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# **EUROPEAN JUDO CHAMPIONSHIPS VETERANS HERAKLION 2022**

Individual Championships: 02 - 04 June 2022

Team Championships: 05 June 2022



## **COMPETITION OUTLINES**

## WORDS OF WELCOME



Otto Kneitinger  
President  
European Judo Union

Dear Judo friends!

On behalf of the European Judo Union I am delighted to welcome you all to Heraklion, Greece for these European Championships for Veterans.

The EJU is pleased to have seen the steady growth in recent years in the number of participants. Of course, the on-going pandemic has provided all of us, participants, and organizers alike, with several challenges. I wish to take this opportunity to thank the National Judo Federation of Greece for its tremendous efforts to ensure the staging of this important event.

I also want to wish all participants the very best of luck as well as an enjoyable stay in Greece



Dimitrios Michailidis  
President  
Hellenic Judo Federation

Dear Judo Friends,

I welcome you to Heraklion, I welcome you to Greece, the Hellenic Judo Federation is proud to facilitate such a great event.

Heraklion is a city known for its hospitality, traditions has rich history and a very pleasant weather. During this event all participants will have a glimpse at what is the great city this is and taste the special flavors of the Crete island. It is such an honor to have great Veteran athletes for this event and watch them in action. This event is more than a sports event it is a festival of sport and I am looking forward to have all participants experience that.

I want to thank EJU for the trust they have shown to HJF and we have the opportunity to host this great Championships.

To all participant I wish they have a safe competition and great results.

## 1. Regulations to minimize COVID-19 related risks

**ANYONE NOT FOLLOWING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND IJF COVID-19 PROTOCOLS WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE EVENT AND SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION!**

The fundamental principle throughout all EJU events during the COVID-19 era is to Protect and Be Protected by wearing a mask, sanitising, distancing and respecting the recommendations of the “Protocol for resuming IJF events during the COVID-19 pandemic” hereafter referred to as the IJF COVID-19 Protocol. All participants have the mutual responsibility to protect each other.

Each National Federation delegation participant (athlete, coach, team official, physiotherapist, doctor, President etc.) must have read and understood the latest version of the IJF COVID-19 Protocol which can be found here: [covid.ijf.org](https://www.ijf.org/covid)

The COVID-19 vaccines provide protection to the vaccinated only against seriously falling ill, but not against getting infected or transmitting the virus to somebody else, even if the chances of the latter is very low. Therefore, until vaccination reaches a high level among the judo family and there are other effective preventive methods available, or until it is globally accepted to conduct activities without safety measures, all the participants of any EJU event must follow the same protocol (being PCR tested before the event, upon arrival, during the event (if necessary), wear a mask, wash hands, follow the bubble system, etc.) to protect and be protected, in the spirit of unity and solidarity which is in our community’s moral code.

### COVID-19 DOCUMENTS

All pre-event COVID-19 documents must be uploaded on the IJF platform: [my.ijf.org](https://my.ijf.org) before travelling. If assistance is required please contact [headoffice@eju.net](mailto:headoffice@eju.net). Fourteen (14) days after the event, all data will be deleted.

### EVENT PARTICIPATION

To participate in the European Judo Championships Veterans Heraklion 2022 each delegate is responsible to follow:

- The rules to enter the host country
- The Local Organising Committee's (LOC) Government COVID-19 measures
- The IJF COVID-19 Protocol rules

The LOC Government measures may be stricter than those detailed in the IJF COVID-19 protocol or vice versa, the stricter rules MUST be followed.

### INSURANCE

It is the responsibility of the National Federation or every participant to ensure that in addition to their normal insurance they have sufficient insurance in place to cover any COVID-19-related costs, including repatriation. The LOC of the event and the EJU 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.

### Before Travelling

1. Check if you need a visa, and if yes - request it from the organiser. Please send a good quality passport copy (PDF) and filled in Visa Application form to the email: Ms. Vanessa Agapie, [veteransheraklion@gmail.com](mailto:veteransheraklion@gmail.com). Please, see visa form uploaded.
2. Book accommodation and send a detailed rooming list. Last minute changes can be accommodated whilst the delegation waits in the bus or outside the hotel.
3. Present on arrival:

If you are FULLY vaccinated or recovered from Covid-19 disease in last 6 months before event:

1 PCR test which is not older than 72 hours before entering the bubble and vaccination certificate or recovery certificate

If you are not vaccinated or partially vaccinated:

two (2) PCR tests done maximum eight (8) days before entering the bubble and taken at least (minimum) 48 hours apart (can be more than 48 hours).

Please make sure that all documents have also has an English version.

To maintain the required safety level at the EJU events, the following variants of vaccination are recognised as complete vaccination and the bearers as “fully vaccinated” within the validity period. In case the validity expires during an event, the status is upheld until the last day of the event.

All vaccination types are accepted, not only EMA or WHO approved products.

