



TRIUMPH OF SPIRIT



IBSA JUDO Grand Prix Baku 2021 Location in Baku (AZE)

The results of the event offer points to the World Ranking List. (WRL).

The competition is a part of the qualification process for Tokyo 2020.

Attention! Grand Prix in Baku is the penultimate option for eye classification before the Tokyo 2020 Paralympics Games.

1. No New athletes are accepted at the Grand Prix Baku 2021. Only athletes with a Confirmed or a Review status can enter. If they wish to be classified this year, we suggest they inscribe in the UK Grand Prix in June.
2. All athletes who are Review status 2021 should be classified at the next competition in Warwick (UK) but they will be able to compete in Baku Azerbaijan without re-classification. All athletes, who are selected to the Paralympic in Tokyo must have valid eye classification! The last possibility of making eye classification is in Warwick (GBR).

THE ORGANIZES OF THE EVENT IS STRICTLY FOLLOW ALL DIRECTION OF LOCAL HEALTH AUTHORITY, IPC AND IJF AGAINST SPREADING THE PANDEMIC.

Entries should be made by the ISAS Online Registration System:

<https://isas.ibsasport.org/isas/entries/index>

COMPETITION DATES: 25-26.05.2021

CITY: *Baku*

ORGANIZING FEDERATION PRESIDENT WELCOME:



Dear Judo Friends,

It is already the second time we are preparing for meeting You. "IBSA Judo Grand Prix Baku 2019" became a memorable event for international sports society. The strong won in that competition and the beaten didn't feel hurt and returned their home for preparing more resolutely.

I hope that "IBSA Judo Grand Prix Baku 2021" will be helpful for you and be the beginning of your successes in "Tokyo 2020" Summer Paralympic Games.

We are looking forward to happening this grandiose sports holiday.

1. DEADLINES

PLEASE RESPECT ALL DEADLINES AND RULES DETAILED IN THESE OUTLINES.

Deadline of the entry by numbers: 01th of March

Deadline of the entry by names: **09th of April** - **six weeks** before the first day of the competition, according to IBSA rules, to be able to arrange eye classification and the appropriate organisation of the competition. Entry forms after the deadline are not acceptable and it would mean that the IBSA Member cannot enter their team in the competition. It is mandatory to manage the entry of athletes using the IBSA ISAS database:

<https://isas.ibsasport.org/isas/entries/index>

Hotel reservation: *15th of April 2021*

Hotel full payment: *30th of April 2021*

Visa application (with passport photocopies): *30th of April 2021*

Travel information: *30th of April 2021*

2. FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES

All IBSA member federations, officials, coaches and athletes participating in the event described in these outlines have to respect and accept the authority of the IBSA Officials, the IBSA Statutes & rules, the IJF Sports and Organization Rules (SOR), the IBSA Refereeing Rules and IBSA IJR. Individuals deemed to have acted against the above mentioned rules, its principles or purposes shall be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards. All judokas have to possess IBSA ISAS code. From 1st January 2015 all IBSA athletes must be registered on the IBSA Sport Administration System (ISAS).

3. INSURANCE

Each IBSA member Federation (in the following: IBSA Member Organisations) is responsible for its competitors (the control of non-pregnancy as well as the control of gender are placed under the responsibility of the National Federations) and must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as the civil liabilities for their competitors and officials, during the event described in these outlines.

The organizer of the event and the IBSA will not be responsible for any insurance related to the above-mentioned matters. Nevertheless, the IBSA Member Organisations staging the event shall take all necessary actions to provide insurance coverage against civil liability for the entire duration.

The organizer of the event and the IBSA have no liability for any claims of injury, illness or death arising out of the participation and traveling in connection with this event.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

According to the new rules due to the coronavirus pandemic, COVID-19 testing is obligatory and test should be valid for 48 hours before scheduled departure. Please be sure to have a paper copy of your COVID-19 negative individual medical certificate available for inspection at the airport. Please make sure the certificate also has an English version.

A negative COVID-19 test is required for passengers flying to or from Azerbaijan in order to check-in for their flight.

All team members are responsible for their own safety.

All participants have the mutual responsibility to protect one-another.

