

# CIVA Committees and Working Groups: 2023



## COMMITTEES

### Rules Committee (RC)

<u>Matthieu Roulet</u> – Chairman	FRA	<i>The Rules Committee is responsible for the development of Section-6 Part-1 regulations and all associated documents, and manages the mid-year RC &amp; JC meeting to assess the suitability of proposed regulatory changes in advance of their detailed review and adoption / rejection by the CIVA plenary each</i>
Hanspeter Rohner	SUI	
Mike Heuer	USA	
Pekka Havbrandt	SWE	
Philippe K�uchler	SUI	
Pierre Varloteaux	FRA	

### Judging Committee (JC)

<u>Pierre Varloteaux</u> – Chairman	FRA	<i>The Judging Committee appoints international judges for all CIVA championships, monitors judging standards, reviews and develops aerobatic judging regulations for best practice, and reports to the CIVA plenary each year.</i>
Alex Moore	ESP	
Madelyne Delcroix	FRA	
Mike Gallaway	USA	
Quintin Hawthorne	RSA	
Steve Todd	GBR	

### Catalogue Committee (CC)

<u>Jim Bourke</u> – Chairman	USA	<i>The Catalogue Committee monitors the power and glider Aresti Aerobatic Catalogues for appropriate content, reviews and assesses proposals for new figures, and provides its recommendations to the CIVA plenary each year.</i>
Aaron Deliu	AUS	
Eduardo Bolster	ARG	
Cyrial Talon	LUX	
Leone Gambardella	ITA	
Nick Buckenham	GBR	

### Glider Aerobatic Committee (GAC)

<u>Pekka Havbrandt</u> – Chairman	SWE	<i>The Glider Aerobatic Committee is responsible for all aspects of CIVA's glider aerobatic regulations, including review of glider Free Known figure master sets, and provides its recommendations to the CIVA plenary each year.</i>
Ferenc Toth	HUN	
Jerzy Makula	POL	
Madelyne Delcroix	FRA	
Philippe Hilker	GER	
Philippe K�uchler	SUI	

### Information and Communication Technology Committee (ICTC)

<u>Ringo Massa</u> – Chairman	NED	<i>The Information and Communication Technology Committee monitors and reviews all IT and communication systems operated at CIVA championships, and provides its recommendations to the CIVA plenary each year.</i>
Chris Sills	GBR	
Eduardo Bolster	ARG	
Kari Kemppe	FIN	
Vladimir Machula	CZE	

## WORKING GROUPS

### Known Figures Analysis

#### Working Group (KAWG)

<u>Hanspeter Rohner</u> – Chairman	SUI
<u>Pekka Havbrandt</u> – Chairman	SWE
Alan Cassidy	GBR
Coco Bessiere	FRA
Nigel Hopkins	RSA
Rob Holland	USA

*The Known Assessment Working Group takes the Free Known 5-figuree master sets submitted by NAC's each year as the basis for their considerations. To achieve the best solutions they may suggest revisions to the authors of submitted sets, and also add sets of their own design where they consider this is necessary and/or appropriate.*

### Safety Working Group (SWG)

<u>Hanspeter Rohner</u> – Chairman	SUI
Others as co-opted	

*The Safety Working Group is an advisory Working Group acting as the focal point to foster the highest levels of safety in all CIVA activities. Its primary aim is to providing recommendations and guidance on any matter associated with safety, through its own work and findings, or on request by any stakeholder in CIVA (e.g. CIVA Bureau, Committees, other Working Groups, NACs, competitors, championship officials and organisers) which may then make appropriate decisions or prepare formal proposals in the light of the SWG advice.*

### The Media Working Group (MWG)

<u>Eric Lentz Gauthier</u> – chairman	USA
<u>Pekka Havbrandt</u>	SWE
Others TBA	

*The overall aim of the MWG will be to make a positive contribution to the public image of international aerobatics and establish working relationships with potential sources of commercial and/or corporate interest. CIVA's "World Aerobatics" Facebook and Instagram social media streams provide the core range of information from championships, pilots and their NAC's, supported by reference data on many topics provided by this website.*

### Strategic Planning Group (SPG)

<u>Nick Buckenham</u> – Chairman	GBR
Alan Cassidy	GBR
Matthieu Roulet	FRA
Mike Heuer	USA

*The Strategic Planning Group reviews, develops and reports on matters of strategic value to CIVA's operational status at all international aerobatic championships, and provides its recommendations to the plenary each year.*

### FairPlay System Working Group (FPWG)

<u>Nick Buckenham</u> – Chairman	GBR
Doug Lovell	USA
Gilles Guillemard	FRA
Vladimir Machula	CZE

*Development of the FairPlay System as operated by CIVA's championship results calculation software is controlled by this working group, which reports its recommendations to the plenary each year.*

### Contest Organisation

#### Working Group (COWG)

<u>Nick Buckenham</u> – Chairman	GBR
Madelyne Delcroix	FRA
Vladimir Machula	CZE

*The COWG monitors the operational use and correctness of working practices carried out by Contest Organisers and CIVA officers at CIVA championships in accordance with Section-6 and other regulations, and reports upon their effectiveness to the plenary each year.*