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COMPETITION RULES





WORDS OF WELCOME



Sergey Soloveychik
President
European Judo Union

On behalf of the European Judo Union it gives me great pleasure to once again welcome participants, officials and spectators to a Senior European Judo Championships being staged here in Lisbon. Portugal. Almost 13 years have passed since the hugely successful European Championships of 2008, an event that served to prepare European judoka for the Beijing Olympics just as these championships will now serve as a vital step towards the 2021 Tokyo Olympics.

Let us also take this opportunity to thank the Portuguese Judo Federation for their hard work and dedication during this extraordinarily difficult COVID-19 period. We thank them for their courage in providing an excellent platform for high level competition during these unprecedented times. We have every confidence in their professionalism and it is our sincere wish that everything will go to plan.

We have set out as one of our main goals to ensure that everyone remains healthy and that these health measure provide the best possible conditions for our athletes to show their finest qualities as judokas.

Finally, we wish all the participants and the Portuguese Federation success in the future in particular Olympic gold medals!



Jorge Fernandes
President
Portuguese Judo Federation

Dear International Judo Family,

It is a great honour to receive back the Senior European Judo Championships in Lisbon after thirteen years!

The Portuguese Judo Federation is committed to make this European Championships a reference, not only in an organizational level but also in the sport point of view.

This event will take place in a distinct context due the global Coronavirus Pandemic that the entire World is facing but this crisis only gave our Local Organization Committee extra motivation to make a memorable event, even under extreme circumstances, as it will be the last Europeans before the Tokyo Olympic Games!

We also would like to assure that all security and safety measures will be taken to guarantee the health and protection of European Judo Family.

I would like to thank the Portuguese Government, the City of Lisbon and all our sponsors and partners for their support. As well as to extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation for EJU President Mr. Sergey Soloveychik for his continuous support and confidence in allocating the organization of this event to Portuguese Judo Federation. We wish this event can be a starting point to hold others flagship EJU events in a near future.

On behalf of the Portuguese Judo Federation and myself, I wish all judokas and officials successful tournament and a pleasant stay in Lisbon.



1. Regulations to minimize COVID-19 related risks

Anyone not complying with the conditions of participation described in these outlines will not be eligible to take part in the event and will be subject to disciplinary action.

The fundamental principle throughout all EJU events during the Covid-19 era is to protect and be protected by wearing a mask, sanitising, distancing and respecting the recommendations of the IJF protocol. All participants have the mutual responsibility to protect one-another.

Each National Federation delegation participant (athlete, coach, team official, physiotherapist, doctor, President etc.) must have read and understood the latest version of the Protocol for resuming IJF events during the Covid-19 pandemic which can be found here: covid.ijf.org.

PLEASE NOTE:

- **Each National Federation taking part must nominate a Covid-19 Manager.**
- **There can only be ONE (1) COVID-19 MANAGER PER FEDERATION!**

Before Travelling

1. Check if you need a visa, and if yes request it from the organiser. Please send a good quality passport copy (PDF) to portugalevents@fpj.pt
2. Book accommodation and send a detailed rooming list. Last minute changes can be accommodated whilst the delegation waits in the bus or outside the hotel.
3. Present on arrival, at least two (2) Covid-19 negative individual medical certificates. Please make sure the certificate also has an English version.

These PCR tests MUST be made a maximum of five (5) days before arrival and taken 48 hours apart. During this 5-day period you should stay isolated and limit contact with other people as much as possible. If you experience any kind of symptoms do not start to travel (even with two negative PCR tests).

5. Present upon arrival an individual declaration of honour on the absence of symptoms for at least 14 days per delegate.

6. 2 PCR tests and Declaration of honour must be uploaded to the platform my.ijf.org by NF administrator well in advance BEFORE TEAM ARRIVAL. The instructions for the platform can be found under the link:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1h5MGCTAJITsWYHdBQ3gxW3mzaazfBadn?usp=sharing>

Entering Portugal

The following must be brought/at hand for border control:

1. Passport, ID, and applicable visas, as required.
 - All regular border-crossing regulations must be followed regarding the validity of passports and visas, as applicable for each respective country
 - Border control officers will check documents (passports or other documents that contain similar information to those in passport)
2. Official Invitation from the Portuguese Judo Federation

All participants must present a PRINTED invitation letter from the Portuguese Judo Federation.

