

Cassandra Shults: Kyoshi Shults started martial arts practicing judo in 1974, beginning karate in 1990, and was awarded a Hawkes Shorin Kai Shodan in 1995. As a true world champion, she was inducted into the USKA Hall of Fame in 1998 with a long history of Kumite Grand Championships at the USKA National Championship 1998, USKA World Championships in 1998, 1999, 2000, and at the PKC National Championships as a Kumite Grand Champion in 1999, 2003, 2004 and 2006. Ms. Shults was awarded a 7<sup>th</sup> Dan and Kyoshi designation in 2013. In kobudo, she received her Shodan in 1996, a Renshi designation in 2002 and is currently a 6<sup>th</sup> Dan in kobudo as of 2012 from C. Bruce Heilman of the IKKF. She is also a member of the Seki Ryu Kai. She is the Administrator for the USAMA and the Tournament and Points Coordinator. She is a licensed pharmacist, however now works as a tax accountant.