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2022 GUAYAQUIL PANAMERICAN OPEN

WELCOME OF THE PRESIDENT OF PANAMERICAN JUDO CONFEDERATION



Dear Judoka family of Panamerica and the whole world,

On this occasion, I am writing to you to send you the most cordial greetings on behalf of the Pan American Judo Confederation.

At the same time, let you know that we have been working hard to continue the path of strengthening continental Judo. In that sense, I want to invite you to participate in the "Continental Open - Guayaquil 2022".

The 2024 Paris Olympic Games are getting closer, and this event will add classification points to all the participants who obtain the desired results.

See you in Guayaquil!



Carlos Zegarra Presser
President
Panamerican Judo Confederation



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2022 GUAYAQUIL PANAMERICAN OPEN

WELCOME OF THE PRESIDENT OF ECUADOR JUDO FEDERATION



Dear Friends,

We are close to the Pan American Open in Guayaquil - Ecuador; we are full of enthusiasm and longing for the brothers and sisters from the continent to come and compete in our beautiful land. In this sense, I am sending you the corresponding invitation.

We hope to have your presence and good energy to make this judo festival a magnificent competition.

Successes to all.



Roberto Ibáñez Romero OLY
President
Ecuador Judo Federation



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 / PJC 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 COVID-19 Protocol. All participants have the mutual responsibility to protect each other.

Each National Federation delegation participant (athlete, coach, team official, physiotherapist, doctor President etc.) 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 uploaded to **my.ijf.org** before travelling. Fourteen (14) days after the event, all event documents will be deleted. National federations needing access to my.ijf.org, please, write to registration@ijf.org

EVENT PARTICIPATION

To participate in an IJF /PJC event each delegate 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 National Federation 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 / PJC 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.

The National Federation is responsible for obtaining legal approval and permission for minor athletes to compete in competitions. When travelling with minors the team official/coach must have all the necessary documents in place that authorizes them to act on behalf of the parents/guardians “in loco parentis”.

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.
- Get an Invitation Letter from the LOC (judoecuador2014@hotmail.com)
- Send travel information (arrival and departures) and **a passport copy of every member of your delegation** to LOC (judoecuador2014@hotmail.com)
- Book accommodation with the LOC and send a detailed rooming list. Last minute changes can be accommodated while the delegation waits on the bus or outside the hotel.
- Check host country entry requirements and airline requirements (if applicable).
- Before starting your travel upload to my.ijf.org negative individual PCR COVID-19 test certificate(s) in English or local language.
- Upload before arrival to my.ijf.org an individual Liability Release Waiver (LRW). The form can be found in <https://www.ijf.org/covid19/2663> Event Document.

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.

TIMELINE	ACTION EVERYONE
Arrival to country	<p>As per the country rules.</p> <p>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 PJC PCR requirements.</p>
<p>ALL PRE-EVENT COVID-19 DOCUMENTS MUST BE SENT TO MY.IJF.ORG BEFORE TRAVELLING</p>	

ENTERING THE EVENT BUBBLE WHICH IS OPEN FROM: July 7th 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

To maintain the required safety level at the PJC events, the following variants of vaccination are recognized 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.

FULLY VACCINATED		
Type of protection	Minimum time elapsed	Maximum time elapsed
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
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	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR
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	Minimum 11 days from the positive PCR	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR

Minors (under 18) are considered **fully vaccinated** after completing the first series of vaccination with no end of validity until further decision.

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.



ATHLETES ONLY	
TIMELINE	ACTION
FULLY VACCINATED Arrival and entry to event bubble.	Maximum 4 days (96 h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test. Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test (Isolate until negative result received). Before weigh-in: 1 rapid antigen test.
RECOVERED* Arrival and entry to event bubble	Maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test. Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 rapid antigen test. (If permitted by the host country's regulation, otherwise 1 PCR test). 24h after arrival to the bubble: 1 rapid antigen test. Before weigh-in: 1 rapid antigen test.
NON-VACCINATED Arrival and entry to event bubble	Same as vaccinated until further notice.

ALL OTHERS (COACHES, DOCTORS ETC.) EXCEPT ATHLETES	
TIMELINE	ACTION
VACCINATED Arrival and entry to event bubble.	Maximum 4 days (96 h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test. Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test(Isolate until negative result received).
RECOVERED* Arrival and entry to event bubble	Maximum 4 days (96h) before arrival to the bubble: 1 PCR test. Upon arrival to the bubble: 1 rapid antigen test. (If permitted by the host country's regulation, otherwise 1 PCR test). 24h after arrival to the bubble: 1 rapid antigen test. Before weigh-in: 1 rapid antigen test.
NON-VACCINATED Arrival and entry to event bubble	Same as vaccinated until further notice.

