19-21 February 2016

World Judo Tour

GRAND PRIX Düsseldorf, 2016























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IJF President

The second Grand Prix of the year will be staged in the well-established IJF World Judo Tour host location of Dusseldorf.

Germany's Grand Prix is one of the strongest events on the circuit as judoka look to make their presence felt early in the season and in a country which is bursting with top-level talent and vibrant judo communities.

Dusseldorf hosts the second Grand Prix of 2016 following January's seasonopening Havana Grand Prix in Cuba and we all expect the best of the best judoka in the world to be present in Germany for a vital competition.

I would like to thank German Judo Federation for their devotion to making this annual event a successful one and for supporting the International Judo Federation in all its endeavours. I would like to wish good luck to all the competing countries, athletes, coaches, officials and staff.



Mr. Peter FresePresident of the
German Judo
Federation

Dear Judo friends,

The Olympic Games 2016 in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil cast their shadows before. All athletes and their staff are looking forward to this all-important event. Rio de Janeiro will mark a milestone in the careers of all Judo athletes.

I truly speak from conviction that the Judo Grand Prix in Düsseldorf will prepare all judokas on their road to Rio. During this event attended points can be collected to be qualified for the Olympic Games.

Düsseldorf as a city does not only offer outstanding Judo events. Apart from the sporting quality this city combines modernity and tradition. There one can find modern fair halls and traditional city areas.

The German Judo Federation is indeed proud to host this Grand Prix event again on February. As the last years have demonstrated, this prestigious event became more popular. Obvious reasons are sold out tickets and a high-class starting field of athletes. So I hope this event will be another great success in Grand Prix history.

We warmly welcome our Judo friends again in Düsseldorf to be a part of this major event. This year we expect an exceeding tournament again.

We sincerely await all athletes and delegations in Düsseldorf on February.



1. DEADLINES

PLEASE RESPECT ALL DEADLINES AND RULES DETAILED IN THESE OUTLINES.

Hotel reservation:

Hotel full payment:

Visa application (with passport photocopies):

Travel information:

21 December 2015

8 January 2016

22 January 2016

Judobase.org inscription: 29 January 2016 23:59 CET

2. FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE



All national federations, officials, coaches and athletes participating in the event described in these outlines have to respect and accept the authority of the IJF Officials, the IJF Statutes, the IJF Sports and Organization Rules (SOR), the IJF Refereeing Rules and the IJF Antidoping Rules. Individuals deemed to have acted against the IJF, its principles or purposes shall be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards.

3. INSURANCE



Each National Federation is responsible for its competitors (the control of non-pregnancy as well as the control of gender are placed under the responsibility of the National Federations) and must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as the civil liabilities for their competitors and officials, during the event described in these outlines.

The organizer of the event and the IJF will not be responsible for any insurance related to the above-mentioned matters. Nevertheless the National Judo Federation staging the event shall take all necessary actions to provide insurance coverage against civil liability for the entire duration.

The organizer of the event and the IJF have no liability for any claims of injury, illness or death arising out of the participation and traveling in connection with this event.

4. PROGRAMME

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	
Wednesday 17 February	14:00 -20:00	Accreditation	Nikko Hotel
Thursday 18 February	09:00 -12:00 14:00 After draw 19:00-20:30 19:30 -20:00 20:00-20:30	Accreditation Draw Referees' meeting Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, M: -60 kg, -66 kg	Nikko Hotel
Friday 19 February	10:00* 16:30 17:00 19:00-20:30 19:30 -20:00 20:00-20:30	Competition day 1 W: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, M: -60 kg, -66 kg Preliminaries (on 3 tatami) Opening Ceremony Final Block (on 1 tatami) Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: -63 kg, -70 kg, M: -73 kg, -81 kg	Mitsubishi Electric Halle Nikko Hotel
Saturday 20 February	10:00* 17:00 19:00-20:30 19:30 -20:00 20:00-20:30	Competition day 2 W: -63 kg, -70 kg, M: -73 kg, -81 kg Preliminaries (on 3 tatami) Final Block (on 1 tatami) Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: 78 kg, +78 kg, M: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg	Mitsubishi Electric Halle Nikko Hotel
Sunday 21 February	10:00* 17:00	Competition day 3 W: 78 kg, +78 kg, M: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg Preliminaries (on 3 tatami) Final Block (on 1 tatami)	Mitsubishi Electric Halle
Monday 22 February		Departures	

^{*} The start time may change depending on the final number of athletes.



