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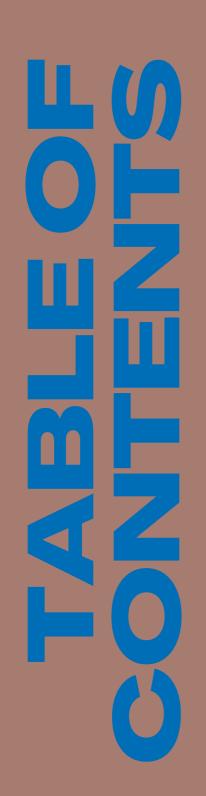


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## PRESIDENT'S FOREWORD

Dear Members,

On behalf of the board, I invite IMMAF's European nations to participate in our 2022 European Championships in the beautiful holiday location of Lignano Sabbiadoro, near Venice, along Italy's coast to the Adriatic Sea.

Hosted at Bella Italia Efa Village by the Italian Mixed Martial Arts Federation (FIGMMA) and FEDERKOMBAT (the Italian Federation of Combat Sports under the National Olympic Committee), the Championships is to take place at a pleasant and mild time of year between 26 September and 1 October 2022.

FIGMMA holds a proud record in the hosting of IMMAF tournaments, having delivered both the European Championships and inaugural Youth World Championships in 2019 to an excellent standard. We are grateful to FIGMMA President Saverio Longo, Vice-president Vito Paolillo, the FIGMMA board and FEDERKOMBAT for agreeing to now host IMMAF's 2022 European Championships as we build back after the pandemic. Indeed, we look forward to the first Euros since the lifting of travel restrictions, where emerging rising stars will get to meet for the first time and establish a new order in the rankings ahead of the 2022 World Championships.

IMMAF's continental tournaments so far this year have demonstrated our athletes' hunger to return to competition and their grit through challenging times, with a continued increase in their skill level. With the Europeans traditionally recording the highest participation number outside of IMMAF's World Championships, the tournament promises to be the strongest indicator of global competition level ahead of the year's culminating event.

I urge your federation not to miss out on the sports opportunities nor on the opportunity to celebrate MMA's continued legislative successes in Europe and to reunite with the IMMAF family as we continue to push forward in our vision for Olympic recognition.

Yours in MMA,

Kerrith Brown OLY IMMAF President







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> I am proud and very happy to be able to host the IMMAF European Senior and Junior MMA Championships for the second time.

The Italian Federation will do its utmost to offer all European teams an efficient service and excellent hospitality in the happy oasis of Bella Italia in Lignano, a beautiful venue surrounded by nature and on the seaside.

SAVERIO LONGO FIGMMA PRESIDENT



# **EVENT ORGANIZER**

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## PROGRAM

Sunday 25th September – Arrivals All delegates arrive and check in at the hotel.



Monday 26th September – Tournament Check-In, Accreditation Tournament Check-In & Accreditation - 9.00am to 4.00 pm Bella Italia Village \*Time of the draw will be communicated 1 week prior to the event start date.

**Tuesday 27th September - Day 1 of competition (32 Seniors/16 Juniors)** 8:00am to 9:00am - weigh in and pre fight medicals (at the venue) 11:00am - Competition starts

Wednesday 28th September – Day 2 of competition (16 Seniors/ Quarter-Finals Juniors)

8:00am to 9:00am - weigh in and pre fight medicals (at the venue) 11:00am - Competition starts

#### Thursday 29th September - Day 3 of competition (Quarter-Finals Seniors/ Semi-Finals Juniors)

8:00am to 9:00am - weigh in and pre fight medicals (at the venue) 11:00am - Competition starts

Friday 30th September - Day 4 of competition (Semi-Finals Seniors/ Finals Juniors)

8:00am to 9:00am - weigh in and pre fight medicals (at the venue) 11:00am - Competition starts

#### Saturday 1st October - Day 5 of competition (Finals Seniors)

8:00am to 9:00am - weigh in and pre fight medicals (at the venue) 11:00am - Competition starts

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





## **COMPETITION PLACE**

**Venue Name** Bella Italia Village <u>https://www.bellaitaliavillage.com/en/</u>

**Venue address** Viale Centrale, 29, 33054 Lignano Sabbiadoro UD, Italy +39 0431 409511

https://goo.gl/maps/iz5ZT2L3wiuiY7sQ6







### ELIGIBILITY

Please see the document for athlete eligibility found here – <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u>

### **ATHLETE SPONSOR GUIDLINES**

Please see the document for athlete sponsor guidelines found here – <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u>

#### **ATHLETE SCREENING**

Please see <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u> for the Athlete screening process document.

