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EUROPEAN JUDO UNION

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EVENT OUTLINES

European Open Men & Women

Madrid – Spain

June, 11th – 12th 2022



IJF World Ranking Event

1. Organizer

Royal Spanish Judo Federation

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2. Regulations to minimize COVID-19 related risks

Anyone not complying with the conditions of participation described in these outlines will not be eligible to take part in the event and will be subject to disciplinary action.

The fundamental principle throughout all EJU 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 protocol. All participants have the mutual responsibility to protect one-another.

Each National Federation delegation participant (athlete, coach, team official, physiotherapist, doctor, President etc.) must have read and understood the latest version of the Protocol for resuming IJF events during the Covid-19 pandemic which can be found here: [covid.ijf.org](https://www.ijf.org/covid).

PLEASE NOTE:

Each National Federation taking part must nominate a Covid-19 Manager who is fluent in English.

There can only be ONE (1) COVID-19 MANAGER PER FEDERATION!

Before Travelling

1. Check if you need a visa, and if yes - request it from the organiser. Please send a good quality passport copy (PDF) and filled in Visa Application form to the email: open@rfejudo.com. Please, see visa form uploaded.

2. Book accommodation and send a detailed rooming list. Last minute changes can be accommodated whilst the delegation waits in the bus or outside the hotel.

3. Present on arrival:

If you are FULLY vaccinated or recovered from Covid-19 disease in last 6 months before event:

1 PCR test which is not older than 72 hours before entering the bubble and vaccination certificate or recovery certificate

If you are not vaccinated:

two (2) PCR tests done maximum eight (8) days before entering the bubble and taken at least (minimum) 48 hours apart (can be more than 48 hours).

Please make sure that all documents have also has an English version.

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

All vaccination types are accepted, not only EMA or WHO approved products to take part in the competition.

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

Recovery from infection and 1 dose	Minimum 14 days from receiving the dose	Maximum 6 months from receiving the dose
1 dose and recovery from infection	Minimum 11 days from the positive PCR test	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR test
Recovery from infection	Minimum 11 days from the positive PCR test	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR test

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

During the period when the tests are done you should stay isolated and limit contact with other people as much as possible. If you experience any kind of symptoms do not start to travel (even with two negative PCR tests.).

4. Present upon arrival IJF Liability Release Waiver which is uploaded to my.ijf.org once and is valid through the whole year 2022. The document can be found under the link: <https://www.ijf.org/covid19/2663> and on EJU homepage for every event.

5. **PCR tests, Vaccination Certificate/Recovery Certificate, Liability Release Waiver must be uploaded to the platform my.ijf.org by NF administrator well in advance BEFORE TEAM ARRIVAL.**

Entering Spain

The following must be brought/at hand for border control:

1. Passport, ID, and applicable visas, as required.
 - All regular border-crossing regulations must be followed regarding the validity of passports and visas, as applicable for each respective country
 - Border control officers will check documents (passports or other documents that contain similar information)
2. Official Invitation.

* All participants must present a PRINTED invitation letter from the Spanish Judo Federation that the border control officers may keep.

3. Negative PCR test not older than 72 hours

4. All travellers to Spain (including children of all ages) must fill in a Health Control Form (FCS) that can be downloaded in the following link: <https://www.spth.gob.es/> (If you do not complete this form electronically, you may submit it in paper format before boarding. On arrival into Spanish ports and airports you must show them.

5. If you are FULLY vaccinated with a vaccine authorized by the European Medicines Agency or by the World Health Organization, you can enter Spain without needing to test or quarantine regardless of your reason for travel. (At least 14 days must have passed since being fully vaccinated (with both doses of a 2-dose vaccine or one dose of a single-dose vaccine) before arrival in Spain and your date(s) of vaccination must be specified).

6. Those unvaccinated participants must present an entry authorization letter from the Spanish Ministry of Sport, filling the Entry Application form to the email: open@rfejudo.com and Negative PCR test not older than 72 hours."

Entering a bubble

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.

1. One (1) PCR test per participant will be performed immediately upon arrival. The test will be held in the official hotels. Until test results are obtained, all participants must remain in their hotel rooms, where water and any paid meals will be ensured until the receipt of the test results.

Important: Athletes competing on Saturday MUST arrive on Thursday before 16:00.

Athletes competing on Sunday MUST arrive on Friday before 16:00!

