Invitation letter for the European Fudokan Championships 2018

Dear colleagues and friends, dear karatekas, dear National Federations Presidents!

It is my greatest pleasure to, again, confirm invitation for next 24th European Fudokan championship, to be held in December 5 – 9, 2018 in Portoroz, Slovenia.

I'm happy to state the fact, that Fudokan is developing faster and faster, and each Championship became with revolutionary news each Year!

I would kindly focus your attention again, that it will be few great news and challenges for masters and participants, which will happen in Portoroz-2018:

- The European Fudokan Championship 2018 will consist three separate tournaments: traditional Fudokan, general Fudokan, and for the first time, Professional Karate Bouts-Pro! All to be held in one place at the same time!
- The competitions will be held at the 5. star St-Bernardin congress center hotel & resort!
- We are expecting more than 2500 competitors, in the one of the most beautiful Adriatic sport center of Europe!
- Different competition areas for different tournaments!
- The tournament will be finished by ultimate match between the finalists for professional karate tournaments qualifying!
- More than 1.000 prizes and medals for winners in all categories!

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

Yours sincerely,

EFC Chairman

Dr. Zurab Merabishvili, 7. Dan

Slovenia Fudokan federation

Co-organizing Committee of World Fudokan federation European Fudokan confederation and Slovenia Fudokan federation

To: EFC Officials

Dear Athletes, Coaches, Instructors, Officials, Judges and Friends of Karate,

On behalf of WORLD FUDOKAN FEDERATION, EUROPEAN FUDOKAN CONFEDERATION and SLOVENIA FUDOKAN FEDERATION-we have the greatest honor to invite all national federation

24th EUROPEAN FUDOKAN CHAMPIONSHIPS For Cadets, Juniors, Youth, Seniors and Veterans AND EUROPEAN CUP For children

to be held on December 05-09.2018 in Portoroz, Slovenia

During the Championship Fudokan Federation of Slovenia will be technical organizer of the mandatory international referee and coach Course in organization of Referee Committee of WFF, during which will be presented and fully analyzed Fudokan rules.

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

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

WELCOME!!!

PRESIDENT of EFC DR. ZURAB MERABISHVILI 7. DAN EXECUTIVE PRESIDENT OF WFF Univ. Prof. ILIJA JORGA, M.D., PhD Soke 10. DAN Founder of Fudokan and of WFF

PRESIDENT of SFF Mr.Aljosa Lipavc 4. DAN

24th EUROPEAN FUDOKAN CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR CADETS, JUNIORS, YOUTH, SENIORS AND VETERANS

24th EUROPEAN FUDOKAN CUP FOR CHILDREN

Place: Portoroz - Slovenia

Sanctioned by:

EUROPEAN FUDOKAN CONFEDERATION

President: Sensei Dr. Zurab Merabishvili M.D. 7.Dan

Approved by:

CHAIRMAN of WFF

Univ. prof. ILIJA JORGA M.D., Ph.D. Soke 10. DAN

Founder of FUDOKAN and WFF

Chief judge:

Univ. Prof. VLADIMIR JORGA, M.D., PhD 9. Dan

Technical assistant:

Sensei Igor Gajic 6. Dan

Administrative assistant:

Sensei Adrian Nedeloiu 5. Dan

Hosted by:

Slovenia FUDOKAN FEDERATION President: Mr. Aljosa Lipavc, 4. DAN

Organized by:

Tournament Organizing Committee (T.O.C.) of the EUROPEAN Fudokan Championships 2016

T.O.C. PRESIDENT:

Mr. Aljosa Lipavc, 4. DAN / President Slovenia FUDOKAN FEDERATION

Date: December, 05-09,2018
Place: PORTOROZ-SLOVENIA

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.
- Co-organizing countries have the right for a double quota of participants
- Each athlete must be a citizen of the represented country.
- Each athlete must know, fully 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 National Federation participants must be WFF Member for 2018

Participation at the World Championships and Cup is conditioned by the payment of all membership fees to WFF and EFC (affiliation – for the new members, annual membership fee for 2018).

All athletes who want to enter the European Fudokan Championships competitions MUST have a Fudokan BUDOPASS.

All athletes for Ippon-Shobu-Kumite must have gloves and mouth guard and groin protection for male and chest protection for female.

Recommendation: All competitors should to have SHINAM – Fudo -gi and gloves, issued by Technical committee of WFF

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE DELEGATIONS LEADERS!

On the registration for the competition, all delegations leaders must show to the WFF secretariat - DAN registration number for all black belt holders - for coaches, international judges and athletes.