If any professional records are detected by IMMAF after the registration deadline without prior notification, the National Federation will incur a fine of £100 for each athlete who is listed as professional, regardless of website error.

#### PARTICIPATION

This European Championships is for all IMMAF Member Federations from the European Region. There is a limit of 32 participants for Seniors and 16 participants for Juniors in each weight category and host federation to enter up to 2 entries per weight category. All other countries can enter 1 athlete per weight division (first come, first served basis).

If there are any spaces left in a bracket, then countries can enter up to a maximum of 2 athletes per weight division, (first come, first served basis).

The competitors must be of the same nationality as the National Federation, which enters them.

The European Championships are for 18 years plus with no upper age limit.

1. It is mandatory that competitors participating in IMMAF Championship events are nationals of the country whose team they are representing. For the avoidance of doubt, nationals are classed according to the passport(s) they hold.

2. A competitor who is a national of two or more countries at the same time may represent any one of them. However, after having represented one country in IMMAF competitions, he/she may not represent another country unless he / she meets the conditions set forth in paragraph 3 below which applies to persons who have changed their nationality or acquired a new nationality.

3. A competitor, who has represented one country in IMMAF Championship events and who has changed his / her nationality or acquired a new nationality, may represent his/her new country in IMMAF Championship events provided that at least twelve (12) months have passed since the competitor last represented his / her former country. This period may be reduced or even cancelled, with the agreement of the National Federation from which the competitor is moving. IMMAF CEO retains the right to make a case by case decision in unique circumstances regarding citizenship that might arise.

4. Passport validity minimum timeframe required 2 year cooling off period.

Every delegate of the 2022 European Championships will have to become an Affiliate Member of their National Federation on My Next Match. Email malik@immaf.org for information on how to register as a member of your national federation.





### **AGE BANDING CRITERIA**

#### Juniors Under 21 years old

The player must be over the age of 18 years or aged 20 years before 1st day of competition and must be within this age band until the competition has been completed.

#### Seniors 18 years old and above.

The athlete must be 18 years of age by the 1st day of competition. There is no upper age limit.

### WEIGHT CLASSES

Women	Men			
Atomweight – 105lbs (-47.6kg)	Strawweight - 115lbs (-52.2kgs)			
Strawweight -115lbs (-52.1kgs)	Flyweight -125lbs (-56.7kgs)			
Flyweight -125lbs (-56.7kgs)	Bantamweight -135lbs (61.2kgs)			
Bantamweight -135lbs (-61.2kgs)	Featherweight -145lbs (65.8kgs)			
Featherweight -145lbs (-65.8kgs)	Lightweight -155lbs (-70.3kgs)			
Lightweight -155lbs (-70.3kgs)	Welterweight -170lbs (-77.1kgs)			
	Middleweight -185lbs (-83.9kgs)			
	Light Heavyweight -205lbs (-93.0kgs)			
	Heavyweight -265lbs (-120.2kgs)			
	Super Heavyweight +265lbs (+120.2kgs)			



#### **ACCREDITATION & CONTROL OF NATIONALITY**

At least one (1) team official and a maximum of two (2) must attend the check-in on Monday 26th September 2022 from 10:00 to 16:00 in order to confirm the delegation.



Failure to do this will result in a nation not being entered into the draw and will be disqualified from the competition.

Passports or photocopies of passports from all competitors must be available on request (National ID Card showing nationality and date of birth or a copy is also accepted).

### **IMMAF PRE-REGISTRATION ONLINE**

All participants and delegates must be pre-registered for the event using the IMMAF Online Registration System. <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u>

Note to Media:

Any team officials registering on MyNextMatch who would like media access and permissions, must complete the Media Form which can downloaded at <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u> for accreditation and email to isobel.carnwath@immaf.org by Thursday 1st September 2022. Please note that registration on MyNextMatch does not grant media permissions.

Deadline for Pre-Registration is Friday 26th August 2022.

