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Illinois Department of
Financial and Professional Regulation

Division of Professional Regulation

**Registration
qualifications for:
Professional or Amateur
Full Contact Martial Arts
(FCMA) Promoter
(002)**

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READ ME FIRST

The Division of Professional Regulation hopes that you will find the below useful in successfully applying for registration in the State of Illinois. Carefully review this information as it will assist you in applying for your registration and eliminate any processing delays.

Important:

- An application is active until the expiration date of Athletics' licenses (every 9/30 of the odd numbered year) from the date of receipt by the Department
- Before contacting the Department, [please review our FAQs](#) for answers to most questions.
- If your question is not addressed in our FAQ's, please contact the department at 1-800-560-6420 or [email us](#)

LICENSE QUALIFICATIONS

Experience:

Experience must comply with the requirements of Section 1370.420 of the Administrative Rules

REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

You must submit the following:

1. A copy of current government issued photo identification (e.g., driver's license, passport).
2. Proof of age (e.g., driver's license or copy of birth certificate).
3. Social Security Number or tax identification number, as appropriate.
4. A passport style photo.
5. The required fee set forth in Section 1370.30.
6. Proof of a surety bond of no less than \$5,000, to cover financial obligations.
7. Proof of a performance bond of no less than \$10,000 guaranteeing payment of all obligations relating to the promotional activities

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ONCE LICENSED

- All Professional or Amateur FCMA Promoter licenses expire on September 30th of each odd-numbered year, regardless of issuance date
- It is your responsibility to update your contact information including email address with the Department to ensure that you receive all courtesy renewal email reminders and other notifications.