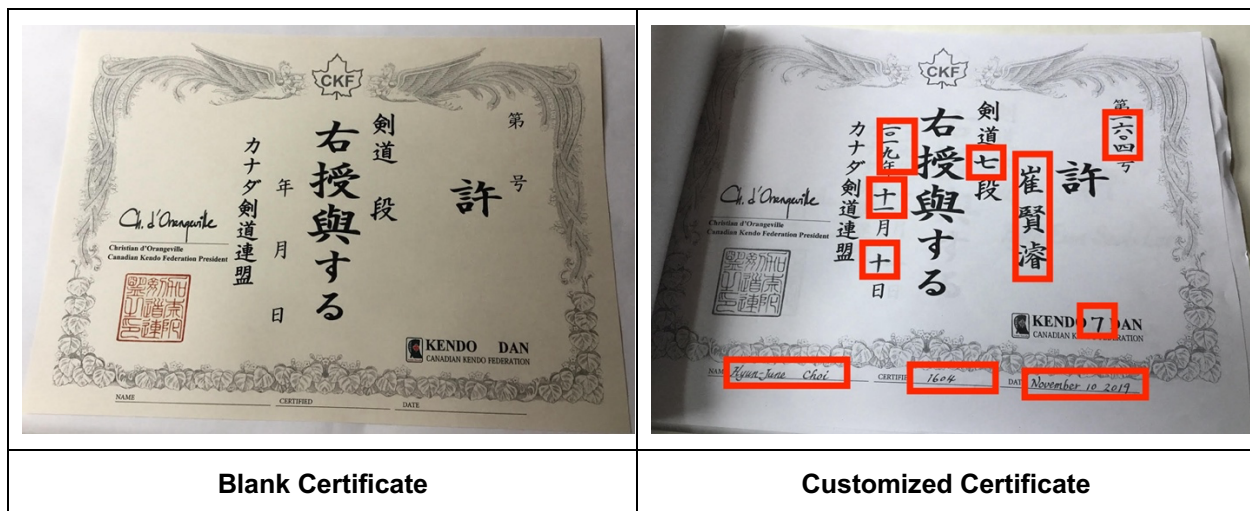


Position: Japanese Certificate Calligrapher

The Canadian Kendo Federation is seeking a Japanese Calligrapher (Sodouka) to customize certificates for its grading and award certificates. This position requires a commitment in January and June to produce 20-30 certificates each year. Work can be done from home. Details on qualification, responsibilities, and compensation are outlined below.

Qualification:

Candidates must be experienced writing kanji, hiragana, and katakana in the Kaisho style with a thin bristle brush (Moushitsu brush/pen), and writing names in English with a standard calligraphy pen. Please see the example below. The candidate must be organized and detailed oriented.



Responsibilities:

The Canadian Kendo Federation holds gradings through the year and certificate requests will be consolidated in January and June. Work can be completed within one calendar month. Arrangements for shipment or delivery will be evaluated based on the location of the candidate.

Compensation:

For each grading season, the successful candidate will receive a base stipend of \$100 and a \$25 honorarium per certificate. As an example, if there are 20 certificates required in January, then the total compensation would be $\$100 + (\$25 \times 20) = \$600$.

Application:

Interested volunteers should apply via email in English, French, or Japanese to Makiko Ara at mara@kendo-canada.com. Please include a short introduction to your Japanese Calligraphy experience and a sample of some writing.

About the Canadian Kendo Federation:

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