Type of protection	Minimum time elapsed	Maximum time elapsed
1 dose of and 1 dose vaccines (Janssen, Sputnik Lite, or other)	Minimum 28 days from receiving the dose	Maximum 6 months from receiving the dose
2 doses of any 2 dose vaccines	Minimum 14 days from the 2nd dose	Maximum 6 months from the 2nd dose
Booster doses: 3rd or additional dose (2nd dose after a 1 dose vaccine)	Minimum 7 days from the last dose	To be determined by the WHO, currently no end of validity
Recovery from infection and 1 dose	Minimum 14 days from receiving the dose	Maximum 6 months from receiving the dose
1 dose and recovery from infection	Minimum 11 days from the positive PCR test	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR test
Recovery from infection	Minimum 11 days from the positive PCR test	Maximum 6 months from the positive PCR test

During the period when the tests are done you should stay isolated and limit contact with other people as much as possible. If you experience any kind of symptoms do not start to travel (even with two negative PCR tests).

4. Present upon arrival IJF Liability Release Waiver which is uploaded to my.ijf.org and can be found under the link: <https://www.ijf.org/covid19/2663> and on EJU homepage for every event.

5. Present upon arrival Medical certificate which can be issued by any medical doctor authorised to issue such document that certifies that the participant is fit for entering the competition. This document must be issued not earlier as 30 days before the start of the competition.

**5. PCR tests, Vaccination Certificate/Recovery Certificate, Medical Certificate & Liability Release Waiver must be uploaded to the platform my.ijf.org by NF administrator well in advance BEFORE TEAM ARRIVAL.**

### Entering Greece

The following must be brought/at hand for border control:

1. Passport, ID, and applicable visas, as required.
  - All regular border-crossing regulations must be followed regarding the validity of passports and visas, as applicable for each respective country
  - Border control officers will check documents (passports or other documents that contain similar information)
2. Negative PCR test not older than 72 hours
3. Rules to enter the country can be found under the link: <https://travel.gov.gr/#/>

Please, check if you need some special documents.

### Entering a bubble

The event venues (hotels, sport hall, training hall etc.) will be classified as bubbles and to reduce risk a “bubble to bubble” concept will be used. People are NOT allowed to leave their bubble as contamination could occur endangering the safety of the event and the health of the participants.

1. One (1) PCR test per participant will be performed immediately upon arrival. The test will be held in AORAKIA STADIUM. Until test results are obtained, all participants must remain in their hotel rooms, where water and any paid meals will be ensured until the receipt of the test results.

## 2. REQUIRED ARRIVAL SCHEDULE AND PCR TESTING

To ensure that testing and following procedures can be performed on time, all participants that wish to compete or be present on EC Veterans must arrive at official hotels according to schedule below:

- All athletes must arrive at least 2 days before the day when they compete not later than 17:00.

Participants will be RT-PCR tested for SARS-CoV-2, using nasopharyngeal (nose + throat) swab by authorised medical staff.

Testing times: Tuesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022, 09:00 - 19:00

Wednesday, June 01<sup>st</sup>, 2022, 09:00 - 19:00

Thursday, June 02<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, 09:00 - 19:00

Friday, June 03<sup>rd</sup>, 2022, 09:00 - 19:00

**Waiting time for results not more than 6 hours from taking the sample.**

3. Costs of PCR testing will be charged to the participants. Cost per PCR test: **80€**
4. **Antigen re-test for athletes will be done for those who will take part in the team event.**
5. If any other conditions and requirements will arise till the start of the event - they will be informed additionally.

## Throughout your stay

1. Wash/sanitise your hands regularly, especially if you have had contact with a person or an object. Competitors should wash and disinfect their hands and feet regularly, especially before the warm-up and the contest.

2. No handshake - greet each other with a bow.

3. Wear a mask at all times (change it at least twice a day). Exceptions: masks are not obligatory on the Field of Play tatami, on the warm-up tatami whilst warming up or on the training tatami whilst training. Masks may be removed while eating in dining areas. Coaches can remove their masks when entering the coach box, but must replace it when leaving the coach box.

4. Maintain 1.5 m distance at all times, except for competitors during training, their contests and during warming up with ONE PARTNER.

5. Submit yourselves to contactless temperature measurement by the organiser on arrival at the point of entry in the country, at accommodation premises, throughout the competition venue and at any official venue of the event, to be accepted by all accredited population.

Anyone registering a high temperature will be asked to remain outside and their Delegation COVID-19 Manager, the LOC COVID-19 Manager and the EJU COVID-19 Manager will be contacted. An opportunity to recheck their temperature will be given, if it is still high a final decision will be made by the LOC COVID-19 Manager and the EJU COVID-19 Manager.

## In case of positive result

In case of a positive test result the host country Government procedure will be followed.

Quarantine period: 5 days

Quarantine hotel: the same hotel where they are accommodated

Hotel address: See Official Hotels

Rates: normal hotel rate Full Board single room during time of the event. From Monday after the event regular hotel price will be charged. Anyone with a positive test **MUST** stay in the quarantine hotel provided by the organiser. The cost must be paid by the National Federation.

## Insurance

It is the responsibility of each participant 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 EJU 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.