***RECOVERED** is a person who has served their quarantine period as per their country regulation and the date of their positive test (a dated positive PCR test, a positive antigen test or recovery certificate must be uploaded to my.ijf.org) is within one month of the arrival to the bubble. People claiming the **RECOVERED** status for an event MUST contact the IJF via covid@ijf.org before they start their travel.



PCR TEST ON ARRIVAL TO BUBBLE

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

Until arrival to the bubble PCR (PCR3) test results are obtained, all participants must remain in their hotel rooms, where water and any paid meals will be ensured.

ANTIGEN TEST

Antigen test for athletes will be taken before their weigh-in with the results delivered before the official weigh-in.

POSITIVE PCR TEST PROCESS

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

Anyone with a positive test **MUST** stay in the quarantine facility provided by the LOC. The cost must be paid by the National Federation.

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

- Wash/sanitise your hands regularly.
- Competitors should wash and disinfect their hands and feet regularly.
- No handshake - greet each other with a bow.
- Mask wearing is optional*, unless it is mandated by the host country's government with the exceptions of: competing/refereeing/coaching/medal ceremonies, on/at the Field of Play tatami, on the warm-up tatami whilst warming up or on the training tatami whilst training, or while eating in designated dining areas.

(*). The IJF Medical Commission still recommend the wearing of masks in areas where social distancing is not possible.

- Maintain 1.5 m distance at all times, except for competitors during training, their contests and during warming up with ONE PARTNER.
- Submit yourselves to contactless temperature measurement. Anyone registering a high temperature will be asked to remain outside and their Delegation COVID-19 Manager, the LOC COVID-19 Manager and the PJC/OJU 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 PJC/OJU COVID-19 Manager.



SYMPTOMS AFTER ARRIVAL

Anyone who experiences symptoms after arrival must immediately contact their Delegation COVID-19 Manager who will then contact the LOC and PJC COVID-19 Managers.

EXIT TESTS

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

Where to book	At accreditation
PCR test price	85 US DOLLAR
Antigen test Price	65 US DOLLAR
Payment method	Cash US DOLLAR

IMPORTANT:

CURRENT LAWS ESTABLISH REQUIREMENTS TO ENTER ECUADOR, AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN SPORTING EVENTS. ALL THESE REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION IN THESE OUTLINES. HOWEVER, AS IN THE WHOLE WORLD, THE MEASURES ARE CHANGING ACCORDING TO THE EPIDEMIOLOGICAL SITUATION, THEREFORE, THERE IS THE POSSIBILITY THAT THERE IS ANY CHANGE IN THE REQUIREMENTS.

1. PROGRAMME

Date	Time	Activity	Location
Thursday July 7, 2022	15:00 – 23:59	Bubble opening	Hotel
	15:00 – 23:59	Last day of Entry to bubble Athletes Day 1	Hotel
Friday July 8, 2022	00:00 – 15:00	Last day of Entry to bubble Athletes Day 2	Hotel
	09:00 – 12:00	Accreditation	Hotel
	14:00	Draw	Hotel
	From 15:00	Antigen test for athletes Athletes Day 1	Hotel
	TBC	Judo backnumber pre-control Athletes Day 1	Hotel
	17:30 – 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in Athletes Day 1	Hotel
	18:00 – 19:00	Weigh-in Athletes Day 1	Hotel
Saturday July 9, 2022	Competition Day 1 -W -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, -63 kg; M: -60 kg, -66 kg, -73kg		
	TBC*	Preliminaries	Hotel
	16:00	Final Block	Hotel
	From 15:00	Antigen test for athletes Athletes Day 2	Hotel
	TBC	Judo backnumber pre-control Athletes Day 2	Hotel
	17:30 – 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in Athletes Day 2	Hotel
	18:00 – 19:00	Weigh-in Athletes Day 2	Hotel
Sunday July 10, 2022	Competition Day 2 -W -70 kg, -78 kg, +78 kg; M: -81 kg, -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg		
	TBC*	Preliminaries	Hotel
	16:00	Final Block	Hotel

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

2. DATES

Panamerican Open: Saturday July 09 and Sunday July 10, 2022.

3. REGISTRATION

Timeline	Deadline	Days before opening the bubble
Event inscription (judobase)	May 25, 2022	43
Hotel Reservation	June 05, 2022	32
Visa application (with passport photocopies) *	June 07, 2022	30
Arrival and departure information	June 10, 2022	27
Hotel payment	June 18, 2022	19

*Entry letters and visa applications will only be accepted for people who are inscribed in judobase.

