



## 2023 IBSA JUDO GRAND PRIX AND INTERNATIONAL TRAINING CAMP

COMPETITION: 30 JANUARY - 31 JANUARY ALMADA, PORTUGAL

TRAINING CAMP: 1 FEBRUARY - 2 FEBRUARY ALMADA, PORTUGAL

**THE EVENT IS PART OF THE QUALIFICATION PROCESS FOR PARIS  
2024 AND PROVIDES WRL POINTS.**

*It is a great honor to receive for the first time a IBSA Grand Prix in Portugal!*

*The Portuguese Judo Federation is committed to make this Event a reference, not only in an organizational level but also in the sport point of view. The Portuguese Judo Federation is motivated to make a memorable event. We also would like to assure that all security and safety measures will be taken to guarantee the health and protection of all the Judo Family. I would like to thank the Portuguese Government, the City of Almada and all our sponsors and partners for their support. As well as to extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation for IJF President Mr. Marius Vizer for his support and confidence in the organization of this event to Portuguese Judo Federation.*



*On behalf of the Portuguese Judo Federation and myself, I wish all judokas and officials successful tournament and a pleasant stay in Portugal*

**Jorge Oliveira Fernandes**  
**President Portuguese Judo Federation**



*The Portuguese Sports Federation for People with Disabilities - FPDD - is a full member of the International Blind Sports Association - IBSA - and maintains a partnership with the Portuguese Judo Federation - FPJ - which has Judo governance in Portugal. This partnership has contributed to the development of Judo for people with disabilities and we are pleased to join the organization of this event, which we are sure will be a success. We greet all the judokas, technicians and leaders of IBSA and FPJ and we hope that everyone has a pleasant stay in Portugal.*

**Dr Fausto Pereira**  
**President Portuguese Sports Federation**  
**For People With Disabilities**

**PLEASE RESPECT ALL DEADLINES AND RULES DETAILED IN THIS DOCUMENT**

**LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

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**FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES**

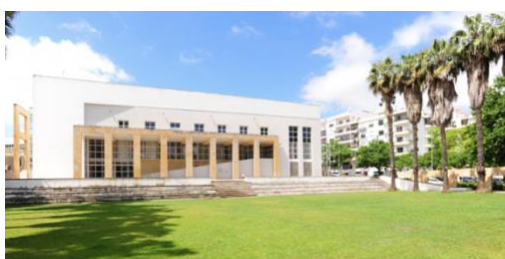
All participants in the event (managers, technicians, athletes) must respect and comply the rules of IBSA and IJF.



## COMPETITION VENUE

**NAME:** Complexo Municipal dos Desportos da Cidade de Almada

**ADDRESS:** Alameda de Guerra Junqueiro 56, 2810-080 Almada



## COMPETITION RULES

The competitions will be conducted in accordance with the latest IBSA, IJR and IJF.

System of competition: **double repechage/robin round system.**

Duration of contest: **4 minutes.**

## PROPOSED PROGRAMME OF THE COMPETITION

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	PLACE
<b>26 January</b>	All day	Arrival of delegations and accreditation	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
<b>27 January</b>	All day	Accreditation	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica



	All day	Sight classification	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
	All day	Training	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
<b>28 January</b>	All day	Sight classification	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
	All day	Training	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
	All day	Training	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
<b>29 January</b>	10:00- 12:00	Sight classification	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
	14.00- 16.45	Pre-judogi control	
	17.00- 17.30	Coaches meeting	
	17:00 - 18:00	Unofficial weigh-in Women: J1 -48kg, J2 -48kg, J2 -57 kg Men: J1 -60kg, J1 -73kg & J2 -60kg, J2 -73kg	Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica
	18:00 - 18:45	Official weigh-in Women: J1 -48kg, J2 -48kg, J2 -57 kg	



