
World Fudokan Federation WFF



SPORTS KARATE

WELCOME

INVITATION LETTER

Dear Presidents of the National Federations,

dear Athletes, Coaches, Instructors, Officials, Judges and friends of Fudokan Karate,

WORLD FUDOKAN FEDERATION and FUDOKAN ASSOCIATION OF SERBIA have the greatest honor to invite all national federations to the **9th World Fudokan Karate Championship** for cadets, juniors, youth, seniors and veterans, the 9th World Fudokan Cup for Children and the 3rd World Ikkaido Celebrations to be held on November 24th to 26th 2023 in Belgrade, Serbia.

WELCOME to Serbia!

Jelena Stanojevic, 5. DAN

President of Fudokan association of Serbia



Univ. Prof. ILIJA JORGA, M.D., PhD, Soke 10. DAN

Founder of Fudokan and WFF

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On behalf of WORLD FUDOKAN FEDERATION we have the greatest honor to invite all national federations to the **9th World Fudokan Karate Championship**, for Children's, Juvenil, Cadets, Juniors, under 21, Seniors, Masters and Veterans, to be held on November, 24th to 26th 2023 in the Sports Hall Ranko Zeravica – Belgrade - Serbia.

Official information regarding competition program, participation, protocols, accommodation etc. will be sent to you regularly and updated on our internet presentations: www.fudokansport.com and www.fudokaninfo.com

I am looking forward meeting you all of you there, dear friends, to become participants of this fantastic event in the most beautiful area!

With all our heart, we are inviting you to be a part of this very special event! We are counting on your presence, for a successful WORLD Fudokan Karate Championship!



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FUDOKAN SPORTS KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Place: Sports Hall Ranko Zeravica /Belgrade - Serbia

SPORTS KARATE PROGRAM:

“WFF for Children’s, Juvenil, Cadets, Juniors, Under 21, Seniors, Masters and Veterans”

23th November 2023 {Thursday}

10.00 – 18.00 **Entry Registration**

Place: Sports Hall, Ranko Zeravica Office of the World Championship

❖ **Credentiation to Coaches and Athletes**

❖ **19.00h - Registration Deadline** *(In exceptional cases this deadline shall be extended, with prior notice, for delegations arriving late at the airport)*

14.00 – 18.00 - **Referees and Judges Course theory and practice (mandatory)**

18.00 – 18.30 - **Coaches Meeting (mandatory)**

FRIDAY - 24th November 2023

JUNIORS, UNDER 21, SENIORS, MASTERS VETERANS, DISABILITY & BUDO KARATE

Categories 5;6;7;8 and 9

08:30 – 22:00 Start and finished competition individual Kata & Kumite

- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for Juniors
- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for Under 21
- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for Seniors
- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for Veterans
- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for Masters
- **Medal Ceremony**

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- **17:00 Opening Ceremony {all participants}**

22.00 End of competition

22:00 - E.F.C. Congress – Congress Hall

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SATURDAY - 25th November 2023

CHILDREN'S [1], JUVENIL [2], CADETS & BUDO KARATE - Categories 1;2;3 and 4

08:30 – CHILDRENS [Categories A; B;] and JUVENIL Categories

Start of competition individual Kata & Kumite

- Elimination rounds, semi-final, and finals for Children Categories and Juvenil categories
- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for JUVENIL TEAMS Categories
- **Medal Ceremony**

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch break

14:30 – CADETS - Start of Individual Competition Kata & Kumite

- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for Cadets Category
- **Medal Ceremony**
- Elimination rounds, semi-final, finals for CADETS TEAMS Categories
- **Medal Ceremony**

26th November 2023 – {Sunday} [All Teams] Categories 5;6;7;8 and 9

JUNIORS, UNDER 21, SENIORS, MASTERS and VETERANS & BUDO KARATE

09.00 – 13.00 Start and finished individual Budo Sport and Teams Competition Kata & Kumite

- Elimination rounds and Finals for all (Kata Team & Kumite Team)
- **Medal Ceremony**

CATEGORIES and COMPETITIONS
"W.F.F. SPORTS"

