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## I. GENERAL INFORMATION

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

## 1.1 Host Country Overview

Bulgaria is located in Eastern Europe, on the Balkan Peninsula, bordering the Black Sea to the east, Romania to the north, Serbia and North Macedonia to the west, and Greece and Turkey to the south. The country covers an area of 111,000 square kilometers and has a population of about 6.5 million people.

With a history spanning over 1,300 years, Bulgaria's origins date back to the emergence of the First Bulgarian Empire in the 7th century (681 year). Throughout the centuries, the region has experienced a series of conquests and shifts in power, including periods of Byzantine and Ottoman rule, each leaving imprints on Bulgaria's cultural identity.

The distinctive Bulgarian folk music, with its unique rhythms and haunting melodies, is an essential part of national identity.

In terms of architecture, Bulgaria showcases a blend of styles, from ancient Thracian and Byzantine structures to the elaborate Orthodox churches and Ottoman mosques. Notable landmarks include the Rila Monastery, an architectural masterpiece and a symbol of Bulgarian cultural history, and the ancient city of Nessebar, a UNESCO World Heritage site known for its well-preserved medieval architecture.

The nation's cuisine reflects a combination of flavors from the Balkans, Mediterranean, and Slavic traditions.

Bulgarian customs and festivals, like the lively Kukeri festival, showcase the country's vibrant cultural tapestry, blending pagan and Christian traditions in a riot of color and folklore.

The Cyrillic alphabet, a script derived from the Glagolitic alphabet, was created in the 9th century by the Byzantine scholars Cyril and Methodius. Primarily designed for the Old Bulgarian Language (Old Church Slavonic language), it evolved into the writing system for various Slavic languages, including Russian, Bulgarian, and Serbian.

Bulgarian language has evolved over the centuries, incorporating influences from various linguistic sources, including Greek, Turkish, and Persian. This amalgamation has resulted in a complex and nuanced language characterized by a rich vocabulary, intricate grammatical structures, and a distinct phonetic system.

Bulgarian language is the official language of Bulgaria, and since 2007 has been among the official languages of the European Union. It is also spoken by the Bulgarian historical communities in North Macedonia, Ukraine, Moldova, Serbia, Romania, Hungary, Albania and Greece.

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1.2 Host City Overview

Burgas is the second largest city on the Bulgarian Black Sea Coast in the region of Northern Thrace and the fourth-largest in Bulgaria after Sofia, Plovdiv, and Varna, with a population of 203,000 inhabitants, while

277,922 live in its urban area. It is the capital of Burgas Province and an important industrial, transport,

cultural and tourist centre.

There are a historical museum, an ethnographic museum, an archaeological museum, a large port and a

beautiful sea garden in the city. Only 35 km from Burgas is located the famous seaside resort of Sunny

Beach.

Burgas has a mediterranean climate (Köppen Climate Classification Csa) but with continental influences.

The summertime in Burgas lasts about five months from mid-May until late September. Average

temperatures during high season (April - October) is 24 ° C (75 ° F). Burgas Time Zone: UTC+2 (EET).

Summer (DST): UTC+3 (EEST). Elevation: 30 m (100 ft).

1.3 International Airport

Official name: Burgas Airport

ICAO abbreviation: LBBG

IATA abbreviation: BOJ

Terminals: Terminal 1 and Terminal 2

Operating hours: 24 hours

Burgas airport is situated about 11 km north east of the city of Burgas. Both arrival and departure areas are

split in Shengen and Non-Shengen zones.

The organizing committee offers free transportation from Burgas Airport to the hotel and back.

1.4 Weather

Burgas is located on the Bulgarian Black Sea coast, which gives its climate a strong maritime influence,

although continental elements from inland Bulgaria are also present. According to the Köppen

classification, Burgas falls into the Cfa zone, a humid subtropical climate. This means the city experiences

warm summers, relatively mild winters compared to the interior of the country, and rainfall spread fairly

evenly throughout the year without a pronounced dry season.

The average annual temperature is around 12 to 14 ° C. July is the hottest month, with daytime

temperatures often rising above 27 ° C, while January is the coldest month, when nights may drop close to

or slightly below freezing. Rainfall is moderate, with precipitation occurring throughout the year, but winter

and spring tend to bring more rainy days. The proximity of the sea softens extreme temperatures,

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providing a more balanced climate overall.

By late April, spring is already well established in Burgas. Daytime temperatures usually reach around 16 to 18 ° C, making the weather mild and comfortable, though not yet hot. Nights remain cool, often dropping to about 8 to 10 ° C, so evenings and early mornings still require a jacket or warmer clothing.

## 1.5 Electricity

In Bulgaria, the electricity supply for residential use operates at 230 volts (formerly referred to as 220 volts) with a frequency of 50 hertz, in line with the European standard. The typical household current is single-phase, while three-phase connections are available for industrial and larger commercial consumers. Standard power outlets are of type F (Schuko).

## 1.6 Telephone

Bulgaria uses the international dialing code +359. When calling within the country, the national trunk prefix is 0 (for example: +359 123456 and 0123456). The city of Burgas has the area code 056 for landline numbers. For example, a call to a Burgas landline from abroad would be dialed as +359 56...

Telephone services in Bulgaria are well developed, with both fixed-line and mobile networks widely available. Mobile coverage is strong in Burgas and throughout the country, with all major operators providing 4G services and ongoing expansion of 5G networks. Internet-based calling and mobile data services are also common, making telecommunication in Burgas reliable and in line with European standards..

## 2. INTRODUCTION TO WORLD TIJIQUAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Hosted by the International Wushu Federation (IWUF), the World Taijiquan Championships (WTJQC) is one of the official events of the IWUF. With the first edition began in 2014, the WTJQC takes place biennially and four editions have been held so far. Features competition focused on taijiquan and its related events for both men and women. The Bulgarian Wushu Federation is responsible for the organization of the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC under the auspices of the IWUF.

For more information on the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC, please visit the IWUF official website http://www.iwuf.org, also visit the official social media, Facebook, Instagram (IG), YouTube.

#### 3. DATES AND PLACE

(all the following dates and times in Burgas Time)

The 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC will be held from April 23 to 30, 2026 in Burgas, Bulgaria.



