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# German Open 2008

A-Class-Tournament of the ETU

**Date:** **March, the 8<sup>th</sup> + 9<sup>th</sup> 2008**

**Place:** **Sporthalle Hamburg**  
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Musa Cicek, Vicepresident

**Chairman:** **Refree director competition**  
Wolfgang Thormaehlen

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**Public traffic:** Underground: Take underground line 1 to the stop Lattenkamp. Then walk about 10 minutes to the Sporthalle Hamburg

Bus: Take bus line 20 to the stop Ohlsdorfer Straße. Then walk about 10 minutes to the Sporthalle Hamburg

**- ATTENTION – ATTENTION – ATTENTION -**

*Registration and weigh-in for Saturday and Sunday:  
 Friday March 7<sup>th</sup>, 15:00 – 21:00*

*Registration and weigh-in for Sunday:  
 Saturday March 8<sup>th</sup>, 16:00 – 18:00*

***No registration and weigh-in on Saturday morning and Sunday morning***

**Friday: March 7<sup>th</sup> 2008**

14:00	Distribution of ID-Cards
15:00- 21:00	Registration and weigh-in for Saturday and Sunday (Sporthalle)

**Saturday: March 8<sup>th</sup> 2008**

**07:00 Opening of the Sporthalle**

**Weight classes**

Juniors male	-45, -51, -59, -68, -78 kg
Seniors male	-67, -72, -78, -84, +84 kg
Juniors female	-42, -46, -52, -59, -63 kg
Seniors female	-47, -51, -63, -67 kg

**8:30 Start of Competitions**

**16:00-18:00 Registration and weigh-in for Sunday**

**20:00 Evening event with 3 final fights**



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**Sunday: March 9<sup>th</sup> 2008**

**07:00 Opening of the Sporthalle**

**Weight classes**

Juniors male -48, -55, -63, -73, +78 kg

Seniors male -54, -58, -62 kg

Juniors female -44, -49, -55, -68, +68 kg

Seniors female -55, -59, -72, +72 kg

**08:30 Start of Competitions**

**Condition  
 for participation:**

Proof of membership by valid national Federation passport with ETU/WTF membership. All competitors have to proof their age and nationality by presenting their passport or identification card at the weigh-in.

Those who are not recognized as adults (underaged) by law in their own country **must submit a passport or identification card together with a written consent (liability declaration) at registration** signed by parents or lawful guardians, accepting the participation and all parts of the official invitation.

**VISA:**

The DTU will help the participating teams for entry visas if requested  
**Deadline: January, 15<sup>th</sup> 2008.**

**Age groups:**

Juniors male and female: born in **1994 to 1991**  
 Seniors male and female: born in **1993** or later

(Juniors, who were born in **1993 - 1991** can compete as a junior or as a senior. Starting in both categories (juniors and seniors) is not possible.



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**Entry fee :** €50,00 for each competitor

Entry fees must be paid to the following account.

Deutsche Taekwondo Union e.V.  
Name of Bank: Sparkasse Eichstaett  
Account No: 20 01 92 61  
Banking Code 721 513 40  
IBAN NO. DE40721513400020019261  
Swift-BIC: BYLADEM1EIS

A copy of the transfer must be sent to:  
eMail: [office@dtu.de](mailto:office@dtu.de) or  
fax: +49 911 974 88 90  
Applications without a copy of the transfer are invalid.

**Tickets (spectators):**

Adults	€ 8,00
Children / Juniors	€ 5,00

**Minimum Qualification:**

Seniors male:	1 <sup>st</sup> Kup or higher
Seniors female:	2 <sup>nd</sup> Kup or higher
Juniors male/female:	4 <sup>th</sup> Kup or higher

Juniors who participate in the seniors competition must have the qualification required for seniors.

**Registration from Non-German-Athletes:** Competitors from foreign countries have to log in to the competition databank with their password at [www.dtu.de](http://www.dtu.de) or [www.germanopen-2008.de](http://www.germanopen-2008.de)

You will get your password after the registration on the internet. Please register the name of your club and your nation and your personal e-mail. Then a password will be sent to the e-mail account. For further questions look up on the homepage.

**Deadline:** February, the 25<sup>th</sup> 2008



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**Change of weightclasses:**

Changing weightclasses after **February, the 28<sup>th</sup> 2008** is only possible for a fee of € 25,00 at registration at the Sporthalle.

With the registration the competitors as well as the federations accept all points of the official invitation.

**Attention:**

Only headgear and trunk protector manufactured by our actual Sponsor **DAE DO** are allowed during the competition. This Equipment is to be borrow at the Organizing Committee. **Passport or ID- Card is necessary.**

**Coaches:**

Each coach accompanied by at least four competitors receives free admission (limit five coaches). Coaches can enter the competition area only with proper sport shoes and proper tracksuit.

**Before weigh-in** all coaches must have the **Special ID-Cards** for their whole team. Weigh-in and entry to the gymnasium only with Special ID-Cards.

**Special ID-Cards for all competitors and coaches!** You can get these at the Organizing Committee.

**Liability:**

All competitors of the German Open participate at their own risk. The registration application implies that the competitors agree to assume responsibility for themselves and to release all others from all and any liability which may directly or indirectly result from the German Open.

**Competition rules:**

The current competition rules of the DTU are valid. According to the interpretation of the rules of the DTU/WTF you must carry the mouthpiece.

**Hand protector is compulsory**

**Competition mode:**

K.O. - system.

**Classification:**

Places 1 to 3 will be scored for classification of teams and nations. The key 6 – 3 – 1 will be used.

**Award presentation:**

Trophies for the places 1 for individual  
 Medals for the places 2 and 3 for individual  
 Trophies for the places 1 to 3 for teams and nations



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**Referees:** A maximum of four referees per participating nation will be admitted. Referees must be licensed by WTF and must send their application before **February, the 10<sup>th</sup>** to **wthormaehlen@aol.com**

**List of results:** The competitors agree with the announcement, that the first and last name, the weight category, the nation/organization and the placing in the list of results will be reported in the internet as well as in printed media.

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### Travel directions

**Arriving by car please follow the signs near the Sporthalle Hamburg**

#### **Coming from the freeway (Autobahn A7):**

Slip road A7 at Hamburg Stellingen and then turn right to the Kieler Straße. From the Kieler Straße turn left to the Sportplatzring, then go straight through Koppel, Julius-Vosseler-Straße, Vogt-Wells-Straße, Osterfeldstraße and Lokstedter Weg. At Lokstedter Weg turn left to Tarpenstraße, Rosenbrook. At Rosenbrook turn right to Deelböge, Braamkamp. At Braamkamp turn left to the Krochmannstraße. Follow the signs to Sporthalle Hamburg.

#### **Coming from the trainstation (Hamburg Hauptbahnhof):**

Take underground line 1 in direction to Ohlsdorf/Norderstedt Mitte.  
Leave the underground at the stop line 1 Lattenkamp.  
Follow the signs to Sporthalle Hamburg.

#### **Coming from the airport (Hamburg Flughafen):**

Take the bus line 110 in direction to Ohlsdorf.  
Leave the bus at the last stop U/S Ohlsdorf.  
Take the underground line 1 in direction to Hauptbahnhof.  
Leave the underground at the stop Line 1 Lattenkamp.  
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