COVID-19 protocol can be changed so please check all the official documents and letters from the organizers and follow the latest version.

The LOC will keep and follow the IJF and IPC official protocol against the pandemic.

LOC are not responsible for any cost resulting from positive cases such as changing of flight or the accommodation.

All countries will be tested for PCR in the hotel on the day of arrival and also 48 hours before departure. All the tests will be done in the hotel.

PCR test will be performed immediately upon arrival.

Until the results are obtained, all participants must remain in their hotel rooms and food will be served in the rooms.

Please see below the links to IJF Protocol for resuming IJF Events during the COVID-19 Pandemic and IPC COVID-19:

<https://www.ijf.org/ijf/documents/5>

<https://www.paralympic.org/news/information-para-athletes-and-ipc-members-covid-19>

Throughout your stay

1. Wash/sanitize 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 must be worn in dining areas at all times, except when sitting eating.
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 LOC 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 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.
6. Close contact – a close contact (for the purpose of isolation/quarantine) is considered as a person who is/was:
 - Sharing the same hotel room.
 - Had face-to-face contact at a distance of less than two meters for more than 15 minutes (i.e. training or warm-up partner).
 - Seated together in an aircraft or other means of transport without wearing a mask.

In case of a positive test result:

Quarantine period: Minimum 10 days (including 1 negative tests)

Quarantine hotel: Baku Marriott Hotel Boulevard

Rates (Full Board per person per night):

Single 160 €

Anyone with a positive test MUST stay in the quarantine provided by the LOC. The cost must be paid by the National Federation.

If a positive person takes another test during the quarantine period:

If positive: Restart quarantine

If negative: Quarantine must be finished

When the quarantine period is over: To leave Azerbaijan without retesting

Insurance

It is the responsibility of the National Federation to ensure that in addition to their normal insurance they have sufficient insurance in place to cover any COVID-19-related costs. The LOC of the event 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 who should then contact the LOC.

PCR test before departure may be booked with the LOC, if required. The LOC will support the teams and provide the testing in the hotel. The results will also be collected in the hotel. COVID test before departure – 80 EUR per person.

The LOC will provide the medical staff who will stay in the official hotel and be on duty in emergency cases.

4. ORGANISERS

Name: National Paralympic Committee of the Republic of Azerbaijan

Address: Baku city, Jeyhun Hajibeyli 110, AZ1007

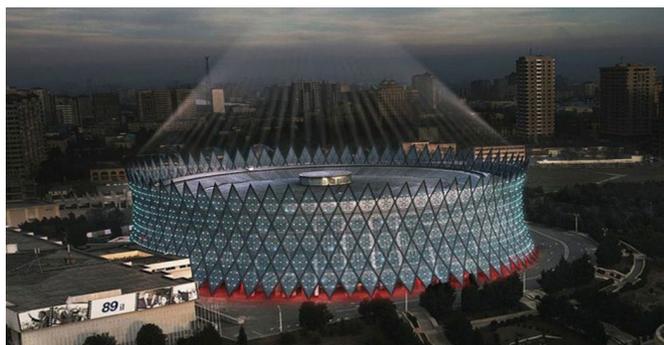
Telephone number: +994705590072

Email: mursalovrauf@outlook.com

5. COMPETITION VENUE

Name: Heydar Aliyev Sports and Concert Complex

Address: Baku city, Nasimi district., Abbas Sahhat Str. 2, AZ1030



6. PROGRAMME of the competition

1st. version

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	PLACE
20.05.2021	<i>All day</i>	Arrival of delegations and accreditation	Baku Heydar Aliyev International Airport
21.05.2021	All day	QUARANTINE	Baku Marriott Hotel Boulevard
22-24.05.2021	09:00 –18:00	Sight classification	The National Ophthalmology Center named after the Academician Zarifa Aliyeva
24.05.2021	09:00 –18:00	Sight classification	The National Ophthalmology Center named after the Academician Zarifa Aliyeva
	TBC	Referees' meeting	Heydar Aliyev Sports and Concert Complex
	18:00 -19:00	Unofficial weigh-in W: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, M: -60kg, -66kg, -73kg,	Baku Marriott Hotel Boulevard
	19:00 -19:30	Official weigh-in W: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, M: -60kg, -66kg, -73kg,	
	20:00 – 21:00	Draw	Baku Marriott Hotel Boulevard
25.05.2021	9:00 – 9:15	random weigh-in	Heydar Aliyev Sports and Concert Complex
	10:00	Competition day W: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, M: -60kg, -66kg, -73kg,	Heydar Aliyev Sports and Concert Complex
	10:00**	Preliminaries (on 3 tatami)	

