



EUROPEAN JUDO CHAMPIONSHIPS

CADETS ODIVELAS 2023

Portugal

Individual: 22nd - 24th June 2023

Mixed Teams Event: 25th June 2023



COMPETITION RULES



WORDS OF WELCOME

Dear judoka, coaches, friends,

It is my great pleasure to welcome you to Odivelas on the occasion of the European Championships for Cadets.

In your own way, all of you are already champions. To compete at a continental tournament as the best of your nation at a young age is an achievement worthy of recognition in itself, should any of you end up on the various stages of the podium.

The cadet age group is the first and most challenging step to the higher level, where young judoka are conquering and overcoming their strong emotions, big triumphs or disappointments. This is a significant milestone in a challenging period, and all participants, athletes, and national federation officials are to be commended for being here, despite the uncertainties and difficulties of war, to show Europe over and over that judo is alive and well.

I wish good luck to all the judoka, coaches, officials, volunteers, staff and everyone involved in the event.

Yours in judo.



Dr. László TÓTH
President
European Judo Union

Dear International Judo Family,

It is a great honour to receive for the first time the Cadets European Judo Championships in Lisbon!

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.

We invited all European Judo Family to come to the city of Lisbon to enjoy the competition where the most talented young judoka in the world will try to be a rising star.

I would like to thank the Portuguese Government and all our sponsors and partners for their support. As well as to extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation for EJU President Mr. Laszlo Toth for his continuous support and confidence in allocating the organization of this event to Portuguese Judo Federation

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



Joaquim Sergio Pina
President Portuguese
Judo Federation



1. IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Before Travelling

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

- Check host country entry requirements and airline requirements (if applicable).
- Check if you need a visa, and if yes, request it from the LOC according to the details in the **ENTERING THE HOST COUNTRY** section.
- Send travel information (arrival and departures) to the LOC.
- Book accommodation with the LOC.
- Upload individual Liability Release Waiver to my.ijf.org. The form can be found at: covid.ijf.org or on EJU homepage in the Calendar section of the event.

Entering 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. Passport or Identity card and visa only for required countries. Entry rules may be subject to change, the current information can be found here: <https://imigrante.sef.pt/en/#sabermais>

Insurance

It is the responsibility of each 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 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 them during the event.

2. PROGRAM

Local time	PROGRAM	Place
Tuesday, June 20th		
14:00 - 20:00	Accreditation, Organiser financials	Business Center - Altice Arena
Wednesday, June 21st		
09:00 - 12:00	Accreditation, Organiser financials	Business Center - Altice Arena
16:00	Draw individual and mixed teams	Online draw
17:30 - 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in	Business Center - Altice Arena
18:00 - 19:00	Official weigh-in -40 / -44 / -48 kg -50 / -55 / -60 kg	Business Center - Altice Arena
Thursday, June 22nd Competition Day 1 - Individual		
Girls: -40 / -44 / -48 Boys: 50 / 55 / -60 kg		
09:00	Meeting of the referees	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, Semifinals	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
16:00	Final Block: Medal Contests	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
17:30 - 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in	Business Center - Altice Arena
18:00 - 19:00	Official weigh-in -52 / -57 / -63 kg -66 / -73 kg	Business Center - Altice Arena



Friday, June 23 rd Competition Day 2 - Individual		
Girls: -52 / -57 / -63 kg Boys: -66 / -73 kg		
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, Semifinals	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
TBC	Opening Ceremony	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
16:00	Final Block: Medal Contests	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
17:30 - 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in	Business Center - Altice Arena
18:00 - 19:00	Official weigh-in -70 / +70 kg -81 / -90 / +90 kg	Business Center - Altice Arena
Saturday, June 24 th Competition Day 3 - Individual		
Girls: -70 / +70 kg Boys: -81 / -90 / +90 kg		
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, Semifinals	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
16:00	Final Block: Medal Contests	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
16:30 - 17:00	Unofficial weigh-in Teams	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
17:00 - 18:00	Official weigh-in Teams	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
Sunday, June 25 th - Mixed teams		
Mixed Teams		
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, SF	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
15:30	Closing Ceremony & Handing over of the Flag	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
16:00	Final Block: BM, Finals	Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas
Monday, June 26 th		
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.