## 3.1 Competition Date

From April 26 to 29, 2026

## 3.2 Important Dates

## 3.2.1 Preliminary Entry

From December 26, 2025 to January 25, 2026

## 3.2.2 Final Entry

From January 26 to March 1, 2026

## 3.2.3 Late Entry and Changes

(upon acceptance by IWUF)

From March 2 to April 1, 2026

## 3.2.4 Registration of Athletes' Degree of Difficulty and Compulsory Contents

From January 26 to April 16, 2026

#### 4. VENUES

## **4.1 Competition Venue**

Mladost Sports Hall

## 4.2 Training Venue

Mladost Sports Hall

#### 5. GENERAL PROGRAM

Date	Time	Activity	Location
Apr 22 Thur	Whole Day	Team Arrivals and Registration	Team Hotel
Apr 23, Thur. Whole Day		Judges Arrivals and Registration	Judge Hotel
		Team Arrivals and Registration	Team Hotel
Apr 24, Fri.	Whole Day	Team Training	Mladost Sports Hall
		Judges' Refresher Course	Judge Hotel
Apr 25, Sat.	All Day	Team Training	Mladost Sports Hall



	09:00–12:00	Judges' Refresher Course Judge Hot	
	10:00–12:00	Technical Meeting and Drawing of Lots	TBD
	14:30–16:30	Judges' Rehearsal	Mladost Sports Hall
	18:00-19:30	Opening Ceremony	Mladost Sports Hall
Apr 26, Sun.	Whole Day	Competition and Awards Ceremony	
Apr 27, Mon.	Whole Day	Competition and Awards Ceremony	Mladost Sports Hall
Apr 28, Tue.	Whole Day	Competition and Awards Ceremony	
Apr 29, Wed.	Whole Day	Competition and Awards Ceremony	
Apr 30, Thur.	Before 14:00	Departures	

**NOTE:** This program is subject to change depending on the number of the registered athletes.

## 6. KEY CONTACTS

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# • Organizing Committee of 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC

(hereinafter referred to as "Local Organizing Committee", abbreviated as LOC)

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## II. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

#### 7. COMPETITION EVENTS

In Championship Events, if the registered athletes of each age group in a single event is 10 persons or less, these events will be combined with other age categories and/or events.

In Demonstration Events, if the registered athletes of each age group in a single event is 5 persons or less, these events will be combined with other age categories and/or events.

(The numbers in parentheses indicate the number of movements in the compulsory routines. E.g., Taijiquan (42) means 42 movements in its routine.)

## 7.1 Championship Events

## 7.1.1 Optional Routines (with Degree of Difficulty)

• Bare-hand routine: Taijiquan

• Weapon routines: Taijijian, Taijishan

## 7.1.2 New Standardized Routines (without Degree of Difficulty)

• Bare-hand routine: Yang Style Taijiquan, Chen Style Taijiquan

• Weapon routine: Yang Style Taijijian, Chen Style Taijijian

#### 7.1.3 Compulsory Routines

#### 7.1.3.1 1st Set of International Wushu Competition Routines

• Bare-hand routine: Taijiquan (42)

• Weapon routine: Taijijian (42)

#### 7.1.3.2 3rd Set of International Wushu Competition Routines

• Bare-hand routine: Taijiquan (36)

• Weapon routines: Taijijian (39), Taijishan (40)

## 7.1.3.3 Five Styles Taijiquan Competition Routines

• Chen Style Taijiquan (56)

Yang Style Taijiquan (40)

• Wu Style Taijiquan (45)



- Wuu (Hao) Style Taijiquan (46)
- Sun Style Taijiquan (73)

## 7.1.3.4 Elementary Routines

• Bare-hand routine: Taijiquan (24)

• Weapon routine: Taijijian (32)

#### 7.2 Demonstration Events

## 7.2.1 Compulsory Routines

## 7.2.1.1 Elementary Routines

• Bare-hand routine: Taijiquan (24)

• Weapon routine: Taijijian (32)

## 7.2.1.2 1st Set of International Wushu Competition Routines

• Bare-hand routine: Taijiquan (42)

• Weapon routine: Taijijian (42)

#### 7.2.2 Traditional Routines

- Bare-hand routine: Yang Style Taijiquan, Chen Style Taijiquan, Wu Style Taijiquan, Sun Style Taijiquan
- Weapon routine: Yang Style Taijijian, Chen Style Taijijian, Wu(Hao) Style Taijijian, Sun Style Taijijian

## 7.3 Jiti (Group) Events

- Jiti bare-hand routines
- Jiti weapon routines

#### 8. AGE CATEGORIES

## 8.1 Championship Events

- **Group A: 14–17** years of age (born in 2009–2012).
- **Group B: 18–29** years of age (born in 1997–2008).
- **Group C: 30–39** years of age (born in 1987–1996)

#### 8.2 Demonstration Events



- **Group A: 10-13** years of age (born in 2013-2016)
- **Group B: 14–17** years of age (born in 2009–2012).
- **Group C: 18–29** years of age (born in 1997–2008).
- **Group D: 30–39** years of age (born in 1987–1996)
- **Group E: 40–54** years of age (born in 1972–1986)
- **Group F: 55-69** years of age (born in 1957-1971)

#### 9. QUALIFICATIONS

## 9.1 Membership

- Only those federations/associations which have paid their IWUF annual membership fees for 2025 and 2026 will be permitted to participate in the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC.
- New IWUF member federations may be invited to take part in the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC after their membership applications have been accepted by the IWUF.

Hereinafter the IWUF member federation is referred to as "NF".

## 9.2 Athlete Eligibility

- Athletes must be citizens or permanent residents of the country that they are representing.
- Athletes who have dual citizenship can only represent one country/territory in the championships.
- In cases where athletes have changed their citizenship, such athletes are required to have resided in the country or territory that they are representing for at least two (2) years prior to the opening day of the competition or activity, during which time they may not have represented any other country or territory in any international competition.
- Pursuant to the above, pursuant to the provisions of the Olympic Charter applying subsidiarily, the Technical Committee shall deal with all disputes relating to an athlete's eligibility for participation and report to the IWUF Executive Board for a final decision.

## 10. PARTICIPATION METHODS

## 10.1 Quota

- Each NF can enter at most 1 team.
- Each team shall be composed of a maximum of 30 members.

#### 10.1.1 Athlete



For Championships Events, each team may, at most, enter *4 male athletes and 4 female athletes*.

For Demonstration Events, each team may, at most enter **8 male athletes and 8 female athletes.** 

#### 10.1.2 Team Official

- Each team may, at most, enter **4 team officials** including:
  - o 1 team leader
  - o 2 coaches
  - o 1 doctor

## 10.1.3 Team Judge

Each team may, at most, enter 2 team judges.

#### 10.1.4 Observer

Extra team delegate(s) exceeding the quota shall be registered as observer(s).

#### **10.2 Participation Events**

- Each team may, at most, enter to participate in 1 Jiti events. Each group must be composed of at least 6 athletes, athletes can be mixed from championship and demonstration events, and genders and ages of athletes are not limited.
- Each athlete may, at most, enter to participate in 3 individual events and 1 Jiti event including:
  - 1/2 bare-hand routines
  - o 1/2 weapon routine
  - o 1 Jiti routine
- Athletes registered within championship events may only participate in championships events;
   Athletes registered in demonstration events may only participate in demonstration events.
- Within championship events, Simplified Taijiquan (24) & Simplified Taijijian (32) are limited to the A age group competition only.
- Within demonstration events, Simplified Taijiquan (24) & Simplified Taijijian (32) are limited to the D, E and F age group competition only.