	16:00	Opening Ceremony	
	16:30	Final Block (bronze in 2 tatamis for gold one tatami) – Medal ceremony	
	18:00 -19:00	Unofficial weigh-in	
	19:00 -19:30	Official weigh-in W: 63kg, -70kg, +70kg, M: - 81 kg -90kg, -100kg, +100kg	Baku Marriott Hotel Boulevard
26.05.2021	9:00 – 9:15	random weigh-in	Heydar Aliyev Sports and Concert Complex
	10:00	Competition day W: 63kg, -70kg, +70kg, M: - 81kg -90kg, -100kg, +100kg	
	10:00**	Preliminaries (on 3 tatami)	
	17:00	Final Block (bronze in 2 tatamis for gold one tatami) – Medal ceremony	
27.05.2021	All day	Departures	Baku Heydar Aliyev International Airport
		Countries wishing to stay for the training camp must inform the Local Organizing Committee in advance (more information in part 9)	

*The accreditation is completed by the IBSA ISAS and by the Judo Classification Master (IBSA website)

** The start time may change depending on the final number of athletes.

7. ACCOMMODATION

A. Name: Baku Marriott Hotel Boulevard

Address: Khagani Rustamov Street, 4C Khatai District, Baku 1000, Azerbaijan

<https://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/gydm-baku-marriott-hotel-boulevard/>



Single price full board (per person per night) – 205 EUR

Twin (2 separate beds) price full board (per person per night) – 175 EUR

During the competition days (25th-26th of May) lunch will be served at the competition venue. There will be no lunch at the hotel during the competition days (25th-26th of May).

Distance from airport (km) - 25 km

Distance from sport hall (km) – 9.2 km

Hotel reservations **MUST** be made through the organizing committee. **All delegates inscribed for an IBSA Judo official event must stay in one of the official hotels suggested by the organizers for a minimum of one (1) night.** If this is not respected accreditation will not be given.

Reservations of extra rooms at the check-in may be surcharged with an additional 10%.

If rooms need to be cancelled please inform the organizer immediately. Cancellation of rooms cannot be made at check-in. Illness, injuries or visa problems are not valid reasons for the cancellation of rooms. If rooms are cancelled the organizer has the right to charge the participating delegation as follows:

- Up to 30 days before the arrival - full refund.
- From 30-10 days before the arrival - 50% refund.
- From 9 – expected arrival - no refund, 100% of the hotel costs must be paid.

Any damage to hotel property resulting from the stay of a national delegation will be charged to the national federation and must be paid in full.

Delegations are kindly requested not to dry clothing (including judogi) or have training sessions in the corridors of the official hotels.

All bank fees and bank transfer costs are to be paid by the participating National Federation to the following bank:

Name of Beneficiary customer: National Paralympic Committee of Azerbaijan
Account No. of Beneficiary customer: AZ18UBAZ01000128238190EUR001
Address of Beneficiary customer: AZ1009, BAKU CITY, VIDADI STR, 64
Account with Institution or Beneficiary Bank: UNIBANK CB BUSINESS CENTER BRANCH
SWIFT address: UBAZAZ22
(Baku, AZ, Azerbaijan)
Correspondent No. account: 55.024.541
Correspondent bank: Raiffeisen Bank International AG, Vienna, Austria S.W.I.F.T.:
RZBAATWW

(Please input the below information correctly and completely on the transfer document and any procedures related to amendment of the bank transfer **MUST** be done before arrival).

8. IBSA CAPITATION FEE: All participating countries must pay an IBSA capitation fee of 25 euros per judoka.

9. Training camp:

Venue: Goygol Olympic Sport Complex

The price for one person per night including the full board (spa, sauna, fitness, gym, swimming pool) will be 75 EUR.

