





Dear Athletes, Coaches, Officials and Friends,

It is my great pleasure to welcome you all to the European Taekwondo Olympic Weight Categories Championships 2025, hosted from 22-23 November 2025 in Aigle, Switzerland. This prestigious event brings together the very best senior athletes from across Europe to compete at the highest level.

Unlike our junior events, this Championship is a true showcase of elite senior competition, where Olympic dreams are shaped and tested. Athletes here will not only fight for medals but also for pride, rankings, and the opportunity to prove themselves on the road to the Paris 2028 Olympic Games cycle.

On behalf of the European Taekwondo Union, I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to Swiss Taekwondo and the Local Organizing Committee for their outstanding work and dedication in preparing this event. Their professionalism and commitment ensure that athletes, coaches, and officials can focus fully on competition in an atmosphere of excellence and fairness.

To all athletes: I wish you success, strength, and resilience. Compete with passion and fairness, knowing that every performance here adds to the rich legacy of European Taekwondo.

May this Championship not only highlight the technical and tactical brilliance of our sport but also embody the values of respect, friendship, and unity that define our Taekwondo family.

Welcome, and let the competition begin!

With warm regards,

Sakis Pragalos

President, European Taekwondo Union



Dear Athletes, Coaches, Officials, and Friends,

On behalf of Swiss Taekwondo, it is with great joy that I welcome you to the European Taekwondo Championships 2025 – Olympic Categories here in Aigle. The entire Swiss Taekwondo family is proud and honored to host this prestigious event. We are confident that the world-class facilities of the World Cycling Center will provide the perfect setting for all athletes to express themselves and shine.

These competitions follow the European Junior Championships, and we are especially delighted to welcome all participants. Your presence, your performances, and your passion will give this championship a unique and unforgettable dimension.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the European Taekwondo Union and to all the participating teams for making this event possible. A warm thank you also goes to our wonderful volunteers and to the Local Organizing Committee, under the dedicated leadership of Bashkim Krasniqi, for their tireless dedication and commitment.

To all of you, we wish the very best of success and, above all, that you enjoy precious moments and create unforgettable memories here in Aigle. May this championship be above all a celebration of your commitment, your talent, and a stepping stone toward your future success.

With warm regards,

Jean-Marie Ayer

President, Swiss Taekwondo

1. PROMOTER: EUROPEAN TAEKWONDO UNION

ADDRESS: Hofestatt 13, 57439 Attendorn, Germany

E-MAIL: info@europetaekwondo.org

WEBSITE: <https://europetaekwondo.org>

2. SANCTIONED BY: WORLD TAEKWONDO

ADDRESS: 10th Fl., Booyoung Taepyung Buldg. 55, Sejong-dear, Jung-gu, Seoul, Korea 04513

E-MAIL: sport@worldtaekwondo.org

WEBSITE: <https://www.worldtaekwondo.org>

3. ORGANIZING MNA: SWISS TAEKWONDO

ADDRESS: Chemin Neuf 6, 1028 Préverenges, Vaud, Switzerland

E-MAIL: info@taekwondo.ch

WEBSITE: www.taekwondo.ch

4. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:

NAME : Mr. KRASNIQI Bashkim

ADDRESS: Rue du Panorama 17, 1800 Vevey, Vaud, Switzerland

E-MAIL: taekwondoeuropean2025@gmail.com

TELEPHONE: +41 76 823 64 67

5. VENUE: WORLD CYCLING CENTER

ADDRESS: Allée Ferdi Kübler 12, 1860 Aigle, Vaud, Switzerland

6. GLOBAL RANKING

SENIOR: G1

7. COMPETITION RULES

Last updated WT Competition Rules & Interpretation shall be applied.

8. GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Each MNA can send **two (2)** athletes per weight category to compete in the European Senior Olympics Weigh Categories 2025.

9. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Holder of the Nationality of the participating team.
2. An athlete must be nominated by the pertinent national taekwondo association that is recognized by European Taekwondo Union and World Taekwondo
3. Holder of a National or Kukkiwon Dan Certification.
4. An athlete must be born between in 2008 or before
5. Holder of an approved 2025 WT Global Athlete License (GAL) *** Any questions on the WT GAL, please contact your assigned WT GMS Manager
6. In case of a Refugee athlete, the athlete must meet following Requirements.
 - a. Must hold the Refugee Status, documented by UNHCR or
 - b. Refugee Status documented by national agency, e.g. Department of Foreign Affairs or related/responsible department of the residing country.
7. In case of an Individual Neutral Athlete (AIN), the athlete must
 - a. Obtain AIN Status, screened and confirmed by World Taekwondo.
 - b. Only athletes with AIN GAL Number can participate.

