



European Judo Union

European Judo Cup LONDON, GBR 2015 Top Ranking



LONDON/GREAT BRITAIN
July 11 & 12, 2015

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2. Program

Attention: The schedule may be modified according to total number of entries and circumstances of competition.

Friday, July 10th 2015		
10:00 – 18:00	Accreditation	Crowne Plaza, Heathrow
Attention: After 18:00 there will be no possibility for adding or changing the entries. Delegations are requested to arrive earlier than 16:00 at Heathrow Airport.		
18:30 – 19:00	Unofficial weigh-in	Crowne Plaza, Heathrow
19:00 – 19:30	Official weigh-in: Women: -48, -52, -57, -63 kg Men: 60, -66, -73 kg	Crowne Plaza, Heathrow
19:00	Meeting of the referees	Crowne Plaza, Heathrow
20:30	Draw	Crowne Plaza, Heathrow
Saturday, July 11th 2015 Women: -48, -52, -57, -63 kg; Men: 60, -66, -73 kg		
10:30	Eliminations/Repechage/Semi finals	The SSE Arena, Wembley
15:30	Opening Ceremony	The SSE Arena, Wembley
15:45	Final Block: Bronze Medal Contests, Finals	The SSE Arena, Wembley
18:30 – 19:00	Unofficial weigh-in	The SSE Arena, Wembley
19:00 – 19:30	Official weigh-in: Women: -70, -78, +78 kg Men: -81, -90, -100, +100 kg	The SSE Arena, Wembley
Sunday, June 12th 2015 Women: -70, -78, +78 kg; Men: -81, -90, -100, +100 kg		
10:30	Eliminations/Repechage/Semi finals	The SSE Arena, Wembley
15:30	Final Block: Bronze Medal Contests, Finals	The SSE Arena, Wembley

3. Competition Place

The SSE Arena, Wembley

Address: Arena Square, Engineers Way, London HA9 0AA



4. Age

15 years old and over (Born in 2000 and before)

5. Participation

This European Judo Cup is open for all EJU/IJF Member Federations. There is no limit in the number of participation for each weight category for every federation. The competitors must be of the same nationality as the National Federation, which enters them.

6. Categories & Duration

Female: -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, -78, +78 kg

Duration: 4 minutes Golden Score: No time limit

Male: -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, -100, +100 kg

Duration: 5 minutes Golden Score: No time limit

7. Accreditation & Control of Nationality

At least one team official and maximum two must attend the accreditation on **Friday from 10:00 to 18:00** in order to confirm the delegation. Without this confirmation in time, a nation/club will not be put into the draw and will not be allowed to compete.

Passports or photocopies of passports from all competitors must be available on request (national ID Card showing nationality and date of birth or a copy is also accepted). An EJU accreditation card with a photograph will be issued to competitors and officials.

8. JUDOBASE Registration

All participants and delegates must be registered for this event in the IJF Registration System (**JUDOBASE**): <https://admin.judobase.org/> .

Deadline for JUDOBASE Registration is **Monday July 06th 2015**.

After the deadline further registrations (late entries, replacements) are exclusively handled during accreditation according to the following rules:

	NO IJF Official ID Card	Late entry IJF Official ID Card: YES	Replacement IJF Official ID Card: YES
Athletes		30€	0€
Other delegates (Head of delegation, Coaches, Physios, Doctors, ...)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENTRY NOT POSSIBLE • REPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE 	0€	0€

Please note:

- Above mentioned penalties have to be paid in cash on spot.
- Persons without IJF ID Card can only be entered on spot, if IJF ID Card will be ordered until end of Accreditation.
- Persons, who are banned by their Federation cannot be entered as late entry or replacement.