## Symptoms after arrival

Anyone who experiences symptoms after arrival must immediately contact their Team COVID-19 Manager

EJU Covid Manager: Dr Arnold Brons - [abronsjbn@gmail.com](mailto:abronsjbn@gmail.com) - +31 6 52 47 36 63

Local Covid Manager: Dr Ifigenia Tzartzalou- [veteransheraklion@gmail.com](mailto:veteransheraklion@gmail.com) +306944618173

## Exit tests

Exit tests may be booked with the organiser, if required. Where to book: by PCT test form. Price: PCR test:80€, antigen test: 15 €.

## 2. COMPETITION PROGRAMME

Time	PROGRAMME	Place
<b>Wednesday, 01<sup>st</sup> June</b>		
12:00 - 19:00	PCR Testing	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
10:00 - 16:30	EJU Accreditation/Entry Fee/Media accreditation	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
10:00 - 16:30	Official accommodation and transfers - Organiser financials	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:00 - 16:30	Unofficial weigh-in: M5, M6, M7, M8, M9	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:30 - 18:00	Official weigh- in: M5, M6, M7, M8, M9	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
19:00	Technical Draw: M5, M6, M7, M8, M9	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
<b>Thursday, 02<sup>nd</sup> June - M5, M6, M7, M8, M9</b>		
12:00 - 19:00	PCR Testing	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
08:30	Referees Meeting	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
09:30	Preliminaries & Repechage	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
10:00 - 16:30	Official accommodation and transfers - Organiser financials	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
13:00 - 16:30	EJU Accreditation/Entry Fee/Media accreditation	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:00	Finals	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:00 - 16:30	Unofficial weigh-in: M3, M4	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:30 - 18:00	Official weigh- in: M3, M4	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
19:00	Technical draw: M3, M4	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
<b>Friday, 03<sup>rd</sup> June - M3, M4</b>		
12:00 - 19:00	PCR Testing	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
09:30	Preliminaries & Repechage	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
12:00 - 16:30	Official accommodation and transfers - Organiser financials	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
13:00 - 16:30	EJU Accreditation/Entry Fee/Media accreditation	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
15:30	Opening Ceremony	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:00	Finals	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:00 - 16:30	Unofficial weigh-in: F1-F9; M1, M2	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:30 - 18:00	Official weigh- in: F1-F9; M1, M2	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
19:00	Technical draw: F1-F9; M1, M2	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
<b>Saturday, 04<sup>th</sup> June - F1-F9; M1, M2</b>		
09:30	Preliminaries & Repechage	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
12:00 - 16:30	Official accommodation and transfers - Organiser financials	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
13:00 - 16:30	EJU Accreditation/Entry Fee/Media accreditation	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:00	Finals	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
16:30 - 18:00	Official weigh- in (for athletes who did not compete in individual competition)	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
19:00	Technical Draw	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
<b>Sunday, 05<sup>th</sup> June - Teams Women (30, 50) Teams Men (30, 50) Mixed Team (40)</b>		
09:30	Preliminaries & Repechage	2 AORAKIA STADIUM



14:15	Handover of the flag	2 AORAKIA STADIUM
14:30	Finals	2 AORAKIA STADIUM

Attention: The programme is provisional. The schedule of the contests may be modified according to the total number of entries.

## 3. COMPETITION VENUE

### 2 AORAKIA STADIUM

**Address:** <http://www.stadia.gr/dyoaorakia/dyoaorakia-gr.html>



## 4. ORGANISER

### Hellenic Judo Federation

**Address:**

*Ethnarchou Makariou 2, Peace and Friendship Stadium, Piraeus Attica*

**Email:**

*directorhjf@yahoo.gr*

### **Emergency contacts:**

**General matters:**

*Ms. Salomi Iliadou; +306984118880; veteransheraklion@gmail.com*

**Accommodation:**

*Mr. John Moudoufaris; +30 6972148402; judoheraklion2022@kosmosevents.gr*

**Transfers:**

*Mr. Thodoris Sotiriadis; +30 6936898190; transfers@kosmostravel.gr*

## 5. PARTICIPATION

All participating delegates must have a valid IJF card and be inscribed in judobase ([www.judobase.org](http://www.judobase.org)) by their National Federation.

Any delegate is eligible to inscribe in a competition provided he/she is:

- Not under a disciplinary suspension.
- Not under suspension for anti-doping rule violation.
- Not under medical suspension.
- Healthy and fit for competition.
- Do not carry any communicable diseases that may risk other delegates' health.
- Hold a current and valid licence (membership) issued by a National Federation
- currently affiliated to the EJU.
- Pay the appropriate entry fees in full before the deadline set in the event outlines.
- Check in at registration (see schedule of Registration in the event outlines).
- Meet the specific weigh-in requirements.
- Provide photographic proof of their identity and date of birth using a valid current passport or a current national I.D. Card.
- All players must have obtained the minimum grade of first kyu.
- Sufficient technical knowledge (know the terminology and can execute all the techniques in the IJF SOR Appendix H) and understand fully the IJF sport and refereeing rules.
- Participants must also satisfy all regulations in the IJF COVID-19 Protocol and COVID-19 local protocol.

