

INTERNATIONAL JUDO FEDERATION



## EVENT OUTLINES FOR INTERNATIONAL MEDIA

# JUDO

Tashkent Grand Slam, Uzbekistan

03 - 05 March 2023

**#JudoTashkent**

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@MariusVizer

Dear distinguished guests,

Following an outstanding world championships in Tashkent in 2022, we offer you a warm welcome back to Uzbekistan for a World Judo Tour meeting which promises energy, passion and skill across all sectors.

Tashkent is a capital city brimming with history and progress, a match for our sport which strives to uphold its traditional values while always seeking to innovate, pushing boundaries of expectation to new levels.

We are continuing our IJF World Judo Tour here, enveloped in an ever-growing appreciation of a more open global health situation, one which assists us on our journey to the Paris 2024 Olympic Games, already just a year away.

I wish all media representatives a safe journey and success and I thank all coaches, volunteers and organisers for their ongoing hard work and positivity.

Welcome to Tashkent.

Yours in judo.

**Marius L. VIZER**  
**President**  
**International Judo Federation**



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Dear judo family,

On behalf of the Uzbekistan Judo Federation, I am pleased to welcome all of you to the Tashkent Grand Slam 2023.

After a successful world championship last year, we are happy to continue the tradition of hosting this great event. It is a great honour for us and we are so proud to have the grand slam during the Olympic qualification period in the sunny and hospitable city of Tashkent.

We want to thank every one of you and particularly the President of the International Judo Federation, Mr Marius L. Vizer, for the confidence and opportunity to continue holding the grand slam in our country.

A huge number of activities are being carried out in Uzbekistan to create the necessary conditions for the sport of judo, ensuring the participation of professional athletes in the international arena, with supporting from our government throughout.

Taking this opportunity, I would like to invite every member of our big judo family, including media representatives to our capital to be witnesses of the exciting event and feel the kind hospitality of our people.

Looking forward to welcoming all to Tashkent and good luck for all of us!

**Azizjon KAMILOV**  
**President**  
**Uzbekistan Judo Federation**



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### 1. DEADLINES

PLEASE RESPECT ALL DEADLINES AND RULES DETAILED IN THESE OUTLINES.

Days before Competition day 1	Deadline	Action
28	03 February 2023	Hotel first reservation
28	03 February 2023	Visa application (with passport photocopies)*
14	17 February 2023	Hotel final reservation and full payment
13	18 February 2023 17:00 CET	Full refund in case of hotel cancellation (medical reason e.g., sick or COVID-19 positive, must send medical certificate)
11	20 February 2023	Arrival and departure information sent to: <a href="mailto:transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com">transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>
7	24 February 2023**	<a href="http://ijfmedia.datastat.si">http://ijfmedia.datastat.si</a>

\*All media representatives must have the necessary documents to travel to Uzbekistan, including a visa if necessary.

\*\*All requests are subject to approval by the IJF and the LOC, so the inscription is not a guaranty to be accredited. All accreditation requests coming after the deadline will be refused.

### 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 ([media@ijf.org](mailto:media@ijf.org)) and the LOC ([general.tashkentgs@gmail.com](mailto:general.tashkentgs@gmail.com)).

### 2. PARTICIPATION RULES

- Inscribe in the IJF media platform - <http://ijfmedia.datastat.si>
- Have a signed and approved individual Liability Release Waiver (LRW). The form can be found in the documents section: [www.ijf.org/competition/2461](http://www.ijf.org/competition/2461) and [covid.ijf.org](http://covid.ijf.org) and sent to [covid@ijf.org](mailto:covid@ijf.org)

### 3. LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE (LOC)

Name	Uzbekistan Judo Federation
Address	Abdulla Kodiriy str. 7A, Tashkent, Uzbekistan
Telephone number	+998712326231
Website	<a href="http://www.judo.uz">www.judo.uz</a>
Email	<a href="mailto:general.tashkentgs@gmail.com">general.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>



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### 4. LOC EVENT CONTACTS

Accommodation	Ms Indira Rakhmanova	<a href="mailto:accommodation.tashkentgs@gmail.com">accommodation.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998977541189
General Enquiries	Mr Azizbek Sobirov	<a href="mailto:general.tashkentgs@gmail.com">general.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998950770999
Transport contact	Mr Abdusattor Mamasidirov	<a href="mailto:transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com">transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998902903787
Visa	Mr Olimhon Mahmudmurodov	<a href="mailto:visa.tashkentgs@gmail.com">visa.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998950117677
Emergency (24 hours, English-speaking)	Mr Azizbek Sobirov	<a href="mailto:general.tashkentgs@gmail.com">general.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998950770999

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### 5. COMPETITION VENUE

Name	Yunusobod Sport Complex
Address	Iftikhor str. 1, Yunusabad district, Tashkent, Uzbekistan
Website	<a href="http://yunsc.uz/">http://yunsc.uz/</a>
Seats for spectators	2,450
Tickets	<a href="https://iticket.uz">https://iticket.uz</a>

### 6. ENTRY TO 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://mfa.uz/en/pages/visa-republic-uzb>

The LOC will assist with visas where possible but having the correct visa is the responsibility of each participant. Visa applications will only be accepted for people who are inscribed in judobase for the event.

It is the responsibility of the media participant to respect the conditions of stay defined by the Government of the country hosting the event. If any participant does not respect these conditions, any costs arising will be borne by the participant concerned.