#### 10.3 Relevant Documents



Upon arrival at the Accreditation Desk, team leaders must present the following documents:

- Completed and signed *Waiver of Liabilities* (Annex 1) of all participants, which must be signed by his/her parent or legal guardian for the participant who is under 18 years of age.
- **Medical Certificates** (Annex 2) of all athletes issued by a qualified medical doctor from a check-up performed within a period of **15 days** prior to the registration date of the competition.
- Life Accidental Injury Insurance Certificates of all athletes.

#### 11. COMPETITION RULES

Unless otherwise stated within these regulations, the competition will be conducted in accordance with **the IWUF Wushu Taolu Competition Rules and Judging Methods (2024)** (hereinafter referred to as "rules").

The rules may be interpreted solely at the discretion of the IWUF. In the event of language discrepancies in the rules, the English version shall prevail.

#### 12. COMPETITION METHODS

#### 12.1 Group Competition

*If the number of registered athletes for a particular routine exceeds 50*, athletes of that event will be randomly and evenly divided into *2 or more groups* by the computer for the competition.

No preliminaries and finals will be held for those events.

## 12.2 Optional Routines

For the optional routines, the "Events with Degree of Difficulty Scoring Methods and Standards" will be implemented. *312B*, *323B*, *323C*, *324B* and *324C* must be connected to the connection movements as stipulated in the rules table 10-3-9 when landing.

## 12.3 Compulsory and Jiti Routines

For the compulsory routines (including the Elementary Routines, New Standardize Routines, Five Styles Taijiquan Competition Routines, 1<sup>st</sup> set of the International Wushu Competition Routines and 3<sup>rd</sup> set of the International Wushu Competition Routines) and Jiti routines, the "Events without Degree of Difficulty Scoring Methods and Standards" will be implemented.

#### 12.4 Routine Time Limits

#### 12.4.1. Championship Events



## • Optional Routines (with Degree of Difficulty)

 Taijiquan, Taijijian, and Taijishan routines: From 2 minutes 45 seconds to 3 minutes 15 seconds in total duration

## • 1st set of the International Wushu Competition Routines

- Taijiquan (42) routine: From 5 to 6 minutes in total duration
- o Taijijian (42) routine: *From 4 to 5 minutes* in total duration

# • 3<sup>rd</sup> set of the International Wushu Competition Routines

o Taijiquan (36), Taijijian (39), and Taijishan (40) routines: *From 3 to 4 minutes* in total duration

## Five Styles Taijiquan Competition Routines

Yang style (40), Chen style (56), Wu style (45), Wuu (hao) style (46), and Sun style (73) Taijiquan routines: From 5 to 6 minutes in total duration.

#### New Standardized Routines

- Yang style, Chen style Taijiquan routines: From 3 to 4 minutes in total duration
- Yang style, Chen style Taijijian routines: From 3 to 4 minutes in total duration

#### Elementary Routines

- Taijiquan (24) routine: From 4 to 5 minutes in total duration (A Group Age Category Only)
- o Taijijian (32) routine: **From 3 to 4 minutes** in total duration (A Group Age Category Only)

#### 12.4.2. Demonstration Events

## • Elementary Routines

- o Taijiquan (24) routine: *From 4 to 5 minutes* in total duration (C&D Group Age Category Only)
- o Taijijian (32) routine: **From 3 to 4 minutes** in total duration (C&D Group Age Category Only)

# • 1st set of the International Wushu Competition Routines

- Taijiquan (42) routine: From 5 to 6 minutes in total duration
- o Taijijian (42) routine: **From 4 to 5 minutes** in total duration

## • Traditional Taijiquan Routines

o From 4 to 5 minutes in total duration



- Traditional Taijijian Routines
  - o **From 3 to 4 minutes** in total duration

#### 12.4.3. Jiti Events

o From 4 to 5 minutes in total duration

## 12.4. Accompanying Music

- Accompanying music is required for:
  - o **Optional routines (with Degree of Difficulty):** Taijiquan, Taijijian, and Taijishan
  - o 3<sup>rd</sup> set of the International Wushu Competition Routines: Taijiquan, Taijijian, and Taijishan
  - Jiti Routines
- Each NF must upload the accompanying music through *the IWUF Online Registration System* with their final entry submission. *NFs shall be responsible for the music copyright used.*
- Accompanying music with vocals and/or lyrics is not permitted.

#### 12.5. Roll-Call

- Athletes shall report to the designated Roll-call Area at:
  - 30 minutes prior to the start of the event (first roll-call)
  - 20 minutes prior to the start of the event (second roll-call)
  - 10 minutes prior to the start of the event (final roll-call)
- Failure to be present for roll-call will result in forfeit.

#### 13. COSTUMES AND EQUIPMENT

## 13.1 Compliance Requirement of Marketing and Advertising

All teams must follow the IWUF Brand Control Guidelines for Wushu Competition Uniforms (excerpt) (Annex 3).

## 13.2 Uniforms, Weaponry and Equipment Requirements for Competition

## 13.2.1 Uniforms and Weaponry

Athletes shall wear wushu competition costumes and use the competition weaponry in



compliance with the rules during all events.

• All athletes must provide their own uniforms and weaponry.

## 13.2.2 Competition Bib

- LOC will provide 2 competition bibs (20cm\*15cm) to the teams for each athlete's use upon accreditation.
- The athlete should show his/her competition bib to the Head Judge before he/she enters the competition mat.

## 13.3 Clothing Requirements for Opening and Closing Ceremonies

All teams must wear their official national/territorial team uniforms at the Opening and Closing Ceremonies.

## 13.4 Clothing Requirements for Awards Ceremony

Medalists are expected to attend the Awards Ceremony in their national/territorial team uniforms.

## 13.5 Compliance Check at Roll-Call Area

Uniforms and weapons checks will be conducted at the Roll-call Area in accordance with stated regulations and requirements. Uniforms and weapons checks are conducted by the Chief Registrar and the Roll-call Officials as stipulated in the rules. Non-compliance may be subject to disqualification from the competition.

#### 14. PLACING AND AWARDS

**For those events of the group competition**, the below placing and awarding methods will be conducted in each group.

#### 14.1 Championship Events

o 1st place: Gold medal and Certificate

o 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Silver medal and Certificate

o **3**<sup>rd</sup> **place:** Bronze medal and Certificate

o **4**<sup>th</sup>**–8**<sup>th</sup> **place:** Certificate

#### 14.2 Demonstration Events

 1st Category Prize: 10% of the actual number of participants will receive Gold Medal & Certificates.



- o **2**<sup>nd</sup> **Category Prize:** 20% of the actual number of participants will receive Silver Medal & Certificates.
- o **3**<sup>rd</sup> **Category Prize:** 30% of the actual number of participants will receive Bronze Medal & Certificates.
- The awarding ratios will be based on **the actual number of participants** in an event and the 0.1 binary method will be implemented.