9. Deadlines

Numerical Inscription:	Friday, June 12, 2015
Visa Application:	Friday, June 12, 2015
Hotel Reservation:	Friday, June 12, 2015
Hotel Payment:	Friday, June 26, 2015
Travel details:	Friday, June 26, 2015
JUDOBASE Registration:	Monday, July 6, 2015

10. Weigh-in

Official weigh-in for each weight category is held the evening before the competition day (see programme). Athletes must present their EJU accreditation card and his/her passport (National ID Cards showing nationality and date of birth are also accepted).

Official scales will be available for test weigh-in on Friday from 08:00 - 22:00 (except during official weigh-in from 19:00 - 19:30) and on Saturday from 08:00 - 19:00).

Athletes must present accreditation card and his/her passport (National ID Card showing nationality and date of birth are also accepted).

11. Competition Mode

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest IJF SOR and IJF Refereeing Rules.

Competition systems according to number of participants:

- 6 and more entries: Double repechage
- 3,4,5 entries: Round robin
- 2 entries: better of 2 fights, if 1-1 the third match will decide

In order for an athlete to obtain points for the European Ranking List, her/his weight category should have participants from at least 2 different countries. If this is not the case, the competition can still be held, according to the organiser's decision.

If, by the nominal deadline, there is only one country inscribed in any weight category, the organiser is obliged to inform immediately the National Federation concerned.

12. Draw

The draw will take place on **Friday 10 July at 20:30hrs** at the Crowne Plaza, Heathrow.

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

13. Refereeing

Each federation may enter 2 referees. The organizing federation may enter as many referees as required for the realisation of the tournament. The requirement in refereeing is at least the highest national licence and some years of experience as a referee.

The Referee Meeting will be held **Friday evening (see program)**. The attendance to the Referee meeting is strictly compulsory. The referees should be dressed formally for this meeting.

The bow:

- The contestants must not shake hands BEFORE the start of the contest.
- When the athletes are leaving the mat they must wear judogi in proper way and are not allowed to take out any part of the judogi or the belt before leaving the field of play.

14. Coaching

All coaches must fully adhere to the Code of Conduct for Judo Coaches.

Dress Code	Draw:	Jacket suit and tie
	Elimination rounds:	National track suit with trousers reaching down to shoes or jacket suit with tie
	Final block:	Jacket suit with tie

15. Judogi Control

Approved Judogi

All Judoka must compete in IJF Approved Judogi (see www.ijf.org). The following EJU suppliers offer IJF approved judogi: ADIDAS, GREEN HILL, SFJAM NORIS, HIKU (BUDO SPORT AG)

Judogi Control

It will be operated with a Sokuteiki prior to the fight. Judogi must have an IJF Official Label "APPROVED JUDOGEI" with an optical code which cannot be falsified. The label will be controlled with an optical lamp. Each of the competition clothing articles (jacket, trousers and belt) must have an IJF official label.

Backnumber

Each competitor taking part in the EJU events is obliged to have sewn on the back of his Judogi the official backnumber (both EJU and IJF are allowed) bearing his surname and his National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The backnumber can be ordered from www.mybacknumber.com or www.ijfbacknumber.com (Attention: production and delivery may take around 4 weeks). The SPONSOR part (if needed) will be given to the head of delegation during registration, and the athletes can stick it themselves using the special glue on the back number.

Markings and Advertising

The space on the **shoulder stripes** (25cm x 5 cm on both right and left side) can be either used for EJU Master and Top Suppliers (currently ADIDAS, GREEN HILL and SFJAM NORIS) or for own sponsors of the Federation or Judoka, **BUT not for any other Judogi supplier**.

The space on the **upper arms** (10cm x 10cm on both right and left side) can be used by federations and their Judoka as usual for their own benefit.

The space on the **right chest** (5cm x 10cm) can be used by federations and their Judoka for their own sponsors. The logo of a Judogi brand can only be used, if it corresponds with brand of the Judogi itself and if it is of an EJU Master or Top Supplier (currently ADIDAS, GREEN HILL and SFJAM NORIS).