3. Negative PCR test

All participants must be ready to present a negative PCR test.

Entering a bubble

The event venues (hotels, sport hall, training hall etc.) will be classified as bubbles and to reduce risk a “bubble to bubble” concept will be used. People are NOT allowed to leave their bubble as contamination could occur endangering the safety of the event and the health of the participants.

1. At least one (1) PCR test per participant will be performed immediately upon arrival. The test will be held at Hotel Tivoli Oriente/Hotel VIP Executive Art's. Until test results are obtained, all participants must remain in their hotel rooms, where water and any paid meals will be ensured until the receipt of the test results.



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2. REQUIRED ARRIVAL SCHEDULE AND PCR TESTING

To ensure that testing and following procedures can be performed on time, all participants that wish to compete or be present on EC seniors must arrive at official hotels according to schedule below:

- All heads of delegations/Covid-19 Manager must arrive not later than April 13th till 17:00.
- All athletes must arrive at least 2 days before the day when they compete not later than 17:00.

Participants will be RT-PCR tested for SARS-CoV-2, using nasopharyngeal (nose + throat) swab by authorised medical staff.

Testing times: Tuesday, April 13, 2021, 16:00 - 20:00
Wednesday, April 14, 2021, 09:00 - 19:00
Thursday, April 15, 2021, 09:00 - 19:00
Friday, April 16, 2021, 09:00 - 19:00

Samples are tested with mobile testing units in the hotels using express PCR technology, waiting time for results not more than 4 hours from taking the sample.

3. Costs of PCR testing will be charged to delegations. Cost per PCR test: 130€
4. **The schedule of the second PCR test (re-testing) will be informed additionally closer to the date.**
5. If any other conditions and requirements will arise till the start of the event - they will be informed additionally.

Throughout your stay

1. Wash/sanitise your hands regularly, especially if you have had contact with a person or an object. Competitors should wash and disinfect their hands and feet regularly, especially before the warm-up and the contest.
2. No handshake - greet each other with a bow.
3. Wear a mask at all times (change it at least twice a day). Exceptions: masks are not obligatory on the Field of Play tatami, on the warm-up tatami whilst warming up or on the training tatami whilst training. Masks may be removed while eating in dining areas.
4. Maintain 1.5 m distance at all times, except for competitors during training, their contests and during warming up with ONE PARTNER.
5. Submit yourselves to contactless temperature measurement by the organiser on arrival at the point of entry in the country, at accommodation premises, throughout the competition venue and at any official venue of the event, to be accepted by all accredited population.

Anyone registering a high temperature will be asked to remain outside and their Delegation COVID-19 Manager, the LOC COVID-19 Manager and the EJU COVID-19 Manager will be contacted. An opportunity to recheck their temperature will be given, if it is still high a final decision will be made by the LOC COVID-19 Manager and the EJU COVID-19 Manager.

In case of positive result

Full procedure is on covid.ijf.org

Quarantine period: 10 days

Quarantine hotel: the same hotel where they are accommodated

Hotel address: See Official Hotels

Rates: normal hotel rate Full Board single room during time of the event. From Monday after the event, Full Board single room 230€ Hotel Tivoli Oriente/260 € Hotel VIP Executive Art's. Anyone with a positive test MUST stay in the quarantine hotel provided by the organiser. The cost must be paid by the National Federation.

Insurance

It is the responsibility of the National Federation to ensure that in addition to their normal insurance they have sufficient insurance in place to cover any COVID-19-related costs. The organiser of the event and the EJU accept no liability for any claims relating to cancellation of the event due to COVID-19 or medical costs for any COVID-19 related illness that may affect a National Federation delegation member during the event.