10.COACH ELIGIBILITY

1. Minimum age of 18 years.
2. WT Coach Certificate Level I or above is required.
3. Holder of a valid 2025 WT Global Official License.
4. Coaches are not allowed to wear Dobok. **A formal outfit (suit/dress) is mandatory for semi- finals & finals.**
5. 1 coach per 5 athletes is allowed.
Exceeding this ratio is subject to an extra fee.

11. METHOD OF COMPETITION/ CONTEST TIME

Single Elimination tournament system

Best of three (3) system will be used 3(2) rounds of 2 minutes, 1 minute break between each round.

12. SPORT ENTRIES & ONLINE REGISTRATION

The following medal events are applicable:

Role	Male Team	Female Team
MNA Official	2	
Head of Team	1	
Manager	1	
Coach	2	2
Trainer	1	1
Team Doctor	1	
Contestants	4x2	4x2
* Every National Team may participate with one (2) athlete per weight category		

Online National Team Entry will only be accepted through the WT online registration system Simply Compete. registration is only possible with an approved 2025 WT Global Licence. MNA assigned GMS admins will be notified via email once online registration is open. Please find below the direct link to the WT GMS platform:

<https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com/>

13. ONLINE REGISTRATION DEADLINE

31 October 2025, 23:59 CET

This deadline is applicable for all sport entries, payments and admitting all required documents.

14. WEIGHT CATEGORIES

The following medal events are applicable:

SENIOR OLYMPICS WRIGHT CATEGORIES			
Male categories		Female categories	
Under 58 kg	Not exceeding 58kg	Under 49 kg	Not exceeding 49 kg
Under 68 kg	Over 58 kg & Not exceeding 68 kg	Under 57 kg	Over 49 kg & Not exceeding 57 kg
Under 80 kg	Over 68 kg & Not exceeding 80 kg	Under 67 kg	Over 57 kg & Not exceeding 67 kg
Over 80 kg	Over 80 kg	Over 67 kg	Over 67 kg

15. ONSITE REGISTRATION & ACCREDITATION

Location: World Cycling Center

20 November 2025: 14:00 hrs - 18:00 hrs

21 November 2025: 09:00 hrs – 13:30 hrs / 15:00 hrs - 18:00 hrs

22 November 2025: 09:00 hrs – 13:30 hrs

16. COMPETITION DATES & SCHEDULE

22 – 23 November 2025

Competition starts at 09:00 hrs

22 November

Male -58 kg, +80 kg / Female -49 kg, -57 kg

23 November

Male -68 kg, -80 kg / Female -67 kg, +67 kg

17. WEIGH IN DATES, SCHEDULE

21 – 22 November 2025

Location: World Cycling Center

Time: 10:00 – 13:00 hrs

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO BE ON TIME AS THERE WILL BE NO LATE WEIGH IN!

21 November

Male -58 kg, +80 kg / Female -49 kg, -57 kg

22 November

Male -68 kg, -80 kg / Female -67 kg, +67 kg

18. RANDOM WEIGH IN

Daily at **08:00 hrs**. The names of the athletes selected for the Random Weigh-in will be published at 06:30 hrs on the competition day on the following (social) media platforms:

<https://europetaekwondo.org/documents/>
www.facebook.com/tkdeurope

19. DRAW SHEETS & BRACKET PUBLICATION

The draw sheets and brackets will be daily published, one (1) day before the start of competition at 19:00 hrs on the following (social) media platforms:

<https://europetaekwondo.org/documents/>
www.facebook.com/tkdeurope

20. SEEDING

All athletes will be seeded according to the last published **Olympic Senior Ranking**. Athletes from the host country will be automatically seeded as number 4 unless they are ranked number 1 – 3.