Please note: On all advertising spaces it is strictly prohibited to promote tobacco, alcohol, any substances listed in the doping code, or any product or service contrary to public morals.

The space on the **left chest** (10cm x 10cm) can be used for the national colours or the national emblem corresponding with the IOC code on the backnumber (regional emblems are not allowed). In European Club Championships the club logo can be used instead of the national emblem.

All other markings on the Judogi, like Judogi brand logos, name of Judoka, etc. have to comply with the IJF Judogi Rules.

Detailed information is available on <http://www.eju.net/statutes>.

Important:

- If an athlete does not respect the Judogi rules, the athlete will not be permitted to pass the Judogi Control, and the coach who is responsible for the athlete will be suspended for the rest of the competition day.
- The organiser is not obliged to provide reserve Judogi at Judogi Control, but the athlete is allowed to present himself in another IJF Approved Judogi, complying with the Sokuteiki rule (and without backnumber) - in this case no coach can go with this athlete to the mat!
- In the case of a repeated offence the coach will be suspended for the rest of the competition.

16. Transport

Airport: Heathrow Airport, London, UK

The organiser will provide transfers between the Airport and the official hotel from Costa Coffee in Terminal 5. This service will be a shuttle every 1 hours (times TBC).

If you prefer to make your own way from your arrival terminal to the hotel you can take the Hoppa Bus which costs £5.00 (approx 7€) per single journey or £9.00 (approx 13€) per return journey.

Hoppa Bus from T1: Bus Stop 3 (Bus H1)

Hoppa Bus from T2: Bus Stop 9 (Bus H1)

Hoppa Bus from T3: Bus Stop 17 (Bus H1)

Hoppa Bus from T4: Bus Stop 12 (Bus H51)

The organiser will also provide transport between the official hotel and competition venue.

Transportation will be offered only to those participants who are accommodated via the organiser at the official hotel.

It is strongly recommended to fly into Heathrow Airport as the official hotel is located there.

If you are arriving at any other airport or require any assistance with your travel arrangements to the Crowne Plaza Heathrow, CSE will be able to assist you so please contact them via their online booking tool or judo@cseplc.com. Please note: Transfers from alternative transport terminals will be priced on request by CSE. Transportation will be offered to those participants who are accommodated in the official hotel only.

Please note, travelling time to The SSE Arena, Wembley from Crowne Plaza Heathrow is approximately 40 minutes.

17. Accommodation

Only international teams who book accommodation via the official partners CSE will be offer free transportation from Heathrow Airport, Official Hotel and The SSE Arena. The organisers encourage all teams to be accommodated at the official hotel.

Accommodation and logistics organizer:

Crowne Plaza London Heathrow
Stockley Road, Drayton,
London, UB7 9NA

Email: judo@cseplc.com
tel.: +44 (00) 1216474094

The 2015 London British Open accommodation booking will be administered via the online booking tool provided by Corporate & Sporting Events (CSE) to gather all teams and individual's entry information and accommodation requirements.

All teams or individuals who wish to book accommodation for this event must contact CSE on judo@cseplc.com or +44 (0) 1216474094 to start their application process. Once completed, the individual will be issued a link to set up and authorise their personal account which will then be password protected. The account can be accessed 24 hours a day for individuals to make additions or amendments.

To start your accommodation booking process (GBR or International) please email judo@cseplc.com and include the subject title of you email, '2015 London British Open'.

The CSE online booking tool will allow the individual to amend their accommodation easily. All information provided by the individual will be confirmed via email and will be confidential.

All International delegations / competitors must complete the CSE online booking tool (judo@cseplc.com) by Friday 26th June 2015.

All accommodation bookings including finance settlement MUST be complete by Friday 26th June 2015.

Competitors not accommodated in the official hotel will not be eligible for any transportation what so ever. Players and Team not accommodated via CSE at the official hotel must provide their own transport from, arrival and departure point, to and from registration and weigh-ins, and competition venue and hotel.

