

# 2014 Chocolatier of the Year Competition



## RULES AND GUIDELINES

### The Recipes

- Each participant will provide a written recipe of:
  - One recipe for your signature molded chocolate.
  - One recipe of a “creative” enrobed chocolate that showcases:
    1. Enrobing Skills
    2. Flavor Profiles
    3. Creative Flair
- Each recipe must include a detailed list of ingredients, a description of the work methods and a cross-section diagram of each chocolate. **Templates will be provided and must be used.**
- These recipes are due no later than **June 1st, 2014**. **Deductions will be taken off for late or incomplete recipes or diagrams.**

### At the Competition

Each competitor must bring in the following amount of chocolates:

- **For the Judges:**
  - 10 pieces of your enrobed chocolate
  - 10 pieces of your molded chocolate
- **For the Audience:**
  - 60 pieces of either your enrobed or molded chocolate, the choice is yours
- These are made, by word of honor, solely and personally by the contestant. Participants are not allowed to mark any creations with his/her name or any other name or brand indication
  - e.g. logo
- Ten pieces of each molded/enrobed chocolate will be plated on provided platters for the judges.
- The remaining 60 pieces of the competitor’s chosen chocolate will be used for the People’s Choice Award, which includes audience tasting and voting.

## If you cannot attend:

You will be asked to express mail your chocolates to the event at your own expense. If you cannot be at the event, you are required to inform us who will act as your representative during the competition. Your representative is responsible for unpacking your chocolates and making them presentation ready. Your registered representative will need to be in the judging area during the tasting and should be ready to answer recipe questions from the judges.

## Anyone who meets the following criteria can apply for participation in this competition:

### 1. Occupation

All registrants must be employed in or own their own chocolate shop, hotel or restaurant that produces chocolates. By submitting an application, participants acknowledge that they have permission to represent their place of business.

### 2. Age

All participants must be at least 18 years of age before August 24th, 2014

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