5. ORGANIZERS

German Judo Federation

Otto-Fleck-Schneise 12 / D-60528 Frankfurt am Main +49-69-6772080

grandprix@judobund.de



6. COMPETITION VENUE

Mitsubishi Electric Halle Siegburger Straße 15, 40591 Düsseldorf, +49-211 775057

www.mitsubishi-electric-halle.de





7. ACCOMMODATION

A. NIKKO Hotel ****

Immermannstrasse 41, 40210 Düsseldorf +49-211 834-0

www.nikko-hotel.de/

Check-in time: 14:00 Check-out time: 12:00 Single Price half board (per person per night) 210 Euro Single Price B&B (per person per night) 190 Euro

Twin (2 separate beds) Price B&B (per person per night) 148 Euro

Twin (2 separate beds) Price half board (per person per night) 168 Euro

Distance from airport (km) 8.5 Distance from sport hall (km) 2.9



Kölner Str. 186-188, 40227 Düsseldorf +49 211 78110

www.nh-hotels.de

Check-in time: 15:00 Check-out time: 12:00

Single Price B&B (per person per night) 170 Euro Single Price half board (per person per night) 190 Euro

Twin (2 separate beds) Price B&B (per person per night) 130 Euro Twin (2 separate beds) Price half board (per person per night) 150 Euro

Distance from airport (km) 13.2 Distance from sport hall (km) 3.5

C. Leonardo Hotel ****

Ludwig-Erhard-Allee 3, 40227 Düsseldorf +49-211-7771-0 www.leonardo-hotels.de

Check-in time: 15:00 Check-out time: 12:00

Single Price B&B (per person per night) 150 Euro Single Price half board (per person per night) 170 Euro

Twin (2 separate beds) Price B&B (per person per night) 110 Euro
Twin (2 separate beds) Price half board (per person per night) 130 Euro

Distance from airport (km) 9.4 Distance from sport hall (km) 1.9

If only B&B is booked and additional meals are then required this should be arranged directly with the hotel NOT the organisers.

Hotel reservations MUST be made through the organizing committee. All delegates inscribed for an IJF official event must stay in one of the official hotels suggested by the organizers for a minimum of one (1) night. If this is not respected accreditation will not be given.

Reservations of extra rooms at the check-in may be surcharged with an additional 10%.

If rooms need to be cancelled please inform the organizer immediately. Cancellation of







rooms cannot be made at check-in. Illness, injuries or visa problems are not valid reasons for the cancellation of rooms. If rooms are cancelled the organizer has the right to charge the participating delegation as follows:

- Up to 30 days before the arrival full refund.
- From 30-10 days before the arrival 50% refund.
- From 9 expected arrival no refund, 100% of the hotel costs must be paid.

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.

According to the new International Judo Federation (IJF) rule enacted on the 2 December 2012 in Tokyo "the organizing country should not request fee penalties for countries which cannot make bank transfers but can pay in cash money upon arrival. On the other hand, they should inform well in advance the organizing country and specify the number of participants before the deadline".

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

Beneficiary's Name: DJB Service GmbH Bank Name: Stadtsparkasse Wuppertal Bank A/C No:DE 45 3305 0000 0000 151563 Bank Address: Islandufer 15, 42103 Wuppertal

SWIFT Code: WUPSDE33XXX

Add the mention: Grand Prix Germany2016

(Please input the below information correctly and completely on the transfer document and any procedures related to amendment of the bank transfer MUST be done before arrival.)



8. VISA

The organizer is happy to help any country with obtaining visa for athletes and officials. For nations, who need a visa to enter the organizing country, please send a full list of participants with full names, passport numbers, date of birth, and positions along with scanned copies of all passports before the deadline stipulated.

Visa contact: Gisela Preuss, gpreuss@judobund.de
Visa application: 8 January 2016



9. TRANSPORT

The organizer will provide free of charge transportation for competing delegations staying in official hotels during the event. This includes transport to and from the official hotels, accreditation, the draw, weigh-in, training and competition unless they are within walking distance.

For arrivals and departures a transfer service is available to official hotels from:

Düsseldorf airport Düsseldorf Mainstation

Travel information must be sent to the organizers by 22 January 2016



10. COMPETITION RULES

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest IJF SOR, IJF Refereeing Rules and IJF Anti-Doping Rules.

System of competition: quarterfinal (last 8) repechage

Weight categories:

Men -60kg, -66kg, -73kg, -81kg, -90kg, -100kg, +100kg Women: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63kg, -70kg, -78kg, +78kg

Duration of contest: Men five (5) minutes and women (4) minutes (real time).