		Men: J1 -60kg, J1 -73kg & J2 -60kg, J2 -73kg	
	20:00 - 20:30	Draw (online system)	
<b>30 January</b>	Competition Day 1		
	08:45*	Referees Meeting	Complexo Municipal dos Desportos da Cidade de Almada
	9:00-9:15*	Random weight in Women: J1 -48kg, J2 -48kg, J2 -57 kg Men: J1 -60kg, J1 -73kg & J2 -60kg, J2 -73kg	
	10:00*	Preliminaries and repechage (on 3 tatami) Women: J1 -48kg, J2 -48kg, J2 -57 kg Men: J1 -60kg, J1 -73kg & J2 -60kg, J2 -73kg	
	14:00 - 15:00	Unofficial weigh-in Women: J1 -57kg, J1 -70kg, J1 +70kg, J2 -70kg, J2 +70 kg. Men: J1 -90 kg, J1 +90 & J2 -90kg, J2 +90kg	
	15:00 - 15:45	Official weigh-in Women: J1 -57kg, J1 -70kg, J1 +70kg, J2 -70kg, J2 +70 kg. Men: J1 -90 kg, J1 +90 & J2 -90kg, J2 +90kg	



	16:00*	Final Block / Medal Ceremony	
<b>31 January</b>	Competition Day 2		
	9:00-9:15*	Random weight in Women: J1 -57kg, J1 -70kg, J2 -70kg. Men: J1 -90 kg & J2 -90kg.	Complexo Municipal dos Desportos da Cidade de Almada
	10:00*	Preliminaries and repechage (on 3 tatami) Women: J1 -57kg, J1 -70kg, J1 +70kg, J2 -70kg, J2 +70 kg. Men: J1 -90 kg, J1 +90 & J2 -90kg, J2 +90kg	
	16:00*	Final Block / Medal Ceremony	
Training Camp Day 1			
<b>1 February</b>	10:00 - 12:00	Morning Session	TBC
	17:00 - 19:00	Afternoon Session	TBC
<b>2 February</b>	Training Camp Day 2		
	10:00 - 12:00	Morning Session	TBC
	17:00 - 19:00	Afternoon Session	TBC

**\* The start time will be confirmed once the final number of athletes is known. Random weight in and referee meeting will be modified accordingly.**



- The Organizing Committee may make changes based on the number of athletes registered.

#### **IMPORTANT REMARKS**

- A judogi pre-control will be held on the 29th at the official hotel. This control is compulsory for all the athletes, who must be present at the established deadline with the white and blue judogis that they will use in the competition, as well as the belt.
- The official weigh-in for the second day of competition will take place in the sport hall at 14:00 h.
- The women's J1 -57 kg category will be contested on the second day of competition, 31 January.

## **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. Athletes' passports (or photocopy) must be available on request.

## **REFEREEING**

The competitions will be refereed by International Referees (IJF A with IBSA Judo license) selected by the IBSA Judo Referees Commission from the highest level of IJF referees.

## **DRAW**

The draw will be broadcast on-line. The link to go live will be communicated at a later time. The best four athletes are seeded by weight categories.



## WEIGHT-IN AND RANDOM WHEIGHT-IN

The athletes must have their passports and ID cards for the weigh-in; ID card only is allowed for the random weigh-in.

## JUDOGI CONTROL

Athletes must compete wearing an IJF approved judogi. The current list of manufactures can be seen on the IJF web site. 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 local organisers will inspect the judogi size and validity, the backnumber and publicity that should comply with the current IBSA and IJF.

**It is mandatory to use red circle on the back number for all J1 athletes. In the lack of a red circle, the coach doesn't sit in the coaching box (except of the new J1 athletes).**

## ANTIDOPING

Anti-doping procedures will be conducted according to the most recent COVID19 protocols:  
<https://www.wada-ama.org/en/resources/world-anti-doping-program/world-anti-doping-code> HYPERLINK  
"<http://www.wada-ama.org/en/resources/world-anti-doping-program/world-anti-doping-code>".

## ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

Each athlete must be registered and licensed for 2023 in the ISAS system before arrival.

For classification all athletes should be registered in the database and licensed 6 weeks before classification.

All participating countries must be in good standing with IBSA.

