



Working Group for Mediterranean Wushu

GENERAL INFORMATION

FIRST MEDITERRANEAN KUNG FU CHAMPIONSHIPS

ATHENS, GREECE

DECEMBER 1 – DECEMBER 3, 2017

THE FIRST MEDITERRANEAN KUNG FU CHAMPIONSHIPS COMPETITION GENERAL INFORMATION

DATE & PLACE

The First Mediterranean Kung Fu Championships will take place between December 1 and 3, 2017 in Athens, Greece.

QUALIFICATIONS

Those eligible to participate are National Mediterranean Teams from IWUF member countries that are members of the International Committee of Mediterranean Games:

- Africa (*Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco and Tunisia*);
- Asia (*Lebanon and Syria*);
- Europe (*Albania, Andorra, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Cyprus, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, France, Greece, Italy, Malta, Monaco, Montenegro, San Marino, Serbia, Slovenia, Spain and Turkey*).

Other National Federations could be allowed to participate to the First Mediterranean Kung Fu Championships only with the authorization of the Working Group for Mediterranean Wushu.

Each participating country may at most submit one (1) team.

Each participating country's team may at most register:

- One (1) team leader;
- One (1) coach;
- One (1) doctor;
- Up to two (2) judges;
- The number of athletes permitted is not limited.

Each Kung Fu competitor should bring along with them a valid health certificate (including electrocardiogram – ECG, pulse and blood pressure) issued within 30 days prior to the beginning of the competition signed by a qualified doctor and a Life Accidental Injury Insurance Certificate. All competitors are required to submit a completed and signed waiver of liabilities form.

AGE CATEGORIES

Age Categories for Individual Events:

- Group A: 12 years of age and below (born on or after January 1st, 2006);
- Group B: From 12 to 17 years of age (born between January 1st, 2000 and December 31st, 2005);
- Group C: From 18 to 39 years of age (born between January 1st, 1978 and December 31st 1999);
- Group D: From 40 to 59 years of age (born between January 1st 1958 and December 31st 1977);
- Group E: 60 years of age and above (born on or before December 31st 1957).

COMPETITION EVENTS

The competition includes individual competition events.

The competition rules applied will conform to the rules for International Wushu Taolu Competition in the part of the "*Scoring Methods & Criteria for Events without Specific Requirements for Degree of Difficulty*".

- Individual Bare Hand Routine Events (*15 events divided into male and female categories*):
 - Taijiquan Type Events:
 - Chen Style (*Performance Content Limited to: Lao Jia Yi Lu, Lao Jia Er Lu, Xin Jia Yi Lu, Xin Jia Er Lu, Compulsory 56 Posture Routine, IWUF New Compulsory Chen Style Taijiquan Routine*);
 - Yang Style (*Performance Content Limited to: 108 Posture Routine, Compulsory 40 Posture Routine, IWUF New Compulsory Yang Style Taijiquan Routine*);

- Other Styles (*Performance Content Limited to: Traditional Wu Style Routine, Compulsory Wu style Routine, Traditional Wu (Hao) Style Routine, Compulsory Wu (Hao) 46 Posture Routine, Traditional Sun Style Routine, Compulsory Sun Style 73 Posture Routine, 42 Posture Standardized Taijiquan*).
- Nanquan Type Events:
 - Yongchunquan (Wing Chun) – (*Performance Content derived from traditional Yongchunquan routines*);
 - Wuzuquan (Ngo Cho Kune) – (*Performance Content derived from traditional Wuzuquan routines*);
 - Cailifoquan (Choy Lay Fut Kune) – (*Performance Content derived from traditional Cailifoquan routines*);
 - Hongjiaquan (Hung Gar Kune) – (*Performance Content derived from traditional Hongjiaquan routines*).
- Other Type Events:
 - Xingyiquan (*Performance Content derived from traditional Xingyiquan routines*);
 - Baguazhang (*Performance Content derived from traditional Baguazhang routines*);
 - Chaquan (*Performance Content derived from traditional Chaquan routines*);
 - Tanglangquan (*Performance Content derived from traditional Tanglangquan routines*);
 - Fanziquan (*Performance Content derived from traditional Fanziquan routines*);
 - Tongbeiquan (*Performance Content derived from traditional Tongbeiquan routines*);
 - Bajiquan (*Performance Content derived from traditional Bajiquan routines*);
 - Shaolinquan (*Performance Content Limited to: Xiao Hong Quan, Da Hong Quan, Lohan Quan, Tongbi Quan*).
- Individual Weapon Routine Events:
 - Single Weapon Routine (*Dao, Jian, Gun, Qiang, Pudaο, Guandao, Taiji Jian*).
 - Double Weapon Routine (*Shuang Dao, Shuang Jian*).

