INTERNATIONAL JUDO FEDERATION



EVENT OUTLINES FOR INTERNATIONAL MEDIA

JUDO

Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam, Mongolia 24 - 26 June 2022 #JudoUlaanbaatar (Version 25 April 2022)



























@MariusVizer

Dear judo family,

I am proud to be able to invite you to be with us for the 2022 Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam. We are happy to be back in the 'land of the eternal blue sky,' having enjoyed traditional hospitality for many years under the banner of their Grand Prix. This first Grand Slam in Mongolia is testament to the hard work of the Mongolian Judo Association and our strengthening relationship.

The judo world will enjoy impeccable hospitality accompanying every moment in Ulaanbaatar. It will be a memorable competition not only because it is Mongolia's first Grand Slam but because this is the opening of the Olympic qualification season, the first event for which the points will be earned towards representation on the Olympic stage for Paris 2024. The world's best and brightest judo stars will be joined by the new generation and the fireworks promise to be spectacular.

Ulaanbaatar is a unique city within the country's modern history, home to half Mongolia's population and a real cultural centre and we look forward to sharing this special time there with you.

We thank the Mongolian Judo Association for their diligence and first class collaboration.

Yours in judo.

Marius L. VIZER
President
International Judo Federation





Greetings,

I would like to extend my warm greetings to you, Mr. Marius Vizer, President of the International Judo Federation, and to all judo enthusiasts, trainees, athletes and coaches around the world.

I warmly welcome all of you, the representatives of this great sport, for gathering in Ulaanbaatar, the capital city of Mongolia, to start the 2024 Olympic cycle of judo - a symbol of deep respect and fair competition. Sport is one of the great values of humanity and a symbol of goodwill and friendship.

The Mongolian Judo Association was established in 1971 and joined the Judo Union of Asia and the International Judo Federation the same year. In Mongolia, judo has developed rapidly over the past half a century becoming the most successful wrestling sport of our athletes. It has developed into one of the top four sports where our athletes have won a number of medals at the Olympic Games and prestigious world championships. Moveover, it has inspired thousands of young people to eagerly join judo classes.

We believe that great warrior qualities of Mongols, thousands-years-rooted national wrestling heritage, and sharp skills and techniques of wrestlers have played a critical role in the successful development of judo in Mongolia. Mongolian wrestlers, while developing judo based on talents of the national wrestling sport, have enriched it without distorting its basic rules.

I strongly welcome that the Grand Slam Judo Championship, which collects the highest Olympic qualifying points in judo, will be held in Central Asia, especially in our capital city, as a platform for fair competition. I am happy that it shall be organized under the auspices of the President of Mongolia.

It is gratifying that we are co-organizing this competition, the first scoring competition for the 2024 Paris Olympics under the name "Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam 2022".

I also welcome the fact that the closing ceremony of the Grand Slam will be held in Ulaanbaatar before the Paris Olympics.

It is commendable that the ranking has been raised from previous years and about 800 athletes from 70 countries will participate in this year's Grand Slam.

Dear judo athletes, I would like to warmly welcome you to Mongolia. May the sport of judo flourish under the power of the eternal sky.

Ukhnaagiin KHURELSUKH President Mongolia





Dear ladies and gentlemen, Dear judo fans,

As President of the Mongolian Judo Association, I would like to welcome all the athletes, staff, media, spectators, and honored guests who are taking part in the Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam for the first time in our country.

The Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam is the fifth competition organized by the International Judo Federation in 2022. The significance this competition is it awards the first official points for the Paris 2024 Summer Olympics.

The Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam will make a valuable contribution to the development of judo in Mongolia and will lay the foundation for the country's top athletes to earn Olympic points. Despite the fact that the tournaments have suspended due to the pandemic, International Judo Federation and we will organize Ulaanbaatar Grand Slam at a high level.

Welcome to Mongolia.

Battulga KHALTMAA
President
Mongolian Judo Association



IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

ANYONE NOT FOLLOWING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND IJF COVID-19 PROTOCOLS WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE EVENT AND SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION!

The fundamental principle throughout all IJF events during the COVID-19 era is to Protect and Be Protected by wearing a mask, sanitising, distancing and respecting the recommendations of "the Protocol for resuming IJF events during the COVID-19 pandemic" hereafter referred to as the IJF COVID-19 Protocol. All participants have the mutual responsibility to protect each other.

