
6. Be familiar with the IOF Rules and other relevant publications.
7. Be recognised as an expert in SkiO and endorsed as suitable by your Federation.

**Course Content:**

- Understanding of the task of an IOF Event Adviser
- Deeper understanding of the nature of ski orienteering and each format (long, middle, sprint, relay)
- Understanding of the IOF rules and requirements for international competition

**Accommodation & meals:** O-Ringen competitors may already have accommodation booked for the week.

Otherwise we recommend the O-Ringen website to find accommodation

Lunch on Tuesday is included in the Clinic entry fee.

**Travel:** Boden can be reached by train or airplane, more information at [www.oringen.se](http://www.oringen.se)  
English - [http://www.oringen.se/english/travel.37\\_en.html](http://www.oringen.se/english/travel.37_en.html)  
Swedish - <http://www.oringen.se/resa/sareserdutillboden.2235.html>

- Material:** The following IOF publications will be used at the clinic:
- Competition Rules for IOF Ski Orienteering Events
  - International Specification for Ski Orienteering Maps
  - International Specification for Control Descriptions
  - IOF Event Adviser and Organiser Guidelines related to World Ranking Events and IOF major events.
- The material is available at the IOF website [www.orienteeing.org](http://www.orienteeing.org) and shall be read through beforehand.
- If possible, please bring with you some map examples of ski orienteering events in your home country.
- Course leader:** Wolfgang Pötsch, IOF Event Adviser  
For any questions about the clinic program, please contact:  
[wolfgang-poetsch@aon.at](mailto:wolfgang-poetsch@aon.at)
- Language:** English
- Deadline for entries:** **By 1st July 2013**, minimum number of participants is 6.
- Entry & enquiries:** Please send your entry by email to [info@oringen.se](mailto:info@oringen.se)  
Any enquiries can be sent to the same address.
- Note the requirement for endorsement by the federation. It is generally best if the delegate sends the form to the federation who endorse it and send it to O-Ringen, at [info@oringen.se](mailto:info@oringen.se) or O-Ringen, Forskargatan 3, 781 70 Borlänge
- The entry fee is 500 SEK. This should be paid on arrival or in advance. An invoice can be sent if required.
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