After the deadline only athletes replacing a competitor who is medically diagnosed as unfit to compete can be entered into the competition. An official letter from the injured athletes GP or registered team Doctor will need to be submitted to IMMAF's independent Medical Partner for verification at immaf@safemma.org





### **KEY DEADLINES**

Team Registration – Friday 26th August 2022

Media accreditation applications to isobel.carnwath@immaf.org - Thursday 1st September 2022

Participation fee payment - Wednesday 7th September 2022

Pre-Registration of Injury Replacements – Tuesday 13th September 2022

Medical Clearance – Tuesday 13th September 2022

### **TOURNAMENT CHECK-IN**

Each team enters a check-in location strictly according to the previously allocated time slot accompanied by at least one team leader.

Athletes' appropriate documents (athlete waiver, media release form) have to be uploaded onto MNM beforehand.

Every athlete's passport/ID is controlled and thereafter an accreditation is issued.

Coaches and team staff receive their accreditations at the check-in too.

### **COMPETITION MODE**

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest IMMAF Amateur rules, (See <a href="https://immaf.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/IMMAF-Rules-Document-as-of-Jan-2021.pdf">https://immaf.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/IMMAF-Rules-Document-as-of-Jan-2021.pdf</a>).

There is only one uniform competition system for all IMMAF official events – an elimination system with no repechage.









#### WEIGH-INS & PRE FIGHT MEDICAL EXAMINATION



Monday 26th September 2022 - Saturday 1st October 2022 – Competition days 1 to 5 – All competitors to make weight with no allowance. Any competitor that fails to make weight will be out of the competition at this stage.

There will be no option for late annual medical examination or blood tests.

Following this the official weigh-in & pre fight medical for each weight category is held each morning of competition (See 2 program. Athletes must present their IMMAF accreditation card and his/her passport (National ID Cards showing nationality and date of birth are also accepted).

Only athletes that are set to compete on that day must attend that competition day weigh in. Competitors with byes are not expected to weigh in.

Any athlete who does not show up within the designated weigh in times or fails to make weight will be excluded from competition. Athletes will only have one chance at making weight on the official scales.

A set of test scales will be available for one hour before the official weigh in. This is to facilitate athletes who wish to check their pre-fight weight before stepping onto the official weigh in scales.

Outside of the official weigh in times test scales available on the same morning and a set of scales will be made accessible throughout the competition.

Athletes must present their accreditation card and passport or National ID Card showing nationality and date of birth.

Weigh in allowance policy can be found here - <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u>

### **REFEREES & JUDGES**

Each federation may put forward recommended competition officials through the IMMAF NTO (National technical Officials) application process.

The organizing federation (FIGMMA) may enter officials as required for the realization of the tournament if a sufficient number cannot be sourced



The requirement for officiating can be found in the "Officials Selection Procedure Form" at <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u>





### DRAW



The draw will take place on Monday 26th September 2022 at 17:00hrs @ Bella Italia Village.

All team delegates must fully adhere to the dress code outlined for the draw as well as the duration of the competition.

Dress Code for Draw : suit, with jacket and tie OR national team tracksuit.

Only 2 representatives from each Federation are allowed to attend the draw, representatives must reserve their draw slots during registration.

The top four (4) competitors in each weight category will be seeded according to the current IMMAF World Amateur MMA Ranking List.

For all divisions the competitors will be divided into a bracket by means of a "draw", and a single elimination system will be used to produce two (2) Finalists, who will compete for the gold medal. Competitors from the same Nation can not meet in the final (unless it's a bracket of 2). Competitors from the same Nation will meet in the semi-finals provided they were victorious in previous elimination bouts.

A bronze medal will be awarded to both losing semi-finalists, even if the bronze medalist hasn't won a bout to reach the semi-finals, (for clarification, a bye is classed as a win). There will be no placement points awarded for a losing semi-finalist that has not won a bout to reach the semi-finals.

If there are only two (2) competitors in a bracket, then this will be a gold and silver medal match with the loser receiving a medal. No placement ranking points will be awarded for the loser however.