* Only registered Black belt holders are allowed to enter the competition!

Dear federation leaders,

In order to have properly organized Championship - it is very important that you send your complete team applications (lists with names of participants and competition categories) by November 1^{st} , 2018.

24rd European Fudokan Cup for Children

Portoroz-Slovenia, 05 - 09 December, 2018

COMPETITION CATEGORIES

Each country shall be represented by official teams (without limit per country) with participants, aged 6 to 13 years old, and which will compete under the WFF/EFC - COMPETITION RULES.

A. CHILDREN I. 7 YEARS AND YOUNGER (BORN IN 2011 AND YOUNGER)

Individual Kata Girls	No limit per country	Team Kata Girls	No limit per country
Individual Kata Boys	No limit per country	Team Kata Boys	No limit per country
Enbu Girl-Boy	No limit per country	Enbu Boy-Boy	No limit per country
Individual Kihon girls	No limit per country	Individual kihon – ipon girls	No limit per country
Individual kihon boys	No limit per country	Individual kihon –ipon boys	No limit per country

B. CHILDREN II. AGE 8-9 YEARS (BORN IN 2009-2010)

Individual Kata Girls	No limit per country	Team Kata Girls	No limit per country
Individual Kata Boys	No limit per country	Team Kata Boys	No limit per country
Enbu Girl-Boy	No limit per country	Enbu Boy-Boy	No limit per country
Individual Kihon girls	No limit per country	Individual kihon – ipon girls	No limit per country
Individual kihon boys	No limit per country	Individual kihon –ipon boys	No limit per country

C. <u>CHILDREN III. AGE 10-11 YEARS (BORN IN 2007-2008)</u>

Individual Kata Girls	No limit per country	Team Kata Girls	No limit per country
Individual Kata Boys	No limit per country	Team Kata Boys	No limit per country
Ind. Jiyu-Ippon-Kumite Girls	No limit per country	Enbu Girl-Boy	No limit per country
Ind. Jiyu-ippon kumite boys	No limit per country	Enbu Boy-Boy	No limit per country
Individual Kihon girls	No limit per country	Team Jiyu-ippon kumite boy	No limit per country
Individual Kihon Boys	No limit per country	Team Jiyu-ippon kumite girls	No limit per country

D. CHILDREN IV. AGE 12-13 YEARS (BORN IN 2005-2006)

Individual Kata Girls	No limit per country	Team Kata Girls	No limit per country
Individual Kata Boys	No limit per country	Team Kata Boys	No limit per country
Ind. Jiyu-Ippon-Kumite Girls	No limit per country	Enbu Girl-Boy	No limit per country
Ind. jiyu-ippon kumite boys	No limit per country	Enbu Boy-Boy	No limit per country
Individual Kihon girls	No limit per country	Individual Kihon boys	No limit per country
Team jiyu-ippon kumite boys	No limit per country	Team jiyu-ippon kumite girls	No limit per country

COMPETITION RULES for European Childrens Cup

INDIVIDUAL KATA:

Groups A, B, C, D: eliminations, semi-finals, finals - flag system

TYPE OF KATA (individual and team):

Group A: elimination/ semi-final/ final Taikyoku, Heian 1-2-3,

Group B: elimination/ semi-final/ final Heian 1-2-3-4-5, Heian Oi Kumi

Group C: elimination/ semi-final/ final Heian 1-2-3-4-5, Heian Oi Kumi, Bassai-Dai

Group D: elimination/semi-final/finalHeian 1-2-3-4-5, Heian Oi-Kumi, Bassai-Dai,

Kanku Dai, Jion, Enpi, Taiji shodan

Team Kata: Each team will be composed of 3 contestants

(1 athlete can be from the younger group)

APLICATION OF KATA (Bunkai)

Children groups (only D) must demonstrate Application of Kata.

KIHON KUMITE:

From natural stance must step back with Gedan-barai and start techniques from left (Hidari) stance!

GROUP A, B

GROUP C, D

1. Oi-Zuki /Jodan	forward	1. Oi-Zuki /Jodan	forward
2. Age-Uke /Gyaku-Zuki	backward	2. Age-Uke /Gyaku-Zuki	backward
3. Gyaku-Zuki /Chudan	forward	3. Gyaku-Zuki /Chudan	forward
4. Uchi-Uke /Gyaku-Zuki	backward	4. Soto-Uke /Gyaku-Zuki	backward
5. Mae-Geri /Chudan	forward	5. Mae-Geri /Chudan	forward
6. Gedan-barai /Gyaku-Zuki	backward	6. Gedan-barai /Gyaku-Zuki	backward
		7. Mawashi-Geri /Jodan	forward
		8. Uchi-Uke / Gyaku-Zuki	backward

KIHON-IPPON KUMITE GROUP A:

ATTACK: Natural stance: Gedan-barai step back in zenkutsu dachi and attack techniques

from left (Hidari)

DEFENSE: Heiko (Yoi) dachi

1.