Registration must be done with the IJF online registration system at <http://www.judobase.org> . Delegations that do not register within the date indicated on that website will not be able to participate. **Registration deadline: June 07, 2022**

4. PARTICIPATION RULES

Any delegate is eligible to inscribe in the competition provided he/she is:

- Not under a disciplinary suspension.
- Not under suspension for anti-doping rule violation.
- Not under medical suspension.
- Healthy and fit for competition.
- Do not carry any communicable diseases that may risk other delegates' health.
- Participating athletes must be born in 2007 (15 years in the calendar year) or before.
- Sufficient technical knowledge (know the terminology and can execute all the techniques in the IJF SOR Appendix H) and understand fully the IJF sport and refereeing rules.
- Participants must also satisfy all regulations in the IJF COVID-19 Protocol and COVID-19 local protocol.

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- The date of birth and nationality must be accredited by means of an official PASSPORT from the country of origin.
- Only national teams from federations that are members of **IJF**
- Minimum age: Born until 2007.

5. LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE (LOC)

Name	Federación Ecuatoriana de Judo
Address	Avenida de las Américas, Explanada Del Estadio Modelo.

Telephone number	+593 4 2295837
Email	rytibanez@hotmail.com; judoecuador2014@hotmail.com
Website	https://www.fejecuador.com/

6. COMPETITION VENUE

Hilton Colon Hotel / **2 mats**

Av. Francisco de Orellana Mz. 111, Guayaquil 090512, Ecuador
Guayaquil, Ecuador



7. ENTRY TO HOST COUNTRY

Each participant needs an invitation 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	Solicitud_Invitacion
Deadline	May 25, 2022
LOC Contact	Roberto Ibanez Garcia
LOC Email	judoecuador2014@hotmail.com
LOC Telephone	+593985202380

8. TRANSPORT

The organiser will provide official transportation for competing delegations 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.).

To guarantee airport transfers, arrival, and departure details for each participant, must be sent to the organizer by **June 10, 2022**.

Transfers for this event will be arranged from/to:	
Airport	Aeropuerto Internacional José Joaquín de Olmedo
Deadline	June 10, 2022
LOC Contact	Roberto Ibanez Garcia
LOC Email	judoecuador2014@hotmail.com
LOC Telephone	+593985202380

9. ACCOMMODATION

All delegations, who inscribe for an IJF / PJC 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 resulting from the stay of a National Delegation will be charged to the National Federation and must be paid in full. Delegations are kindly requested not to dry clothing (including judogi) or have training sessions in the corridors of the official hotels.

Complete the form	Reserva_Hotel_ECU
Deadline	June 05, 2022
LOC Contact	Samantha Cedeño
LOC Email	hotelopengye@fejecuador.com
LOC Telephone	+593 98-358-9995

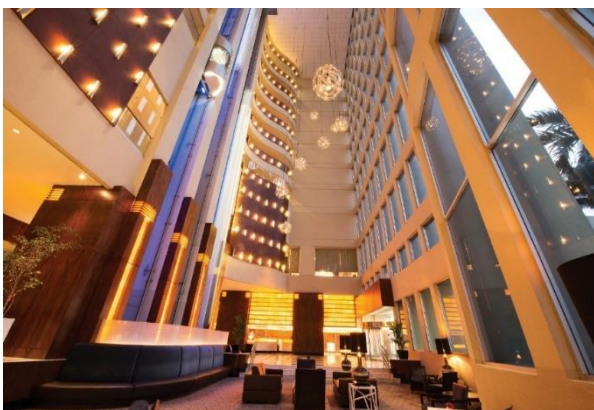
Due to the COVID-19 situation, all participants must stay at the official hotel for the entire period of their stay, as the **bubble-to-bubble** concept is used at this event. People sharing a room must check-in at similar time, due to quarantine rules. If someone checks in later, the first person to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

Delegations that arrive by official transport and have been pre-accredited at the airport upon arrival of the flight from their country of origin are the only ones that may enter the hotel.

Anyone who leaves the health protocol "bubble" will not be admitted again to be part of the delegation. Please carefully read the protocol that will be found later

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 organiser cannot promise rooms in the hotels detailed in these outlines and another official hotel may be added.