21. HEAD OF TEAM / MEDICAL MEETING

21 November 2025

Location: World Cycling Center

Schedule: 18:00 hrs – 19:00 hrs

The Head of Team meeting is accessible for two (2) delegates from each Team. All information will be published on the following (social) media platforms:

<https://europetaekwondo.org/documents/>
www.facebook.com/tkdeurope

22. APPLICABLE FEES

REGULAR REGISTRATION FEES: National teams that complete their payment during this period will be charged the regular registration fee.

- Registration Fee: € 150 EUR per athlete.
- Registration Period: Paid until October 31, 2025, 17:00 local Swiss time.

LATE REGISTRATION FEES: National teams that complete their payment during this period will be charged the late registration fee.

- Registration Fee: € 175 per athlete.
- Registration Period: Paid from October 31, 2025, 17:01 local Swiss time.

CASH PAYMENTS (not recommended) 200 euro per registered athlete.

ON-SITE OF CHANGE OF MEDAL EVENT (weight division)

Medal events (weight divisions) cannot be changed after the entry deadline of 23:59 CET on 31 October 2025.

ADDITIONAL ACCREDITATION CARDS

50 euro for each on-site approved additional requested Accreditation card or for every accreditation on the top of the above-mentioned quotas.

ADDITIONAL COACHES

50 euro for each on-site approved additional requested Accreditation card exceeding this ratio 1 coach per 5 athletes.

PROTEST FEE

200 euro. In case of an official protest submitted according to WT Rules, a non-refundable 200 euro fee shall be paid. Make sure the protest form is used (attached at the end) and be aware that the protest is made in time.

REPLACEMENT OF ACCREDITATION CARDS

50 euro for each replacement and reprinting request of accreditation cards.

REPLACEMENT OF ATHLETES

In case an athlete needs to be replaced after the deadline, this can be done maximum 48 hours before the draw will take place. A fee of 150 euro is applicable.

23. PAYMENT ENTRY

All entry fees shall be paid in advance to the European Taekwondo Union. All bank transfer shall be paid to the following bank account:

Beneficiary: European Taekwondo Union

Name of the bank: Sparkasse ALK

IBAN: DE32462516300000063271

BIC/SWIFT: WELADED1ALK

Bank address: Kolner Str. 10, 57439 Attendorn, Germany

NOTE: Bank transaction expenses should be set to “OUR”. If set to “SHA” then the team may be asked to pay at the Registration & Accreditation Center any differences that may occur at the final amount remitted.

Payment reference: OWC2025EUROPE plus NATIONAL TEAM

Example: OWC2025EUROPE plus SWISS NATIONAL TEAM

Submit a copy of your payment at: finance@europetaekwondo.org

24. PROOF OF PAYMENT

All teams are required to send proof of payment (copy of bank transfer) to finance@europetaekwondo.org within one (1) week after registration in Simply Compete or submit it at the registration appointment booking platform. European Taekwondo Union has the right to delete sport entries from teams that do not send proof of payment from the system in order for other athletes to register and to prevent ‘ghost athletes’.

Any athlete registering on-line who does not take part in the competition and who has not been removed from the entry list before the deadline October 31, 2025, is fully liable for paying his/her entry fee in full. (For any athlete not presenting at registration, his/her team or official shall be liable for ensuring full payment of the entry fee of the aforementioned athlete prior to the team’s participation). If a team does not show up at the event and has not requested a participation cancellation before the deadline, ETU shall invoice the team for the full amount (100%) as per current outline.

25. NO REFUND

European Taekwondo Union and/or the Organizing Committee do not refund entry fees paid. In case of an event amendment, postponement or cancellation, the teams/athletes paid their entry fees get a voucher of the same value to be used in future ETU events only.

26. AWARDS

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

- ✓ 1st place – gold medal and certificate
- ✓ 2nd place – silver medal and certificate
- ✓ 3rd place – bronze medal and certificate
- ✓ 3rd place – bronze medal and certificate
- ✓ All participants will receive a certificate of participation.

TEAM AWARDS (RATIONALE NO. OF POINTS AWARDED)

- ✓ For every contestant who passed the official weigh in: 1
- ✓ For every win (including byes): 1
- ✓ For every Gold Medal: 120
- ✓ For every Silver Medal: 50
- ✓ For every Bronze Medal: 20

Trophies will be awarded for the 3 top teams (female, male & overall)

27. SPORT EQUIPMENT

1. PSS SYSTEM Daedo Generation 3, with electronic headgear.
2. MATS WT recognized mats will be used.
3. DOBOK & PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENTS All participants athletes must wear WT recognized competition uniform. See a list of recognized products at: <http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/wtpartners-wt/recognize.html>
4. Instant Video Replay (IVR) System will be used.
5. Only WT recognized equipments is allowed groin, forearm, shin, mouthpiece, Daedo sensor socks and gloves shall be brought by the contestants, which is compulsory.