ATTACK: AKA - Oi-tsuki (jodan)

DEFENSE: SHIRO - Age-uke counter attack: Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan

2.

ATTACK: AKA - Oi-tsuki (chudan)

DEFENSE: SHIRO - Soto-uke counter attack: Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan

3.

ATTACK: AKA - Mae-geri (chudan)

DEFENSE: SHIRO - Gedan-barai counter attack: Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan

KIHON-IPPON KUMITE GROUP B:

1.

ATTACK: AKA - Oi-tsuki(jodan)

DEFENSE: SHIRO - Age-uke counter attack: Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan

2.

ATTACK: AKA - Mae-geri(chudan)

DEFENSE: SHIRO - Gedan-barai counter attack: Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan

3.

ATTACK: AKA - Mawashi-geri(chudan)

DEFENSE: SHIRO - Uchi-uke counter attack: Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan

JIUY IPPON KUMITE Group C and D:

ATTACK: Kizami-Tsuki-Jodan, Oi-Tsuki-Jodan, Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan, Mae-Geri-Chudan,

Mawashi-Geri- Jodan;

*IN FINAL MATCHES ONLY - plus RENZOKU-KOGEKI-WAZA: Kizami-Tsuki-Jodan - Mawashi-Geri-Jodan - Uraken-Uchi-Jodan -

Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan.

DEFENCE: ONLY Uke-waza, counter attack: Gyaku-Tsuki-Chudan

24rd European Fudokan Karate Championships

Participants aged 14+ (cadets, juniors, youth, seniors and veteran category), competing under WFF/EFC rules, as following:

Each country shall be represented by one official team.

COMPETITION CATEGORIES

E. CADETS AGE 14-15 YEARS (BORN IN 2003 – 2004)

Individual Kata Women	8 athletes/Country	Team Kata Women	2 team/Country
Individual Kata Men	8 athletes/Country	Team Kata Men	2 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Woman	8 athletes/Country	Enbu Woman/Man	2 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Men	8 athletes/Country	Enbu Man/Man	2 team/Country
Ind. Ko-go Kumite Women	8 athletes/Country	Ko-go Kumite team women	2 team/country
Ind. Ko-go Kumite Men	8 athletes/Country	Ko-go Kumite Team Men	2 team/Country

F. Juniors Age 16-18 YEARS (BORN IN 2000, 2001, 2002)

Individual Kata Women	8 athletes/Country	Team Kata Women	2 team/Country
Individual Kata Men	8 athletes/Country	Team Kata Men	2 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Woman	8 athletes/Country	Enbu Woman/Man	2 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Men	8 athletes/Country	Enbu Man/Man	2 team/Country
Ind. Ko-go Kumite Women	8 athletes/Country	Ko-go Kumite team women	2 team/country
Ind. Ko-go Kumite Men	8 athletes/Country	Ko-go Kumite Team Men	2 team/Country

G. Youths Age 19-21 YEARS (BORN IN 1997, 1998, 1999)

Individual Kata Women	8 athletes/Country	Team Kata Women	2 team/Country
Individual Kata Men	8 athletes/Country	Team Kata Men	2 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Woman	8 athletes/Country	Enbu Woman/Man	2 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Men	8 athletes/Country	Enbu Man/Man	2 team/Country
Ind. Kumite Women	8 athletes/Country	Kumite team women	2 team/country
Ind. Kumite Men	8 athletes/Country	Kumite Team Men	2 team/Country

H. SENIORS, YOUNGER GROUP (AGE FROM 21 - 34 YEARS)

Individual Kata Women	4 athletes/Country	Team Kata Women	1 team/Country
Individual Kata Men	4 athletes/Country	Team Kata Men	1 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Woman	4 athletes/Country	Enbu Woman/Man	1 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Men	4 athletes/Country	Enbu Man/Man	1 team/Country
Ind. Kumite Women	4 athletes/Country	Kumite team women	1 team/country
Ind. Kumite Men	4 athletes/Country	Kumite Team Men	1 team/Country