11. INSCRIPTION OF DELEGATES

Competitors can only be entered in one weight category and only entries of IJF member national judo federations will be accepted. Participating athletes must be born in 2001 (15 years in the calendar year) or before. Each national federation can inscribe a maximum of two (2) athletes per weight category. The organizing national federation can inscribe a maximum of four (4) athletes per weight category. Non-competing athletes or training partners can be inscribed as judoka. Inscription of all participants must be done using the IJF online registration system at https://www.judobase.org. The final deadline for inscription is 20 days before the draw. All athletes and officials must be entered on time. National federations missing the registration deadline will not be allowed to start and no exceptions will be made! After the deadline no additional delegates can be added. Changes can be made one to one, like for like, due to injury or illness. For example an injured athlete can be replace by another athlete regardless of gender or weight category. An ill team official can be replaced by another team official etc. In case where registered athletes are cancelled on the spot during accreditation without previous notification to the IJF, a penalty of 100 USD per athlete will apply. This penalty will be charged by the IJF to the National Federation. For any support please contact registration@ijf.org before the end of the deadline.



12. ACCREDITATION

The control of entries and issuing of accreditation cards will take place during accreditation (see program for time and place).

At least one team official must attend in time to confirm the entries of all athletes and officials with his/her signature. Passports or photocopy of passports of all athletes must be available on request.

An accreditation card with photograph will be issued to athletes, officials and media. This accreditation card must be carried at all times.

A delayed appearance or no-show at control of entries may result in the exclusion of all participants from the draw and the event. In case of unforeseen delay of arrival the Federation must contact immediately the organizer and the IJF registration team (registration@ijf.org).

Number of accreditations for officials:

1 – 4 competitors: 3 officials

5 – 9 competitors: 5 officials

10 or more competitors: 7 officials

Extra accreditation for delegation members can be purchased from the organizing committee for \$100.00 USD for the days of competition.



13. TRAINING

Training is the responsibility of the organizing federation. Planning and scheduling of training sessions will be organized taking into consideration requests made by delegations daily on a first request made first served basis. If you are interested in booking training please contact the organizer.



14. DRAW

Each national federation must send at least one delegate to attend the draw. A maximum of three (3) delegates per national federation (2 officials and 1 athletes' delegate) will be authorized.

The top eight (8) athletes from the entered competitors in each weight category will be seeded according to the current World Ranking List.



15. JUDOGI CONTROL

Athletes must compete wearing an IJF approved judogi supplied by one of the following manufacturers: Greenhill, SFJAM NORIS, DANRHO, MIZUNO, Double D Adidas, HAYAKAWA, Fighting Film, Budo Sport AG, ESSIMO, MATSURU B.V, KAPPA, DAEDO

Each competitor is obliged to have sewn on the back of his/her judogi a backnumber bearing his surname and his/her National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The backnumbers must be fixed horizontally and centred on the back of the judogi. They must be placed at a distance of 3 cm from the bottom of the collar. The backnumber can only be ordered from www.iifbacknumber.com or www.mybacknumber.com.

The Education and Coaching Commission will inspect the judogi jacket every evening. 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 (19:00 – 20:30).

The backnumber and publicity should comply with the current IJF judogi regulations. The official sponsor label of the event will be given provided that:

- The judogi are clean and dry.
- The backnumber, publicity and emblem are properly sewn and do not show any wear or tear.
- All previous advertising has been removed.

Guide to attaching and removing the sponsor label:

• Lay the judogi flat and attach the new sponsor label of the event on the back of the correct iudogi.

White judogi: IJF sponsor

Blue judogi: Organizer's sponsor

• Ensure the label is firmly attached around the edges.

Immediately after the competition and before washing remove the sponsor label. For further information on judogi rules please refer to the IJF SOR section 8 and appendix C.



16. WEIGH-IN

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

Unofficial weigh-in: 19:30 to 20:00Official weigh-in: 20:00 to 20:30



17. 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.



18. AWARDING CEREMONY

The competitors wearing their white judogi (no shoes, flip flops or socks) will stand behind

the podium according to the following order 2,1,3,3. 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 they 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.



19. MEDALS AND PRIZE MONEY

First place

Gold medal and 3,000 US\$ (judoka: 2,400 US\$ and coach 600 US\$)

Second place

Silver medal and 2,000 US\$ (judoka: 1,600 US\$ and coach 400 US\$)

Third places (x2)

Bronze medals and 1,000 US\$ for each (judoka: 800 US\$ and coach 200 US\$)



20. DOPING CONTROL

Doping control will include in each category:

- a. the winner of the category
- b. one of the three other medal winners by draw

The draw (for b) 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.

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.