EVENT TIME LIMITS

Traditional bare hand routines and traditional weapon routines may not exceed two (2) minutes in total. Taijiquan routines may not exceed four (4) minutes in total. (During a performance, the head judge will signal the 3 minute mark by blowing a whistle.). Taiji weapon routines may not exceed three (3) minutes in total. (During a performance, the head judge will signal the 2 minute mark by blowing a whistle.). For compulsory taijiquan and compulsory taiji weapon routines, there will be no point deductions for the omission of set techniques.

ENTRIES

All final entries must reach the organizing committee and the IWUF Secretariat no later than 24:00 (Eastern European Time – EET) November 6, 2017. These must be sent by email to the below addresses:

Hellenic Wushu Federation: meditwushuoannis@yahoo.com,
board@wushu.org.gr,
 IWUF Secretariat: events@iwuf.org

ARRIVAL AND REGISTRATION

All participating teams and technical officials are required to arrive at the designated registration booth and register with the Organizing Committee on December 1, 2017. Arrival after the designated time may result in disqualification of the participant in question.

Any entry not duly confirmed at the Technical Meeting, will not be taken into consideration except for force majeure.

TECHNICAL MEETING

The Technical Meeting for team leader and coaches will take place at the designated place on December 1, 2017 in the afternoon during which all matters related to the competition will be announced.

PLACING AND AWARDS

- Individual
 - 1st place Gold Medal;
 - 2nd place Silver Medal;
 - 3rd place Bronze Medal;

FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

The international airfare and related travel expenses, as well as accommodation/participation fees of all participants (athletes, judges and team officials) shall be borne by the teams themselves.

ACCOMMODATION

The official hotel to be used is :

President Hotel Athens 4 star (www.president.hotelsathens.org)

Accommodation will be based on a “per person per day” for one person in a single room, two people in a double room and three people sharing a three bed room.

Breakfast, lunch, dinner and transportation are included in the price. Lunch will be provided in the stadium.

Costs :

Single Room : 77,00 euro per person per day

Double Room : 60,00 euro per person per day

Three Bed Room : 55,00 euro per person per day

Any extra costs associated with rooms (mini-bar, sauna etc.) shall be the responsibility of the individual.

Only official hotel will be used. Participants shall be required to use the official hotel as a condition of participation for the reason that we have already booked the hotel rooms.

PAYMENT

The participating team are requested to deposit of 120,00 euro/per person and submit the copies of payment to the Organizing Committee by email :

Hellenic Wushu Federation: meditwushuioannis@yahoo.com
 board@wushu.org.gr

Bank Information :

Bank name : ALPHA BANK

Account Name : LEONTARIS IOANNIS

Account Number : 7002101264173

IBAN : GR2701401270127002101264173

DOPING CONTROL

Doping control could be conducted during the First Mediterranean Kung Fu Championships according to the requirements of the International Wushu Federation and the World Anti – Doping Agency.

COSTUMES AND EQUIPMENT

Competitors shall wear traditional wushu competition costumes and shoes during all events. The competitors themselves must provide all competition costumes, shoes and weaponry.

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GENERAL PROGRAM

DATE	TIME	CONTENT	VENUE
December 1	Morning	Teams Arrival & Registration	TBA
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	Afternoon	Team Training	
	Evening	Judges' Refresher Course	
	Afternoon	Technical Meeting	
December 2	Afternoon	Kung Fu Competition	
December 3	Whole Day	Kung Fu Competition	
		Kung Fu Competition	
December 4	Whole Day	Departure	