Due to testing logistics NO EXCEPTIONS are possible.

	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
07:30					
08:00				Ref. Meet.	
08:30					
09:00		Delivery results tests Thursday	Delivery results tests Friday	PCR Exit-test	PCR Exit-test
09:30					
10:00	Arrival Covid-19 Manager & Athletes Day 1				
10:30		Arrival Athletes Day 2			
11:00					
11:30					
12:00		Training (Athletes Day 1)			
12:30			Accreditation		
13:00					
13:30					
14:00		Sample taking for PCR test All persons must wait in the hotel room for the result			
14:30					
15:00					
15:30					
16:00					
16:30					
17:00					
17:30	Sample taking for PCR test All persons must wait in the hotel room for the result				
18:00					
18:30					
19:00			Delivery results Exit tests	Weigh-in Day 2	Delivery results Departure
19:30					
20:00					
20:30			Draw		
21:00					

Testing: Sample taking 14:00 - 17:00 --> result by 8 am next day, Sample taking 17:00 - 20:00 --> result by 1 pm next day
Sport hall: access only for athletes competing that day (access for warm-up partner can be granted upon request in case of special circumstances)
Entries & registration: No entries by clubs can be accepted - every participating Federation must have a Covid-19 Manager handling all entries and bookings!

2. Cost per test is 100 € Euro, which has to be paid by the participating federation prior the arrival.
3. If any other conditions and requirements will arise till the start of the event - they will be informed additionally.

Throughout your stay

1. Wash/sanitise your hands regularly, especially if you have had contact with a person or an object. Competitors should wash and disinfect their hands and feet regularly, especially before the warm-up and the contest.
2. No handshake - greet each other with a bow.
3. Wear a mask at all times (change it at least twice a day). Exceptions: masks are not obligatory on the Field of Play tatami, on the warm-up tatami whilst warming up or on the training tatami whilst training. Masks may be removed while eating in dining areas.
4. Maintain 1.5 m distance at all times, except for competitors during training, their contests and during warming up with ONE PARTNER.
5. Submit yourselves to contactless temperature measurement by the organiser on arrival at the point of entry in the country, at accommodation premises, throughout the competition venue and at any official venue of the event, to be accepted by all accredited population.

Anyone registering a high temperature will be asked to remain outside and their Delegation COVID-19 Manager, the LOC COVID-19 Manager and the EJU 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 EJU COVID-19 Manager.

In case of positive result

In case of a positive test result we will follow the Spanish Government/National Public Health Authorities
 Quarantine period: 5 days

Quarantine hotel: official hotels

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

Close contacts will also be traced and may be isolated/quarantined depending on the LOC National Public Health Authorities of Spain procedure. Please note their definition of close contact may differ from that described in the IJF protocol.

Symptoms after arrival

Anyone who experiences symptoms after arrival must immediately contact their Team COVID-19 Manager
Local Covid Manager: Mr Jorge Gonzalez- open@rfejudo.com - +34 687 633 132

Exit tests

Exit tests may be booked before arrival by the email open@rfejudo.com.
Price: PCR - 100€; antigen -30€.

3. Competition Place

Polideportivo Municipal Gallur
Address: C. de Gallur, 2, 28047 Madrid

4. Age

15 years old and over (born in 2007 and before)

5. Participation

This European Judo Open is open for all EJU/IJF Member Federations. **There is no limit** in the number of participation for each weight category for every federation. The competitors must be of the same nationality as the National Federation, which enters them.

6. Categories & Duration

Male: -60kg, -66kg, -73kg, -81kg, -90kg, -100kg, +100kg
Female: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63kg, -70kg, -78kg, +78kg
Duration: 4 minutes Golden Score: No time limit

7. Deadlines

Visa Application:	Monday, 23 rd May 2022
Hotel Reservation:	Thursday, 26 th May 2022
Hotel Payment:	Thursday, 26 th May 2022
Travel details:	Thursday, 26 th May 2022
Rooming List:	Thursday, 26 th May 2022
JUDOBASE Registration:	Friday, 03 rd June 2022

8. Program

Attention: The schedule may be modified according to total number of entries and circumstances of competition.