Symptoms after arrival

Anyone who experiences symptoms after arrival must immediately contact their Team COVID-19 Manager

EJU Covid Manager: Dr Peter Smolders - smolderspeter@skynet.be - +32 475 32 59 75

Local Covid Manager: Dr. Marcos Carvalho - marcosfernandescarvalho@gmail.com - +351 916 972 937

Exit tests

Exit tests may be booked with the organiser, if required. Where to book: portugalevents@fpj.pt Price: 130€ Euro.



2. Declaration of Honour Form

National Federation: _____

Club (optional): _____

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Have you noticed any of the following symptoms within the last 14 days?

- Body temperature of over 37,5°C: YES NO
- Dry cough: YES NO
- Sore throat: YES NO
- Shortness of breath: YES NO
- Vomiting and/or diarrhoea: YES NO
- Sudden onset of articular and/or muscle pain: YES NO
- Fatigue without known cause: YES NO
- Problems in taste and/or smell: YES NO

Were you in the last 14 days in close contact with someone with declared Covid19 infection?

YES NO

I understand that participation is only possible in case all questions above are answered with “NO”.

I have answered all questions truthfully and understand that any violation against these guidelines will be subject to disciplinary action, even legal consequences might be faced.

I DECLARE that I shall at all times abide by any instructions given to me by the Local Organizing Committee or any EJU official or other Public Health official in connection with the prevention of disease. I understand that restrictions may be changed due to necessity or to observe local laws on public health, and in case any such change of restrictions should affect my participation, I waive all rights for damages or other compensation.

Signature:

Print name:

Date:

Team Covid-19 Manager

Athlete/parent*

*Consenting person: parent, caretaker, authorized person to sign a consent on behalf of the minors born 2004, 2005, 2006.



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3. PROGRAM

Local time	PROGRAM	Place
Tuesday, April 13th		
16:00 - 20:00	PCR Testing	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
Wednesday, April 14th		
09:00 - 19:00	PCR Testing	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
12:00 - 20:00	Accreditation, Organiser financials	Tivoli Oriente
Thursday, April 15th		
09:00 - 19:00	PCR Testing	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
18:00	Draw	Online draw
17:30 - 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
18:00 - 19:30	Official weigh-in: W -48 / -52 / -57 M -60 / -66	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
Friday, April 16th Competition Day 1		
Women: -48 / -52 / -57 Men: -60 / -66		
09:00 - 19:00	PCR Testing	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
09:00	Meeting of the referees	Altice Arena
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, Semifinals	Altice Arena
TBC	Opening Ceremony	Altice Arena
16:00	Final Block: Medal Contests	Altice Arena
17:30 - 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
18:00 - 19:30	Official weigh-in: W -63 / -70 M -73 / -81	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
Saturday, April 17th Competition Day 2		
Women: -63 / -70 Men: -73 / -81		
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, Semifinals	Altice Arena
16:00	Final Block: Medal Contests	Altice Arena
17:30 - 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
18:00 - 19:30	Official weigh-in: W -78 / +78 M -90 / -100 / +100	Hotels VIP Executive Art's & Tivoli Oriente
Sunday, April 18th Competition Day 3		
Women: -78 / +78 Men: -90 / -100 / +100		
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, Semifinals	Altice Arena
TBC	Closing Ceremony and Handing over of the Flags	Altice Arena
16:00	Final Block: Medal Contests	Altice Arena
Monday, April 19th		
All day	Departure of the delegations	Official hotels

Attention: The program is provisional. The schedule of the contests may be modified according to the total number of entries or TV requirements.



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4. COMPETITION PLACE

Altice Arena

Address: Rossio dos Olivais, 1990-231 Lisbon

<https://arena.altice.pt>



5. ORGANISER

Portuguese Judo Federation

Address: Rua Alves Redol, 1 - Lojas A/B, 2675-285 Odivelas

Tel: 21 393 1630

Email: portugalevents@fpj.pt

Website: <https://fpj.pt>

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6. PARTICIPATION

Nationality

These European Championships are open for all Member Federations of the European Judo Union (EJU). The competitors must be of the same nationality as the country, which enters them. Competitors who have double nationality can only represent 1 country.