I. SENIORS, OLDER GROUP (AGE FROM 35 – 49 YEARS)

Individual Kata Women	4 athletes/Country	Team Kata Women	1 team/Country
Individual Kata Men	4 athletes/Country	Team Kata Men	1 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Woman	4 athletes/Country	Enbu Woman/Man	1 team/Country
Ind. Fuku-Go Men	4 athletes/Country	Enbu Man/Man	1 team/Country
Ind. Kumite Women	4 athletes/Country	Kumite team women	1 team/country
Ind. Kumite Men	4 athletes/Country	Kumite Team Men	1 team/Country

J. <u>VETERANS</u>

Kumite Age category	Kata Age category	Fuku Go Age category
50 to 54 year	50 to 54 year	50 to 54 year
55 to 59	55 to 59	55 to 59
60 to 64 year	60 to 64 year	60 to 64 year
65 to 69	65 to 69	65 to 69
70 and older	70 and older	70 and older

Participants of any age category can compete according to body weight in any of listed weight categories.

Kobudo	Tsume-Ai	Tamashiwari
Age category	Age category	Age category
Youth	Seniors group H,I (young – old)	Seniors group H,I (young – old)
Seniors group	Veterans J	Veterans J
H,I (young – old)	(all categories)	(all categories)
Veterans J (all categories)		

COMPETITION RULES for the European Championships

ATTENTION:

1. AN ATHLETE CAN PARTICIPATE IN INDIVIDUAL CATEGORIES ONLY IN HIS AGE CATEGORY. IF HE PARTICIPATES IN TEAM CATEGORY FOR AN OLDER AGE GROUP, HE CANNOT PARTICIPATE IN THE SAME TEAM CATEGORY IN HIS AGE GROUP

Example: one junior athlete can participate in individual categories for juniors. He can participate in team kata for youth. In this case he cannot be part of team kata juniors

2. The KUMITE event of FUKU-GO has the SAME RULES for each category as in INDIVIDUAL KUMITE or Kogo Kumite according with the category as below.

SYSTEM OF CONTEST:

INDIVIDUAL KATA:

Groups: E, F, G, H, I (E.F.K.C.) ELIMINATION AND SEMI-FINAL - FLAG SYSTEM, FINALS - POINT SYSTEM (DRAWING FOR PLACEMENT 1 TO 4)

TYPE OF KATA (individual and team):

E.F.K.C.

GROUPS: E, F, G, H, I, J - elimination/ semi-final/ final - All KATAS.

<u>Team Kata</u>: Each team will be composed of 3 contestants

(1 athlete can be from the younger group)

CHAMPIONSHIP PROGRAM:

1. Program for referees:

ATTENTION! ATTENDING THE JUDGE COURSE IS MANDATORY FOR ALL JUDGES!

THE JUDGES NOT ATTENDING THE SPECIAL JUDGE COURSE HELD BEFORE THE CHAMPIONSHIPS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO JUDGE AT COMPETITIONS.

ONLY A CLASS JUDGES SHOULD ARRIVE 24h BEFORE CHAMPIONSHIP!

December 05th 2018 - Wednesday

Arrival of Judges

18:00 - 19:00 - Judge Course:

CHIEF JUDGE - Univ. Prof. VLADIMIR JORGA, M.D., PhD, 9. DAN TECHNICAL ASSISTANT OF CHIEF JUDGE

Sensei Igor Gajic, 6. DAN

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT OF CHIEF JUDGE

Sensei Adrian Nedeloiu, 5. DAN

KOBUDO - Sensei Sergei Mirutenko, 7. DAN

TAMASHIWARI - Sensei Karl Hans König, 7. DAN

December 06th 2018 - Thursday

10:00 - 13:00 - Judge course

15:00 - 17:00 - Judge course

18:00 - EXAMS

2. Athletes program:

December 06th 2018 - Thursday

Arrival of teams to Portoroz, arrival to Ljubljana and transfer from airport to Hotels

08:00 - 21:00 - ENTRY REGISTRATION

Place: Office of the European Championship

21:00 - REGISTRATION DEADLINE

(In exceptional cases this deadline shall be extended, with prior notice, for delegations arriving late at the airport)

December 07th 2018 - Friday

09:00 - Start of competition

Eliminations, semi-finals, finals for Children Category Eliminations, semi-finals for Cadet and Junior Category

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch break

14:00 - Continue competition

16:00 - 17:00 Opening ceremony

17:00 - Continue competition

22.00 - End of competition

22:30 - E.F.C. congress - congress hall

December 08th 2018 - Saturday

09:00 - Start of competition

Finals for Cadets
Finals for Juniors
Eliminations, semi-finals for Category Youth
Eliminations, semi-finals for Category Seniors
Eliminations, semi-finals for Category Veterans

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch break

After the break, the completion continues.