Each international media participant must have read and understood the latest version of the IJF COVID-19 Protocol which can be found here: **covid.ijf.org**

The COVID-19 vaccines provide protection to the vaccinated only against seriously falling ill, but not against getting infected or transmitting the virus to somebody else, even if the chances of the latter is very low. Therefore, until vaccination reaches a high level among the judo family and there are other effective preventive methods available, or until it is globally accepted to conduct activities without safety measures, all the participants of any IJF event must follow the same protocol (being PCR tested before the event, upon arrival, during the event, wear a mask, wash hands, follow the bubble system, etc.) to protect and be protected, in the spirit of unity and solidarity which is in our community's moral code.

COVID-19 DOCUMENTS

All pre-event COVID-19 documents must be sent to **covid@ijf.org** before travelling. Fourteen (14) days after the event, all data will be deleted.

EVENT PARTICIPATION

To participate in an IJF World Judo Tour (WJT) event each participant is responsible to follow:

The rules to enter the host country

The Local Organising Committee's (LOC) Government COVID-19 measures

The IJF COVID-19 Protocol rules

The LOC Government measures may be stricter than those detailed in the IJF COVID-19 protocol or vice versa, the stricter rules MUST be followed.

INSURANCE

It is the responsibility of the media participant to ensure that in addition to their normal insurance they have sufficient insurance in place to cover any COVID-19-related costs, including repatriation. The LOC of the event and the IJF 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 media participant during the event.

BEFORE TRAVELLING

Passports must be valid for at least 6 months from the date of arrival.

- Check if you need a visa, and if yes, request it from the LOC according to the details in the visa section.
- Check host country entry requirements.
- Send travel information (arrival and departures) to the covid@ijf.org.
- Book accommodation with the LOC.
- Check host country entry requirements and airline requirements (if applicable).
- Send in advance to **covid@ijf.org** two (2) negative individual medical PCR COVID-19 test certificates in English or local language (PCR-1 and PCR-2).
- Send just before arrival to **covid@ijf.org** an **Individual Liability Release Waiver (LRW)**. The form can be found in the documents section: **https://www.ijf.org/competition/2364**

ENTERING THE HOST COUNTRY

Each individual is responsible to ensure they follow the entry rules (passport validity, visas, entry permission letter, COVID-19 etc.) for the host country. Entry rules may be subject to change, the current information can be found here: https://consul.mn/home/eng/consuleng1.php?moduls=19&id=116

Timeline	Action Everyone	
Arrival to country	As per the country rules.	
	If you intend to use the same PCR test to enter the country and to	
	enter the bubble, please, make sure that you meet both the airline/	
	country and IJF PCR requirements.	
ALL PRE-EVENT COVID-19 DOCUMENTS MUST BE UPLOADED TO MY.IJF.ORG BEFORE TRAVELLING		

ENTERING THE EVENT BUBBLE WHICH IS OPEN FROM: 20 June 2022

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. Each individual is responsible to ensure they follow the IJF COVID rules for entry to the bubble.

Athletes ONLY			
Timeline	Action		
	Maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test.		
FULLY VACCINATED Arrival and entry to event bubble	Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test (isolate until negative result received).		
	Before weigh-in: 1 rapid antigen test.		



NON-VACCINATED

Arrival and entry to event bubble

Maximum 8 days before arrival to the bubble: 2 PCR tests taken a minimum of 48h apart.

PCR-2 must be maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble.

Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test (isolate until negative result received).

Before weigh-in: 1 rapid antigen test.

Athletes MUST arrive 24 hours before their weigh-in at the very latest!

All others (coaches, doctors etc.) except athletes		
Timeline	Action	
FULLY VACCINATED	Maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test.	
Arrival and entry to event bubble	Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test	
	(isolate until negative result received).	
NON-VACCINATED Arrival and entry to event bubble	Maximum 8 days before arrival to the bubble: 2 PCR tests taken a minimum of 48h apart. PCR-2 must be maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble.	
	Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test (isolate until negative result received).	

To maintain the required safety level at the IJF events, the following variants of vaccination are recognised as complete vaccination and the bearers as "fully vaccinated" within the validity period. In case the validity expires during an event, the status is upheld until the last day of the event.

The IJF accepts all vaccination types, not only EMA or WHO approved products.

Type of protection	Minimum time elapsed	Maximum time elapsed	
1 dose of and 1 dose vaccines (Janssen, Sputnik Lite, or other)	Minimum 28 days from receiving the dose	Maximum 6 months from receiving the dose	
2 doses of any 2 dose vaccines	Minimum 14 days from the 2nd dose	Maximum 6 months from the 2nd dose	
Booster doses: 3rd or additional dose (2nd dose after a 1 dose vaccine)	Minimum 7 days from the last dose	To be determined by the WHO, currently no end of validity	
Recovery from infection and 1 dose	Minimum 14 days from receiving the dose	Maximum 6 months from receiving the dose	
1 dose and recovery from infection	Minimum 11 days from the positive PCR test	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR test	
Recovery from infection	Minimum 11 days from the positive PCR test	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR test	

Vaccination validity is subject to change according to WHO recommendations.