Full ranking points will be issued if there are twenty (20) or more countries competing at the event. If there are under twenty (20) countries competing, then only half of the ranking points will be issued. Please see this link for how ranking points are earned. *https://immaf.org/athletes/rankings/* 

All competitors must make weight each day they are scheduled to compete. Once a competitor loses a bout they are then out of the competition from that stage. If a competitor wins their bout but is medically suspended, they are out of the competition from that time. Please note, competitors that have byes are not required to weigh-in. Only competitors scheduled to compete on any given day must weigh in and make weight. If the competitor fails to make weight for the official weigh in, then they will be out of the competition from this time and their opponent will advance to the next round via a bye. If both opponents fail to make weight then no one advances.





### CORNERS (SECONDS), TEAM LEADERS & TEAM DELEGATES



All team delegates must fully adhere to the dress code outlined for the draw and for the duration of the competition.

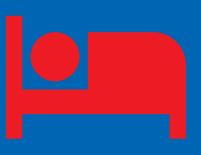
Dress Code for Draw: suit, with jacket and tie or national team tracksuit

## Competition Days : National team tracksuit/uniform, NO caps, NO shorts OR flip flops.

#### ACCOMODATION

Bella Italia Village https://www.bellaitaliavillage.com/en/

Viale Centrale, 29, 33054 Lignano Sabbiadoro UD, Italy +39 0431 409511



#### https://goo.gl/maps/iz5ZT2L3wiuiY7sQ6

There are accommodation options based within the same resort where the competition venue is located at Bella Italia Village.

Discounted prices are available for national teams by using the two booking forms available at <u>http://figmma.it/documenti/SGS.xls</u> and <u>http://figmma.it/documenti/accomodation\_ech.xls</u>. Please send both completed booking forms to eventi@bellaitaliavillage.com by 2nd September 2022.

Room Price for Teams: Single Room - FB STANDARD €72,00 person/night \*Limited quantity Double (Twin Bed) - FB STANDARD €52,00 person/night Triple/Quadruple - FB STANDARD €44,00 person/night Multiple(5+ beds) - FB STANDARD €41,00 person/night +0,70 euro of city tax per person per night (excluded kids under 12yo)

Price are guaranteed for reservations booked by 2nd September 2022, with a 30% deposit paid by 5th September 2022.

IMMAF/FIGMMA are not in control of any price fluctuations and all bookings are the responsibility of the individual National Federations.

Each federation is responsible for their own accommodation; it is recommended that teams book their accommodations at Bella Italia Village.

Entrance fee (for teams not staying on site) to the Bella Italia Village is  $\in 10$  per person/day or  $\in 20$  for the entire period of the tournament. The purchase of a meal voucher integrates and replace the cost of the access tickets ( $\in 12.00$  self-service/ $\in 16.00$  service at the table).

Entry to the event venue is FOC.

It is the responsibility of the National Federations to organise their own transportation around Italy.







### EQUIPMENT

The gloves, and shin guards will be provided by the brand GreenHill for all competitors. Teams must provide their own national federation branded rash guards and shorts to their athletes. All teams must have their National Federation's country name visible on the back of their rash guards. See examples below.



IMMAF Championships Attire, Sponsorship and Branding Guidelines must be adhered to at all times.

Hand wraps will be provided by IMMAF and applied by the official IMMAF cut-man team.

Competitors are responsible for providing their own mouth and groin guard.

Guidelines to Affix Sponsors' Logos to Competition Shorts

- Four (4) logos can be placed on the athlete's IMMAF competition shorts, as per the diagram on the right.
- The diameter of the logos cannot be more than 3 inches (7.62cm).
- Federations should request sticker logos from sponsors, which can be applied to fabric (this is the preferred method to affix logos)
- IMMAF Attire, Sponsorship and Branding Guidelines could be found <u>here.</u>









### **PARTICIPATION FEE**

A participation fee of  $\in$ 450 EUR per competitor, and  $\in$ 250 EUR per team leader, team affiliates and team coaches is payable to IMMAF for the National Federations team entries.

Registration for each competitor and team delegate is via the IMMAF online tournament system at: <u>https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/8560</u>

Team registrations need to be completed and registered by the closing date of Friday 26th August.

After this date, IMMAF will reconcile your final team entries and issue the National Federation with an invoice for you to make one payment for your whole team delegation.

Accreditation will not be issued where entry fees have not been paid by Wednesday 7th September 2022.

