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**INVITATION TO THE WUXI 2022 WORLD TAEKWONDO**  
**GRAND SLAM CHAMPIONS SERIES**

## **Outline**

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- 4. VENUE:** **Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre**  
No.88 Qingshu Rd., Taihu New City, Binhu District
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## 5. QUALIFICATIONS & SUBSTITUTION RULES

In accordance with *Article 4: Qualification of Contestant of the WT Competition Rules*, the contestant must be:

**CRITERION #1:** Holder of the Kukkiwon Dan Certificate

**CRITERION #2:** **An athlete must be 17 years old or older.** An athlete who was born in the year of 2006 or before is eligible to participation in the competition.

**CRITERION #3:** Holder of valid WT Global Athlete License (GAL).

*\*Any questions on the WT GAL please contact your assigned WT GMS Manager*

### Qualifications (Each Weight Category)

2022 Grand Slam Open Qualification Winner	1 person
2022 Grand Slam Open Qualification 2nd Place	1 person
2022 Grand Slam Open Qualification 3rd Place	1 person
2022 Grand Slam Open Qualification 4th Place	1 person
2022 Grand Slam Open Qualification 5th Place	4 persons
Recommended athlete by WT Technical Commission	3 persons
Recommended athlete by Host Country	1 person

\*Substitution Rules: The rules will be jointly determined by World Taekwondo and Organizing Committee.

## 6. COMPETITION RULES

WT Competition Rules as of January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 shall be applied.

## 7. METHOD OF COMPETITION

- i. Single elimination System including Bronze medal contest

- ii. Number of athletes: 96
- iii. Number of courts: 2 for Preliminaries and 1 for Semi-finals and Finals
- iv. The top four(4) athletes from the Open Qualification Tournament for Wuxi 2022 World Taekwondo Grand Slam Champions Series have fixed position; Other athletes shall be seeded randomly by draw of lots.
- v. Contest Time : Best of 3 System(2 minutes x 2(3) rounds with 1 minute break)  
Article 16 of Competition Rules & Interpretation shall be applied.

## 8. WEIGHT CATEGORIES

Men's division		Women's division	
Under 58kg	Not exceeding 58kg	Under 49kg	Not exceeding 49kg
Under 68kg	Over 58kg & Not exceeding 68kg	Under 57kg	Over 49kg & Not exceeding 57kg
Under 80kg	Over 68kg & Not exceeding 80kg	Under 67kg	Over 57kg & Not exceeding 67kg
Over 80kg	Over 80kg	Over 67kg	Over 67kg

## 9. CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATING ATHLETES

The ground transportation and accommodation charges for the athletes will be covered by OC, and round trip airfare charges shall be borne by the participating athletes.

*\*OC will provide full room & board from March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023 (Check-in) to April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023 (Check out) to all participating athletes for maximum 4 nights.*

*\*Other team members shall be responsible for their own expenses.*

## 10. PARTICIPATION CONFIRMATION

- i. Invited athletes should confirm his/her participation to the 2022 Grand Slam Final no later than March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 to WT Sport & Event Management Department and Grand Slam Organizing Committee via [sport@worldtaekwondo.org](mailto:sport@worldtaekwondo.org) and [gm\\_office@jjjinsports.com](mailto:gm_office@jjjinsports.com).

- ii. If the athlete fails to confirm his/her participation by the deadline the quota shall be substituted by next reserved athlete. Thereafter the athlete shall lose the participation right to the 2022 Grand Slam.
- iii. The confirmation deadline for the substituted athlete shall be informed by the OC individually.

## **11. WT GLOBAL LICENCE & ONLINE REGISTRATION**

### **i. WT Global License Registration**

All Athletes and Team officials must FIRST be registered with a WT Global Athlete License (GAL) or Global Official License (GOL).

### **ii. WT Online Registration**

Athlete entry will only be accepted through the WT online registration system (simply compete) and registration is only possible with a valid WT Global License. National GMS admins will be notified via email once online registration is open.

## **12. CONFIRMATION AND ENTRY DEADLINE**

<b>Confirmation Deadline</b>	<b>Online Entry Deadline</b>	<b>Event Date</b>
<b>March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023</b>	<b>March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023</b>	<b>April 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023</b>

## **13. CLASSIFICATION OF RESULTS**

Medals will be awarded to the top 3 athletes in the respective weight category of the pertinent competition. And the prize money is distributed as follows:

<b>Prize Money Distribution (Winning Rounds Award + Medalist Award)</b>					
<b>Ranking</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>1/8</b>	<b>1/4</b>	<b>Semi-final</b>	<b>Medalist Award</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>US\$1,000</b>	<b>US\$1,000</b>	<b>US\$1,000</b>	<b>US\$15,000</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>US\$1,000</b>	<b>US\$1,000</b>	<b>US\$1,000</b>	<b>US\$4,000</b>

# Wuxi 2022 World Taekwondo Grand Slam Champions Series

## (Wuxi, China / April 2-3, 2023)

Prize Money Distribution (Winning Rounds Award + Medalist Award)					
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	1	US\$1,000	US\$1,000		US\$2,000
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	1	US\$1,000	US\$1,000		
5 <sup>th</sup> Place	4	US\$1,000			

\*All participated athletes shall receive certificates.