#### 14.3 Jiti Events

- In general, Jiti events will be placed and awarded as follows:
  - o 1st Category Prize: 10% of the actual number of participants will receive certificates.
  - o **2<sup>nd</sup> Category Prize:** 20% of the actual number of participants will receive certificates.
  - o **3<sup>rd</sup> Category Prize:** 30% of the actual number of participants will receive certificates.
- The awarding ratios will be based on **the actual number of participants** in an event and the 0.1 binary method will be implemented.

## 14.4 Participation Certificates

All accredited people will receive a 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC participation certificate.

Team leader is required to collect the participation certificates, as well as the award certificates of athletes ranked 4<sup>th</sup>–8<sup>th</sup> places and 1<sup>st</sup>–3<sup>rd</sup> category prizes (if applicable), from the LOC at the Results & Certificate Office.

#### 15. AWARDS CEREMONY

Awards Ceremony will be held for the medalists in Championship Events and Demonstration Events. The awarding area for Demonstration Events will be specially denote for it.

The Awards Ceremony for Championship Events will take place in each competition session.

#### 15.1 Medalists

Medalists must:

- Attend the Awards Ceremony to receive their medals *in person*.
- Be escorted by staff to the Waiting Area **10 minutes** before the Ceremony to prepare accordingly.
- Not bring any national/territorial, cultural, religious symbols or national flags onto the podium.
- Remove caps, hats, and sunglasses throughout the Awards Ceremony.
- Face the flags during they are being raised.



#### 15.2 Athletes and team officials

Athletes and team officials are required to remain in the designated area.

## 15.3 Special Cases

#### 15.3.1 Medalist Absence

- In case a medalist is unable to attend the ceremony for a valid reason, his/her medal and certificate may be presented to the appointed official of the team.
- Absence without a valid reason will result in forfeiture of the right to receive a medal.

## 15.3.2 Insufficient Participants

If there are fewer than 3 medalists in a single event, no Award Ceremony will be held for that event. The team leader will receive the medals and certificates at the Results and Certificates Office.

#### 16. ENTRIES

All online entries must be submitted through the IWUF Online Registration System.

## • IWUF Online Registration System

URL: https://registration.iwuf.org Contact person: HUANG Xilong

Tel: +86-19952270889 Email: Service@jyywty.com

Tech-support: Jiangyin Yunwu Shiwu Sports Technology Co., Ltd

#### 16.1 Preliminary Entry

## 16.1.1 Open and Close Dates

• Open: December 26, 2025

Close: January 25, 2026, at 23:59

## 16.1.2 Requirements for Registration

- All teams must state the number of athletes and team officials as accurately as possible taking part in the events so that the LOC may reserve the hotels and prepare the organization of the event accordingly.
- There is no guarantee for hotel rooms reservation for teams failed to submit their preliminary



entry before the required deadline.

 All teams are required to complete their online preliminary entry before the deadline to access the final entry system.

## 16.2 Final Entry

## 16.2.1 Open and Close Dates

• Open: January 26, 2026

• Close: March 1, 2026, at 23:59

## 16.2.2 Uploading Documents

• **Photos** of the participants (white background, head filling 70-80% of the photo, at least 480 pixels in width and 600 pixels in height)

 Passports of the participants (must be valid for at least 6 months following their final day of travel)

## 16.2.3 Requirements for Registration

• All sections of the online entry must be completed in full.

 All payments due to the LOC must be paid in full for registration to be considered as completed.

 Each team is required to print a copy of the submitted entry and present it to the LOC upon registration.

## 16.3 Late Entry and Changes Policy

After the final entry deadline, teams must submit a confirmation document with signature via email to events@iwuf.org. Teams shall pay corresponding fees before the late entry and changes deadline, otherwise request will be denied.

#### 16.3.1 Open and Close Dates

• Open: March 2, 2026

• Close: April 1, 2026, at 23:59

## 16.3.2 Relevant Fees and Requirements

• Any request to change the entry (including the late entry) will be handled as follows:

 The late entry is subject to the approval of the IWUF and, if accepted, it will incur a lateentry fee of *USD 100* per participant.



- Replacing a participant is subject to approval by the IWUF and, if accepted, it will incur a replacement fee of *USD 100* per participant.
- If changes are required due to incorrect or missing registration information, those changes are subject to approval by the IWUF and, if accepted, it will incur a fee of *USD 50* per change.

Late Entry	Replacement	Information Change
USD 100	USD 100	USD 50

• The above fees must be paid via wire transfer to the IWUF before 23:59 on April 1, 2026.

## 16.4 Registration of Degree of Difficulty and Compulsory Content

Online registration of the athletes' Degree of Difficulty and compulsory content of the optional routines, if applicable, must be submitted through *the IWUF Online Registration System*. The system will:

- Open on January 26, 2026
- Close on April 16, 2026, at 23:59

#### 17. ARRIVALS AND ACCREDITATION

#### 17.1 Arrivals

The following accredited personnel are required to register with the LOC at the LOC-designated hotels no later than:

• Team judges: April 23, 2026, at 23:59

Athletes and team officials: April 24, 2026, at 23:59

## 17.2 Accreditation

Accreditation Desks will open on April 23, 2026, at 9:00.

Upon arrival at the Accreditation Desk, the team leader is required to complete the following process:

1	Present each team members' passports
2	Submit Final Entry Form with signature and stamp and confirm the registration information
3	Submit 3 national flags (size: 1m*2m)
4	Submit national anthem (short version) in MP3 format on a CD or USB flash drive
5	Submit signed Waiver of Liabilities of all participants (Annex 1)



6	Submit valid Medical Certificates (Sample) of all athletes (Annex 2)
7	Submit valid Life Accidental Injury Insurance Certificates of all athletes
8	Pay the relevant participation fees in full (if applicable)
9	Pay the relevant penalty fees in full (if applicable)
10	Submit a bank receipt of payment (either in paper or electronic documents)
11	Confirm each athlete's Registration Form for Degree of Difficulty and Compulsory Content of Optional Routines and sign the form
12	Sign and confirm all the above items are completed

Accreditation cards will be given to the team leader upon completion of the accreditation process. All personnel must participate in the official activities with their accreditation card during the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC.

The competition and training schedules will be distributed after accreditation has concluded.

#### 18. TECHNICAL MEETING

The technical meeting for team managers and coaches will take place **on April 25, 2026, at 10:00**. Each team should send 2 representatives to attend the meeting. The place of the technical meeting will be announced in due course.

The technical meeting content will be presented as follows:

- IWUF Event Guidelines (IWUF representatives)
- Event Logistics Information (LOC representatives)
- Event Technical Details (Chair of Jury of Appeals and Chief Referee)
- Other Matters

## 19. DRAWING OF LOTS

After the technical meeting, the drawing of lots will be conducted by the scheduler-recorder group supervised by the Jury of Appeals and the Chief Referee on *April 25, 2026*.

Each team may send 2 representatives to attend the session.

The Jury of Appeals will draw on behalf of the teams that are unable to send a representative to attend.