Cat.	Kata / Kumite	
1	1. CHILDREN A (until 7 years)	Ind. Competition - white to Orange / Green to Blue (All Styles)
2	2. CHILDREN B (8-10 years)	Ind. Competition - white to Orange / Green to Blue/ Brow to Black (All Styles)
3	3. JUVENIL (11-13 years)	Ind. Competition - white to Orange / Green to Blue/ Brow to Black - TEAMS (All Styles)
4	4. CADETS (14 to 15 years)	Individual weight Competition Categories all Belts - TEAMS (All Styles)
5	5. JUNIORS (16 to 17 years)	Individual weight Competition Categories all Belts - TEAMS (All Styles)
6	6. UNDER 21 (18 to 20 years)	Individual weight Competition Categories all Belts - TEAMS (All Styles)
7	7. SENIORS (21 to 35 years)	Individual Weight Competition Categories all Belts - TEAMS (All Styles)
8	8. MASTERS (36 to 50 years)	Individual Weight Competition Categories all Belts - TEAMS (All Styles)
9	9. VETERANS (Up to 51 years)	Individual Competition all Belts / all weights - TEAMS (All Styles)

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1. CHILDREN A (until 7 years) Category 1

KATA – belt: white to orange/ Green to Blue (All Styles)

2. CHILDREN B (8-10 years) Category 2

KATA – belt: white to orange/ Green to Blue / Brown to Black (All Styles)

KUMITE SHOBU NIHON all belts: weight categories (All Styles)

- Weight for Male until 35 Kg. + Up 35 Kg.
- Weight for Female: until 35 Kg. + Up 35 Kg.

3. JUVENIL (11-13 years) Category 3

KATA – belt: white to orange/ Green to Blue / Brown to Black (All Styles)

KUMITE SHOBU NIHON all belts: weight individual categories (All Styles) - TEAMS

- Weight for Male: until 45 Kg. + Up 45 Kg.
- Weight for Female: until 40 kg. + Up 40 Kg.

4. CADETS (14 to 15 years) Category 4

KATA individual and TEAM Inter-style All Belts

KUMITE SHOBU all belts: weight individual categories (All Styles) - TEAMS

- Weight for Male: until 60 Kg. -65 Kg. +65 Kg.
- Weight for Female: until 50 Kg. - 60 Kg. + 60 Kg.
- KUMITE INDIV. AND KATA TEAM (All Styles, All Belts)

For all categories in "W.F.F. General Karate- Sports federations can register unlimited number of competitors per category for Kata and for Individual Kumite

❖ **Kata competitors can register inter-style only.**

✓ - *Its allowed to present all Katas and FUDOKAN Katas at the competition.*

- -All athletes must have their own regulation safeties (red / blue).
- -It should be noted that the mask and bodice, are mandatory for all classes children.
- -It is pointed out that for all classes, from kids to Master, the bodice is mandatory

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5. JUNIORS (16 to 17 years) Category 5

KATA individual and TEAM Inter-style All Belts

KUMITE SHOBU all belts: weight individual categories (All Styles) - TEAMS

Weight for Male: until 65 Kg. - 75 Kg. + 75 Kg.

Weight for Female: until 55 Kg. - 65 Kg. + 65 Kg.

KUMITE INDIV. AND KATA TEAM (All Styles, All Belts)

6. UNDER 21 (18 to 20 years) Category 6

KATA individual and TEAM Inter-style All Belts

KUMITE SHOBU all belts: weight individual categories (All Styles) - TEAMS

Weight for Male: until 65 Kg. - 75 Kg. + 75 Kg.

Weight for Female: until 60 Kg. - 65 Kg. + 65 Kg.

KUMITE INDIV. AND KATA TEAM (All Styles, All Belts)

7. SENIORS (21 to 35 years) Category 7

KATA individual and TEAM Inter-style All Belts

KUMITE SHOBU all belts: weight individual categories (All Styles) - TEAMS

Weight for Male: until 70 Kg. - 80 Kg. + 80 Kg.

Weight for Female: until 60 Kg. - 65 Kg. + 65 Kg.

KUMITE INDIV. AND KATA TEAM (All Styles, All Belts)

8. MASTERS (36 to 50 years) Category 8

KATA individual and TEAM Inter-style All Belts

KUMITE SHOBU all belts: weight individual categories (All Styles) - TEAMS

Weight for Male: until 75 Kg. + 75 Kg.