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	Tashkent GS 2023 Form Visa		
Deadline	03 February 2023		
Visa contact	Mr Olimhon Mahmudmurodov	<a href="mailto:visa.tashkentgs@gmail.com">visa.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998950117677



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### 7. PROGRAMME

Date	Time	Activity	Location
Wednesday 01 March 2023	14:00 - 20:00	Accreditation	City Palace Hotel
Thursday 02 March 2023	09:00 - 12:00	Accreditation	City Palace Hotel
	14:00	Draw	Online
	16:00 - 16:30	Weigh-in w: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg; m: -60 kg, -66 kg	City Palace Hotel
Friday 03 March 2023	<b>Competition Day 1 - w: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg; m: -60 kg, -66 kg</b>		
	TBC*	Preliminaries	Yunusobod SC
	16:00 - 16:30	Weigh-in w: -63 kg, -70 kg; m: -73 kg, -81 kg	City Palace Hotel
	17:00	Final block	Yunusobod SC
Saturday 04 March 2023	<b>Competition Day 2 - w: -63 kg, -70 kg; m: -73 kg, -81 kg</b>		
	TBC*	Preliminaries	Yunusobod SC
	16:00 - 16:30	Weigh-in w: -78 kg, +78 kg; m: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg	City Palace Hotel
	17:00	Final block	Yunusobod SC
Sunday 05 March 2023	<b>Competition Day 3 - w: -78 kg, +78 kg; m: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg</b>		
	TBC*	Preliminaries	Yunusobod SC
	17:00	Final block	

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

### 8. TRANSPORT

The LOC will provide official transportation for media during the competition. This transportation service includes airport transfers.

Arrival and departure details must be sent to: [transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com](mailto:transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com)

Transfers for this event will be arranged from/to:			
Airport	Islam Karimov International Airport - TAS		
Deadline	20 February 2023		
Transport contact	Mr Abdusattor Mamasidirov	<a href="mailto:transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com">transport.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998902903787



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### 9. 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.

<b>Complete the form</b>	<b>Tashkent GS 2023 Form Accommodation</b>		
<b>Deadline first reservation</b>	03 February 2023		
<b>Deadline final reservation and full payment</b>	17 February 2023		
<b>Accommodation contact</b>	Ms Indira Rakhmanova	<a href="mailto:accommodation.tashkentgs@gmail.com">accommodation.tashkentgs@gmail.com</a>	+998977541189

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 HOTELS

The following packages are available in the international media hotel:  
Bed and breakfast includes breakfast at the hotel.

\*LUNCH ON COMPETITION DAYS WILL BE SERVED AT THE SPORT HALL AND CAN BE RESERVED AT ACCREDITATION.

### Accommodation

<b>City Palace Hotel Tashkent</b>	
<b>Address</b>	Amir Temur str.15, Tashkent
<b>Phone</b>	+998712383000
<b>Website</b>	<a href="https://citypalace.uz/">https://citypalace.uz/</a>
<b>Check-in time</b>	14:00
<b>Check-out time</b>	12:00
<b>Early check-in</b>	06:00-50% (Free early check-in 12:00)
<b>Late check-out</b>	18:00-50% (Free late check-out 14:00)
<b>Air-conditioning</b>	Yes (Free)
<b>Gym</b>	Yes (Free)
<b>Wi-Fi</b>	Yes (Free)
<b>Room service</b>	Yes
<b>A La Carte restaurant</b>	Yes
<b>Food delivery allowed</b>	No



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All prices are per person per night in: **US dollars**

	Bed & Breakfast
Single	160
Twin	125
Extra lunch on competition days (at the sport hall) Reserve at the hotel welcome desk	30
Deposit required by hotel at check-in	No

Distance and approximate travel time from hotel to:	Km	Time (hh:mm)
Airport	8	00:20
Accreditation	Same hotel	
Draw	The draw will be held online: <a href="http://www.ijf.org">www.ijf.org</a>	
Sport hall	5	00:15

### PAYMENT

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According to the IJF rule enacted on the 2 December 2012 in Tokyo, "the organising country should not request penalties fee for media representatives 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 to the following bank:

Beneficiary's Name	OOO «B2 MANAGEMENT»
Bank Name	PJSCB «ORIENT FINANS BANK»
Bank Address	Republic of Uzbekistan, Tashkent, 100052, Mirzo Ulugbek district, Osiyo st., 5
IBAN	20 208 840 101 035 600 000
SWIFT/BIC Code	ORFBUZ22
Payment Reference	Tashkent GS 2023+Country code Accommodation

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 receive the correct amount of funds without any deductions. Participants must have proof of the bank transfer, upon arrival.

If rooms are cancelled the LOC has the right to charge as follows:	
No refund, 100% of the hotel costs must be paid from 13 days before start of competition	18 February 2023 17:00 CET

In the case of non-payment to the LOC, the media participant concerned will not be allowed to register to competitions until the debt is settled.





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### 10. 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](http://www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/21)) and the IJF Anti-Doping Rules (<https://www.ijf.org/cleanjudo/133>), as well as the media protocol in place on spot. 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. 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 of injury, illness or death arising from the travelling to and the participation in this event nor 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.

#### 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



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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.

Any other request must be the subject of a written request to the IJF: [press@ijf.org](mailto:press@ijf.org)



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