## 20. TECHNICAL OFFICIALS

### 20.1 International Technical Officials (ITOs)



- Each team may send at most 2 taolu team judges to officiate at the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC subject to approval
  of the IWUF.
- IWUF will select and appoint the independent judges and the Jury of Appeals at its discretion to serve at the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC.
- All team judges and independent judges of the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC must hold their valid IWUF Judge's
   License at the time of the competition.

## 20.1.1 Registration

- The information for the team judges must be submitted at the time of their team registration.
- The Jury of Appeals and all independent judges appointed by the IWUF shall submit their registration information through *the IWUF Online Registration System*.
- All team judges and independent judges of the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC must input their *valid IWUF* Judge's License numbers through the online registration system.

#### 20.1.2 Uniforms

All ITOs shall prepare their own black jackets, white shirts, black slacks, and black leather shoes, as well as bring the IWUF ties/scarfs.

## 20.1.3 Judges' Refresher Course

- All 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC judges are required to participate in the judges' refresher course.
- Absence without a valid reason will be forfeiture of the right to officiate at the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC.

## 20.2 National Technical Officials (NTOs)

All NTOs serving at the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC will be nominated by the LOC.

#### 21. SUPERVISORY COMMISSION

The 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC Supervisory Commission shall be established by the IWUF, with the purpose of and the right to resolve any disputes or investigate any issues that arise during the course of this competition to ensure the smooth execution of the event.

The Supervisory Commission for an IWUF competition consists of 3–5 members appointed by the President of the IWUF and is responsible for overseeing the competition management and dispute mediation for the entire duration of this competition and not beyond. Specific descriptions of responsibilities include:

 The Commission will ensure that competitions adhere to principles of fair play, impartiality, and transparency.

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- The Commission represents the IWUF in handling disputes regarding the competitions that arise between the NFs and/or teams and/or LOC, and has the right to resolve such disputes. However, the Commission does not directly interfere with the competition proceedings or disputes arise within the competition, which are responsibility of the Jury of Appeals and the relevant judging panel.
- The Commission represents the IWUF in coordinating between the NFs and/or teams and/or LOC.
- The Commission shall report any irregularities or violations observed during the competitions to the IWUF President and the IWUF Executive Board.
- The Commission shall monitor and demand that NFs take responsibility for their athletes' general attitude and comportment.



## III. TEAM INFORMATION

#### 22. ACCOMMODATION

#### 22.1 Hotel Reservation

All accredited personnel are required to stay at the LOC-designated hotels.

• Check-in: After 14:00

• Check-out: Before 12:00

**NOTES:** Teams wishing to:

- Check-in before 14:00 on April 23, 2026 must book accommodation from April 22.
- Check-out after 12:00 on April 30, 2026 must book accommodation until May 1.

## 22.1.1 Non-Compliance Policy

Teams not staying at the LOC-designated hotels due to special reasons shall pay a participation fee of **EURO 200** per person. In this case:

- Teams are fully responsible for their own accommodation, meals, and transportation.
- LOC is not liable for any consequences arising therefrom.

## 22.1.2 Reservation Principles

- Hotel reservations are available on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Early reservations are **strongly recommended** due to limited availability.

#### 22.1.3 Meal Arrangements

LOC will provide meals for all accredited personnel:

- From the evening of their arrival date to the midday on their departure date
- 3 meals daily (breakfast, lunch, and dinner)

#### 22.1.4 Early Arrival and Late Departure Requirements

Participants wishing to arrive or depart outside the scheduled dates must:

- Submit their intended arrival and departure dates during the final registration process.
- Confirm accommodation bookings accordingly, with daily rates applicable.



## 22.2 Room Assignment Rules

## 22.2.1 Teams with Odd Number of Delegates

Teams with an odd number of delegates (including athletes and team officials) when having reserved double rooms, LOC will assign the extra delegate to share a double room with a member from another team, if the individual chooses not to pay for a single room.

## 22.2.2 Team Judges

Team judges reserving double rooms will be paired with other team judges by the LOC.

#### 22.3 Hotels Information

#### 22.3.1 VIP Hotel

#### • Primoretz Grand hotel and Spa (5-star)

Address: Bulgaria, 8000 Burgas, 2 Kniaz Aleksandar Batemberg str.

**The distance to Mladost Sports Hall** is 9 minutes by car (4.4km).

Grand Hotel & SPA Primoretz is a 5-star luxury hotel, uniquely positioned in Burgas. It is situated in the Sea Garden (Morska gradina), directly on the beach front, with very close access to the city centre.

The hotel offers about 109 rooms and apartments, including standard, deluxe rooms, junior suites, executive suites, a grand apartment, a premier apartment, and a presidential apartment. Many rooms have sea views or views of the city and the Sea Garden.

Guest rooms are well-equipped: a large 2 m  $\times$  2 m bed, mini-bar, safe, individually controllable air conditioning, high-speed Internet (WiFi + LAN), cable/satellite TV, analog telephone, bathroom with both bathtub and shower, hairdryer, and many rooms have a balcony or terrace with seating. The decor is a blend of classic and modern luxury.

For dining, Primoretz has multiple restaurant and bar options. There is the main "Primoretz" restaurant (with indoor and terrace seating, often with scenic views), the "Salini" Mediterranean restaurant, a lobby bar, piano-bar, pool bar, and seasonal outdoor dining areas.

The hotel features extensive spa and wellness facilities under the name "6th Sense" — indoor heated pool, outdoor pool (seasonal), children's pool, jacuzzi, sauna, steam room, Hammam/Turkish bath, Vichy shower, sea water salt bath and therapeutic treatments. It also



has a fitness center, massage and beauty salon.

In terms of location, Primoretz enjoys an excellent position: directly on the sea, steps away from the beach, very close to the Sea Garden promenade, with easy walking distance to many city attractions. It is about 14 km from Burgas Airport. Check-in is usually from 15:00, and check-out by 12:00.

Acqualitation Catagory	<b>Participati</b> Per Person P	
Accreditation Category	<b>Single Room</b> Only one person allowed	<b>Double Room</b> Two persons allowed
VIPs	TBD	TBD

#### 22.3.2 Team Hotels

#### Aveneu (4-star)

Address: Bulgaria, Burgas, 6 Transportna str

The distance to Mladost Sports Hall is 9 minutes on foot (0.5km).

Hotel Avenue Deluxe, a modern 4-star hotel located on Transportna Street 6 in Burgas. It offers upgraded facilities and a higher level of comfort compared to the standard Avenue Hotel.

Guests enjoy free parking and free WiFi throughout the property. The hotel has a stylish restaurant and a bar, a fitness center, and a 24-hour reception. Additional services include room service, airport transfers, and in-room safes.

The location is convenient, about 10 kilometers from Burgas Airport and within easy reach of attractions such as the Aviation Museum and the Poda bird-watching site. Guest reviews rate the hotel as "very good," with an average score of around 8.3/10, emphasizing modern design, comfort, and service quality.