## INSCRIPTION CRITERIA





Participating athletes must be 15 years in the calendar year or older. Each delegation can inscribe a maximum of two (2) athletes per weight category for the individual competition.

All athletes must be licensed for 2023 and countries must have paid their membership fee for 2023.

**NB: 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. six weeks before the first classification day. After that date NO substitutes will be allowed to participate.**

## DEADLINES

Deadline of the entry by names: **17th of December**

- **six weeks** before the first day of the competition, according to IBSA rules, to be able to arrange eye classification and the appropriate organization 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>

## ACCOMMODATION

**NAME:** Hotel Tryp Costa da Caparica

**ADDRESS:** Av. Gen. Humberto Delgado 47, 2829-506 Costa da Caparica

- Single price full board (per person per night) – 220 EUR
- Twin (2 separate beds) price full board (per person per night) – 175 EUR

**Hotel full payment: 5th of January**

Check in: 14:00

Check out: 12:00

**During the competition days (30th-31st of January) lunch will be served at the competition venue. There will be no lunch at the hotel during the competition days (30th-31st of January).**



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.** If this is not respected accreditation will not be given.

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.

Reservations of extra rooms at the check-in may be surcharged with an additional 10%. Delegations are kindly requested not to dry clothing (including judogi) or have training sessions in the corridors of the official hotels. 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.

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

Beneficiary's Name	Federação Portuguesa de Judo
Bank Name	NOVO BANCO - Santos
Bank Address	Largo Conde Barão 9, 1200-118 Lisboa
SWIFT Code	BESCPTPL
IBAN	PT50 0007 0041 0003 50600077 9



Payment reference	“Country” IBSAGPrix2023
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(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).

## TRANSPORT

The organizer will provide free of charge transportation for competing delegations staying in official hotels during the Championships and training camp. 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:

- **Aeroporto Humberto Delgado (LIS)**

Travel information must be sent to the organizers by **5th of January**.

## CLASSIFICATION (PROCEDURE FOR THE CLASSIFICATION OF AN ATHLETE AT A COMPETITION)

Classification will take place the **27 and 28 January** (full days), and eventually on the **29** morning

- A fully filled MDF dated, checked and signed by the National Federation and a certified ophthalmologist, must be uploaded in ISAS, in pdf format, **6 weeks before** (17 December) **the first classification day of the event**. Only the current new **JUDO MDF** (available for downloading from the IBSA website) is accepted.
- The MDF's will be thoroughly checked after they have been uploaded. Athletes without the correct MDF uploaded **and** in due time, will not be scheduled for classification and cannot enter the competition. **There will be no exceptions.**
- For athletes with **CNC** or a **Review** status, tests and complementary medical exams with less than 1 year old, requested in previous competitions should be uploaded at the same time of MDF, 6 weeks before the first classification day of the event (17 December) . If not, the athlete will be **automatically** excluded from the Classification schedule without the MDF checked and no feedback send. Athlete cannot compete. After 3 consecutive CNC the athlete will be Non Eligible. **There will be no exceptions.**



- Each 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.
- **All countries must use the new Judo MDF, in pdf format, for athletes who need to be classified.**

## TRAINING CAMP

**VENUE:** TBC

**DATE:** 1st to 2nd of february.

The price for one person per night including the full board (sauna, fitness, swimming pool) will be:

- Single 130 EUR (full board)
- Twin 100 EUR (full board, per person per night)

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

## VISA TO THE NATIONAL TERRITORY

Countries requiring a visa must send a complete list of participants with full names, passport numbers, date of birth and residence along with scanned copies of all passports prior to the established deadline to the following e-mail address: [portugalevents@fpj.pt](mailto:portugalevents@fpj.pt) within **5th of January**.

## RESPONSIBILITY

The Organizing Committee of the event and IBSA disclaim any responsibility for any damage to persons and property of athletes, technicians, officials and third parties, deriving from the event or as a consequence of it, before, during and after. The Organizing Committee of the event and IBSA are not responsible for any claims for injury, illness or death resulting from participation in and travel in connection with this event.