\*\* Payment method: The prize money shall be paid to designated bank account by wire transfer.

\*\*\* All the prize money will be deducted by 20% of individual income tax according to the Chinese tax law. The individual income tax will be withheld and remitted by the organizing committee. The prize money of the Chinese nationality winners will be paid in RMB through bank transfer. Foreign winners will be paid in US dollars through international remittances.

\*\*\* Athlete must win minimal one match to earn ranking points, and won by bye or DSQ shall not count as a win. The points will be reflected on Grand Slam Merit Points for Qualification Tournament (WT Grand Slam Merit Points is separate ranking, and not related to WT World Ranking and WT Olympic Ranking). The ranking points per winners of the competition shall be allocated as follows.

Rank	Merit Points
1 <sup>st</sup> Place	1000
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	600
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	360
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	216
5 <sup>th</sup> Places	151
9 <sup>th</sup> Places	106

**\*\* In line with the article 6 of World Taekwondo Standing Procedure for Grand Slam Champions Series, merit points earned from 2022 Wuxi World Taekwondo Grand Slam Champions Series will be deducted 25% in May 1, 2023.**

### 14. INTERNATIONAL REFEREES

The WT will appoint a total of 20 International Referees. The appointed international referees shall officiate at 2022 WT Grand Slam Champions Series in Wuxi, China; the following conditions shall apply:

- i. International Referees are required to pay for their own round trip airfares.

- ii. The Organizing Committee shall pay for the expenses for seven (7) nights' stay of room and board.

**Check-in: March 28 / Check-out: April 4**

- iii. The Organizing Committee shall pay a per diem of US\$200 to the selected International Referees for competition period and a training day (total three days; US\$600 per referee).

#### **15. TECHNICAL DELEGATE AND COMPETITION SUPERVISORY BOARD**

The WT will appoint one (1) Technical Delegate and up to four (4) members of the Competition Supervisory Board. The following conditions shall apply:

- i. The Organizing Committee shall pay for the expenses for up to seven (7) nights' stay of room and board.

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- ii. The Organizing Committee shall pay a per diem of US\$200 to the Technical Delegate and the members of the Competition Supervisory Board for competition period and head of team meeting day (total three days; US\$600 per person).

#### **16. WT-RECOGNIZED TAEKWONDO UNIFORM (DOBOK) AND PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

- i. **Daedo Protector and Scoring System (PSS) including PSS Headgear** will be used for the competition.
- ii. Participating contestants are required to wear WT-recognized Kyorugi competition uniform or WT-recognized dobok and WT-recognized protective equipment. The latest version of WT-recognized manufacturers' list is available at the website of WT (<http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/wtpartners-wt/recognize.html>)
- iii. The Organizing Committee will provide Protector and Scoring System (PSS) to the participating contestants. Participating contestants are required to bring their own groin guards, mouthpieces, gloves, sensing socks and shin and forearm

guards for their personal use.

- iv. Before entering the field of play, all contestants will proceed to the inspection desk for inspection of their competition uniform or dobok and protective equipment. **Any contestant who wears unofficial competition uniform or doboks or protective equipment will not be permitted to compete.**
- v. The top has to cover completely the buttocks. However, the bottom of top should be more than 15cm above the knee cap.
- vi. Instant Video Replay (IVR) System will be used.

#### **17. IDENTIFICATION OF NOC CODE AND MANUFACTURER**

- i. National flag shall be located between 3cm and 3.5cm below from the shoulder line of the right arm.
- ii. NOC Code is a three-letter National Olympic Committee abbreviation, and **it must be printed at the back in black** and centered at 5cm or higher from the bottom line of the upper garment within the size of 30cm width x 12cm height. The font of the letters shall be in bold "Verdana".
- iii. Manufacturer's identification (name, designation trademark, logo or any distinctive sign of the manufacturer) shall be located, one for the top within 30cm<sup>2</sup> and between 3 to 3.5cm below the shoulder line of the left arm, one for bottoms within 30cm<sup>2</sup> located above the knee and center of the right leg, and one for Kyorugi belt within 6cm<sup>2</sup> at the end of the belt.

#### **18. SPONSOR'S IDENTIFICATION**

- i. ONE sponsor's identification (logo) is allowed to each of competition uniform or dobok's top and bottoms.
- ii. The sponsor's identification shall be located within 50cm<sup>2</sup> except the location of WT logo, manufacturer's identification, national flag, and NOC code.

#### **19. MEDICAL CONTROL**

- i. The WT Anti-Doping Rules, and where necessary the Code of the World Anti-Doping Agency, shall apply throughout the competitions.

- ii. Compulsory anti-doping tests will be carried out for selected medalists, while random tests will be conducted to the rest of the athletes. The WT and/or WADA may carry out random out of competition testing prior to the championships.

