



# The Isshinryu World Karate Association

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12563	Anthony	Floyd	3	10/1/03	Heidi Gauntner		
22212	Frank	App	3	10/1/03	Heidi Gauntner		
21191	John	Young	3	6/17/06	Hanshi Duessel		
39089	Edward	Grace	3	7/26/08	John Hughes		
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34184	Lori	Healy	2	7/9/05	John Hughes		
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22152	Antonio	Fernandez	2	2/4/12	Heidi Gauntner		
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29044	Bobby	Jones	1	11/1/07	Cyndy Jones		
31245	Paul	Bartlett	1	11/1/07	Cyndy Jones		
32071	Bob	Jones	1	11/1/07	Cyndy Jones		
32146	Chris	Speigel	1	11/1/07	Cyndy Jones		
30134	Johnny	Papa	1	2/6/08	Cyndy Jones		
30135	Louie	Papa	1	2/6/08	Cyndy Jones		
30136	Louis	Papa	1	2/6/08	Cyndy Jones		
31253	Scott	Lang	1	2/6/08	Cyndy Jones		
32077	Brad	Lang	1	2/6/08	Cyndy Jones		
33187	Justin	Hopkins	1	2/6/08	Cyndy Jones		
33066	Ryan	Lucht	1	6/21/08	Heidi Gauntner		
38032	Thomas	Healy	1	7/26/08	John Hughes		
19185	Rob	Oelhaf	1	11/8/08	Hanshi Duessel		
36062	Roger	Pollina	1	2/7/09	John Hughes		
32063	Keith	Agar	1	6/1/09	Cyndy Jones		
36079	Jason	Ephraim	1	6/1/09	Cyndy Jones		
39143	Anthony	Ferrari	1	6/1/09	Cyndy Jones		
36061	Brandon	Folkes	1	7/26/09	John Hughes		
36132	Ryan	Ammermann	1	7/26/09	John Hughes		

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42178	Matthew	Blair	1	6/29/11	Tom Laurent		
35197	Anthony	Monaco	1	2/4/12	Heidi Gauntner		
16207	Robert	Kulick	1	8/3/13	John Hughes		
41162	Shirley	Zavala	1	8/3/13	John Hughes		
41188	Scott	Conroy	1	8/3/13	John Hughes		
33179	Robert	White	1	10/20/13	Hanshi Duessel		
35155	Jamie	Bambraugh	1	10/20/13	Hanshi Duessel		
35156	Justin	Filey	1	11/3/13	Hanshi Duessel		
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