Athletes have to upload their medical certificate to compete, issued (maximum 30 days before the start of, and valid for the full length of the championships) by an authorised body of the country they represent to [my.ijf.org](mailto:my.ijf.org) (for help contact [alla.hoesl@eju.net](mailto:alla.hoesl@eju.net)). Athletes might be asked to present the hard copy of their certificate upon request.

Certificates must be issued in or translated into English language.

The minimum age for participation in the European judo Championships Veterans is to be 30 years or over in the year of the event.

This defines the age at which players first become eligible to compete. Once a player has become eligible, they will be allocated into their appropriate five-year age category i.e. M1/F1 will consist of competitors who have their 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd or 34th birthday and the M2/F2 will consist of players who have their 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th or 39th birthday at any date during the year of the European Championships.

The nationality of competitors will be taken as that which is indicated in their current passport or current national identity card.

### Individual

Each National Federation affiliated with the European Judo Union may enter as many competitors as it desires. Each athlete competes only in one weight category, the one in which they are enrolled.

### Team

The team name can only be the country name and in case of more teams in one age group from one country it must be Country name plus number, for instance Great Britain 1, Great Britain 2, etc.

#### Team Women (30, 50), Team Men (30, 50)

The team should consist of 5 competitors, one in every official weight category. Substitutes are authorised in weight categories; a team can consist of maximum 10 competitors. In order to be represented, the team must be composed of at least 3 competitors who can take part in 3 different weight categories. **A team can have one team member from another country.**

#### Mixed Team event (From 40 to 49 years old)

The team should consist of 6 competitors, one in every official weight category. Substitutes are authorised in weight categories; a team can consist of maximum 12 competitors. In order to be represented, the team must be composed of at least 4 competitors who can take part in 4 different weight categories. A team can have two team members from one or two different countries (substitutes included) except if the team is composed of 4 competitors, then only one foreign athlete is allowed (rule of the majority). In all the cases the name of the team will be that of the country whose fighters are in the majority.

## 6. INSCRIPTION

### JUDOBASE Registration

All participants and delegates must be in possession of an IJF ID Card (either International or Kata/Veteran) and registered for this event in the IJF Registration System (**JUDOBASE**): <https://admin.judobase.org/>. This registration should be made through the National Federation by 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2022. For assistance please contact [registration@ijf.org](mailto:registration@ijf.org) or [headoffice@eju.net](mailto:headoffice@eju.net) before the end of the deadline. After the deadline, further registrations (late entries, replacements) are exclusively handled during accreditation according to the following rules:

	NO IJF Official ID Card	Late entry IJF Official ID Card: YES	Replacement (within one delegation/club) IJF Official ID Card: YES	Please note: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Late entry fee must be paid at accreditation.</li> <li>Persons without IJF ID Card can only be entered on spot, if IJF ID Card will be ordered before the end of Accreditation.</li> <li>Persons, who are banned by their Federation, cannot be entered as a late entry or replacement.</li> </ul>
Competitors	• ENTRY NOT POSSIBLE	30€	No Charge	
Other delegates (HoD, Coaches, ...)	• REPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE	No Charge	No Charge	

## 7. ENTRY FEE

The entry fee is **125 Euro** per competitor (no matter whether they participate in individual, team or in both competitions). This fee will be collected in cash on spot during accreditation by the organiser.

For other payment options - please, contact the organiser: [veteransheraklion@gmail.com](mailto:veteransheraklion@gmail.com)

## 8. DEADLINES

Visa Application (Form 3):	Friday, 13 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Hotel Reservation & payment:	Friday, 13 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Travel details:	Friday, 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2022
Payment entry fee:	via bank transfer before 13 <sup>th</sup> May 2022 or cash during accreditation
JUDOBASE Registration:	Monday, 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2022



## 9. ACCREDITATION

The times and place for check-in and accreditation are specified in the programme. Participants must arrive and check-in within the time limits provided. For each competitor, passport or national ID card (indicating nationality and date of birth) or a copy of one of these documents must be presented to the EJU official. Name and category, as registered in JUDOBASE, must be confirmed with the EJU official. No inscription will be accepted after the end of the accreditation (see programme).

**Visit accreditation is ONLY possible after you received the negative PCR test result done on spot!!!!**

### Finances EJU

The federations must be in order with the annual fee and other financial obligations to the EJU. The entry fee per competitor must be paid at accreditation.

### Organiser finances

For participants, booked with the organiser, the organiser checks that all payments for hotel accommodation have been settled. Any pending invoices with the organiser should be settled here. The delegations' departure date, time, number of people and travel details are also confirmed at this stage. A contact name and number for each delegation should be given.

Accreditation cards are handed over after finishing the whole accreditation process. The EJU accreditation cards for the European Championships must be presented at the official weigh-in and before each contest.

## 10. DURATION OF CONTEST

**M1/F1 to M6/F6:** 3 minutes and Golden Score without a limit.  
**M7/F7 and over:** 2,5 minutes and Golden Score of max. 1 minute. If a tie exists at the end of the one minute golden score, the Central Referee, in consultation with the Table Jury, will agree on a final decision to select the winner (without calling hantei).

**Team:** 3 minutes and Golden Score without a limit.

## 11. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 AGE CATEGORIES

#### Individual

The age category of the competitors is determined by their year of birth according to the table below:

		Age Division		Female	Male
Age From	Age To	YOB from	YOB to	Category	Category
30	34	1992	1988	F1	M1
35	39	1987	1983	F2	M2
40	44	1982	1978	F3	M3
45	49	1977	1973	F4	M4
50	54	1972	1968	F5	M5
55	59	1967	1963	F6	M6
60	64	1962	1958	F7	M7
65	69	1957	1953	F8	M8
70+	70+	1952		F9	M9

### Team Women or Team Men

The age category of the competitors is determined by their year of birth according to the table below (no exceptions possible):

		Age Division		Female	Male
Age From	Age To	YOB from	YOB to	Category	Category
30	39	1992	1983	TF30	TM30
50	64	1972	1958	TF50	TM50

### Mixed Team TFM 40

		Age Division		Category
Age From	Age To	YOB from	YOB to	(Female & Male)
40	49	1982	1973	TFM40

## 11.2 WEIGHT CATEGORIES

### Individual

Women: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, -63 kg, -70 kg, -78 kg, +78 kg

Men: -60 kg, -66 kg, -73 kg, -81 kg, -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg

### Team (Women TF30/TF50; Men TM30/TM50)

Women: -52 kg, -57 kg, -63 kg, -70 kg, +70 kg

Men: -66 kg, -73 kg, -81 kg, -90 kg, +90 kg

### Mixed Team (TFM40)

Official team: -57 kg, -73 kg, -70 kg, -90 kg, +70 kg, +90 kg

## 11.3 COMPETITION FORMULA

### Individual

Competition systems according to number of participants:

- 6 and more entries: Double repechage
- 3,4,5 entries: Round robin
- 2 entries: better of 2 fights, if 1-1 the third match will decide

If the number of participants in a category is not sufficient, (age and/or weight) categories will be combined in accordance with the IJF SOR.

### Team

The competitions will be arranged on a double repechage system.

The competitions will be held from lightest to heaviest weight category (according to 10.2).

Before each round the team leader must present the line-up of the team to the EJU Official. At each round he/she has the right to replace one or several competitors by other competitors of the corresponding weight category or from the next lower category.

If at the end of the contest there is not at least a difference of a Waza-ari between the two competitors, the contest will continue according to Golden Score rule.

The number of contests won will decide the winning team. In the case of equal number of contests won and total of winning scores, one category will be drawn for immediate golden score.

Scores will be given as follows: Ippon Gachi/Sogo Gachi/Fusen Gachi/Kiken Gachi: 10 points, Waza-ari: 1 point.

## 11.4 WEIGH-IN

### Individual

The official weigh-in takes place the day before the competition for the age division concerned. The official scales are available the whole day for unofficial weight control.

Exact times and place for weigh-in can be found in the programme. The weight of the competitors must fall within the category in which they are enrolled. The competitors

- presenting themselves after the closing of the weigh-in, cannot participate at the competition.
- can present themselves only one time on the scales during the official weigh-in.
- must present their **EJU Accreditation and Passport** (or national ID card indicating nationality and date of birth) at the official weigh-in.

### Team

Competitors who successfully completed their weigh-in and competed in the Individual Veteran European Championships do not need to weigh in again. The same weight category will be used.

## 11.5 DRAW

A technical draw will be held the evening before respective age and weight categories. The list of participants will be published and announced 30 minutes before the start of the draw in order to give the opportunity to each participant to check that all inscribed competitors are on these lists and that they are under the right category. No corrections can be made after the draw.

## 11.6 SEEDING

In the veterans' event, there is no seeding, because competitors move into a new age category every five years and therefore enter in a new group of competitors.

# 12.AWARDS

### Individual

Each athlete who has won a medal must be present at the ceremony to receive their medal personally.

Any athlete who is absent from the awards ceremony without a good reason may forfeit the medal.

Athletes must attend the medal ceremony barefoot, without any hat, cap or any similar head covering and wearing their IJF approved white judogi that conforms to the IJF judogi rules with special attention being paid to the publicity rule. If it is not clean, then they must wear a reserve judogi.

It is strictly prohibited for athletes on the podium to have national flags or similar items other than those on their judogi. Any demonstration with religious, political, personal or commercial connotation is prohibited.

Medals will only be awarded to competitors who have actually fought in the category. The number of players competing determines the eventual medal allocation.

The medal distribution rule is as follows:

- One player - no medal will be awarded
- Two players - two medals awarded only if the second placed player has won at least one contest. In the case of no contest won there will only be one medal awarded.
- Three players - three medals will be awarded only if the third-place player has won at least one contest. In the case of no contest won there will only be two medals awarded
- Four players - three medals awarded
- Five players - three medals awarded
- Six or more players - four medals awarded

If a category has been combined the only medals awarded will be the one set of medals for the competitors in that combined category.

Awards for the recognition of exemplary behaviour that promotes the spirit of judo and/or fair play may be awarded at the discretion of the EJU Veterans Commission.

### Team

Team Women / Team Men	Mixed Team
The organiser shall provide medals for all team members & one coach:	The organiser shall provide medals for all team members & two coaches:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First place: max. 11 Gold medals</li> <li>• Second place: max. 11 Silver medals</li> <li>• Two Third places: max. 22 Bronze medals</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First place: max. 14 Gold medals</li> <li>• Second place: max. 14 Silver medals</li> <li>• Two Third places: max. 28 Bronze medals</li> </ul>

## 13.OFFICIAL HOTEL

All participants and delegates have to book their accommodation via the organisers. Due to the COVID-19 situation ALL participants must stay in the official hotel for the time of the competition.

Travel Packages including Transfer from/to Heraklion International Airport N. Kazantzakis. Daily transfer from/to the tournament venue

<b>Capsis Astoria Heraklion</b>	Number of days	Package type	Single Room	Double Room	Triple Room
Pl. Eleftherias, Iraklio 712 02	2	BB	€ 244	€ 174	€ 154
<a href="https://capsishotels.gr/astoria/en/home-astoria">https://capsishotels.gr/astoria/en/home-astoria</a>		HB	€ 284	€ 214	€ 194
Check-in: 15:00:00		FB	€ 324	€ 254	€ 234
Check-out: 11:00:00	3	BB	€ 366	€ 261	€ 231
To the airport: 4Km		HB	€ 426	€ 321	€ 291
To the sports hall: 5Km		FB	€ 486	€ 381	€ 351
	4	BB	€ 478	€ 348	€ 308
		HB	€ 558	€ 428	€ 388
		FB	€ 690	€ 508	€ 468
	5	BB	€ 595	€ 425	€ 385
		HB	€ 685	€ 525	€ 485
		FB	€ 785	€ 625	€ 585

<b>Ibis Styles Heraklion Central</b>	Number of days	Package type	Single Room	Double Room	Triple Room
26 Koroneou &, Agiou Titou Street, Iraklio 712 02	2	BB	€ 264	€ 194	€ 174
<a href="https://all.accor.com/hotel/A9P7/index.en.shtml">https://all.accor.com/hotel/A9P7/index.en.shtml</a>		HB	€ 304	€ 234	€ 214
Check-in: 15:00:00		FB	€ 344	€ 274	€ 254
Check-out: 11:00:00	3	BB	€ 381	€ 281	€ 261
To the airport: 4Km		HB	€ 441	€ 341	€ 321
To the sports hall: 5Km		FB	€ 501	€ 401	€ 381
	4	BB	€ 498	€ 368	€ 348
		HB	€ 578	€ 448	€ 428
		FB	€ 658	€ 538	€ 508
	5	BB	€ 608	€ 448	€ 435
		HB	€ 708	€ 548	€ 535
		FB	€ 808	€ 648	€ 635

<b>Galaxy Hotel Iraklio</b>	<b>Number of days</b>	<b>Package type</b>	<b>Single Room</b>	<b>Double Room</b>	<b>Triple Room</b>
Leof. Dimokratias 75, Iraklio 713 06	2	BB	€ 304	€ 234	€ 214
<a href="https://www.galaxy-hotel.com/en/">https://www.galaxy-hotel.com/en/</a>		HB	€ 344	€ 274	€ 254
15:00		FB	€ 384	€ 314	€ 294
11:00	3	BB	€ 441	€ 341	€ 311
4Km		HB	€ 501	€ 401	€ 371
5Km		FB	€ 561	€ 461	€ 431
	4	BB	€ 578	€ 448	€ 408
		HB	€ 658	€ 528	€ 488
		FB	€ 738	€ 608	€ 568
	5	BB	€ 715	€ 555	€ 505
		HB	€ 815	€ 665	€ 605
		FB	€ 915	€ 765	€ 705

<b>Sol by Meliá Marina Beach</b>	<b>Number of days</b>	<b>Package type</b>	<b>Single Room</b>	<b>Double Room</b>	<b>Triple Room</b>
Marina Gouvon, Kato Gouves 700 14	2	BB	-	-	-
<a href="https://www.zeushotels.gr/marina/overview.htm">https://www.zeushotels.gr/marina/overview.htm</a>		HB	-	-	-
Check-in: 15:00:00		FB	€ 364	€ 294	€ 274
Check-out: 11:00:00	3	BB	-	-	-
To the airport: 14Km		HB	-	-	-
To the hall: 15Km		FB	€ 521	€ 421	€ 401
	4	BB	-	-	-
		HB	-	-	-
		FB	€ 678	€ 548	€ 528
	5	BB	-	-	-
		HB	-	-	-
		FB	€ 835	€ 675	€ 655

<b>Vasia Royal Hotel</b>	<b>Number of days</b>	<b>Package type</b>	<b>Single Room</b>	<b>Double Room</b>	<b>Triple Room</b>
Old National Road, 715 00	2	BB	-	-	-
<a href="https://vasiahotels.gr/vasia-royal-hotel/">https://vasiahotels.gr/vasia-royal-hotel/</a>		HB	-	-	-
Check-in: 15:00:00		FB	€ 364	€ 294	€ 274
Check-out: 11:00:00	3	BB	-	-	-
To the airport: 14Km		HB	-	-	-
To the hall: 15Km		FB	€ 521	€ 421	€ 401
	4	BB	-	-	-
		HB	-	-	-
		FB	€ 678	€ 548	€ 528
	5	BB	-	-	-
		HB	-	-	-
		FB	€ 835	€ 675	€ 655

<b>Aquila Atlantis Heraklion</b>	<b>Number of days</b>	<b>Package type</b>	<b>Single Room</b>	<b>Double Room</b>	<b>Triple Room</b>
Igias 2, 71202	2	BB	€ 304	€ 234	€ 314
<a href="https://hotelatlantis.com/?lang=el">https://hotelatlantis.com/?lang=el</a>		HB	€ 344	€ 274	€ 254
Check-in: 15:00:00		FB	€ 384	€ 314	€ 294
Check-out: 11:00:00	3	BB	€ 441	€ 341	€ 311
To the airport: 4Km		HB	€ 501	€ 401	€ 371
To the sports hall: 5Km		FB	€ 561	€ 461	€ 431
	4	BB	€ 578	€ 448	€ 408
		HB	€ 658	€ 528	€ 488
		FB	€ 738	€ 608	€ 568
	5	BB	€ 715	€ 555	€ 505
		HB	€ 815	€ 665	€ 605
		FB	€ 915	€ 765	€ 705

The Accommodation and Transfers Booking Platform can be accessed via the link below:

<https://judoheraklion2022.gr/>

The online Hotel Reservation process must be completed by 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022. Reservations will be processed strictly according to the date of booking.

After payment, the accommodation provider is obligated to send a confirmation of the payment.

#### Cancellation Policy

- Full Charge - 100% cancellation fee; no refund - If cancelled between 15.05.2022 and the date of arrival
- Partial Charge - 50% cancellation fee; 50% refund - If cancelled between 30.04.2022 and 14.05.2022
- No Charge - no cancellation fees; 100% refund - If cancelled until 30.04.2022

Rates will be increased after 01.05.22.

Accommodation contact:

Mr. John Moudoufaris; +30 6972148402; [veteransheraklion@gmail.com](mailto:veteransheraklion@gmail.com)

## 14. TRANSPORT

**AIRPORT:** International Airport N. Kazantzakis Heraklion (HER)

The organizer will take care of the transportation from the above-mentioned airport to the official competition hotels, competition venue and other competition facilities during the competition. ONLY OFFICIAL TRANSPORTATION MAY BE USED WHILST IN THE BUBBLE.

Please confirm transfers in advance, latest by 20<sup>th</sup> May 2022 in the booking platform:

## 15. VISA

The organisers will help with obtaining entry visas for competitors and officials. Please specify all information that is needed in the invitation letters for visas and submit **Form 3** and a scanned copy of the first page of the passports by 13<sup>th</sup> May 2022.

## 16. MEDIA

Official or EJU recognized media can apply online for a Media accreditation (<http://www.eju.net/accreditation-registration>). Time and place for Media Check-in are stated in the programme.

## 17. JUDOGI CONTROL

### Judogi Control

Athletes must compete wearing an IJF approved judogi (white and blue). Judogis from all IJF suppliers are allowed (see [www.ijf.org](http://www.ijf.org) Official Supplier List).

For further information on judogi rules please refer to the IJF SOR.

The organiser has the right to charge for any sewing service that is deemed larger than a small repair.

### Backnumber

Each competitor is obliged to have the **official backnumber** (both EJU and IJF are allowed) sewn onto both white and blue judogis, bearing their surname and National Olympic Committee abbreviation (backnumbers of clubs or regions are not allowed!).

The backnumber can be ordered from [www.mybacknumber.com](http://www.mybacknumber.com) or <https://www.officialbacknumber.com> (Attention: production and delivery may take around 4 weeks). The SPONSOR part (if needed) will be given during registration, and the athletes can stick it themselves using the special glue on the back number.

### Markings and Advertising

The space on the **shoulder stripes** (25cm x 5 cm on both right and left side) and on the **upper arms** (10cm x 10cm on both right and left side) can be either used for EJU Suppliers or for own sponsors of the Federation or Judoka, **BUT not for any other Judogi supplier**. The space on the **right chest** (5cm x 10cm) can be used by federations and their Judoka for their own sponsors. The logo of a Judogi brand can only be used, if it corresponds with brand of the Judogi itself and if it is of an EJU Supplier.

**Please note:** On all advertising spaces it is strictly prohibited to promote tobacco, alcohol, any substances listed in the doping code, or any product or service contrary to public morals.



The space on the *left chest* (10cm x 10cm) can be used for the national colours or the national emblem corresponding with the IOC code on the backnumber (regional or club emblems are not allowed).