28. MEDICAL CONTROL AND ANTI-DOPING

1. The WT Anti-Doping Rules, and where necessary the Code of the World Anti-Doping Agency, shall apply throughout the competitions.
2. Compulsory anti-doping tests will be carried out for all medalists as well as random selection basis. The WT and/or WADA may carry out random out-of-competition testing prior to the competition.
3. 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 to have it set up. Otherwise, please download the TUE
4. Application Form HERE and once duly completed and signed, send it together with the required medical file to tue@ita.sport with copy to 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 iv.
5. WT Mouth guard, Taping and Bracing rules
<http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/WT-Mouthguard-brace-taping-and-padding-rules-5-29-2019.pdf>

29. MEDIA AND PRESS

Media accreditation

Registered media and press officials or official photographers are entitled to receive a media and press accreditation card.

For more information, please contact the European Taekwondo Europe Union at: media@europetaekwondo.org

Photo positions

All accredited photographers are only allowed to use the designated photo positions while working in the Field of Play. By accepting a media and press accreditation, the accredited person agrees to follow at all times the instructions of the European Taekwondo Union Media and Press officer.

30. HASHTAGS AND SOCIAL MEDIA

Hash tags

ETU uses the following hash tags:

#taekwondoeurope

#taekwondofamily

#seniorstkd2025

Social media platforms

ETU is present at the following social media platforms:

Facebook: @tkdeurope

Instagram: @tkdeurope

Twitter: @tkdeurope

YouTube Channel: Taekwondo Europe

31. ACCOMMODATION AND TRANSPORTATION

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

All participating teams and officials must book their hotel accommodation via the OC **minimum (2) two nights per accredited person**. The OC provides hotel rooms in each price range, but make sure you make your bookings early to avoid missing out the preferred hotel rooms. Please refer to the accommodation guide for further information and send to: **taekwondoeuropean2025@gmail.com**

PLEASE FIND THE ACCOMMODATION FORM ON SIMPLY COMPETE

Accommodation fee if you did not book your stay via OC: **100 euro** per accredited team member should (athlete, coach, physio etc) be paid directly to OC.

Beneficiary: CHAMPIONNATS EUROPE TAEKWONDO 2025

Name of the bank: UBS Switzerland AG Vevey

IBAN CHF PAYMENT: CH85 0025 5255 1347 0501 M

IBAN EUR PAYMENT: CH86 0025 5255 1347 0560 L

BIC/SWIFT: UBSWCHZH18A

Bank address: Rue de Lausanne 6, 1800 Vevey, Switzerland

NOTE: Bank transaction expenses should be set to "OUR". If set to "SHA" then the team may be asked to pay at the Registration & Accreditation Center any differences that may occur at the final amount remitted.

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TRANSPORTATION

OC provides transportation from/to the airport, hotel, venue during the Championships to the teams who have booked their accommodation via the Organizing Committee.

OFFICIAL AIRPORT: GENEVA (GVA)

32. VISA

You should apply [Visa – Entry to and residence in Switzerland](#). If your country is not applicable for e-visa, you should go directly to nearest Swiss Embassy personally, to apply.

To be provided in due course. Teams and individuals requiring a visa to enter Switzerland must note that there is no option for a Visa-on-Arrival application. All participants must check the visa requirements for entering Switzerland and apply in advance through the form below.

The Organizing Committee will issue an official invitation letter once the accommodation booking is completed.

To apply for a visa, the following documents are required enclosed to the VISA Application Form:

- Passport copy
- Personal photo
- Global license

All documents must be renamed with the applicant's full name; otherwise, the request will be ignored.

Important Notes:

- Visa applications must be submitted as a single request for all team members.
- The deadline for visa application submission is October 10.

33. IDEMNITIES

It is the responsibility of each registering team to ensure that their athletes and team officials have filled out the indemnification forms correctly and have duly signed them, thereby indemnifying WT, ETU, the Organizing Committee and all other officials and athletes from any claims of injuries, losses or otherwise arising in the course of participation at the European Senior Olympics Categories Championships 2025 or any activities linked therewith.