- iii. TUE (Therapeutic Use Exemption)

Athletes who take any substance or medicine listed in the “Prohibited List” of the WT Anti-Doping Rules and Anti-Doping Code of World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) for therapeutic purposes are requested to submit TUE applications via ADAMS, together with the required medical information. If you do not have an ADAMS account yet, please contact [tue@ita.sport](mailto:tue@ita.sport) to have it set up.

Otherwise, please download the TUE Application Form [HERE](#) and once duly completed and signed, send it together with the required medical file to [tue@ita.sport](mailto:tue@ita.sport) with copy to [antidoping@worldtaekwondo.org](mailto:antidoping@worldtaekwondo.org) by at least 30 days before the first competition day.

For more details, please see the following page of the WT website:  
[http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/anti\\_doping-wt/therapeutic.html](http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/anti_doping-wt/therapeutic.html)

- iv. WT Mouth guard, Taping and Bracing rules

[WT-Mouthguard-brace-taping-and-padding-rules-5-29-2019.pdf](#)  
[\(worldtaekwondo.org\)](#)

## **20. HEAD OF TEAM MEETING & DRAWING OF LOTS SESSION**

- i. The head of team meeting and the drawing of lots session shall be conducted one (1) day prior to the start of the competition, that is April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023, in the presence of the WT officials and the representatives of the participating MNA.

## **21. WEIGH-IN**

- i. General weigh-in of the contestants shall take place on the day before their respective weight category.
- ii. Random weigh-in of the contestants shall take place in the morning on the competition day of their respective weight category except M+80 & W+67. All



contestants in draw must be presented.

- iii. During the weigh-in, male contestants shall wear underpants and female contestants shall wear underpants and brassieres. However, contestants may weigh-in in the nude if they wish to do so.
- iv. Random weigh-in shall apply to following number of athletes with 5% allowance as below. 4 athletes will be subject to the random weigh-in in line with the article 9 of the Competition Rules & Interpretation.

Weight Category	5% allowance	Weight Category	5% allowance
M-58	Not exceeding 60.9kg	W-49	Not exceeding 51.5kg
M-68	Not exceeding 71.4kg	W-57	Not exceeding 59.9kg
M-80	Not exceeding 84kg	W-67	Not exceeding 70.4kg

## **22. INDEMNITIES**

- i. Each athlete shall be responsible for ensuring that he or she is covered with effective travel & medical insurance coverage.
- ii. Any athlete without proper insurance coverage will not be allowed to compete at the competition.
- iii. The Organizing Committee will acquire general Public Liability event insurance.

## **23. ACCOMMODATION & TRANSPORTATION**

Relevant information is attached with this outline.

## **24. VISA INFORMATION**

The Organizing Committee can provide invitation letters for visa applications. However, MNA's are required to check the China entry visa application waiting times in their own countries and submit requests for invitation letters to the organizing

committee.

The Organizing Committee cannot guarantee entry into China and can only offer assistance. It is the responsibility of each athlete and MNA to apply for and secure the correct entry visa for China. MNAs are requested to complete the attached visa application form at least one week before the waiting time deadline in their own country.

## **25. COACH's ATTIRE**

All coaches are required to wear formal suit such as tie, jacket, dress shirt (long or short), and trousers, and sport shoes during Semi-Finals and Finals. Any type of cap/hat is not allowed. If any coach refuses to wear abovementioned attire, he or she will not be allowed to coach for the Wuxi 2022 World Taekwondo Grand Slam Champions Series.

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## (Wuxi, China / April 2-3, 2023)

### Timetable (Subject to change)

Date	Time	Event	Location
Mar. 31 <sup>st</sup>	0900-1800	Athlete Arrival & Registration	Official Reception Hotel
Apr. 1 <sup>st</sup>	0900-1800	Athlete Arrival & Registration	Official Reception Hotel
	1000-1200	Referee Meeting and Training – Morning Session	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1000-1700	Training	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1000-1200	Weigh-in for W-49kg, W-67kg, M-68kg, M+80kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1300-1500	Team Doctors' Meeting	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1500-1700	Head of Team Meeting & Drawing Lots	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1700-1900	Referee Meeting and Training – Evening Session	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
Apr. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	0800	Random Weigh-in for W-49kg, W-67kg, M-68kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1000-1200	Weigh-in for W-57kg, W+67kg, M-58kg, M-80kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	0900-1300	Preliminaries for W-49kg, W-67kg, M-68kg, M+80kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1500-1800	Semi-finals and Finals for W-49kg, W-67kg, M-68kg, M+80kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1800-1830	Victory Ceremony for W-49kg, W-67kg, M-68kg, M+80kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
Apr. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	0800	Random Weigh-in for W-57kg, M-58kg, M-80kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	0900-1300	Preliminaries for W-57kg, W+67kg, M-58kg, M-80kg	Wuxi Taihu International Expo Centre B
	1500-1800	Semi-finals and Finals for W-57kg, W+67kg, M-58kg, M-80kg	
	1800-1830	Victory Ceremony for W-57kg, W+67kg, M-58kg, M-80kg	
Apr. 4 <sup>th</sup>		Departure	Official Reception Hotel