Only registered participants who have paid the participation fee will get access to official IMMAF credentialed areas at the competition venue. This is for security and practical reasons. If there are persons traveling with the federation who are not needed in the arena, who don't have a key role in the team and who won't need assistance from the IMMAF, then they are welcome to attend the European Championships and not pay the participation fee. They can then purchase tickets (if available) for the competition at the competition venue respectively and book their own accommodation.

The fee is a combined fee that covers some but not all of the costs that IMMAF, which is a non-profit entity, incurs for the participants.

• Please note the participation fee does not include any accommodation or transport.







### **ANTI-DOPING**

Anti-doping controls will be conducted in accordance with the IMMAF Anti-Doping Rules and the World Anti-Doping Agency Code.

IMMAF will be responsible for planning and implementing the necessary procedures.

All participants (athletes, coaches and officials) should ensure they comply with the Anti-Doping Rules https://immaf.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/IMMAF-Anti-Doping-Rules-2022-FINAL.pdf.

The IMMAF Anti-Doping Rules adopt the WADA Prohibited List of Substances and Methods WADA Prohibited List 2022.

Athletes should check all medications to ensure any substances used are permitted.

If approval for the medically justified use of a Prohibited Substance or Method is required, apply to IMMAF for a Therapeutic Use Exemption by <u>28th August 2022</u>. In an emergency/after this date, submit a TUE form as soon as treatment is required.

If a TUE has already been approved at national level, submit the TUE Certificate for approval as soon as possible tue@immaf.org

TUE application details are available on IMMAF's website https://immaf.org/integrity/anti-doping/therapeutic-use-exemptions/#apply-tue.

NOTE: IMMAF operates a zero tolerance on the use of needles for any purpose without medical justification.









### MEDICAL CLEARANCE

Competitors need to ensure that their annual medical examination is in good standing as per IMMAF's competition medical requirements.

## The cut-off date for submission of all correctly completed AND correctly submitted medical forms and blood work is Tuesday 13th September 2022.

In order to be medically cleared to compete in the 2022 European Championships, each athlete must provide:

a) a completed Annual Medical Examination form, dated within one year of the final day of competition - so on or after 2nd October 2021.

b) a copy of the testing laboratory result form showing clear blood test results for Hepatitis B (HBsAg), Hepatitis C (Anti-HCV) and HIV (p24 antigen and HIV 1+2 antibodies), all dated within 6 months of the final day of competition - so on or after 2nd April 2022.

c) a doctor's review of blood test results, documented in either the Annual Medical Examination form or the Blood Test Review form.

\*Please Note: this review does not need to be duplicated on both forms (the onepage Blood Test Review form is only needed if blood test results are not being reviewed during the course of the annual medical examination!)

d) all documentation must be sent as an email attachment in PDF form (ideally one complete PDF per athlete) through the team Medical Safety Lead (\*see Note 1 below) to: immaf@safemma.org

\*Please Note: we strongly recommend submitting all forms at least one week in advance of the deadline so that any mistakes or omissions can be addressed before the cut-off date, thus avoiding any Late admin fees (\*see Note 2 below)

e) there is no need to resubmit forms previously received and accepted by SAFE MMA

The most current versions of forms and further information can be found here: <u>https://safemma.org/immaf/</u>







### MEDICAL CLEARANCE

#### **Note 1: MEDICAL SAFETY LEAD**

Each team must nominate a Medical Safety Lead. Your MSL acts as the single point of contact through whom we expect to receive all medical documentation, and with whom we share important updates.

The role is purely administrative - no prior medical knowledge or experience is required. Please let us know if you require details of your MSL, or wish to nominate someone new to the role.

#### **Note 2: ADMINISTRATION FEES FOR LATE SUBMISSIONS**

## The cut-off date for submission of all CORRECTLY COMPLETED and CORRECTLY SUBMITTED medical forms and blood work is Tuesday 13th September 2022.

Please ensure forms are submitted at least one week in advance of this so that any mistakes or omissions can be addressed before the cut-off date. Forms must be received through the nominated MSL, ideally as one complete PDF per athlete.

