

Kukkiwon Selects New President Oh Hyun Duk



The Kukkiwon, the World Taekwondo Headquarters (Chairman of the Board, Hong Moon Jong) selected Ph.D. Oh Hyun Duk as the new president.

The Kukkiwon held The 2016 First Extraordinary Board meeting at the Kukkiwon at 11am on June 3 (Fri) led by the Chairman of the Board of Kukkiwon Hong Moon Jong with 10 of the current 12 members of board of directors present. At this Extraordinary Board meetings, the Acting President Oh Hyun Duk was selected as the new president.

The New President Oh Hyun Duk has been the Acting President on behalf of previous President Jeong Mansoon, who had retired on May 26. He was appointed as the Standing Auditor of Kukkiwon in 2010, and successively served as the President of World Taekwondo Academy (WTA), and Vice President, to be mentioned as the candidate to lead Kukkiwon as the president with his administrative power and driving force.

The New President Oh Hyun Duk stated, "I am fairly new, but will fully devote myself with the help of all the executives and employees of Kukkiwon to contribute to the development of Kukkiwon and Taekwondo." He also added, "I will do my best so that the culture of communicating and living in harmony may be well established in the Taekwondo world."

[Profile of the new president Ph.D. Oh Hyun Duk]

- Kyung Hee University Graduate School
- Taekwondo instructor and head of Demonstration team at the Korean Army
- Served as a Taekwondo examiner at Department of Defense
- Kyung Hee University, School of Tourism Adjunct Professor
- Director of Training Institute of the Korea Freedom Federation

Sincerely Yours,



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