Transfer from the official competition hotel to the training camp and after the end of the camp to the airport also will be provided.

10. VISA

The organizer is happy to help any country with obtaining visa for athletes and officials. For nations, who need a visa to enter the organizing country, please send a full list of participants with full names, passport numbers, date of birth, and positions along with scanned copies of all passports before the deadline stipulated.

Visa contact: *Rauf Mursalov*, email: mursalovrauf@outlook.com

Visa application: **30th of April**

11. TRANSPORT

The organizer will provide free of charge transportation for competing delegations staying in official hotels during the event. This includes transport to and from the official hotels, accreditation, the draw, weigh-in, training and competition unless they are within walking distance.

For arrivals and departures, a transfer service is available to official hotels from:

Baku Heydar Aliyev International Airport (GYD)



Travel information must be sent to the organizers by 30th of April

12. COMPETITION RULES

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest IBSA IJR, IJF & IBSA Judo Refereeing Rules, IJF Code of Ethics and current IBSA Anti-Doping Rules.

System of competition: **double repechage**

Weight categories – individual competition

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

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

Duration of contest: **(4) minutes** both for men and women (real time).

13. REFEREEING

Level of the Referees

The contests will be refereed by International Referees (IJF A level with IBSA Judo license) selected by the IBSA Judo Referee Commission with the collaboration of IJF Referee Commission.

The referees will use the CARE system. The referees are qualified after the competition. The qualification is the necessary part of the referee carrier in IBSA and in IJF.

14. INSCRIPTION OF DELEGATES

Competitors can only be entered in one weight category and only entries from IBSA members will be accepted. Participating athletes must be 15 years in the calendar year or older.

Each IBSA Member can inscribe a maximum of two (2) athletes per weight category.

Non-competing athletes or training partners can be inscribed as judoka.

N.B. Substitution (because of injuries, visa problems or all other reasons) of an athlete will only be allowed up to the deadline of the MDF upload i.e. **by 09 of April** six weeks before the first classification day. After that date NO substitutes will be allowed to participate.

15. ATHLETES' ELIGIBILITY

Please note that all athletes must comply with the following conditions before being accredited to the event:

- IBSA Athletes License for the current year;
- Paid IBSA Membership fee for the current year;
- Valid eye classification,
- Participating athletes must be born in 2004 (15 years in the calendar year) or before
- The judokas have to wear a judo-gi with their own back number.

16. CLASSIFICATION

1. ALL ATHLETES MUST BE LICENSED FOR THE CURRENT YEAR.
2. **ZERO CLASSIFICATION WILL BE HELD IN TOKYO, SO THE ATHLETES MUST ACQUIRE THE ELIGIBLE CATEGORY BY THE EYE TEST BEFORE TOKYO.**

Procedure for the classification of an athlete at a competition:

- A fully filled MDF, dated and signed by a certified ophthalmologist, must be uploaded in ISAS – **by 09th of April** - 6 weeks before the first classification day of the event. Only the current MDF (available for downloading from the IBSA website is accepted).
<http://www.ibsasport.org/documents/files/179-1-IBSA-Medical-Diagnostics-Form.pdf>

The MDF's will be thoroughly checked after they have been uploaded. Athletes without the correct MDF uploaded in due time will not be scheduled for classification, and cannot enter the competition.

There will be no exceptions.

- For athletes with a Review status - tests and complementary medical exams requested in previous competitions should be uploaded at the same time of MDF - 6 weeks - **by 09th April**. If not, the athlete will be excluded from the competition. Every athlete should state in the MDF if they wear optical correction (glasses, contact lenses, filters) when they compete. If so and it was not STATED in the MDF form the athlete will be excluded from the competition.
- All athletes to be classified at an event need to be ready for classification at the first hour on the first day and rested especially if the travel has been long distance. Sleepy/tired people cannot cooperate well and they risk not to be classified. Late arrivals will not be considered for the Classification schedules.
- Only athletes competing in this event can be classified

17. ACCREDITATION

The control of entries and issuing of accreditation cards will take at the hotel.