It is the responsibility of each registered team to ensure and guarantee that sufficient insurance coverage has been arranged for all athletes, team officials and other participants. Without sufficient insurance coverage, teams will not be allowed to compete.

Please fill out the Personal Indemnity Forms and return them to the Organization Committee before 31st October 2025. Each participant (athletes, team officials, etc.) has to fill out the indemnification form.

34. MEDICAL INSURANCE

All participating athletes, coaches, team officials, technical officials and participants at ETU events shall have mandatorily an international medical insurance that covers medical care (COVID included) and in case of emergency, repatriation to the country of origin, valid on the days present in the host country of the event. ETU nor the Organizing Committee shall be responsible to cover any medical costs incurred for medical treatment before, on or during the competition or repatriation in the broadest sense of the word.

All relevant documents proving that such an insurance is present, including insurance policy papers, should be taken to the event in case a medical situation occurs. Each MNA, Team doctor or team medical staff must ensure their athletes and team officials have valid international health insurance that covers medical and emergency care at the designated hospitals in Switzerland before arrival to the venue.

GENERAL

The OC cannot predict the developments in the next coming months with regard to the Corona COVID-19 outbreak in Europe. The teams have to bear in mind that due to the uncertain nature of the Corona COVID-19 outbreak and sole authority of each government on how to respond, restrictions to access the Host country may be applicable.

It is the responsibility of each and every participating team to make sure they meet all entry requirements in order to enter the Host country and to monitor the Swiss policy with regard to entry policies.

SUFFICIENT INSURANCE

The teams are strongly urged and advised to make sure to have their own sufficient travel, cancellation, medical insurance.

LIABILITY

In this respect, please be informed that the OC shall not and cannot be held liable for any expenses and costs incurred by the teams for travelling to the event in case of cancellation of the event due to (further) outbreak of the Corona COVID-19 virus in the Host Country. The teams are strongly urged and advised to make sure to have their own sufficient travel, cancellation and medical insurance. The OC shall not accept any claims or requests for compensation in case of cancellation of the event.

PERSONAL INDEMNIFICATION FORM

THIS INDEMNIFICATION, HOLD HARMLESS, RELEASE AND CONSENT NOT TO SUE executed this on: (insert date of signing).

I, the undersigned, certify that I will indemnify, hold harmless and release the European Taekwondo Union, World Taekwondo and the Organizing Committee, its executive board members, directors, officers, members, employees, consultants, agents, attorney's, contractors (including without limitation sponsors, suppliers, licensees and other representatives (each, an "Indemnatee" and, collectively, "Indemnitees"), from and against any and all damages, injuries, penalties, fines, claims, suits, liabilities, costs attorney's fees all court costs and expenses of every kind and nature suffered by or asserted against the Indemnatee as a direct or indirect result of participating in the European Senior Olympics Weight Categories Championships 2025 in the broadest sense of the word.

By signing and submitting the form below, I accept and agree to the terms and covenants contained in this Indemnification, hold harmless, release and consent not to sue.

I verify that by signing and submitting this form, that I have read and agree to all of the terms and conditions provided above.

Name: _____

Place: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

In case the person involved is a minor, the legal guardian has to sign:

Name: _____

Relation towards the minor: _____

Place: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

LIABILITY DECLARATION / only for under aged athletes

My name: _____

I live in: _____

I am the parent/guardian of:

Date of birth (competitor): ____/____/____

I declare that I accept the participation of _____

at the Senior Olympics Weight Categories Championships on 22-23 November 2025 and that I accept all parts of the official invitation of this tournament. For physical reasons nothing speaks against a participation of the aforementioned athlete, I understand that all competitors are considered to participate at their own risk. European Taekwondo Union, World Taekwondo and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for any damages, injuries or losses. All athletes must bring their own documents and the forms or any medical insurance in Switzerland.

Place: _____ Date: _____

Signature of the parents/legal guardian: _____

PROTEST FORM

Name athlete:

WT Licence No.: Weight division:

End time of the pertinent contest:

Rule violation: Please specify on what ground the protest is being made, clarify which article of the WT competition has been breached according to you.

To be filled out by ETU official:

Time of protest submitted:

Process fee paid: