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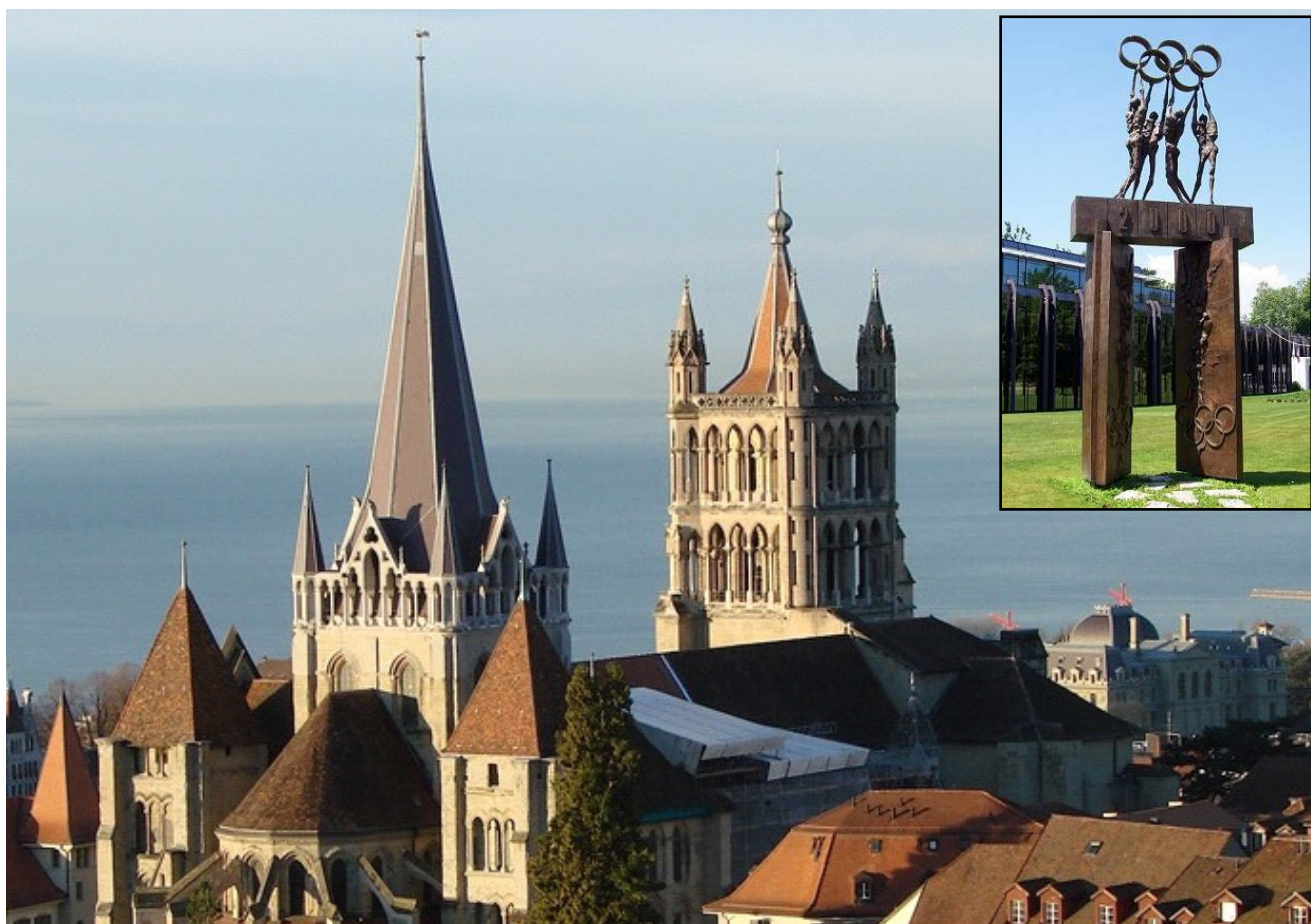
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## Invitation

# SWISS OPEN 2014

### WTF G1 Official Ranking Tournament Senior Categories

7-8 June 2014, Lausanne  
Switzerland



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## WTF G1 Official Ranking Tournament

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Dear Mr President

On behalf of the Swiss Taekwondo Federation I am proud to invite you and your athletes to participate to **Swiss Open 2014**, which will be held in Lausanne, Switzerland, on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> of June 2014.

We offer high quality organization and competition – with only the best international referees in order to guarantee high level transparency, fair play and impartiality for the athletes.

There will be a Priority for National Teams and the registration will be opened to only the National Teams until 25<sup>th</sup> April 2014. We strongly urge National Teams who wish to participate in this event to secure entry into the Swiss Open by registering online early.

After April 25<sup>th</sup>, and if we still have more places, clubs and teams can register their competitors online till we reach a maximum of 350 competitors. Please note that in order to offer a high quality championship we will close the registration when we reach 350 athletes even if this is before the closing date.

We are looking forward to receiving your confirmation of participation for this event no later than May 05<sup>th</sup> 2014.

Swiss Taekwondo Federation will be honoured to welcome you and your athletes. We hope that you will enjoy the Championship as well as a great stay in Lausanne, Switzerland.

Yours sincerely,

**Abdenbi AMHAND**

**President**

**SWISS TAEKWONDO FEDERATION**



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<b>President:</b>	Mr. Abdenbi Amhand, President - Swiss Taekwondo Federation
<b>Technical Delegate:</b>	Mr. Philippe Bouedo, Chairman - WTF Games Committee
<b>Referee Chairman:</b>	Mr. Chakir Chelbat, Chairman - WTF Referee Committee
<b>Chairman Organizing Committee:</b>	Dr. Walid Younes, Secretary General - Swiss Taekwondo Federation
<b>Competition date:</b>	Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> & Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> June, 2014.
<b>Competition Hall:</b>	Centre sportif de Grand-Vennes Chemin des Abeilles 11 1010 Lausanne - Switzerland <a href="http://www.lausanne.ch">www.lausanne.ch</a>
<b>Competition Rules:</b>	WTF competition rules with Daedo PSS and Dartfish Instant Video Review IVR. A single elimination tournament system shall apply.
<b>Qualifications:</b>	<p>All participants must be members of a National Taekwondo Federation, affiliated to the WTF. This membership must be proved by means of valid federal certificate of membership at the time of registration. <b><u>The WTF Global Athlete Licence (GAL) will be required for all athletes.</u></b></p> <p><i>"The WTF Global Licence is a mandatory taekwondo passport to participate in this Tournament for all athletes and officials. To receive an event credential onsite and participate proof of an approved WTF Global Licence in the form of the licence card or GMS system generated confirmation page is required upon onsite check in.</i></p> <p><i>WTF Global Licence registrations &amp; renewals can only be made through the WTF recognized Member National Associations and application should be made at least 1 month before the tournament starts to ensure the licence can be processed and approved in time".</i></p> <p><i>Onsite registration for a WTF Global Licence is not possible and those without proof of a WTF Global Licence will be refused participation.</i></p>
<b><u>Age categories:</u></b>	Male and female born in 1997 or older (1 <sup>st</sup> Dan). Juniors, who were born in 1997-1999 can compete as seniors.
<b><u>Weight Categories:</u></b>	The WTF weight divisions shall apply as follows:
<b>Senior Male:</b>	-54kg, -58kg, -63kg, -68kg, -74kg, -80kg, -87kg, +87kg
<b>Senior Female:</b>	-46kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -62kg, -67kg, -73kg, +73kg



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**Equipment:**

Participating contestants are required to wear WTF-recognized doboks and WTF-recognized protective equipment. The updated list of WTF-recognized products can be found at the WTF website ([http://www.wtf.org/wtf\\_eng/site/about\\_wtf/recognized.html](http://www.wtf.org/wtf_eng/site/about_wtf/recognized.html)).

Daedo Protector Scoring System (PSS) will be used and will be provided by the organizer. Sensing Socks must be brought by each competitor. Head gear, groin/forearm/shin guards and gloves have to be brought by the contestants. **Mouth piece is compulsory!**

**Time Mode:**

3 x 2 minutes (60 sec. break).

**Award presentation:**

Medals for the places from 1 to 3 - Individual results.  
Trophies for Teams 1 to 3 - Teams males, females & Teams overall.  
Best Player Cup (M&F) and Fair-Play Cup (M&F).

**Applications:**

This service is provided by Taekoplan Tournament Subscription Site. To register and login to the service please use this link: <http://www.tpss.nl>

**Entry Fee:**

€ 75 (Euro) for each contestant before dead line.  
€ 80 (Euro) for each contestant after dead line.

**There will be no refund if a registered competitor fails to show up for the competition!**

The Entry Fee must be paid in advance and specified to our Bank Account with the Payment reference SO 2014 + Team Name

**Lausanne Taekwondo Union**

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**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: AT THE LATEST May 05<sup>th</sup>, 2014.**

**NOTE:** Entries after deadline will not be accepted. Registrations are only valid when payments have been received and can be confirmed by the Bank and the Organizer.

**International Referees:**

Invitations of International Referees will be made by the Organizing Committee of Swiss Open. Round trip airfare shall be born by each participating referee. Referee meeting is scheduled on Friday (21:30) June 6<sup>th</sup> at the Referee Hotel. The Organizing Committee will cover Hotel and Full board accommodation for 3 nights from Friday June 6<sup>th</sup>. All other costs are the responsibility of each referee.

**Coach:**

For every 5 contestants within the same team, one coach is granted free admission, with a maximum of 3 coaches.  
Only competitors and coaches have admittance to the competition areas. Coaches can enter the competition area only with proper sport shoes and proper tracksuit. All coaches must be 18 years or older.



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**Protest:**

As we use IVR, protest is not allowed.

**Liability:**

All competitors of Swiss Open 2014 are considered to participate at their own risk. The Swiss Taekwondo Federation and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for any damages, injuries or losses directly or indirectly result from Swiss Open 2014. All contestants must bring their own documents and medical insurance forms for any medical treatment they may need whilst in Switzerland.

**TIME TABLE:**

**Friday 6 June**

Registration & Weigh-in

Centre sportif de Grand-Vennes  
Chemin des Abeilles 11  
1010 Lausanne - Switzerland

**Weigh-in:** 17:00 – 20:00 hrs for Saturday's 7<sup>th</sup> competitors.

**Registration:** 16:00 – 20:00 hrs (local time).

Changing of weight classes after deadline is only possible for a fee of € 20 at registration at the Sport Hall. After the official weigh-in no further modifications will be made.

**Saturday 7 June**

08.00 Opening of the Hall

09.00 - 12.30: Elimination rounds

12.30 - 13.30: Lunch break

13.30 - 17.00: Elimination rounds, Quarter finals & Semi finals

17.00 - 18.00: Weigh-in for Sunday's 8<sup>th</sup> June competitors

17.00 - 19.00: Finals (times are subject to change)

**Weight Classes:** Seniors Male: -54kg,-58kg,-87kg,+87kg  
Seniors Female: -53kg,-57kg,-62kg,-67kg

**Sunday 8 June**

08.00 Opening of the Hall

09.00 - 12.30: Elimination rounds

12.30 - 13.30: Lunch break

13.30 - 17.00: Elimination rounds, Quarter finals & Semi finals

17.00 - 19.00: Finals (times are subject to change)

**Weight Classes:** Seniors Male: -63kg,-68kg,-74kg,-80kg  
Seniors Female: -46kg,-49kg,-73kg,+73kg

**Drawing of lots:**

The drawing of lots shall be conducted one day prior to the competition with the presence of representatives of participating nations and teams.

**Anti-Doping Test:**

Use of drugs or doping by any chemical substances prescribed in the WTF Regulations for Doping Control is strongly prohibited. All participating athletes can be subject to no-advance-notice doping controls throughout the competition. For more information about prohibited drug database, please visit the following website of Antidoping Switzerland:

<http://www.antidoping.ch/en/drugdb>



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## DECLARATION OF CONSENT

As legal guardian I herewith declare my consent that my son/my daughter may participate as an active player at the following championship:

### Swiss Open 2014

I do know that Taekwondo is a **Full Contact Competition Sport**, where injuries cannot be excluded.

Neither the organizer nor the promoter of the event can be held responsible for any damages or injuries and therefore I declare that there exists a valid insurance that will cover costs of possible injuries for my son / my daughter or that I will accept all costs in connection with possible injuries or damages by myself.

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Name of guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Point of relationship

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature



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**Accommodation:**

For hotel reservation the organizing committee of Swiss Open 2014 recommend you to visit the following hotels websites. Lausanne City offers a high range of choice from camping to bed & breakfast, youth hostel to five-stars establishments – there are a total of 5000 beds covering the whole range of categories, styles and atmospheres available to visitors.



<http://www.bnb.ch/>



<http://www.accorhotels.com/fr/hotel-7599-ibis-budget-lausanne-bussigny-ex-etap-hotel/index.shtml>



<http://www.hotel-union.ch/index.html>



[www.ibishotel.com/fr/hotel-1185-ibis-lausanne-crissier/](http://www.ibishotel.com/fr/hotel-1185-ibis-lausanne-crissier/)



<http://www.ibishotel.com/fr/hotel-6772-ibis-lausanne-centre/>



<http://www.aulac.ch/>



<http://www.novotel.com/fr/hotel-0530-novotel-lausanne-bussigny/index.shtml>



<http://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch/>

**Transportation:**

Switzerland's central location within Europe means it is ideally placed to host such an event. Lausanne is easily accessible via road and rail, and is no more than half an hour from Geneva's Cointrin International Airport. Approaching from the north, east and west, motorways provide access to Lausanne from all over Switzerland and Europe directly to the city centre.

For more information about transportation, please visit the official web site of Lausanne tourism <http://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch>

**Visa:**

The Organizing Committee will help the participating teams for entry visas if requested. **Deadline: March, 10<sup>th</sup> 2014.**

Any team needing a letter of invitation to support a visa application, please contact the Organising Committee with the names of all team members and team officials at [swissopen@taekwondo.ch](mailto:swissopen@taekwondo.ch)

Please ensure you have the correct travel documents to enter Switzerland.



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