The accreditation is completed by IBSA ISAS and by the Judo Classification Master (IBSA website)

At least one team official must attend in time to confirm the entries of all athletes and officials with his/her signature. Passports or photocopy of passports of all athletes must be available on request.

18.TRAINING

Training is the responsibility of the organizing federation. Planning and scheduling of training sessions will be organized taking into consideration requests made by delegations daily on a first request made first served basis. If you are interested in booking training, please contact the organizer.

19.DRAW

The Draw will be conducted online.

The top four (4) athletes from the entered competitors in each weight category will be seeded according to the current World Ranking List.

20.JUDO GI CONTROL

Athletes must compete wearing **an IJF approved judogi** supplied by one of the manufacturers. The current list of manufactures can be seen on the IJF web site:

<https://www.ijf.org/supplier-list>

Each competitor is obliged to have sewn on the back of his/her judogi a backnumber bearing his surname and his/her National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The backnumbers must be fixed horizontally and centred on the back of the judogi. They must be placed at a distance of 3 cm from the bottom of the collar. The backnumber can only be ordered from www.ijfbacknumber.com or www.mybacknumber.com.

The local organisers will inspect the judo-gi size and validity during the judo-gi control.

The backnumber and publicity should comply with the current IBSA, IJF and local organiser's agreement.

The official sponsor label of the event will be given provided that:

- The judogi are clean and dry.
- The backnumber, publicity and emblem are properly sewn and do not show any wear or tear.
- All previous advertising has been removed.

Guide to attaching and removing the sponsor label:

- Lay the judogi flat and attach the new sponsor label of the event on the back of the correct judogi.
White judogi:
Blue judogi:
- Ensure the label is firmly attached around the edges.

Immediately after the competition and before washing remove the sponsor label.

21.WEIGH-IN

The athlete's official weigh-in will be scheduled the day before the competition.

The random weigh-in should be held at the Sport hall at the competition day.

The random weight-in can be managed before the daily competition by the IBSA IJR. (You can see on the IBSA (Judo) web site)

22.COACHING

Coaches nominated by their IBSA Member Organizations should respect the IBSA and IBSA Judo Rules. Any coaches not adhering to these rules could be subject to disciplinary action.

23.AWARDING CEREMONY

The competitors wearing their white judogi (no shoes, flip flops or socks) will stand behind the podium according to the following order 2,1,3,3. Competitors having won a medal have to attend the ceremony to receive their medal in person. 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 and so is wearing a cap or any other head cover.

24.DOPING CONTROL

Regulation by the actual IBSA Anti-doping rules, collaboration with IBSA sport & anti-doping committees and the local organizers.

Prior coordination is highly recommended beforehand of the event between IBSA, local organizers and the sample collection agency.

Every anti-doping education activity is encouraged within or prior to IBSA competitions.

As per Doping Control, IBSA Anti-doping rules, WADA Anti-doping Code and ISTI and technical documents (including the Technical Document for Specific Analysis per Sport) apply, aiming to implement a compliant anti-doping program within approved IBSA competitions.

The draw is carried out by a collaborative effort between the sample collection agency and IBSA delegate, in accordance with the IBSA Anti-doping Rules and the selection policy proposed by IBSA during the competition. Selection for doping controls may also include target tests under IBSA authority.

Competitors have to report to the Doping Control Station immediately after signing the Notification form. Pursuant to WADA ISTI Art. 5.4.4, prior to doping control, athletes are allowed to take part in the awarding ceremony and fulfil their press commitments or receive medical treatment if needed. The selected competitors will be constantly accompanied by an official chaperone (appointed by the organizing committee) from the time of notification until arriving at the Doping Control Station. A person of the athlete's choice (team doctor, coach, trainer, delegation head etc.) may accompany them." When applicable, an extra person can be present within the process as translator.

All doping controls at IBSA approved events are under IBSA as Testing authority and as Results management authority as well, as mentioned on the ADAMS mission order to be issued by IBSA Anti doping committee from ADAMS system and sent to the Sample collection authority (appointed by the Local organizers) <http://www.ibsasport.org/anti-doping/>.