3. COMPETITION PLACE

Sports complex Multiusos de Odivelas (Pavilhão Multiusos de Odivelas)

Address: Alameda do Porto Pinheiro, 2675-668 Odivelas

<https://www.cm-odivelas.pt/autarquia/contactos/espacos-de-cultura-e-desporto/poi/pavilhao-multiusos-de-odivelas>





4. ORGANISER

Portuguese Judo Federation

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Email: portugalevents@fpj.pt

Contact persons:

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5. 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

The competitors must be born between 2006 and 2008.

6. 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 **June 12th 2023**. 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 POSSIBLE REPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE 	letter + 60€	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.



7. ENTRY FEE

The federations must pay an entry fee of **50 Euro** per participating competitor (according to their numerical entry) to the following bank account by **May 29th 2023**

European Judo Union (EJU)
Address: Wehlistrasse 29/1/111, 1200 Vienna, Austria
OTP Bank, Hungaria
ACCOUNT NR: 11763945-03959886
IBAN NR: HU84117639450395988600000000 (EURO)
SWIFT: OTPVHUHB

8. DEADLINES

Payment entry fee:	May 29 th 2023
Visa Application:	May 29 th 2023
Hotel Reservation:	May 29 th 2023
Hotel Payment:	June 02 nd , 2023
Travel details:	June 02 nd , 2023
Rooming List:	June 02 nd , 2023
JUDOBASE Registration:	June 12 th 2023

9. 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 as the last step of accreditation. The EJU accreditation cards for the European Championships must be worn all the times, presented at the official weigh-in and before each contest.

10. TECHNICAL INFORMATION – INDIVIDUAL EVENT

10.1 COMPOSITION OF DELEGATION

Each delegation may enter a maximum of 10 athletes in total for boys and 10 athletes in total for girls. In each weight category of boys or girls a maximum of 2 athletes can be entered. The maximum number of athletes per delegation is 20.



10.2 COMPETITION FORMULA

The Competition will be held using **Double Repechage System**.

10.3 WEIGHT CATEGORIES

Girls: -40, -44, -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, +70 kg

Boys: -50, -55, -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, +90 kg

10.4 DURATION OF CONTEST

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

10.5 WEIGH-IN

The official weigh-in takes place the day before the competition for the category concerned. The official scales are available the whole day for unofficial weight control.

Exact times and place for weigh-in can be found in the program. The weight of the competitors has to fall within the category in which they are enrolled.

The competitors...

- are not allowed to weigh-in naked. Boys must wear at least underwear and girls at least underwear and a T-shirt. Additional 200g will be allowed for their weight category limits.
- presenting themselves after the closing of the weigh-in, cannot participate at the competition.
- can present themselves only one time on the scales during the official weigh-in.
- must present their **EJU Accreditation and Passport or official identification document with photo at the official weigh-in.**

10.6 RANDOM WEIGH-IN

Random weight checks for athletes will be organised in the morning before the start of the competition.

Random weigh-in will open one hour before the start of the competition each day. The time limit to arrive to the random weigh-in is 30 minutes or 6 contests before the athlete's first contest at the latest.

The athletes must bring their accreditation for identification. The weight of the athlete cannot be more than 5 % higher than the official maximum weight limit of the category concerned.

10.7 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 Cadet WRL position.

10.8 AWARDS

The organizer shall provide medals, given at the medal ceremony:

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

10.9 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.



11. TECHNICAL DETAILS – MIXED TEAM EVENT

11.1 PARTICIPATION

The team should consist of 6 (six) athletes, one in every official mixed team category, and has the possibility to have up to 6 (six) reserves, 3 girls and 3 boys.

To enter the mixed team competition the National Federation must have a full team. This means that on the delegation control list during accreditation there must be athletes able to compete in all six (6) categories.

If there are injuries or illness after the draw or during the competition a team can compete with a minimum of four (4) athletes.

Each National Federations can inscribe 1 (one) team.

11.2 DEADLINE FOR TEAM CONFIRMATION

The deadline for entering a team in the Mixed Team competition is **12th June 2023**. The team must be confirmed in judobase with “Yes” in the separate event: European Judo Championships Cadets Odivelas 2023 Mixed teams.

Athletes who do not participate in individual competition but only in mixed team competition should be inscribed in JUDOBASE as “Judoka”.

The inscription deadline in JUDOBASE is **12th June 2023**.

11.3 WEIGHT CATEGORIES

Girls: -48 kg, -63 kg, +63 kg

Boys: -60 kg, -81 kg, +81 kg

The team contests will be fought in the following order:

-48 kg, -60 kg, -63 kg, -81 kg, +63 kg, +81 kg

During the draw, an additional draw will decide which mixed team category will start the team contests through all competition. The next higher category will follow.