Weight for Female: until 65 Kg. + 65 Kg.

KUMITE INDIV. AND KATA TEAM (All Styles, All Belts)

9. VETERANS (Up to 51 years) Category 9

KATA individual and TEAM Inter-style All Belts

KUMITE SHOBU all belts all weights (All Styles) - TEAMS

KUMITE INDIV. AND KATA TEAM (All Styles, All Belts)

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- For all categories Federations can register unlimited number of competitors per category for Kata and for Individual Kumite.
- For **Team Competition Federations can register 1 (one) team per category.**
- In the classification of the athletes it is taken into account from day / month / year of birth. Both in kata and Kumite.

For any questions see the **“Rules Sport karate”** in the website: www.fudokansport.com

REFEREES SEMINAR

23th November Thursday

14.00 – 18.00 Referees, Judges and Table Officers Course theory and practice (**mandatory**) for participate.

Place:

- ❖ Each federation needs to **bring at least one Referee or Judge, (Mandatory)**, who doesn't fulfill the required obligation **must pay 150 €** in order to help support the competition. Referee's will participate in the seminar and work during the competition. At the end of the competition all referees and judges will receive a Certificate of participation and a **Certificate with the qualification achieved.**
- ❖ Referees and Judges who possess a qualification from other international federations, W.F.F. Sport will recognize their qualification with a corresponding W.F.F. Sport qualification.
- ❖ It is necessary to make proof of qualifications.

COACHES MEETING

23th November Thursday

18.00 – 18.30 Coaches Meeting (**Mandatory**)

All coaches must attend the Meeting. Coaches who do not take part in the seminar will not be able to enter into the competition areas.

INSCRIPTIONS

If your Country (federations) has intention of participating in this 9th World Championship, contact with us. general.secretary@fudokansport.com

Only Federation/ Organization accepted by Fudokan Sports Karate, can participate in this 9th World Fudokan Karate Championship. **All inscriptions is made by this karate platform. Because this is a World Platform our organization can be accept inscriptions or not:**

❖ <https://fudokansport.kimura.pt>

Entries to the competition: OPEN- 1st OCTOBER → CLOSE 10 th NOVEMBER 2023.

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- Federations can edit their entries before the championship, in the hall for registration and weighing checks.
 - It is mandatory that the legally responsible person for each federation shall bring the competitors passports to the Registration Room for the official check of the competitors ages.
 - All competitors must come for weigh-in check in the Registration Room, together with their legally responsible person and their passports.

FEES

- ❖ **Fudokan Karate Budopass - Euro 15**
- ❖ Individual Participation (Kata or Kumite) **Euro 40**
- ❖ **TEAM PARTICIPATION Euro 60**
- ❖ **Referees Seminar: free**
- ❖ **Coach Seminar: free**

-The fees for participation must be paid only by bank transfer and after please it is necessary you sent to receive to general.secretary@fudokansport.com

PAYMENT

- **IBAN FUDOKANSPTS - IT05R 02008 05205 000104729296**

-For further information please contact W.F.F. Sport Karate: general.secretary@fudokansport.com

PARTICIPANTS:

- Athletes officially selected by the WFF - National Federation Members of each country according to the following requirements:
- Each country shall be represented by one official team.
- Each athlete must be a citizen of the represented country.
- Each athlete must know, thoroughly understand and be able to compete under the WFF Competition Rules.
- Every participant must be free of any physical or mental handicap - therefore cannot cause any kind of difficulties during competition, under the WFF Rules.
- All competitors must have Medical Release signed by official national doctor.
- All athletes, participants must be in compliance with the medical certification of fitness work laws (with the inscription to the race the sports association President of the athletes belonging accepts responsibility for the compliance with this requirement stating implicitly that certified doctors are deposited in its registered office).
- All athletes who want to enter the **9th WORLD FUDOKAN CHAMPIONSHIPS** in **Sports Karate Competition** **MUST have a Fudokan BUDOPASS with the Annual Visa – 2023**

BUDO KARATE



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CATEGORIES and COMPETITIONS

"BUDO KARATE"