After having represented a country in the Olympic Games, in continental or regional games or in world or regional Championships, recognised by the EJU, she/he may not represent another country unless she/he meets the following conditions: When a competitor wants to change nationality, she/he must wait 3 years before she/he can represent the new country, unless the two countries concerned (the old country and the new country) agree to authorize the change of nationality and this is approved by IJF (see IJF SOR, chapter 1.9). **Important: Entry for the new country is only possible after approval of IJF!**

Age

Athletes must be minimum 15 years (born in 2006 and before)

7. INSCRIPTION

JUDOBASE Registration

All participants and delegates must be in possession of an IJF ID Card and registered for this event in the IJF Registration System (JUDOBASE): <https://admin.judobase.org/> by **April 5th 2021**. After the deadline further registrations (late entries, replacements) are exclusively handled during accreditation according to the following rules:

	NO IJF Official ID Card	Late entry IJF Official ID Card: YES	Replacement IJF Official ID Card: YES
Athletes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">ENTRY NOT POSSIBLEREPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE	letter + 30€	letter + 0€
Other delegates (Head of delegation, Coaches, ...)		letter + 0€	letter + 0€

Please note:

- After the inscription deadline, replacements or additions can only be made on spot during accreditation, presenting a signed and stamped permission letter of the National Federation.
- Persons, who are banned by their Federation, cannot be entered as late entry or replacement.



- Persons without IJF ID Card can only be entered on spot, if IJF ID Card will be ordered until end of Accreditation.
- Above mentioned late entry fee has to be paid in cash on spot.

8. ENTRY FEE

The federations must pay an entry fee of **100 Euro** per participating competitor (according to their numerical entry) to the following bank account by **March 16th 2021**

European Judo Union (EJU)
Address: 31/6 Triq San Federiku, Valetta, Malta
OTP Bank, Hungary
ACCOUNT NR: 11763945-03959886
IBAN NR: HU84117639450395988600000000 (EURO)
SWIFT: OTPVHUHB

9. DEADLINES

Payment entry fee:	March 16 th 2021
Visa Application:	March 16 th 2021
Hotel Reservation & Payment:	March 16 th 2021
Travel details:	April 01 st 2021
JUDOBASE Registration:	April 05th 2021

10. ACCREDITATION

The times and place for check-in and accreditation are specified in the program. Federations must arrive and check-in within the time limits provided. A maximum of 2 representatives per National Federation are allowed in the accreditation room.

Accreditation

A list of all the inscribed competitors is generated by the JUDOBASE system, which is confirmed by the head of delegation that it is the final list, with the correct names, the correct categories and the correct IJF World Ranking List positions. The list of entries is confirmed with the EJU official. No inscription will be accepted after the end of the nation control.

Control of Nationality

Each competitor's **PASSPORT** or copy of the passport (in case the competitors are still travelling) or official identification document with photo will be requested by the EJU official to check nationality and age of the competitors. The competitors must not be present at the nationality control.

Finances EJU

The federations must be in order with the annual fee and other financial obligations to the EJU. The entry fee per competitor must be paid to the EJU. In order to take part at the competition the national federation must have fulfilled the necessary payments to the organizer and the EJU. In case there was overpayment, or athletes did not arrive for valid reasons, EJU Treasury shall transfer this difference to the Federation's account.

Organizer finances

All finances must be settled beforehand. Payment in cash money upon arrival is not allowed due to safety reasons. The delegations' departure date, time, number of people and travel details must be confirmed beforehand. Any changes will be settled by email or by phone. Contact name and number for each delegation should be provided beforehand.

Flag and Anthem Control

The head of delegation confirms the flag and the anthem which will be used for the medal ceremony.

Accreditation cards are handed over to teams after finishing the whole accreditation process. The EJU accreditation cards for the European Championships must be presented at the official weigh-in and before each contest.



11. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

11.1 COMPOSITION OF DELEGATION

Each delegation may enter a maximum of 9 athletes in total for men and 9 athletes in total for women. In each weight category of men or women a maximum of 2 athletes can be entered. The maximum number of athletes per delegation is 18.