Please note: Entry must be made via the IJF Judobase. Entry and accommodation booking are two different booking tools.

The following accommodation is available at specially negotiated rates and available only when booked direct through the CSE online booking tool by the closing date strictly Friday 26th June 2015.

Please do not pay any money directly with the hotel as this will exclude and transfers to and from the competition venue.

Hotel 1: Crowne Plaza London Heathrow

<http://www.cpheathrowairportohotel.co.uk/>

Prices per person/night:

	Bed & Breakfast	Dinner
Single room	£110 (155€)	£20 (30€)
Double room	£70 (100€)	£20 (30€)

Distance from the Sports Hall: 40 minutes

Hotel rates below include Bed, Breakfast & shuttle transfers to and from the hotel to The SSE Arena, Wembley on competition days.

Reservations at the official hotels have to be booked exclusively through the organizer on a first come – first serve base.

Hotel reservation deadline: Friday, June 12, 2015

Possible reservations of extra rooms after the hotel reservation deadline will be surcharged with an additional 10%. NO exceptions will be made.

Countries which cannot make bank transfers are entitled to pay in cash money upon arrival without any surcharge, if they inform the organizer and specify the number of participants before the hotel reservation deadline. No rooms can be cancelled upon arrive and the full cost of the reserved rooms is payable.

In case of any damage to hotel property or competition venue caused by members of a delegation, their national federation will be charged by the organizing committee.

All rooms will be allocated on a first come first serve basis and will only be guaranteed, processed and confirmed once payment is received. Hotel rooms are non-cancellable and non-refundable under any circumstances.

Rooms are limited so early booking is highly recommended.

On arrival, guests staying at the Crowne Plaza, Heathrow for this event must check-in in the **MADISON ROOM**, not the hotel's front desk.

Countries which cannot make bank transfers are entitled to pay in cash money upon arrival without any surcharge, if they inform the organizer and specify the number of participants before the hotel reservation deadline. No rooms can be cancelled upon arrive and the full cost of the reserved rooms is payable.

Athletes and teams accommodated in the official hotel will be included in transportation to and from the competition venue and will also be in the best location to complete the registration, drawn and weigh-in processes.

Delegates not accommodated in the official hotel will have to make all their own transport arrangements.

18. Accommodation Payment

All accommodation payments are to be made via the CSE. Once the booking is received via the online booking tool CSE will email an invoice which is to be paid immediately. NO ACCOMMODATION PAYMENTS are to be made directly to the British Judo Association, EJU or the Hotel.

All payments must be made to CSE, as above by Friday 26th June 2015.

All bank fees and money transfer costs must be paid by the sender federation. Payment is also possible on the spot in cash if agreed in advance (see 16. Accommodation).

If you have any questions on accommodation or transport payments please contact CSE on judo@cseplc.com.

19. Entry Fee

An entry fee of £25 (30€) per athlete is payable per athlete at accreditation on Friday 10th July 2015. Payment can be made via cash or credit card.

Accreditations will not be issued until all entry fees and accommodation payments have been made.

Any hotel or entry fees MUST be paid before the athlete is given their accommodation keys, accreditation and will not be included in the draw until any unpaid fees have been received by the organisers.

20. Anti-Doping

Anti-doping tests might be executed according to the EJU Medical Handbook.

Detailed guidelines and information can be found on the EJU website: <http://www.eju.net/statutes>

21. Responsibility of Federations

The competitors will compete under the full responsibility of their federations. Insurance: Each national federation is responsible for insuring its competitors against "injury and third part risk (public liability)" during the period of the event. The European Judo Union and the organiser decline all responsibility.

22. Media

Journalists can apply for Media accreditation by sending their request directly to the organiser.

23. Visa

For nations who need VISA to enter Great Britain, please send the enclosed "Visa Application Form" fully filled not later than Friday, 12th June 2015.