Thursday, June 09th 2022		
Not later than 16:00	Arrival of Covid Managers and athletes competing on Saturday	Official Hotels
09:00 – 20:00	PCR testing	Official Hotels
Friday, June 10th 2022		
Not later than 16:00	Arrival of athletes competing on Sunday	Official Hotels
10:00 – 17:00	Accreditation	Hotel Melia Barajas
09:00 – 18:00	PCR testing	Official Hotels
18:00 – 18:30	Unofficial weigh-in	Hotel Melia Barajas
18:30 – 19:30	Official weigh-in Women: -48, -52, -57, -63 kg Men: -60, -66, -73 kg	Hotel Melia Barajas
20:00	Draw	online
Saturday, June 11th 2022 Women: -48, -52, -57, -63, kg Men: -60, -66, -73 kg		
7:00 – 11:00	PCR testing (Exit PCR)	Official Hotels
08:00	Referee Meeting	Sports Hall
9:00	Eliminations/Repechage/Semi finals	Sports Hall
After	Final Block: Bronze Medal Contests, Finals	Sports Hall
18:00 – 18:30	Unofficial weigh-in	Hotel Melia Barajas
18:30 – 19:30	Official weigh-in Women: -70, -78, +78 kg Men: -81, -90, -100, +100 kg	Hotel Melia Barajas
Sunday, June 12th 2022 Women: -70, -78, +78 kg Men: -81, -90, -100, +100 kg		
7:00 – 11:00	PCR testing (Exit PCR)	Official Hotels
9:00	Eliminations/Repechage/Semi finals	Sports Hall
After	Final Block: Bronze Medal Contests, Finals	Sports Hall

9. JUDOBASE Registration

All participants and delegates must be registered for this event in the IJF Registration System (JUDOBASE): <https://admin.judobase.org/>.

Deadline for JUDOBASE Registration is **Friday, June 03rd 2022**

	NO IJF Official ID Card	Late entry IJF Official ID Card: YES	Replacement IJF Official ID Card: YES
Athletes			0€
Other delegates (Head of delegation, Coaches, Physios, Doctors, ...)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENTRY NOT POSSIBLE • REPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE 	Late entry not possible	0€

Please note:

- **Late entries are NOT POSSIBLE, only replacements 1:1.**
- Persons, who are banned by their Federation or IJF cannot be entered as late entry or replacement.

10. Entry Fee

The EJU entry fee of **20€** per athlete must be paid.

11. Accreditation & Control of Nationality

At least one team delegate (and not more than 2) who have been tested on spot and received negative results must attend the accreditation/team list confirmation on **Friday from 10:00 - 17:00** on time in order to confirm the entries of all athletes and officials with his 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. In case of unforeseen delay of arrival, the National Federation must immediately contact both the organiser and the EJU (headoffice@eju.net). Passports or photocopies of passports from all competitors must be available on request (national ID Card showing nationality, picture and date of birth or a copy is also accepted). The competitors must not be present at the nationality control.

Very important: Each National Federation must be represented by a team leader or coach responsible for registration of **ALL athletes from the respective National Federation, regardless club or other membership. Every National Federation will be accepted for accreditation only once, when all entries and payments can be confirmed at the same time.**

12. Competition Mode

Competition system: Elimination (KO) system with the quarterfinal (last 8) repechage.

The competition will be carried out according to the rules and sporting codes of the IJF and EJU.

13. Draw

The draw will be held ONLINE.

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

14. Weigh-in

Official weigh-in for each weight category is held the evening before the competition day (see program). **Athletes must present their EJU accreditation card and their passport** (National ID Cards showing nationality, picture and date of birth are also accepted).

Official scales or test scales will be available for test weigh-in on Friday and Saturday from 08:00 - 22:00 (except during official weigh-in from 18:30-19:30).

15. Refereeing

With the IJF A examination taking place with this European Open, candidates accepted by IJF for examination can be referee in this event. Additionally to the candidates for IJF-A examination 10 non-candidates can inscribe on "first come first served basis".

Each National Federation may enter 2 referees with at least continental license.

Only referees who have a FINAL ranking of at least 6,5 in the 2021 ranking list are allowed to referee in European Open. The referees with a lower ranking can only referee at European Cups. The control if a referee fulfils the requirement of ranking, will be checked at the moment of inscription in Judobase by EJU Head Office.

However, when a referee got classified with at least 6,5 in an European Cup in 2022, he/she can go to the next European Opens.

The organizing federation may enter a maximum of 2 referees with required classification
JUDOBASE registration deadline for referees: Friday, 03rd June 2022

The bow:

- 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.