22:00 - End of competition

December 09th 2018 - Sunday

09:00 - Start of competition

Finals for Category Youth
Finals for Category Seniors
Finals for Category Veterans
Eliminations, semi-finals, finals for KOBUDO
Eliminations, semi-finals, finals for TAMASHIWARI

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch break

After the break, the completion continues.

20:00 - End of competition

22:00 - Sayonara party

ENTRY PROCEDURE

The following documents must be sent to the Championships Organizational Committee latest by November 1st, 2018:

- 1. Completed entry application form (hotel and categories).
- 2. Completed "Medical Release" form for each competitor.

Entry fees – payable at the Championship Office by cash.

PARTICIPATION FEES

(Children) **EU 20** per person, per category

EU 25 per enbu team

EU 35 per team

PARTICIPATION FEES EU 25 per person, per category

(Cadets, Juniors, Youths, Seniors) **EU 30** per En-bu team

EU 40 per Kata/Kumite team

PARTICIPATION FEES for Judges:

JUDGES/COACH COURSE 35 EUR / Person

JUDGES EXAMS

(CATEGORY A,B,C,) KATA / EN-BU 25 EUR / Person

JUDGES EXAMS

(CATEGORY A,B,C,) KUMITE / FUKUGO 25 EUR / Person

VOUCHER 15 EUR PER PARTICIPANTS

(COMPETITORS, COACH, JUDGE)

DRAWING:

All Coaches may attend the drawing. It is strongly recommended for the coaches to attend the drawing till the end of the session and verify that their athletes participation is correctly selected.

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 organizers are not responsible for participants risk if participants are not insured, Personal belongings are always under responsibility of the owner.

Each participating Nation is required to bring its national anthem (on CD) and flags $1,5 \text{ m} \times 2\text{m}$.

If you have any questions, please contact:

EUROPEAN FUDOKAN CONFEDERATION

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We look forward to meeting you in Portoroz in Slovenia for the European Fudokan Karate Championships!

APPLICATION FORM

DATE:

Country/Organization									
Address:									
OFFI	CIALS								
No.	Name and Surname		Position		Sex	Rank			
REFE	EREES								
No.	Name and	Age		Sex	Rank	Judge Qualificatio			
	Surname					Ka	ata/Enbu	Kumi	te/fukug
COA	CHES								
No.	Name and Surname Sex		Sex	Rank					
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No.	Name and Surname Sex		Sex						

TITLE:....

SIGNATURE.....

HOTEL RESERVATION FORM

Country/Organization	
Address:	

Ν	Name	Sex	Arrival	Departure	Name of	single	twin	triple
					hotel			

DATE

SIGNATURE

MEDICAL RELEASE

Name:	
Country:	
Sex:	
Age:	
Age Category:	
PARTICIPATING CATEGORY:	

MY PRESENT HEALTH HISTORY IS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Extreme Heart Murmur	YES / NO
2. Severe hypertension	YES / NO
3. Recent Infection	YES / NO
4. Bone Fracture Within Past 6 Moth	YES / NO
5. Concussion or severe Head Trauma	YES / NO
6. Seizures	YES / NO
7. Eye Injury	YES / NO
8. Nose Injury	YES / NO
9. Severe Bone Bruise Requiring padding	YES / NO
10. Kidney Injury	YES / NO
11. Drug Allergies	YES / NO
12. Bleeding	YES / NO
13. Syncopes of Diff. Origin	YES / NO
14. Joint Injury	YES / NO
15. Disorders	YES / NO
16. Neck Injury	YES / NO
17. Facial Injury	YES / NO
18. Ear Injury	YES / NO

19. Hepatitis of Diff. Origin	YES / NO
20. Currently Taking Any Medication	YES / NO
21. Currently Taking Any Treatment	YES / NO

I'm officially confirming that my medical history is represented above, therefore I'm taking full responsibility – and hereby discharge tournament officials of all liabilities.

DATE: 2017	
Applicant's Signature:	
Coach Signature:	
Parent signature:	
REMARK:	
If you answer is "yes" to any of the above, you are require Committee before starting competition.	red to check with the Tournament Medical
(For official Use Only)	
APPROVED:; NOT APPROVED (for participation in the	nis event):
DATE:2018; CHIEF MEDICAL JUDGE:	