21. International Training Camp,22-25 February 2016, German OlympicTraining Center, Köln

ORGANIZER

- German Judo Federation
- Address: Otto Fleck-Schneise 12, 60528 Frankfurt/Main D-P.O. Box 71 02 25, 60 492 Frankfurt/Main
- Fon +49-6772080 Fax. +49-69-677 22 42
- Mail: grandprix@judobund.de

DATES AND PLACE

- Date: From Monday February 22nd to Thursday 25th 2016 (departure)
- Place: Olympic national training center Köln. Two dojos: 1300 m² and 600 m²

PARTICIPANTS

- Women and Men Seniors
- · Competitors have to be registered by their national federation

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

Monday	Thuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
February 22nd	February 23rd	February 24th	February 25th
Arrival of delegations			
10:00-11:30 Training Men	9:00 – 11:00 Training Women	9:00 – 11:00 Training Men	9:00 – 11:00 Training Women/Men
11:30 – 13:00	11:00am – 13:00	11:00am – 13:00	Departure of delegations
Training Women	Training Men	Training Women	
16:00 -18:00	16:00 -18:00	16:00 -18:00	
Training Men	Training Women	Training Men	
18:00 – 20:00	18:00 – 20:00	18:00 – 20:00	
Training Women	Training Men	Training Women	

Participants booked at Premiere Classe Hotel: Lunch and Dinner at the Olympic Training Center. Participants booked at Hotel Mercure: Lunch and dinner at hotel Mercure

ACCOMMODATION

- All participants in the International Trainings camp in Köln must stay in one of the official hotels.
- Training will not permitted if the accommodation is out of the official hotels.
- Reservation at the official Hotels must be booked exclusively through the Organizer on a first come first serve basis.
- There will be no refunding or reduction for arrivals after the opening date or departures before the closing date.
- All damages to property of hotels or venues resulting from the stay of a national delegation shall be charged to federation and paid in full.
- When your requested hotel is fully booked any reservation will be automatically booked to another official hotel in any category.

Packages Training Judo + Accommodation + Catering

- Package price is per person from February 22nd February 25th 2016 (3 nights) from Monday lunch to Thursday lunch and accommodation in double rooms (EJU Training camp fee not included).
- Single room occupancy if available.

Mercure Hotel, Horbeller Straße 1, 50858 Köln

- Price: 435 € per person in double room (2 person per room)
- Price: 590 € in single room (1 person per room if available)
- Breakfast Lunch and Dinner at the hotel

Premiere Classe Hotel, Max-Planck-Straße 46, 50858 Köln

- Price: 395 € per person in double room (2 person per room)
- Price: 490 € in single room (1 person per room if available)
- Breakfast at the Hotel. Lunch and Dinner at the National Training Center

Meal tickets will be distributed at the arrival of the delegation.

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT

EJU FEE

The regulations of the European Judo Union have fixed to pay the following EJU Fees:

- European Federations EURO 30,00 per athlete
- Non-European Federation EURO 100,00 per athlete

The fee has to be paid to the EJU and shall be collected by the German Judo Federation in cash upon your arrival.

REGISTRATION

• First entry: December 15th 2015 (included). Please fill out the "Application Form" attached the regulation of the Grand Prix Düsseldorf 2016 and submit it to grandprix@judobund.de

PAYMENT

Bank informations

• Beneficiary's Name: DJB Service GmbH

Bank Name:Bank A/C No:Bank Address:SWIFT Code:Add the mention: Bank Name: Stadtsparkasse Wuppertal DE 45 3305 0000 0000 151563 Islandufer 15, 42103 Wuppertal

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International Training Camp 2016

- Please make payment via bank transfer before 15th of January 2016.
- All bank fees and bank transfer costs are to be paid by the participating federation.
- If payment is made after the 15th of January 2016 a surcharge of 10 % will be levied upon the total payable amount. Possible reservation of extra rooms at the check-in will also be surcharged with 10 %, no exceptions will be made.

CANCELLATIONS: In case of of cancellation, the following cancellation fee will apply Cancellations made after Januar 15th, 2016 will be subject to penalties of 100% of the amount. Cancellations of rooms cannot be made at the check-in. Injuries, visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms.

VISA

• For nations, who need VISA to enter Germany, please send us as soon as possible (latest 10th January 2016) the list of participants with names, passport numbers, date of birth and function as well as bank transfer for the hotel booking. Please be informed that the letter of invitation will be send by regular post. Any other request will be charged to the applicating federation (e.g. express mail service).

INSURANCE

- Each delegation must be in possession of a guarantee insurance covering all its members for competition and training:
- Civil liabilities
- Injury
- Repatriation assistance

The medical and physiotherapy will be covered by the Olympic Center Cologne.

TRANSFER

- The journey is the responsibility of each national federation.
- Transport from the airport/train station Cologne will be provided for those persons who will only participate in the training camp.
- Transportation won't be organized for groups under 3 persons
- Transport from Düsseldorf Grand Prix to Köln and back to Düsseldorf Airport after the training camp will be provided for persons who stay at the official hotels booked through the organizer.

WELCOME TO DÜSSELDORF, GERMANY!!!



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