Accreditation	Participation Fee Per Person Per Night			
Category	Single Room Only one person allowed	<b>Double Room</b> Two persons allowed	Triple Room Three persons allowed	Quadruple Room Four persons allowed
In-quota athletes and team officials	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD



Observer(s)	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
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#### Hotel Marina (4-star)

Address: Burgas Port Burgas Port, 8000 Burgas, Bulgaria

The distance to Mladost Sports Hall is 13 minutes by car (5.5km).

Hotel Marina Burgas is located on the seafront in Burgas, 1.5 km from the North Beach and 11 km from the Burgas entertainment venues. This hotel features a restaurant and air-conditioned rooms with free Wi-Fi, each with a private bathroom. The accommodation is hypoallergenic and is located 300 meters from the central beach of Burgas.

All rooms at the hotel have a flat-screen TV with cable channels and a safe. The rooms at the Marina Burgas Hotel have bed linen and towels. Speaking German, English, Portuguese and Russian at the reception, staff are always on hand to help.

Popular points of interest near the accommodation include Burgas Central Railway Station, Yug Bus Station and Burgas Opera House. The nearest airport is Burgas, located 15 km away.

A and distribution Catalogue	Participation Fee Per Person Per Night		
Accreditation Category	Single Room Only one person allowed  Double Room Two persons allowed		
In-quota athletes and team officials	TBD	TBD	
Observer(s)	TBD	TBD	

#### Aveneu (3-star)

Address: Bulgaria, Burgas, 6 Transportna str

**The distance to Mladost Sports Hall** is 9 minutes on foot (0.5km).

Hotel Avenue is a 3-star city hotel located at the entrance of Burgas, in the Izgrev district, on Transportna Street. It is close to large shopping areas such as Metro and Technomarket, and about 4 kilometers from the city center, the Sea Garden, and the beach.

The hotel has around 318 beds and offers several types of accommodation: single rooms, standard double rooms, larger double rooms, and apartments. All rooms are air-conditioned



and come with cable TV, minibar, telephone, bathroom with hairdryer, and WiFi access. Guests also benefit from free parking.

There is an on-site restaurant serving Bulgarian and international dishes, and services such as room service and packed lunches are available. The hotel also features a small fitness area. Guest ratings usually highlight cleanliness, comfort, and good service, with overall reviews averaging around 7.9/10.

Accreditation	Participation Fee Per Person Per Night			
Category	Single Room Only one person allowed	Double Room Two persons allowed	Triple Room Three persons allowed	Quadruple Room Four persons allowed
In-quota athletes and team officials	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Observer(s)	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

## 22.3.3 Judge Hotel

#### Bulgaria hotel (4 stars)

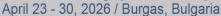
Address: Bulgaria, 8000 Burgas, 21 Aleksandrovska str.

The distance to Mladost Sports Hall is 13 minutes by car (5.5km).

Hotel Bulgaria is a 4-star business hotel located at 21 Aleksandrovska Street, right in the centre of Burgas. It stands as one of the city's landmarks: the building is about 71 meters tall, having 17 floors, and offers impressive views over the Gulf of Burgas or over the old town.

Inside, Hotel Bulgaria has 194 guest rooms including several Deluxe and Classic rooms, and apartments on the top floors with panoramic sea views. Rooms are air conditioned, have modern furnishings, workspaces, free Wi-Fi, minibars (sometimes extra-charge), 55-inch TVs, safes, and bathrooms with shower/tub combinations and complimentary toiletries.

The hotel features a variety of dining and leisure options. There is a main restaurant (Restaurant Bulgaria), an à la carte restaurant, lobby bar, Mezzanine Bar, Piano Bar "Sinatra", and a poolside bar. For relaxation, there is a full-service spa (Ability Spa), an indoor pool, sauna, steam room, and fitness centre.





Hotel Bulgaria is well suited for business guests: there are meeting and banquet facilities including a convention centre (~380 m<sup>2</sup>), and it hosts receptions, corporate events, and gatherings. Its location is very convenient: close to administrative and financial buildings, shops, restaurants and cafés, and within walking distance to the Sea Garden and the beach.

Amenities include 24-hour reception, express check-in/out, free high-speed Wi Fi in rooms and public areas, underground parking, room service, concierge-type services, laundry, and child-friendly features.

Accreditation	Participation Fee Per Person Per Night	
Category	Single Room Only one person allowed	<b>Double Room</b> Two persons allowed
Judges	TBD	TBD

#### 23. TRANSPORTATION

#### 23.1 Transport Services for Arrivals and Departures

## 23.1.1 Designated Airport

Transport services between **Burgas International Airport** and the official hotels will be provided by the LOC for all accredited personnel on their arrival and departure dates.

- *Pick-Up: April 23 and 24, 2026* (from the airport to the hotels)
- **Drop-Off: April 30, 2026** (from the hotels to the airport)

## 23.1.2 Other Airports

LOC will arrange a shuttle bus to pick up/drop-off to and from the other airports. *Please notes* that the shuttle bus services should be booked in advance with the LOC.

All shuttle bus services need **additional costs** which shall be borne by their teams themselves.

#### From Istanbul airport

o By 50 seater bus: 2700 euro

o By 20 seater bus: 1800 euro

o By car: 720 euro

## • From Bucharest airport



o By 50 seater bus: 2700 euro

By 20 seater bus: 1800 euro

o By car: 720 euro

## • From Sofia airport

o By 50 seater bus: 1530 euro

o By 20 seater bus: 900 euro

o By car: 360 euro

## From Varna airport

By 50 seater bus: 1170 euro

o By 20 seater bus: 720 euro

o By car: 270 euro

## From Plovdiv airport

By 50 seater bus: 1260 euro

By 20 seater bus: 810 euro

o By car: 360 euro

If you have any inquires with the shuttle bus, please reach out to the LOC.

## 23.2 Shuttle Services

Shuttle buses will operate between the official hotels and the competition and training venues. Schedules will be distributed on arrival.

#### 24. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

#### **24.1 Teams**

- Any international or domestic airfare and related travel expenses, as well as the participation fees of all participants shall be borne by themselves.
- The participation fees include accommodation, meals, pick-up/drop-off to and from the designated airport, local transportation, entry (excluding the late entry and changes fees) and certificate, etc.

#### 24.2 Technical Officials

- The international airfare, accommodation and meals shall be provided by the LOC for the appointed independent judges and the Jury of Appeals.
- The expenses above for the team judges shall be borne by their teams themselves.



#### 24.3 Additional Costs

Participants arriving early or departing late may be subject to additional costs related thereto which shall be borne by the participants themselves.