- a £20 Late admin fee will be payable direct to SAFE MMA by or for any athlete whose correct & complete documentation has not been received by the cut-off date of Tuesday 13th September 2022 (2359hrs UTC)

- a £40 Late admin fee will be payable direct to SAFE MMA by or for any athlete whose correct & complete documentation has not been received one week after the cut-off date, so by Tuesday 20th September 2022 (2359hrs UTC)

- an £80 Late admin fee will be payable direct to SAFE MMA by or for any athlete whose correct & complete documentation has not been received more than 2 days before the start of competition, so by Saturday 24th September 2022 (2359hrs UTC).







### MEDICAL CLEARANCE

#### Important information:

- Other than in exceptional cases (such as with late injury replacements) the Late admin fees detailed above WILL be strictly enforced WITHOUT exception.

- If a Late admin fee is due, no documentation will be reviewed, or even considered as having been received, until that fee has been paid.

- If a Late admin fee is due and not received before a further deadline has been passed, the higher fee will be payable in order for that athlete's documentation to be reviewed.

- The review of any documentation received after the cut-off date is subject to the availability of resources, and at the discretion of SAFE MMA and the IMMAF Medical Commission.

For the record, late admin fees are not intended to raise revenue. They have solely been introduced to focus attention on the importance of complying with deadlines so that we can continue doing the work we do effectively with the resources we have - the alternatives being raising fees for everyone or removing athletes from the tournament. We would be delighted if not a single late admin fee was ever incurred! Please work with us to achieve this, and get your athletes' documentation arranged in good time. If you have any comments, issues or questions regarding this, or any medical matter, please email us at: immaf@safemma.org.





### **INSURANCE OF COMPETITORS**

The competitor competes under the full responsibility of their Antional Federations Insurance.

Each national federation is responsible for insuring its competitors against "injury and third party risk (public liability)" during the period of the event.

The International Mixed Martial Arts Federation and FIGMMA decline all responsibility.

It is the responsibility of the National Federation to ensure that in addition to their normal insurance they have sufficient insurance in place to cover any COVID-19-related costs.

The organiser of the event and the IMMAF accept no liability for any claims relating to cancellation of the event due to COVID-19 or medical costs for any COVID-19 related illness that may affect a National Federation delegation member during the event.

### MEDIA

Journalists can apply for media accreditation by sending their requests directly to the organizer at **isobel.carnwath@immaf.org**.

When journalists are traveling as part of a National Federation Team please indicate this, so they may be treated as part of your party.





### **ATHLETE MEDIA OBLIGATIONS**

#### a) Television

It is a mandatory obligation for all athletes to complete television interviews and photograph sessions for IMMAF's production team, if requested. Team Leaders or the athlete themself will be notified in advance if an athlete's attendance is required.

For official interviews and photographs (which are used for TV graphics), athletes will need their Greenhill competition wear and also their national team t-shirt.

Official television interview will be in English, so please arrange for a person to translate for your athlete if needed.

#### b) IMMAF Media Team

Every day after a match, some competitors will be escorted for a short interview with the IMMAF Media Team following their post-fight medical examination. The interview will be for use on IMMAF media and social media channels.

On days where Anti-doping testing takes place, such interviews will be conducted following the post-fight medical and before the Anti-doping testing.

An IMMAF official will be responsible for notifying competitors of IMMAF interview requests and escorting competitors from the competition area to their post-fight medical and onto their media interview.

Competitors may wear their own sponsor apparel for the media interviews.

### MEDALS CEREMONY

During the Finals, competition medalists will participate in a podium medals ceremony.

The Dress Code for competitors during the medal's ceremony is as follows:

- 1.National Team competition rash guard and shorts or National Team uniform
- 2. The only flags or banners that may be carried are National Flags. **No religious or political symbols are allowed.**



#### Casual or street wear will not be permitted on the podium.

Athletes will also be required to be in the designated seating for medalists at least five minutes before their medal presentation.



### VISA

For competitors requiring supporting documentation for VISA applications to enter Italy please email, tatiana.klimenko@immaf.org for details of what information each federation is required to send. No queries will be reviewed without the attached filled roaster:

				Passport			
Sr.No.	Full Name	Date of Birth DD/MM/YYYY	Role	Country	Number	Issued Date	Expiry Date
1			coach				
2			Athlete				
3							

Please note that all procedures, including rule sets, weight categories and allowance are subject to approval from IMMAF.

Competition venues may change subject to contractual agreements.







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