11.2 COMPETITION FORMULA

The Competition will be held using **Quarter Final Repechage System**.

11.3 WEIGHT CATEGORIES

Women: -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, -78, +78 kg

Men: -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, -100, +100 kg

11.4 DURATION OF CONTEST

Duration men's & women's contests: **4 minutes and Golden Score without time limit.**

11.5 WEIGH-IN

The weigh-in will be carried out in accordance with the IJF SOR section 7. The athlete's official weigh-in will be scheduled the day before the competition.

- Unofficial weigh-in: 17:30 to 18:00
- Official weigh-in: 18:00 to 19:30

The place for weigh-in can be found in the program.

Athletes must present their EJU accreditation card and their passport (National ID Cards showing nationality and date of birth are also accepted).

Random weight checks can be organized in accordance with the IJF SOR section 7 before the first contests in the morning of the competition. **Athletes must present their EJU accreditation card, passport is not required.**

11.6 DRAW

The draw will be held online.

Seeding: Up to a maximum of the top eight athletes among the entered athletes in each weight category will be seeded based on their IJF WRL position.

11.7 AWARDS

The organizer shall provide a certificate of participation for each competitor (given to head of delegation) and medals, given at the medal ceremony:

- First place: Gold medal and champions gift
- Second place: Silver medal
- Two Third places: Bronze medals

11.8 ANTI-DOPING

Doping control will be executed according to the IJF MEDICAL AND ANTI-DOPING HANDBOOK (IJF SOR - Appendix E) and will include one (1) athlete per category by random selection from the medal winners.

The draw is carried out in accordance with the IJF Anti-doping Rules and the IJF SOR during the competition before the start of the final block on the first competition day.

Competitors must report to the Doping Control Station immediately after signing the Notification form. Pursuant to WADA ISTI Art. 5.4.4, prior to doping control, athletes can take part in the awarding ceremony and fulfil their press commitments or receive medical treatment if needed. The selected competitors will be constantly accompanied by an official chaperone (appointed by the organizing committee) from the time of notification until arriving at the Doping Control Station. A person of the athlete's choice (team doctor, coach, trainer, delegation head etc.) may accompany them.

IJF/EJU keep the right to test any participating athlete beyond the above selection during an event. All additional tests are deemed in-competition tests.



12. OFFICIAL HOTEL

All participants and delegates have to book their accommodation via the organisers. Due to the COVID-19 situation ALL participants must stay in TWO official hotels: VIP Executive Art's/ Hotel Tivoli Oriente and for the entire period of their stay on **full board basis (bubble cannot be left)**. The orders for food delivery from outside will be not allowed.

A minimum stay of 3 nights is obligatory.

Hotel for delegations: VIP Executive Art's

Address: Av. Dom João II 47, 1998-028 Lisboa

Distance to the airport: 3,5 km; distance to the Sports Hall: 750 m

Check-in time: 14:00; check-out time: 12:00

prices are per person per night	Full Board
Single room	230 EUR
Double room	200 EUR

Hotel for delegations, referees and EJU team: Hotel Tivoli Oriente (Head Quarter)

Address: Av. Dom João II n.º27, 1990-083 Lisboa;

Distance to the airport: 3 km; distance to the Sports Hall: 450 m

Check-in time: 14:00; check-out time: 12:00

prices are per person per night	Full Board
Single room	260 EUR
Double room	230 EUR

The **binding hotel reservation** must be sent to the organizer by **March 16th 2021**. Reservations will be processed strictly according to the date of booking. In case the requested hotel is fully booked, the federation will be informed and asked to make a new reservation. Reservations can be confirmed only after receiving 100 % of the total accommodation cost that must be sent to organiser's bank account before **March 16th 2021**, otherwise accommodation cannot be guaranteed for your delegation.

In case a federation does not send the hotel reservation to the organizers before **March 16th 2021**, a **10% surcharge** will be added to the expenses (in case of bank transfer and in case of cash payment!).

Cancellation policy

Before March 16th - full refund

March 16th-29th - 50% refund

After March 29th - no refund

In case of tournament cancellation by the EJU or the Portugal authorities full payment will be refunded.