## 24.4 Payment Methods

- All teams are required to complete full payment in advance to the LOC by 23:59 on April 1, 2026
  through international wire transfer. Until complete payment is received, hotel rooms will not be
  reserved, and accreditation will not be issued.
- Teams that are unable to pay through international remittance due to government policies and restrictions should communicate with the LOC in advance to make arrangements, otherwise accreditation will not be issued.
- All international wire transfer and bank fees are to be paid by the teams transferring the funds themselves.
- Proof of full payment should be sent to the LOC by email and brought along to the LOC by the team leader. LOC requires that all participation fees are to be paid in advance in order to secure accommodation as required by the official hotels. LOC will be unable to guarantee a team's required accommodation without pre-payment in full. Teams are requested to be mindful of this when submitting their final entry.
- The bank information of the LOC:

BANK NAME	First Investment Bank (Fibank)	
SWIFT	FINVBGSF	
IBAN /ACCOUNT	BG80FINV91501016421043	
BANK ADDRESS	Bulgaria, Burgas, Aleksandrovska 58	
BENEFICIARY	Bulgarian Wushu Federation, Bulgaria, 8000 Burgas, 36 Lermontov str.	
Note: Any service charges incurred for the international wire transfers shall be borne by participants themselves.		

## 25. DOPING CONTROL

Doping control will be conducted during the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC according to the requirements of the International Olympic Committee (IOC) and the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA), and will follow the procedure prescribed in the IWUF Anti-Doping Rules. The number of tests will be decided by the International Testing Agency (ITA). If an athlete is found have positively doped through the doping process, he/she will be dealt



with in accordance with the IWUF Anti-Doping Rules.

#### 26. RESPONSIBILITY OF MEMBER FEDERATIONS

The IWUF member federations (NFs) are responsible for their officials, coaches, athletes, doctors, team judges and observers adhering to the IWUF and to all relevant rules established by the IWUF and the LOC. NFs should ensure that their participants hold themselves to the highest standards in all their actions during the event.

#### **26.1 Fundamental Principles**

All NFs' members participating in the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC must observe and respect the IWUF constitution, rules, regulations, and representatives. Individuals deemed to have acted against the IWUF, its principles, interests or purpose may be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation.

#### 26.2 Attitude of Athletes and Coaches

Athletes will compete under the responsibility of their NFs. NFs are fully responsible regarding the general attitude and comportment of their athletes. Coaches should respect the judging panel and all complaints must be conducted in accordance with competition procedures. Athletes and coaches should comply with the IWUF Code of Ethics. Any act against the IWUF judging panel may be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation and/or competition results.

### 26.3 Image of Athletes

Each NF is responsible for obtaining the rights for the IWUF to use its athletes' images at the discretion of the IWUF for promotional purposes in all forms.

#### 27. INSURANCE

Each NF is fully and sole responsible for insuring its athletes against injury and third-party risk (public liability) during the period of the 5<sup>th</sup> WTJQC. IWUF and LOC are not responsible in part or in whole of the said liability.

## 28. PASSPORT AND VISA REQUIREMENTS

All participants must hold a valid passport and should allow plenty of time for visa application and processing.

To avoid complications during visa application and travel as possible, it is suggested that all participants' passports are valid for at least 6 months following their final day of travel.

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Teams that require visa invitation letters should state their requests in the Entry Form from January 25, 2026.

If you need any assistance on visa issues, please contact the LOC via email: wtjqc2026@gmail.com.

NOTE: We strongly recommend teams that need to apply for visas do so as early as possible.

## 29. ANNEX

Annex 1: Wavier of Liabilities

Annex 2: Medical Certificate (Sample)

Annex 3: IWUF Brand Control Guidelines for Wushu Competition Uniforms (excerpt)



Annex 1

# 5<sup>th</sup> World Taijiquan Championships Wavier of Liabilities

Federation		
Name of Participant		
Date of Birth	Gender	Color ID Dhoto
Nationality	Passport No.	Color ID Photo
Role of Participant		
*Athlete 🗆 *Team M	anager □ *Coach □ *Doctor □ *Observer □	

I, the undersigned, knowingly and without duress, do voluntarily submit my Entry to the 5th World Taijiquan Championships (WTJQC). The 5th World Taijiquan Championships is hosted by the International Wushu Federation (IWUF) and organized by the Bulgarian Wushu Federation and the City of Burgas, hereinafter the Bulgarian Wushu Federation and the City of Burgas are referred as "Organizing Committee". I understand and acknowledge that the participation in the 5th World Taijiquan Championships involves inherent risk of losses, damages or injuries, including but not limited to risks deriving from participating in the competition and trainings, in the use of the sporting facilities or equipment and/or risks arising from actions or omissions of other participants or other third parties. I further understand that my participation in the 5th World Taijiquan Championships is subject to my agreement and acceptance of this Waiver of Liabilities ("Waiver"). In consideration of the IWUF and the Organizing Committee accepting my application, I hereby assume all risk of physical and mental injuries, disabilities and losses which may result from or in connection with my participation in the 5th World Taijiquan Championships. Acting for myself, heirs, personal officers, agents, representatives and assignees, I do hereby release, to the extent permissible, the IWUF and the Organizing Committee including all associates, auxiliaries and affiliates, such as but not limited to their officers, agents, employees, representatives, volunteers, judges and referees and other related members from all claims, actions, suits, and controversies related to any loss, damage or injury by reason of any matter, cause or thing whatsoever that I may sustain as a result of or in connection with my participation in the 5th World Taijiquan Championships. I fully understand and acknowledge that it is my sole responsibility to determine whether I am fit and healthy enough to participate in any events without posing a risk to myself or others. I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, this is the case. I understand to have a duty to inspect the state of the used sporting facilities and equipment, and I waive any claim arising out of any respective defect. I fully understand that all medical attention or treatment afforded to me by the IWUF and the Organizing Committee including all associates, auxiliaries and affiliates, e.g. their officers, medical personnel, representatives, employees, volunteers, and all other related members, will be of the first aid type only, and I hereby consent to receiving such treatment and release the IWUF and the Organizing Committee as well as their officers, representatives, volunteers, employees and all other related members from any liability for such aid. I understand it is my personal obligation to obtain my own medical coverage. I am fully and solely responsible for adequately insuring myself against injury and third-party risk (public liability), with such insurance to cover the period before, during and after the event. IWUF and the Organizing Committee including all associates are not responsible in part or in whole for any damages or

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medical or hospital expenses incurred as a result of participation in the 5<sup>th</sup> World Taijiquan Championships.