All other markings on the Judogi, like Judogi brand logos, name of Judoka, etc. have to comply with the IJF Judogi Rules. Detailed information is available on <http://www.eju.net/statutes>.

## 18. REFEREEING

### 18.1 SELECTION & REGISTRATION OF REFEREES

The EJU Refereeing Commission will select the referees for these Championships by name, based on the results of the 2019, 2020 and 2021 ranking lists. The federations will get the information in time. After the nomination of the referees, the federation must confirm the participation to EJU Head Office by the deadline stipulated in the letter. Further, the referee must be entered by his/her federation like every other delegate in JUDOBASE and also the hotel reservation has to be done by the national federation.

### 18.2 REFEREE MEETING

A referee meeting is scheduled one hour before the start of the first competition day. Time and place are stated in the program. The attendance to the Referee meeting is strictly compulsory.

### 18.3 REFEREEING RULES

The competition will be carried out according to the rules and sporting codes of the IJF and EJU. In case of direct Hansoku Make against the spirit of judo, a joint decision would be taken by the EJU Sports Commission and the EJU Refereeing Commission. In this case, the Judoka would receive no medal and no ranking points for that tournament. Note: A competitor who has been declared as a loser by injury can continue the competition, as well as after Hansoku Make for the technical mistake. A competitor, who has got a direct Hansoku Make as the penalty against the spirit of our sport, will not be authorised to continue the competition.

## 19. COACHING

Code of behaviour of coaches as defined in the IJF Sports and Organization Rules, Annex 4 will be strictly observed. Any coach not adhering to these rules could be subject to disciplinary action. One coach is allowed within the competition area.

A registered athlete can use their athlete accreditation to coach. An additional coach accreditation is not required. Any athletes that chooses also to coach their colleagues and then don't follow Coaches' Code of Conduct risk being removed from the competition (i.e., no longer allowed to compete if applicable).

Dress code during preliminaries and Final Block: track suit or suit & tie.

- Coaches are not allowed to give indications to the competitors while they are fighting.
- Only during the pause time (after matte), will coaches be permitted to give indications to their athletes.
- After the pause is finished, and the fight continues (hajime), coaches must keep silent.
- If a coach doesn't follow these rules, she/he can be expelled from the competition area.

If coaches persist with such behaviour the EJU Accreditation will be taken away for the day. If the coach persists with this behaviour from outside the competition area, she/he could be penalised further.

## 20. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FEDERATIONS

### Medical Certificate

Each athlete who who wants to compete must present the Medical Certificate which can be issued by any medical doctor authorised to issue such document that certifies that the participant is fit for entering the competition. This document must be issued not earlier as 30 days before the start of the competition..

### Insurance

Each National Federation is directly responsible for its athletes (the control of non-pregnancy and the control of gender). It must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as civil liabilities during all EJU events for everyone under their charge.

National Federations are responsible to provide insurance guarantees to their delegates during any EJU event. The organiser of the event and the EJU will not be responsible in the absence of insurance.

The entity contractually bound to the EJU for the organisation of the event shall take all necessary actions to provide insurance coverage against civil liability for the entire duration.

The LOC of the event and the EJU have no liability for any claims of injury, illness or death arising from the travelling to and the participation in this event.

### Attitude of Competitors

The federations are responsible to the EJU concerning the general attitude of their competitors.

### Consent for Photography/Videos/Filming

Delegates inscribed by their National Federations for EJU events consent to the EJU and its media partners to use content of them, including data, live results, photographs and/or video recordings (hereafter referred to as Media). This media may be obtained from National Federations and EJU. It will also be acquired by the EJU and its media partners from in and around all EJU event venues. Media could be used in print and digital media formats including print publications, websites, e-marketing, posters banners, advertising, film, broadcast, social media, education purposes and other purposes. The National Federation must ensure that they have the permission of each delegate or in the case of a minor the permission of the parent/guardian. If a delegate does not give consent, then the National Federation must inform the European Judo Union by writing to [headoffice@eju.net](mailto:headoffice@eju.net).

## 21.FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE

All National Federations, officials, coaches and competitors participating in this event have to respect and accept the authority of the EJU officials, the rules and statutes of the International Judo Federation and European Judo Union. Individuals deemed to have acted against the EJU or IJF, their principles or purposes shall be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards.

## 22.AWARDING CEREMONIES

All competitors having won a medal must attend the ceremony to receive their medal in person. For the medal ceremony the athletes must wear white Judogi and black belt (or brown). If a competitor is absent during the awarding ceremony for no valid reason, they will lose the right to have the medal.

It is strictly forbidden for competitors on the podium to bring national flags or the similar identification other than the one represented in the regular manner on their equipment. Any demonstration of religious, political, personal or commercial sign is prohibited.

The wearing of a cap or other head cover is also prohibited both on the mat and on the medal podium.

## 23.TRAINING

Tatami for training will be available at 2 AORAKIA STADIUM.

Times: from 10:00 till 18:00;

Booking of training sessions can be done at the accreditation.

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