Please, note host country vaccination criteria may differ from the IJF's, always check the local rules before travelling.

If due to flight schedules you need to arrive earlier than the bubble opening, contact the LOC and they will assist you with a solution.

PCR TEST ON ARRIVAL TO BUBBLE

All participants must take a PCR immediately upon arrival to the event bubble.

Collection place	Official hotels	
Test collection times	Tests will be scheduled according to flight arrival times	
Results issued within	12 hours	

Until arrival to the bubble PCR 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.

POSITIVE PCR TEST PROCESS

In case of a positive test result the host country Government procedure will be followed.

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Quarantine period	7 days	
Quarantine hotel	Official hotels	
Hotel address	Baga Toiruu, 6th khoroo 14201/ Chinggis avenue-5, 14251,	
	Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia	
Rates (per person per night)	150 euro	

Anyone with a positive test MUST stay in the quarantine hotel provided by the LOC. The cost must be paid by the media representative.

Close contacts will be traced and may be isolated/quarantined depending on the host country Government COVID-19 measures, their definition of close contact may differ from that described in the IJF COVID-19 protocol.

DURING THE EVENT

For more details please see the IJF COVID-19 Protocol: covid.ijf.org

- Wash/sanitise your hands regularly.
- No handshake greet each other with a bow.
- Wear a mask at all times. Masks must be worn in dining areas at all times, except when sitting eating.
- Maintain 1.5 m distance at all times.
- Submit yourselves to contactless temperature measurement. Anyone registering a high temperature
 will be asked to remain outside and the LOC COVID-19 Manager and the IJF 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 IJF COVID-19 Manager.



SYMPTOMS AFTER ARRIVAL

Anyone who experiences symptoms after arrival must immediately contact the LOC COVID-19 Manager.

IJF Covid Manager	Ms Marine STROOBANTS	marine.stroobants@ijf.org	+33 6 18 85 56 33
LOC Covid Manager	Ms Ganbat BOLOR	ganbatbolor36@gmail.com	+976 86 60 10 01

EXIT TESTS

Exit tests, if required, may be booked with the LOC, if required.

Where to book	At accreditation or ulaanbaatar2022acc@gmail.com	
PCR test price	100 euro	
Antigen test price	TBC	
Payment method	Bank transfer with the accommodation or by cash (euro)	

With any COVID-related questions pre-event, please contact: covid@ijf.org

1. DEADLINES

PLEASE RESPECT ALL DEADLINES AND RULES DETAILED IN THESE OUTLINES.

Days before Competition day 1	Deadline	
30	25 May 2022	Hotel first reservation
30	25 May 2022	Visa application (with passport photocopies)*
20	04 June 2022	Hotel final reservation and full payment
12	12 June 2022	Arrival and departure information uploaded to my.ijf.org
10	14 June 2022	Full refund in case of hotel cancellation (medical reason e.g., sick or COVID-19 positive, must send medical certificate)
7	17 June 2022	Event inscription http://ijfmedia.datastat.si

^{*}Entry letters and visa applications will only be accepted for people who are inscribed on the IJF media platform.

Event Inscription

In case of unforeseen delay of arrival or if someone has to be cancelled from the event you must inform both the IJF (registration@ijf.org) and the LOC (ulaanbaatar2022gs@gmail.com).

2. LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE (LOC)

Name	Mongolian Judo Association	
Address	Central Sport Center room #105 Sukhbaatar district 8th khoroo P.O.B 210648 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia	
Telephone number	+976 98 23 66 66	
Email	www.mongoljudo.mn	
Website	ulaanbaatar2022gs@gmail.com	

3. LOC EVENT CONTACTS

Accommodation	Ms Nyamjargal MUNGUNSHAGAI	ulaanbaatar2022acc@gmail.com	+976 98 01 89 01
General Enquiries	Mr Battsetseg BATGEREL	ulaanbaatar2022gs@gmail.com	+976 98 23 66 66
Visa	Ms Ganbat BOLOR	ulaanbaatar2022vs@gmail.com	+976 86 60 10 01



4. COMPETITION VENUE

Name	Steppe Arena	
Address	8th Khoroo str, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia	
Website	www.steppearena.mn	
Spectators	2600	
Tickets	TBC	

5. PROGRAMME

Date	Time	Activity	Location	
Wednesday 22 June 2022	14:00 - 20:00	Accreditation	Novotel Hotel	
Th	09:00 - 12:00	Accreditation	Novotel Hotel	
Thursday 23 June 2022	14:00	Draw	Online	
23 Julie 2022	19:00 - 19:30	Weigh-in-W: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg; M: -60 kg, -66 kg	Novotel Hotel	
	Competition Da	ay 1 - W: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg; M: -60 kg, -66 kg		
Friday	TBC*	Preliminaries	Ctonno Arono	
24 June 2022	17:00	Final Block	Steppe Arena	
	19:00 - 19:30	Weigh-in-W: -63 kg, -70 kg; M: -73 kg, -81 kg	Novotel Hotel	
Competition Day 2 - W: -63 kg, -70 kg; M: -73 kg, -81 kg				
Callada	TBC*	Preliminaries		
Saturday 25 June 2022	TBC	Opening Ceremony	Steppe Arena	
25 Julie 2022	17:00	Final Block		
	19:00 - 19:30	Weigh-in-W: -78 kg, +78 kg; M: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg	Novotel Hotel	
Condo	Competition Day 3 - W: -78 kg, +78 kg; M: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg			
Sunday 26 June 2022	TBC*	Preliminaries	Steppe Arena	
20 June 2022	17:00	Final Block		

^{*} The start time will be confirmed once the final number of athletes is known.

6. ENTRY & VISA TO THE HOST COUNTRY

Each participant needs an Entry Permission Letter from the LOC.

For those participants who need a visa the LOC will assist where possible but having the correct visa is the responsibility of each participant.

Please note that visa approvals or rejections are done by the Government authorities and the LOC has no control over this and cannot be held responsible for any rejections.

Complete the form	Ulaanbaatar GS 2022 Form Entry & Visa		
Deadline	25 May 2022		
Entry permission contact	Ms Ganbat BOLOR ulaanbaatar2022vs@gmail.com +976 86 60 10 01		+976 86 60 10 01

Visa uppon arrival will cost **95 USD**. For e-visa cost is 45 USD(https://evisa.mn/) please check the list of coutries who can get e-visa following the link: https://old.legalinfo.mn/annex/details/12214?lawid=16984

Visa Free Coutries: Argentina, Belarus, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Ecuador Germany, Hong Kong, Israel, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgystan, Lao, Malaysia, Peru, Russian Federation, SAR China, Serbia, Singapure, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine, USA, Uruguay.

7. TRANSPORT

The LOC will provide official transportation for media during the competition. This transportation service includes airport transfers. Only official transport must be used whilst in the bubble (no taxis, no private cars etc.).

Arrival and Departure details must be sent to **covid@ijf.org**.

Transfers for this event will be arranged from/to:			
Airport 1	Buyant-Ukhaa International airport (UBN)		
Deadline	12 June 2022		
Transport contact	Ms Ganbat BOLOR ulaanbaatar2022tr@gmail.com +976 86 60 10 01		

8. ACCOMMODATION

All media participants, who inscribe for an IJF WJT event, must reserve their accommodation in one of the official hotels published in the event outlines. The reservation must be made with the LOC (not directly with the hotel).

Any damage to hotel property will be charged to the participant and must be paid in full.

Complete the form	Ulaanbaatar GS 2022 Form Accommodation		
Deadline first reservation	25 May 2022		
Deadline final reservation and full payment	04 June 2022		
Accommodation contact	Ms Nyamjargal MUNGUNSHAGAI	ulaanbaatar2022acc@gmail.com	+976 98 01 89 01

Due to the COVID-19 situation, all participants must stay at the official hotel for the entire period of their stay, as the bubble-to-bubble concept is used at this event. People sharing a room must check-in at similar time, due to quarantine rules. If someone checks in later, the first person to check in will need to stay in quarantine until the 2nd person is released from quarantine.

Note: The LOC will do their best to provide your first choice of accommodation but, as rooms might be limited, this cannot be guaranteed. After the accommodation deadline, the LOC cannot promise rooms in the hotels detailed in these outlines and another official hotel may be added.

INTERNATIONAL MEDIA BUBBLE

The following packages are available:



Bed and breakfast includes breakfast at the hotel.

Full board includes breakfast at the hotel, lunch* and dinner at the hotel.

Hotel - Nov	Hotel - Novotel Hotel		
Hotel	Novotel Hotel		
Address	Baga Toiruu str, 6th khoroo district, 14201, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia		
Phone	+976 7010 1188		
Website	Website www.novotel-ulaanbaatar.com		

Check-in time	14:00	
Check-out time	12:00	
Early check-in		
Late check-out	If availble it is free	
Airconditioning	Yes	
Gym	Yes	
Wi-Fi	Yes	
Room service	Yes	
A La Carte restaurant	Yes	
Food delivery allowed	Yes	

All prices are per person per night in: euro

	Full Board		
Single	220		
Twin	180		
Extra lunch on competition days (at the sport hall)			
Reserve at the hotel welcome desk			
Deposit required by hotel at check-in		No	

Distance and approximate travel time	Km*	
Airport 1 50		
Accreditation	same hotel	
Draw	The draw will be held online: www.ijf.org	
Sport hall	18	

PAYMENT

According to the IJF rule enacted on the 2 December 2012 in Tokyo, "the organising country should not

request penalties fee for participating countries who cannot make bank transfers but can pay in cash upon arrival. Those countries who cannot make bank transfers should inform the LOC well in advance that they will pay cash on arrival".

All bank fees and bank transfer costs must be paid by the participating National Federation to the following bank:

Beneficiary's Name	Mongolia Judo Association		
Bank Name	Trade and development bank of Mongolia		
Bank Address	Street 1, Peace avenue 19, Sukhbaatar district, 14210, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia		
SWIFT Code	TDBMMNUB		
Account Number (Euro)	453152889		
Payment reference	Accommodation MGL GS		

If payment is being made by bank transfer the bank information must be inserted correctly and completely on the transfer document and any procedures related to amendment of the bank transfer must be done before arrival. Participants must ensure that all bank charges are paid at their end so that the LOC receives the correct amount of funds without any deductions. Participants must have proof of the bank transfer, upon arrival.

CANCELLATION POLICY

If rooms are cancelled the LOC has the right to charge as follows:		
No refund, 100% of the hotel costs must be paid from 10 days before 14 June 2022		
start of competition (Refund only in case sending positive PCR test).	14 June 2022 	

9. GENERAL INFORMATION

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES

All local and international media representatives participating in the event described in these outlines must respect and accept the authority of the IJF Officials, the IJF Statutes, the IJF Sports and Organisation Rules (SOR, www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/21) and the IJF Anti-Doping Rules (www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/17). Individuals deemed to have acted against the IJF, its principles or purposes should be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards.

INSURANCE

Everyone is responsible for their own insurance and must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as civil liabilities during any IJF WJT event.

The LOC of the event and the IJF will not be responsible in the absence of insurance.

The entity contractually bound to the IJF for the organisation of the event shall take all necessary actions to provide insurance coverage against civil liability for the entire duration.

The LOC of the event and the IJF have no liability for any claims of injury, illness or death arising from the travelling to and the participation in this event.

COMPETITION RULES

All media matters are the responsibility of the IJF Media Director. It is expressly forbidden for all media



including photographers to live stream at any time during the draw, competition or any other official IJF activity. They are not allowed to film, or photograph injured or bleeding athletes anywhere in the venue. Mobile devices must not be used for any function while mat side.

Media are not allowed to access the warm-up area unless special access has been granted from the IJF. This must be proposed and granted by the IJF at least two weeks before the competition. Any member of the media who does not follow the above risks losing their accreditation and access to the competition.

Religious, political, personal or commercial connotation is prohibited for everyone on the field of play.

ACCREDITATION

The purpose of accreditation is to identify people and their roles at events and allow them necessary access to perform their roles.

Accreditation cards may be picked up from the accreditation centre, from the welcome desk at the hotel after the draw, from the media entrance welcome desk in the sport hall, or from any other place dedicated to media which will be indicated.

An accredited person should never wear another person's accreditation card. The accreditation card remains the property of the IJF and can be withdrawn, with immediate effect, at the IJF's sole discretion.

The accreditation card is valid for the duration of the competition and is the personal identity document of the participant for all security and access controls. This card contains: last (family) name, first (given) name, country, IJF ID number, media status (writer, photographer) and a picture.

Replacement of lost or forgotten accreditation will be charged at 50 US\$ to be paid to the IJF.

RESPECT TOWARDS ATHLETES

Throughout the event, from arrival to departure, media representatives must observe strict respect for the athletes and their delegation.

The delegations need calm to prepare and concentrate, the international media will only have access to the athletes under the conditions of the competition, at the stadium, in a mixed zone, in compliance with the IJF COVID-19 protocol.

Any other request must be the subject of a written request to the IJF: press@ijf.org

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