

Frequently Asked Questions about Belt Examination

1. Who is organizing this high-level belt examination?
By the [decree of our late Grandmaster Le Sang on creation of the Masters Council of Overseas Network](#) (also known as Overseas Vovinam Viet Vo Dao Management Council), one of the council's charters is providing oversight and organizing high-level belt examinations for all overseas Vovinam associations in promoting and expanding the Vovinam organization. Traditionally every two years, the overseas members host a general assembly and organize a high-level belt examination. On this 5th General Assembly in **Paris, France**, a belt examination for red and yellow belts will be taking place at the same location.
2. Who can participate in the international belt examination 2019?
All Vovinam disciples in the world, regardless of your affiliation, country of your residence, if you qualify with Vovinam techniques, meet all specific requirements, may apply to participate in this belt examination. All application will be reviewed and you will be notified of your eligibility promptly.
3. How much is the cost for participating in this examination?
A nominal fee of 50 USD (44 Euros) is required. Please make payment at the same time as you submit your application.
4. I would like to take this belt examination, what are the conditions for me to participate?
If you meet the following requirements you will be qualify to take the belt examination:
 - a) Can demonstrate all technical skills expected for the belt level you're planning to take
 - b) Show proof of completion for the current belt level (or proof of completion by Vovinam officials)
 - c) Meet the maturation time requirement since last belt examination and demonstrate some contributions to the development of Vovinam discipline.
 - d) For red-belt level, complete a martial art thesis per instructions
 - e) Submit belt-examination application and pay the fees

For more information, you're encouraged to visit our website at www.vovinamoverseas.com.

5. When will the belt examination take place?
The belt examination and grading will commence in the morning of July 6, 2019 in Paris France. If you travel from afar, please arrange your travel schedule to arrive in advance for this event and participate in test review sessions. You can find out more at www.vovinamoverseas.com.
6. Do I need to participate in the General Assembly event to take the belt examination?
Yes. All belt examination candidates must register for attending the General Assembly 05 as the belt examination and grading is a part of the General Assembly venues.
7. When is the last day to sign up for the belt examination?
All applicants must submit required application forms and documents prior to May 31, 2019. We strongly encourage you to check out details of [Belt Examination Requirements](#) for your preparation and planning.
8. If I have follow-up questions, where would I post them?

You can use your mobile phone to scan the attached QR tag for information and links to online resources.



For all questions regarding belt examination, please send them to lienlacvovinam@gmail.com and we will respond timely.