The weight of the competitors has to fall within the category in which they are enrolled. Each athlete is entitled to compete in his/her own weight category and CANNOT be moved to the next higher category.

During the contest the non-competing athletes must stay within a marked area on the FOP behind the coaches’ chair. Reserve athletes must not enter the Field of Play

11.4 COMPETITION FORMULA

The Competition will be held using **Double Repechage System**.

11.5 WEIGH-IN

The official weigh-in takes place on **Saturday**. Exact times and place for weigh-in can be found in the program. The official scales are available the whole day for unofficial weight control.

For those competitors that have NOT competed in the individual competitions, weight must be within the weight limit of their category. Those competitors that have competed in the individual competition (they must have passed the official weigh-in for the individual competition) will be permitted a 5% tolerance.

The competitors inscribed in team categories **Girls +63 kg, Boys -81, +81 kg competing in individual events on Saturday** will NOT be required to come for the official weigh-in for team competition Saturday evening.

11.6 RANDOM WEIGH-IN

Random weigh-in for Mixed Teams Event is not organised.

11.7 DRAW

The draw will take place together with the draw of individual categories on **Wednesday, June 21st**.

Up to four (4) teams will be seeded according with IJF Cadet Mixed Teams World Ranking List.

11.8 CONFIRMATION OF TEAM LIST

Final confirmation of the team list will be done on **Saturday** during the announced time in the competition hall.



The Team official must sign the final list.

11.9 COMPOSITION OF THE TEAMS / LINE-UP

Before each match the team leader must select the athletes for each contest. From the maximum of two (2) athletes inscribed in each category he can select one. If the team has the possibility to put an inscribed athlete in a category, he must do so.

An athlete cannot be rested for one match and return for the next unless they have been replaced by the other inscribed athlete.

If the team has no athlete in a category, they should select the “no competitor” option.

For the first round the team lists must be returned at least 30 minutes before the start of the competition. For other rounds it must be returned 5 minutes after receiving the list from Sport Director. Once it is returned to Sport Director it cannot be changed.

Coaches: two coaches are allowed to FOP with the team.

After the team bow the byes are displayed on the scoreboard and wins are given.

Example: If blue team has one category empty: 1:0

Example: if both teams have a different category empty: 1:1

Example: if both teams have the same category empty: 0:0 (this is the only case when we stop a match when a team has reached 3 wins).

These byes are skipped later, no player needs to return to the tatami to bow again if there is no contest to be fought.

11.10 DECISION

The first team reaching the majority of wins is declared the winner (this is 4 wins). The remaining contests will not be fought.

It is compulsory that all athletes listed for the match compete until the team reaches the winning result. If an athlete refuses to compete the team will be disqualified.

If one team does not arrive for a match, the other team will be declared the winner.

If there are an equal number of wins at the end of the match, there is a draw for the weight category that will compete in a golden score contest (see table below) to decide the winning team. The draw is done by computer and displayed on the athlete and public (big screen) scoreboards

Draw for golden score contest scenario	Action
Both teams have “no competitor”	Category is removed from the draw
One team has “no competitor” or after the regular contest an athlete is unable to continue (injured, ill, direct hansoku-make <i>cannot continue</i> in competition etc.)	Category remains in the draw and the win is given directly to the other team
In the regular contest both athletes given an indirect hansoku-make (3 shido) or a direct hansoku-make (<i>can continue</i> in competition)	Category remains in the draw
In the regular contest both athletes given a direct hansoku-make (<i>cannot continue</i> in competition)	Category is removed from the draw

11.11 AWARDS

The organizer shall provide for the medal ceremony:

- First place: 1 Trophy & 14 Gold medals
- Second place: 1 Trophy & 14 Silver medals
- 2 Third places: 2 Trophies & 28 Bronze medals



11.12 DOPING CONTROL

One (1) member of the gold medal winning team and one (1) member of the other medal winning team; the choice of the weight categories is made by draw (two (2) tests in total).

Competitors have to 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 are allowed to 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.

12. OFFICIAL HOTEL

All participants and delegates have to book their accommodation via the organisers. ALL participants must stay in official hotels.

A minimum stay of 3 nights is obligatory.