Important: Injuries, visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms.

Account details:

Name of bank: NOVO BANCO - Balcão LX -LAPA
Bank address: R. Buenos Aires 5, 1200-732 Lisboa
Account No.: 041035060007
IBAN: PT50 0007 0041 0003 50600077 9
SWIFT address: BESCPTPL
Purpose of payment: "Country" ECH2021

All bank fees and money transfer costs must be paid by the sending federation.



Payment in cash money upon arrival is not allowed due to safety reasons.

The person attending accreditation must bring proof of the bank transfer.

In case of any extra costs arising from the hotel stay, damages to property of hotel or competition venue caused by members of a delegation, the responsible National Federation will be charged by the Organizing Committee.

13. TRANSPORT

NEAREST AIRPORT: Lisbon Airport

The organizer will take care of the transportation from the above-mentioned airport to the official competition hotels, competition venue and other competition facilities during the competition. Transport will be provided only to those who are accommodated via the organiser. The transfers are only offered on the days when the delegations are booked in an official hotel through the organisers. ONLY OFFICIAL TRANSPORTATION MAY BE USED WHILST IN THE BUBBLE.

14. TRAINING

Tatami for training will be available at both official hotels

Tuesday, April 13th, 2021: from 13:00 till 21:00;

Wednesday, April 14th till Saturday, April 17th 2021: from 09:00 till 21:00

Booking of training sessions can be done on the welcome desk of each hotel on spot on first come first served basis.

Training on competition days in Altice Arena, warm up arena is NOT ALLOWED due to Covid19 restrictions.

15. VISA

The organisers will help with obtaining entry visas for competitors and officials. Please specify all information that is needed in the invitation letters for visas and submit the form and a scanned copy of the first page of the passports until **March 16th, 2021**.

16. MEDIA

Official or EJU recognized media can apply online for a Media accreditation (<http://www.eju.net/accreditation-registration>) not later than April 05th 2021. Time and place for Media Check-in will be announced closer to date.

Due to the Covid-19 situation restrictions for media attendance may apply. All media representatives attending the event must stay in the bubble.

17. JUDOGI CONTROL

Approved Judogi

All Judoka must compete in IJF Approved Judogi (only red label allowed). Judogis from all IJF suppliers are allowed (see www.ijf.org → Official Supplier List).

Judogi Control

It will be operated with a Sokuteiki prior to the fight. Each of the competition clothing articles (jacket, trousers and belt) must have the official IJF label, which will be controlled with an optical lamp (coloured belts do not have to have the IJF label).

The jacket and the trousers must be of the same brand (belt can be of a different brand).

Backnumber

Each competitor taking part in the EJU events is obliged to have sewn on the back of his Judogi the official backnumber (both EJU and IJF are allowed) bearing his surname and his National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The backnumber can be ordered from www.mybacknumber.com or www.officialbacknumber.com (Attention: production and delivery may take around 4 weeks). The SPONSOR part (if needed) will be given to the head of delegation during registration, and the athletes can stick it themselves using the special glue on the back number.



Markings and Advertising

The space on the **shoulder stripes** (25cm x 5 cm on both right and left side) and on the **upper arms** (10cm x 10cm on both right and left side) can be either used for **own sponsors of the Federation or Judoka or EJU Suppliers, BUT not for any other Judogi supplier.**

The space on the right chest (5cm x 10cm) can be used by federations and their Judoka for their own sponsors. The logo of a Judogi brand can only be used, if it corresponds with brand of the Judogi itself and if it is of an EJU Supplier.

Please note: On all advertising spaces it is strictly prohibited to promote tobacco, alcohol, any substances listed in the doping code, or any product or service contrary to public morals.

The space on the **left chest** (10cm x 10cm) can be used for the national colours or the national emblem corresponding with the IOC code on the backnumber (regional emblems are not allowed).

All other markings on the Judogi, like Judogi brand logos, name of Judoka, etc. have to comply with the IJF Judogi Rules (see IJF SOR Appendix C).