Cat.		Kata / Kumite
11.	MINI CADETS (12 to 13 years) Male & Female	1- until blue belts 2- Brown and black belts
12.	CADETS (14 to 15 years) Male & Female	1- until blue belts 2- Brown and black belts
13.	JUNIORS (16 to 17 years) Male & Female	Open weight and belt
14.	UNDER 21 (18 to 20 years) Male & Female	Kumite ind. and Team - Open weight and belt
15.	SENIORS (21 to 35 years) Male	Individual Kumite Category -75 kg / +75 kg
16.	SENIORS (21 to 35 years) Female	Open weight and belt
17.	VETERANS (Up to 36 years) Male & Female	Open weight and belt
18.	TEAMS (18 Years and up) Male & Female	Teams

- ❖ **Protections:** Gloves white and red, Genital protections(men), Breast protection(woman), Mouth guard
- ❖ No other protections

- ❖ **Time:** 2 minutes

- ❖ **Tournament:** Individual and Team (3+1, ju-se-ve) Male and Female Under 21

- ❖ **Kata Rules:** Colored Belts – Heian's
Brown and Black Belts – Sentei kata (first level)
Final – Tokui Kata

- ❖ **Kumite Rules:** All techniques must be controlled (ok for skin touch)

✓ All usual techniques are ok and more:

- 1) Mikazuki Geri (Jodan and chudan)
- 2) Kakato Geri (Jodan and chudan)
- 3) Teiho Uchi (Jodan and chudan)
- 4) Haishu uchi (Jodan and chudan)
- 5) Kagi Tsuki (chudan)
- 6) Age Tsuki (Jodan)
- 7) Haito Jodan and chudan
- 8) Shuto Jodan and chudan
- 9) Tetsui Jodan and chudan

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10) Empi (all type) only chudan

❖ 2 wazari, 1 ippon

❖ **Referee:** The technique is ok only if is good in movement and execution (go, back, hikite, balance, power, distance, etc.).

1) After hikiwake encho sen 1 minute (the first technique assigned win the match)

2) In teams hikiwake (if tie another match with rule encho sen).

OBS: Categories in order: Males and Females made separated competition

1. MINI CADETS (12 to 13 years) **Category 11**

KATA & KUMITE Open weight and belt

1. CADETS (14 to 15 years) **Category 12**

KATA & KUMITE Open weight and belt

2. JUNIORS (16 to 17 years) **Category 13**

KATA & KUMITE Open weight and belt

3. UNDER 21 (18 to 20 years) **Category 14**

KATA & KUMITE IND. & TEAM Open weight and belt

4. SENIORS (21 to 35 years) **Category 15 & 16**

KATA & KUMITE Open weight and belt

15 - Weight for Male: until 75 Kg. + 75 Kg.

16 - Weight for Female: open weight and belt.

5. VETERANS (Up to 51 years) **Category 17**

KATA & KUMITE Open weight and belt

6. TEAMS (18 years and Up) **Category 18**

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- ❖ For further information's please contact **Sensei Ludovico Ciccarelli** responsible for the sector – **Budo karate**:
 - ❖ Email: ludovico2006@tiscali.it

DRAWING:

- The draw will be carried out automatically by the platform

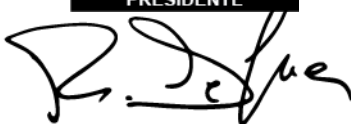
After drawing there will be NO possibility to make any changes.

- Each National Federation must grant each register participant or visitor as for their own insurance (minimum 10.000 EUR).
- The local organizer and the World Fudokan Federation – Sports Karate are not responsible for participant risk if participants are not insured. Personal belongings are always under responsibility of the owner.
- Each participating Nation is required to bring its national flags 1,5 m x 2m.

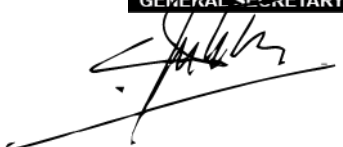
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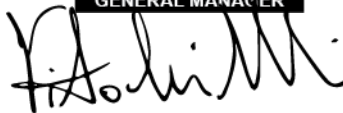
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