16. Coaching

All coaches must fully adhere to the Code of Conduct for Judo Coaches.

Dress Code	Elimination rounds:	National track suit with trousers reaching down to shoes or jacket suit with tie
	Final block:	Jacket suit with tie

17. Transport

Airport: Madrid Adolfo Suarez

Train station: Madrid Atocha

The organizer will provide transfers between the airport and official hotels, between the official hotels and competition venue, draw, accreditation and official weigh-in places. During pandemic time ONLY official transportation can be used. No other transportation, including taxis and own cars can be used when in the bubble.

18. Accommodation

All delegations, who inscribe for an EJU event, must reserve their accommodation in the official hotels published in the event outlines. The reservation must be made with the local organising committee (not directly with the hotel).

Due to the COVID-19 situation ALL participants must stay in the official hotel for the entire period of their stay, as the bubble-to-bubble concept is used at this event.

Hotel Cat 1 Melia Barajas

Address: Av. de Logroño, 305, 28042 Madrid

Prices per person/per night	B&B	Lunch in the hotel	Lunch in the sports hall	Dinner
Single room	190 €	25 €	18 €	25 €
Double room	145 €			

Hotel Cat 2 Madrid Alameda Aeropuerto by Melia

Address: Av. de Logroño, 100, 28042 Madrid

Prices per person/per night	B&B	Lunch in the hotel	Lunch in the sports hall	Dinner
Single room	185 €	25 €	18 €	25 €
Double room	140 €			

Hotel booking and transfers have to be made directly with the organiser: open@rfejudo.com

Hotel reservation deadline: Thursday, 26th May 2022

Hotel payment deadline: Thursday, 26th May 2022

Cash payment upon arrival is not allowed only upon special request. Credit cards are not be accepted on spot.

Cancellations	Till Friday, 20 th May 2022:	full refund
	Till Monday, 23 rd May, 2022:	50% refund
	After May 23 rd , 2022:	no refund, 100% of the hotel costs must be paid

In case of tournament cancellation by the Spanish authorities full payment will be refunded.

Important: Injuries, visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms.

In case of any damage to hotel property or competition venue caused by members of a delegation, their national federation will be charged by the organizing committee.

19. Payment

Kindly complete the payment for accommodation and entry fee to our bank account:

Name of bank: CAIXABANK
Bank Address: C/Paseo de la Castellana,51 PL3 CP.28046, Office No: 5731 Madrid, Spain
IBAN: ES54 2100 6322 1202 0004 5632
SWIFT address: CAIXESBXXX

All bank fees and money transfer costs must be paid by the sender federation. The person attending accreditation must bring proof of the bank transfer.

20. Judogi Control

Approved Judogi

All Judoka must compete in IJF Approved Judogi (only red label allowed) and 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. Judogi must have an IJF Official Label “APPROVED JUDOGEI” with an optical code which cannot be falsified. The label will be controlled with an optical lamp. Each of the competition clothing articles (jacket, trousers and belt) must have an IJF official label.

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 the Judoka for his/her own sponsor. The logo of a Judogi brand can only be used, if it corresponds with the brand of the Judogi itself and if it is an EJU Supplier. Further, no logo of a competing brand of the advertising reserved for the Federation can be used (unless approval granted by the Federation).

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. 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.

21. Responsibility of Federations

The competitors will compete under the full responsibility of their federations. Insurance: Each national federation is responsible for insuring its competitors against “injury and third part risk (public liability)” during the period of the event. The European Judo Union and the organiser decline all responsibility.

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.

22. Anti-Doping

Doping control will be executed according to the IJF MEDICAL AND ANTI-DOPING HANDBOOK (IJF SOR - Appendix E).

23. Media

Journalists can apply for Media accreditation online using the following link: www.eju.net/accreditation

Due to the Covid-19 situation the restrictions for Media attendance may apply.

24. Visa

For nations who need VISA to enter Spain, please send the enclosed “Visa Application Form” fully filled not later than Monday, 23rd May 2022.

25. TRAINING

Tatami for training will be available at official hotel.

Thursday-Saturday, June 09-11: from 08:00 - 20:00

Booking of training sessions will be done by the organiser by the email: open@rfejudo.com.

Training on competition days in the sports hall warm up arena is NOT ALLOWED due to Covid19 restrictions.