Detailed information is available on <http://www.eju.net/statutes>.

Important:

- If an athlete does not respect the Judogi rules, the athlete will not be permitted to pass the Judogi Control, and the coach who is responsible for the athlete will be suspended for the rest of the competition day.
- The organiser is not obliged to provide reserve Judogi at Judogi Control, but the athlete is allowed to present himself in another IJF Approved Judogi, complying with the Sokuteiki rule (and without backnumber) - in this case no coach can go with this athlete to the mat!
- In the case of a repeated offence the coach will be suspended for the rest of the competition.

18. REFEREEING

18.1 SELECTION & REGISTRATION OF REFEREES

The EJU Refereeing Commission will select the referees for these Championships by name, based on the results of the 2019 and 2020 ranking list. The federations will get the information in time and later, the whole list of referees will be available on the EJU homepage in the calendar section.

After the nomination of the referees, the federation must confirm the participation to EJU Head Office by the deadline stipulated in the letter. Further, the referee must be entered by his/her federation like every other delegate in **JUDOBASE** and also the hotel reservation has to be done by the national federation.

18.2 REFEREE MEETING

A referee meeting is scheduled one hour before the start of the first competition day. Time and place are stated in the program. The attendance to the Referee meeting is strictly compulsory.

18.3 REFEREEING RULES

The competition will be carried out according to the rules and sporting codes of the IJF and EJU.

In case of direct Hansokumake against the spirit of judo, a joint decision would be taken by the EJU Sports Commission and the EJU Refereeing Commission. In this case, the Judoka would receive no medal and no ranking points for that tournament.

Note: A competitor who has been declared as a loser by injury can continue the competition. A competitor, who has got a direct Hansokumake as the penalty against the spirit of our sport, will not be authorised to continue the competition.

19. COACHING

Coaches nominated by their National Federations should respect the IJF Code of Ethics point 4 and IJF SOR point 9.6. Any coaches not adhering to these rules could be subject to disciplinary action.



20. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FEDERATIONS

Medical Certificate

The sex certificate and the medical certificate of the competitors are not required. The competitors will compete under the full responsibility of the federations.

Insurance

Each federation is responsible for insuring its competitors against 'injury and third part risk (public liability)' during the period of the championships. The European Judo Union declines all responsibility.

Attitude of Competitors

The federations are responsible vis-à-vis the EJU concerning the general attitude of their competitors.

Image of Athletes

The federations are responsible to have obtained the rights for the EJU to use the competitor's image in whichever way it considers it necessary for the promotion of the sport.

Neither the organizer of the event, nor the European Judo Union (nor any of its officials or members) will be liable or responsible for any personal injury nor for any loss or damage to your property arising out of your participation and travelling in connection with these events.

Consent for Photography/Videos/Filming

Delegates inscribed by their National Federations for EJU events consent to the EJU and its media partners to use content of them, including data, live results, photographs and/or video recordings (hereafter referred to as Media). This media may be obtained from National Federations and EJU. It will also be acquired by the EJU and its media partners from in and around all EJU event venues. Media could be used in print and digital media formats including print publications, websites, e-marketing, posters banners, advertising, film, broadcast, social media, education purposes and other purposes. The National Federation must ensure that they have the permission of each delegate or in the case of a minor the permission of the parent/guardian. If a delegate does not give consent, then the National Federation must inform the European Judo Union by writing to headoffice@eju.net.

21. FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE

All National Federations, officials, coaches and athletes participating in this event have to respect and accept the authority of the EJU officials, the rules and statutes of the International Judo Federation and European Judo Union. Individuals deemed to have acted against the EJU or IJF, their principles or purposes shall be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards.

22. AWARDING CEREMONIES

All competitors having won a medal have to attend the ceremony to receive their medal in person. If a competitor is absent during the awarding ceremony for no valid reason, he/she will lose the right to have the medal. It is strictly forbidden for competitors on the podium to bring national flags or the similar identification other than the one represented in the regular manner on their equipment. Any demonstration of religious, political, personal or commercial sign is prohibited and so is wearing a cap or any other head cover.

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