HOTEL HILTON COLON *****	
Address	Av. Francisco de Orellana Mz. 111, Guayaquil 090512, Ecuador
Phone	+593 4-501-0000
Website	https://www.hiltonhotels.com/es_XM/ecuador/hilton-colon-guayaquil/
Check in	15:00
Check out	14:00
Early Check in / Late check out	No





All prices are per person per night in **US Dollars** and include lodging, food (breakfast, lunch, and dinner), round trip transportation from the airport to the Hotel, round trip from the Hotel to the competition venue.

HOTEL HILTON COLON *****	
Room type	Price per person per night
Single	USD 215
Twin	USD 195

Distance and approximate travel time from hotel to:	Km	Time (hh:mm)
Training		In the hotel
Accreditation		In the hotel
Draw		In the hotel
Judogi pre - control		In the hotel
Weigh in		In the hotel
Sport hall		In the hotel

IMPORTANT: Hotel reservations to hotelopengye@fejecuador.com

To optimize your accommodation and stay, it is important that you send to LOC the number of athletes and members of the delegation before June 20, 2022.

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 organisers 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	Federación Ecuatoriana de Judo
RUC	0992116048001
Bank Account	3394322704
Swift Code	PICHECEQ
City	Guayaquil, Ecuador
Bank Name	Banco Pichincha C.A.
Bank Address	Ciudadela Atarazana, Avenida Cosme Renella MZ 132 Solar 1
Bank Phone Number	042284225 EXT 261306
Bank representative	Angel Calvas / Oficial de crédito – Celular: 593-996627842



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. Delegations must ensure that all bank charges are paid at their end so that the organisers receive the correct amount of funds without any deductions. Delegation must have proof of the bank transfer, upon arrival.

Countries must inform the organizers of the number of participants before the deadline. Possible extra room reservations at check-in will also be surcharged with 10%. The rooms "no-show" will result in 100% of the charge of hotel expenses. Room cancellations cannot be made at check-in.

If rooms are cancelled the LOC has the right to charge as follows:	
No refund, 100% of the hotel costs must be paid from	19 days or less prior to arrival
With 50% refund, 50% of the hotel expenses must be paid from	20 to 29 days prior to arrival
Cancellations with refund are allowed until	30 days or more prior to arrival

10. TRAINING

Training during the event is the responsibility of the organising federation. Planning and scheduling of training sessions will be organised taking into consideration requests made by delegations daily on a first request made first served basis. To book training contact the LOC.

Training venue	Hilton Colon Hotel
Address	Av. Francisco de Orellana Mz. 111, Guayaquil
Location	TBC
Training dates	July 07, 2022 to July 09, 2022
Training times	09:00 – 12:00 / 14:00 – 19:00
LOC Contact	Nisse Guillen
LOC Email	trainingopengye@fejecuador.com
LOC Telephone	+593 99-231-8524

11. MEDALS

First place - Gold medal

Second place – Silver medal

Third places (x2) - Bronze medals



- At the time of receiving the award, the athlete must present himself with a WHITE judogi.
- Any competitor who has won a medal must attend the ceremony and receive the medal in person. If an athlete is absent during the award ceremony for an invalid reason, he will lose his right to the medal.
- Competitors are strictly prohibited from bringing their national flags or similar identification to the podium.
- Any religious, political, personal or commercial demonstration, or wearing any hat or other head covering or any other paraphernalia, is prohibited.

12. DOPING CONTROL

- It is important that each delegation knows the doping control protocol.
- Controls will be carried out in accordance with the IJF Anti-Doping Rules and the Organization and Sport Regulations, after concluding the final block.
- 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 may participate in the award ceremony and fulfill their media commitments or receive medical treatment if necessary.
- The selected competitors will be constantly accompanied by an official chaperone (designated by the organizing committee) from the moment of notification until their arrival at the Doping Control Station. A person of the athlete's choice (team doctor, coach, physical trainer, head of delegation, etc.) may accompany them.

13. TRAINING CAMPS

There will be no training camp.

14. POST EVENT SURVEY

After each event a questionnaire will be sent for your constructive comments and feedback on how to improve the next edition of the event. You can also email info@panamjudo.org

15. PJC AFFILIATION

All participants in these events must be registered and affiliated before entering the bubble. Every person without exception that appears in the official registry needs to have their current affiliation, which can be done individually or as a federation through <http://panamjudo.org/> affiliations section.

Affiliation cost **\$100 USD**.

Membership must be paid online; cash will not be accepted for membership payment at Event Registration.

16. 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, <https://www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/21>), and the IJF Anti-Doping Rules (<https://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

Each National Federation is directly responsible for its athletes (the control of non-pregnancy and the control of gender). It must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as civil liabilities during all IJF / PJC / OJU events for everyone under their charge.

