



# Introducing the judges for this year's

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# Rita Sayara Coutinho de Oliveira

# Brazil

Rita Sayara Coutinho de Oliveira is a Brazilian lawyer, and a member of the Board of Arbitrators of the Brazilian Confederation of Cynophilia (Confederação Brasileira de Cinofilia — CBKC), a Brazilian FCI-affiliated organisation.

She breeds Boxers, Rottweilers, Chihuahuas and Dobermanns and has also bred Labrador

Retrievers, English Pointers, Border Collies, German Spitz and Shih-Tzu.

She has judged in several states of Brazil and also in Argentina, Uruguay, Mexico, the Philippines, Ecuador, Venezuela, the Dominican Republic, Peru, Colombia and Guatemala. Judged the important Pre-National show of the Boxer breed in 2023.

She was the founder and second president of the Lauro de Freitas Kennel Club, currently the Grande Bahia Kennel Club (GBKC), in the city of Lauro de Freitas-Bahia, Brazil, and is a former vice-president of the Bahia Cynological Federation. She is currently a member of the Deliberative Council of the Grande Bahia Kennel Club and General Ombudsman of CBKC.

# Antonio Cesar Dantas de Oliveira

## Brazil

Antonio Cesar Dantas de Oliveira is an International Judge All Rounder.

Graduated in economics and law. Retired tax auditor from the Secretary of Finance of the State of Bahia. Breeder of Boxers, Rottweilers and Dobermanns since 1988, as owner of Ramanes's Kennel. He has also bred Labrador Retrievers, English Pointers, Border Collies, German Spitz, Shih-Tzu and Chihuahuas.



He was the founder and first president of the Lauro de Freitas Kennel Club, currently the Grande Bahia Kennel Club (GBKC) in the city of Lauro de Freitas-Bahia, Brazil. He is former president of the Federation Cynological of Bahia and a former member of the CBKC Deliberative Council. He is a former member of the CBKC Disciplinary Board and is currently member of the Deliberative Council of the Grande Bahia Kennel Club.

Judge All Rounder since 1995 by the Confederação Brasileira de Cinofilia (CBKC), Brazilian organisation affiliated to FCI. His judging specialisation is for Boxers and Rottweilers. He judged in several states of Brazil and also in El Salvador, Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Uruguay, Paraguay, Mexico, Taiwan, Philippines, Ecuador, Venezuela, Dominican Republic, Peru, Colombia and Guatemala.

He had the honor of participating as one of the judges of the World Dog Show Brazil in 2004 and the World Dog Show Brazil in 2022. He also participated in SICALAM Bolivia 2022 as a judge.



# **Doug Bowe**

# Australia

Doug Bowe is a Dogs Australia All Breeds judge, who started judging in 1984 and is both an accredited trainee judge assessor and accredited breed assessor. His specialist breeds are Dobermann, Pointer, Fox Terrier (Smooth), and Jack Russell Terrier.

have judged in all states of Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, India and Malaysia.

Presented lectures on Dobermanns, Pointers, Fox Terrier Smooths and Jack Russell Terriers.

My interest in Dobermans started age 12; I was and still am fascinated by this magnificent breed. I acquired my first Dobermann in 1968. Since then I have owned, bred and handled some of the top-winning Dobermanns in Australia, the most notable was Gr Ch Doberherr Hot Aphrodite. She was the number two all-time winning Dobermann bitch in Australia. I have bred over 100 champion Dobermanns.

In the mid-1980s I branched into Pointers. The highlight was having bred the only brother and sister to be awarded Best in Show and Runner up Best in Show (and Best Opposite in Show) at a Pointer National. I have bred over 50 Pointer Champions.

2002 saw a new breed enter my life, Fox Terrier (Smooth), which soon became my love. I achieved the number one Fox Terrier (Smooth) award in Australia in 2006 to 2011, and number one Terrier in Australia in 2008 and 2010.

I co-owned and handled the biggest winning Terrier in Australia, the SFT, Supreme Ch Wyninebah Checkmate with 79 BIS and over 400 Grp 1st to his credit.

I have also owned and handled one of the biggest winning Jack Russell Terriers in Australia, Supreme Ch Whatajack Rebel. This dog was placed Best in Group (Group 1st) at Perth, Hobart, and Canberra Royal Shows and Group 3 at Sydney Royal Show.

# **Peggy Gutierrez-Otero**

# Mexico

Peggy was born into a dog-loving family. At the age of five her family became involved in breeding, showing and taking care of dogs, mainly at the time Cocker Spaniels and Fox Terrier (Wire). She showed family dogs and competed in junior showmanship for many years. Later on, the family started



to breed Dalmatians and and at the beginning of the 1970s they started breeding Basset Hounds, doing so for over 35 years. At the beginning of the 1980s they aso had Whippets for about 10 years. Ms Gutierrez-Otero has also bred Dachshund (Min. Wire Haired) and American Cocker Spaniels.

Ms Gutierrez-Otero has belonged to the Mexican Kennel Club (Federacion Canofila Mexicana) since the early 1960s. She was president of the Mexican Basset Hound Club during the 1980s.and is member of the Basset Hound Club of America and the Dachshund Club of America. She was a ring steward for many years and has been an FCI International All Breed judge for many years, starting judging overseas in 1989.

Ms Gutierrez-Otero has judged All Breed shows as well as breed specialties in most of the countriles in North and South Ameruica as well as in Australia, New Zealand, indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, India, Japan, Russia, Ireland and South Africa. She judged the Wire variety at the Dachshund National in 2015 in the USA and has judged at the World Show held in Mexico City and the Latin American and Caribbean Show held in Quito, Ecuador.





**Jill Brooker** 

# New Zealand

Jill has had dogs in her life for as long a she can remember, growing up with Corgis and then an Irish Setter. She joined the showing fraternity in 1991 with the acquisition of her first Basset Hound.

Jill has successfully bred and exhibited this breed under the Bayparque prefix since 1994. While the Basset remains her first love,

the kennel has also hosted Beagles, Clumber Spaniels and, most

recently, the Basset Fauve de Bretagne.

Jill is licensed to award challenges to all Hound and Gundog breeds, and judge All Breed at Open Shows and Ribbon Parades. She has been fortunate to have been afforded the opportunity to judge at a number of Basset breed specialty shows internationally.

Secretary of the Basset Hound Club and the Hound Club of Auckland, and Treasurer of Auckland Kennel Council, Jill also serves on the Dogs New Zealand Executive Council.

Jill is looking forward to the opportunity of judging the sweepstakes at this year's National Dog Show.