Hotel for delegations:

Hotel Tivoli Oriente (Category A)

Address: Av. Dom João II n.º27, 1990-083 Lisboa, Portuga; <https://www.tivolihotels.com/pt/tivoli-oriente>

Distance to the Airport: 3 km. Distance to the Sports Hall: 13km

Check-in time: 16:00; check-out time: 11:00

prices are per person per night	BB	Lunch	Lunch in the venue	Dinner
Single room	170 EUR	25 EUR	20 EUR	25 EUR
Double room	140 EUR			

Hotel VIP Executive Art's (Category A1)

Address: Av. Dom João II 47, 1998-028 Lisboa, Portuga; https://www.vipartshotel.com/en/?partner=8189utm_source=google&utm_medium=organic&utm_campaign=MyBusiness&utm

Distance to the Airport: 3,5 km. Distance to the Sports Hall: 13,5 km

Check-in time: 16:00; check-out time: 11:00

prices are per person per night	BB	Lunch	Lunch in the venue	Dinner
Single room	160 EUR	25 EUR	20 EUR	25 EUR
Double room	130 EUR			

Ikonik Lisboa (Category B)

Address: Avenida do Mediterrâneo, lote 1.12.04 Lisboa 1990-221 Portugal; https://www.eurostarhotels.co.uk/ikonik-lisboa.html?td=b10ga02&referer_code=ADWORDS_EN&gclid=Cj0KCQjwslejBhDOARIsANYqkD131euAimLzH98k0n-bSjQ9eQazzfyYE0_1HJWtBA05lCS37Ys1CQUaArK1EALw_wcB

Distance to the Airport: 3,5 km. Distance to the Sports Hall: 13,5 km

Check-in time: 16:00; check-out time: 11:00

prices are per person per night	BB	Lunch	Lunch in the venue	Dinner
Single room	140 EUR	25 EUR	20 EUR	25 EUR
Double room	110 EUR			

Hotel for referees and EJU team: Hotel VIP Executive Art's

Hotel for EJU Executive Board and VIP: Hotel Tivoli Oriente



Hotel reservation must be done by the email to Sergiu Oleinic: portugalevents@fpj.pt . The **binding hotel reservation** must be sent to the organizer by **May 29th 2023**. 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 **June 02nd 2023**, otherwise accommodation cannot be guaranteed for your delegation.

In case a federation does not send the hotel reservation to the organizers before **May 29th 2023**, a **10% surcharge** can be added to the expenses (in case of bank transfer and in case of cash payment!).

Cancellation policy

Before June 02nd - full refund

After June 02nd - no refund

In case of tournament cancellation by the EJU or the local 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:	41035060007
IBAN:	IBAN: PT50 0007 0041 0003 50600077 9
SWIFT address:	BESCPTPL
Purpose of payment:	"Name of Delegation" EChCadets 2023

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

Payment in cash money upon arrival is not allowed. Credit cards can be accepted on spot.

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 AIRPORTS: Lisbon Airport

NEAREST BUS STATION: Oriente bus station or Sete Rios Bus Station

NEAREST RAILWAY STATION: Oriente train station

The organizer will take care of the transportation from the above-mentioned airport, bus station, railway station to the official competition hotels, competition venue and other competition facilities during the competition. The transfers are only offered on the days when the delegations are booked in an official hotel through the organisers. All transfer requests must be done to the email of Sergiu Oleinic: portugalevents@fpj.pt.

14. TRAINING

Tatami for training will be available in Business Center - Altice Arena from June 20 till June 24.

Times of training sessions are from 08:00 till 21:00.

Booking of training sessions can be done at the welcome desk at the hotels.

Training on competition days in the sports hall, warm up arena is **NOT ALLOWED** due to Covid19 restrictions. Training on competition days in the sports hall, warm up area is allowed only for those athletes who compete in this day.

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 **May 29th, 2023** to Sergiu Oleinic: portugalevents@fpj.pt .



16. MEDIA

Official or EJU recognized media can apply online for a Media accreditation <https://www.eju.net/media/> not later than June 16th, 2023. Time and place for Media Check-in will be announced closer to date.

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 2022 ranking lists.

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. Hotel reservation and travel will be arranged by EJU.



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. The contestants must not shake hands BEFORE the start of the contest.

When the athletes are leaving the mat they must wear judogi in proper way and are not allowed to take out any part of the judogi or the belt before leaving the field of play.

Special Refereeing Rules for Cadets

Application of kansetsu-waza is allowed and should continue until Maitta, tapping twice or the contestant is incapacitated by the effect of kansetsu-waza.

Application of shime waza is allowed. An athlete who has lost consciousness due to shime waza is not allowed 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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