National Federations are responsible to provide insurance guarantees to their delegates during any IJF/PJC/OJU event. The LOC of the event and the IJF/PJC/OJU will not be responsible in the absence of insurance.

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

All subsequent or extraordinary medical attention, such as injury and/or illness that requires hospitalization, treatments, surgical interventions and medications, will be assumed, in terms of costs, by the federation of each country. Therefore, all participating delegations and judokas will exempt the event organizers from liability for any mishap, injury, accident, illness or death that may arise inside or outside the competition venue or in the trips and transfers related to this event.

CONSENT FOR USE OF DATA/PHOTOGRAPHY/VIDEOS/FILMING

Delegates inscribed by their National Federations for IJF/PJC/OJU events consent to IJF/PJC/OJU and its media partners to use content of them, including data, live results, photos and/or video recordings (hereafter referred to as Media). This media may be obtained from the National Federations and IJF/PJC/OJU. Media could be used in print and digital media formats, including print publications, websites, e-marketing, posters, banners, advertising, film, broadcast, social media, educational and other purposes.

If a delegate does not give consent for use of data, photography, videos and filming then the National Federation must inform the International Judo Federation by writing to registration@ijf.org



COMPETITION RULES

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the IJF SOR (<https://www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/21>) and the IJF Anti-Doping Rules (<https://www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/17>).

System of competition: for 6 or more athletes/teams quarter-final (last 8) repechage, for 5 or less athletes/teams low numbers rules for WRL events, duration of contests: four (4) minutes (real time).

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

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

INSCRIPTION OF DELEGATES

Only entries of IJF member National Judo Federations will be accepted.
Athletes can be entered in ONLY one weight category per event.

Each person can only be inscribed with one function (i.e. athlete, coach, referee, team official etc.) per event. The National Federation is responsible for obtaining legal approval and permission for minor athletes to compete in competitions. When travelling with minors the team official/coach must have all the necessary documents in place that authorises them to act on behalf of the parents/guardians *"in loco parentis"*. This also applies to doping control. The National Federation must ensure that minor athletes have their parental/guardian permission to undergo testing

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There is no registration limit per weight category per National Federation.
Non-competing athletes or training partners can be inscribed as judoka

ACCREDITATION

Accreditation and delivery of credentials will be carried out according to the COVID19 health protocol on the days that are in the program. Accreditation will be carried out through a shift system.

At least one team delegate must attend on time to confirm the entries of all athletes and officials with a signature on the delegation confirmation list. A delayed appearance or no-show may result in the exclusion of all participants from the draw and the event. **All competitors, coaches and delegates will be provided with credentials, which they must always carry.** The passports of all participants must be always available, if required.

Quota for officials for accreditations (includes team officials, coaches, doctors, and physiotherapists):

- One – four (1-4) competitors = three (3) officials.
- Five – nine (5-9) competitors = five (5) officials.
- 10 or more competitors = seven (7) officials.



The accreditations for National Federation president, referee and judoka are not included in the above calculation. The fee for additional team official(s) (who must be inscribed in judobase) is 100 US\$ per accreditation, to be paid to the LOC. Replacement of lost or forgotten accreditation will be charged at 50 US\$ to be paid to the PJC.

DRAW

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. The draw will be held online.

OFFICIAL JUDOGI

Athletes must compete wearing an IJF approved judogi (white and blue) from one of the following official suppliers can be found here: www.ijf.org/supplier-list For further information on the judogi rules please refer to the IJF SOR (<https://www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/21>).

OFFICIAL IJF BACKNUMBER

Each competitor is obliged to have sewn on the back of his judogi a backnumber bearing their last (family) name and National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The last (family) name (and any part of their given (first name) on the back number must have the same letters as that registered in judobase as this database provides the accreditation cards, athlete name on TV graphics and scoreboard etc. The top of the backnumber must be fixed horizontally and centrally three (3) cm from the bottom of the collar.

The backnumber can only be ordered from www.officialbacknumber.com or www.mybacknumber.com

JUDOGI PRE-CONTROL

The Education and Coaching Commission will control the backnumber on the judogi jacket the evening before the competition. The checking process will start half an hour prior to the unofficial weigh-in and will end at the same time as the official weigh-in (see programme for times). The backnumber and publicity should comply with the current IJF judogi regulations.

The judogi control will be done before each contest.

WEIGH IN

The weigh-in will be carried out in accordance with the IJF SOR. The official weigh-in for athletes will be scheduled the day before the competition (see programme for times)

COACHING

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