I agree to abide by and follow the Rules established by the IWUF and the Organizing Committee and follow all received instructions. I acknowledge and agree that it is my personal responsibility to be informed about all afore-mentioned Rules and instructions. I agree that I will conduct myself in a professional and courteous manner at all times and to be subject to penalties and sanctions for violations related thereto, pursuant to the IWUF Constitution and the IWUF Ethics Code as updated from time to time and other Rules established by the IWUF and the Organizing Committee. I understand that any dispute must be resolved in accordance with the IWUF Constitution and any further applicable IWUF Rules. I agree that my performance, attendance, and participation at the 5<sup>th</sup> World Taijiquan Championships may be photographed, filmed or otherwise recorded or released or telecast live. I consent to allow the IWUF and the Organizing Committee use of my name, likeness, address, voices, poses, pictures, videos, live or non-live coverage and biographical and biological data concerning full or parts, in any form or language ("Identity, Voice and Image Data"), with or without other material, throughout the world, without limitation, for television, radio, video, theatrical medium picture, or any other medium and any other purpose by the IWUF or the Organizing Committee through any devices now known or hereafter devised and I do hereby waive any compensation in regard thereof as well as any future rights to the aforementioned. I also consent to the collecting, processing and use of all above-mentioned Identity, Voice and Image Data by the IWUF and the Organizing Committee for commercial and promotional services of sponsors and media partners as well as, where necessary, by third parties for the purpose of facilitating my participation an accreditation in the event (e.g. law enforcement authorities, border services agencies etc.).

Furthermore, while I note that the IWUF and the Organizing Committee will take into consideration my needs to rest, train and prepare for the events, I agree to be reasonably available during the Events for TV/digital/radio interviews, promotional or press photo sessions and press conferences at the dedicated areas.

If any provision of this Waiver is deemed to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect. This Waiver shall be governed by the IWUF Constitution, the further applicable Rules established by the IWUF and the Organizing Committee and, subsidiarity, by Swiss law.

I have read and fully understand the waiver listed above.  **For athletes under the age of 18 -This waiver must be signed by their parent or legal guardian**			
Signature of Participant	Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian	Name of Parent/Legal Guardian	
	(If participant is und	der 18 years of age)	
Date	Date	Date	



Annex 2

# 5<sup>th</sup> World Taijiquan Championships Medical Certificate (Sample)

#### 1. ATHLETE INFORMATION

Surname		
Given Name(s)		
Country	Postal Code	Color ID Photo
Passport No.	Telephone No.	Color ID Photo
Email		
Address		

## 2. QUESTIONS FOR ATHELETE (Attach relevant documents if you answered 'yes' to any of the following)

Is a doctor currently treating you?	
Have you ever been unconscious or had a concussion?	
Have you been hit hard in the head in the last 6 months?	
Have you had any headache in the last 2 weeks?	
Do you have any problems with bleeding?	
Do any diseases run in your family?	
Have you had any surgery?	
Have you ever had to stay in a hospital?	
Do you have any medical condition?	
Do you have a history of seasonal or drug allergies?	
Is there a history of sudden death under 45 years old in the family?	

## 3. MEDICAL DOCTOR INFORMATION

Surname	
Given Name(s)	
Telephone No.	
Address	

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## 4. MEDICAL EXAMINATION

Item				Abnormalities
	Cranial nerves, eyes, pupil size and reactivity. Fundi. Vision by chart.	Normal	Abnormal	
	Mouth, teeth, throat	Normal	Abnormal	
Head	Ears	Normal	Abnormal	
	Temporomandibular joint	Normal	Abnormal	
	Brain Examination: electroencephalogram (EEG) Test (Sanda athletes only)	Normal	Abnormal	
Neck	Cervical spine, lymph nods	Normal	Abnormal	
Chest	Breath sounds, rib, tenderness on compression	Normal	Abnormal	
	Reflexes	Normal	Abnormal	
Neurological System	Verbal responses	Normal	Abnormal	
	Motor responses and balance	Normal	Abnormal	
	Heart rate	Normal	Abnormal	
Cardiovascular System	Blood pressure	Normal	Abnormal	
	Heart examination: electrocardiogram (ECG) Test	Normal	Abnormal	
Medications Used	Name and dosage	Yes	No	

## 5. DOCTOR CONFIRMATION

I confirm that the Athlete is $\square$ fit / $\square$ not fit	Signature:
to participate in the competition.	Place/Date:

## 6. NATIONAL FEDERATION CONFIRMATION

## I confirm that the above information provided is true and correct.

Date:



Annex 3

# International Wushu Federation (IWUF) Brand Control Guidelines for Wushu Competition Uniforms (excerpt)

#### 1. PURPOSE

To ensure sponsor and manufacture rights by establishing a standard for brand placement on uniforms and other clothing items used during IWUF wushu competition.

#### 2. STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES

Uniforms of athletes, coaches and team officials

## 3. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

The manufacturer logo may appear once on each piece of clothing, with an area of up to 20 cm<sup>2</sup>. Note that only the quantity and size of logos appearing on uniforms will be assessed during the competition, and logos will not be reviewed for accuracy or adherence to brand standards.

The manufacturer logo may appear once on each accessory item (paired accessories are considered as two items), with an area of up to 6 cm<sup>2</sup>.

A manufacturer logo may appear once on each shoe or foot item (paired shoes or foot items are considered as two items), with an area of up to 6 cm<sup>2</sup>.

A national/regional Olympic Committee flag, a national/regional wushu federation flag/logo may each appear once where specified, with an area of up to 20 cm<sup>2</sup> each.

#### 3.1 WUSHU TAOLU COMPETITION UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

## Top/Jacket

#### Front

No advertisements or logos may appear on the collar.

A flag may appear on the left chest area, with an area of up to 20 cm<sup>2</sup>.

The manufacturer logo may appear on the right chest area, with an area of up to 20 cm<sup>2</sup>.

No advertisements may appear in other areas.

#### o Back



Sponsor or other logos may be displayed in other areas. The total number of sponsor or other logos may not exceed three (3), with a maximum area of 20 cm<sup>2</sup> each.

## Pants/Trousers

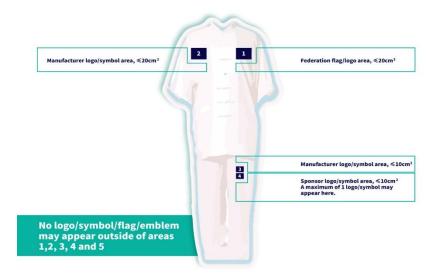
## o Left leg

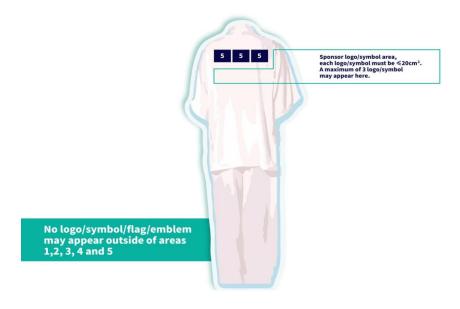
The manufacturer logo may be arranged on the top, with an area of up to 10 cm<sup>2</sup>.

Sponsor logos may appear below the manufacturer's logo but may not appear within 5 cm of the manufacturer's logo, with an area of up to 10 cm<sup>2</sup>.

## o Right leg

No logo, flag, or other emblem may appear.







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International Olympic Committee













#### - OFFICIAL SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS -



















- IWUF APP -



- IWUF GLOBAL PARTNER -





- IWUF GLOBAL SUPPLIER -



