



USA Climbing Level 2 Routesetting Clinic – Application

Clinic Information:

Chief Instructor: Luke Bertelsen

Dates: November 27th – 29th 2018

Location: Momentum Climbing; Houston, TX (exact gym locations TBD)

Times: 8:00am – 6:00pm each day

Cost: \$400.00 (50% refunded upon cancellation)

Application Deadline: Monday 5:00pm MTN, October 15th, 2018

Clinic Details:

This Level 2 Clinic will focus on on-sight specific competition routesetting, with time spent covering bouldering and sport-climbing disciplines as well as USA Climbing formats and rules, and organizational and leadership skills. The goals include providing instruction and evaluation of effective competition routesetting and forerunning, and also to provide a strong overview of USA Climbing structured competition formats, judging, and scoring at the Championship Levels. Each setter will complete boulders and routes to test for their competency in USA Climbing competition routesetting with an emphasis on the USAC youth categories and onsight routesetting. Upon successful completion, routesetters will receive Level 2 Certification.

Outstanding participants may receive specific endorsements based on their performance (L2 Bouldering and L2 Sport), acknowledging they are qualified to be a Chief Routesetter in either or both of these disciplines at the USAC Regional Level.

The Clinic is \$400.00 and if you are accepted to the clinic, you will receive an email with a link to where you can register and pay online through USA Climbing. We are limiting participation to 12 people, and those who have a current Level 1 Certification and significant experience setting for USAC Youth Bouldering and/or Sport Championship Level Competitions will take precedence. You must have significant on-sight competition routesetting experience to apply for this clinic and must be able to work 5.12 and V7 comfortably.

Our goal is to expand the network of qualified routesetters across the country so we are interested in people from different regions of the country as well. A current USAC Routesetter Membership (\$55) is mandatory.

Please contact the Chief Instructor, Luke Bertelsen at luke@rocksandropes.com with any questions, or the Administrator of the Routesetting Clinic and Certification Program, Chris Danielson, at cdanielson@gthi.com. Complete the information below and forward via email.

Application Information:

Name:

Have you completed a USAC Level 1 Routesetting Clinic in the past? Please list the location, date and Instructor(s).

Answer Here:

Have you set for USAC Sanctioned competitions in the past 4 years? If so, what are the highest level events you have set for, and for each of those events, did you have the role of Chief Routesetter, or Assistant? Please list up to 10 competitions.

Answer Here:

Do you currently set at a climbing gym? If so - where and for how long? Who is the Chief Routesetter?

Answer Here:

Why are you interested in attending this Level 2 Clinic? What are your goals in advancing as a routesetter for USA Climbing events? Please use space on the next page as desired.

Answer Here:

Routesetting References:

GENERAL ROUTESETTING REFERENCES. Please list up to 3 general routesetting references – this may be Managers or Chief Routesetters at gyms you have experience at, Regional Coordinators, or other climbing professionals with whom you have worked and are familiar with your routesetting background:

List References Here:

COMPETITION REFERENCES. Please list up to 3 Level 4/5 USAC Certified Routesetters that you have worked with at competitions and also name the competition(s) and date(s) when you have worked with them:

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