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To: WTKF European Member Federations

Re: 33rd European Traditional Karate-Do Championships 2017 November 2-5, 2017 Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

On behalf of the World Traditional Karate-Do Federation and Tournament Organizing Committee we are proud and honoured to invite all WTKF European Members to take part in the 33rd European Traditional Karate-Do Championships 2017 to be held on November 2-5, 2017 in Cluj-Napoca (Romania).

Sincerely Yours,

Włodzimierz Kwieciński WTKF President

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I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Title: 33^{rd} European Traditional Karate-Do Championships 2017Sanctioned by:World Traditional Karate-Do Federation (WTKF)Tournament venue:Polyvalent Hall Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

II. PARTICIPANTS

All athletes that are selected by the respective WTKF National Federations to compete must fulfil the following conditions:

- 1. They must have the WTKF registered black belt (Shodan or higher) registration number. This applies to age categories seniors, youth, juniors and cadets.
- 2. Age in agreement with their competition category.
- 3. They must know, fully understand and be able to compete in accordance with the WTKF competition rules.
- 4. They must be free of any physical or mental handicap that might cause a breach of the WTKF rules.
- 5. All KUMITE, KO-GO and FUKU-GO athletes are obliged to have mouth (tooth) guards (breast-protection for women, groin protector for men are optional, but recommended safety equipment).
- 6. They must have his/her own <u>international traveling insurance</u> and also <u>personal accident insurance</u> issued by their respective National Federations.
- 7. They must belong to a National Federation which is a full and paid-up member of the WTKF including the year 2017.
- 8. They must present Medical Release and International Health Insurance to Medical Emergencies.
- 9. All countries must bring two national flags.



Using Ko-go Kumite

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III. COMPETITION RULES

WTKF COMPETITION RULES

IV. CATEGORIES & NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Age and competition categories

Women's Individual Kata

Men's Individual Kumite

| (| CADET 14-15 years old; born in 20 | 03 and 2002) |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| COMPETITION CATEGORIES | Number of Athletes | Remarks |
| Men's Individual Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Women's Individual Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Men's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | Using Ko-go Kumite |
| Women's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | Using Ko-go Kumite |
| Men's kumite | 3 athletes | Using Ko-go Kumite |
| Women's kumite | 3 athletes | Using Ko-go Kumite |
| (| JUNIOR 16-17 years old; born in 20 | 01 and 2000) |
| COMPETITION CATEGORIES | Number of Athletes | Remarks |
| Men's Individual Kata | 3 athletes | |

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| Women's Individual Kumite | 3 athletes | Using Ko-go Kumite |
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| Men's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | Using Ko-go Kumite |
| Women's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | Using Ko-go Kumite |

CADET (14-15 years old; born in 2003 and 2002)

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JUNIOR (16-17 years old; born in 2001 and 2000)

| COMPETITION CATEGORIES | Number of Athletes | Remarks |
|------------------------------|--------------------|---------|
| Men's Synchronized Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Women's Synchronized Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Men's En-bu | 2 athletes | |
| Mixed En-bu | 2 athletes | |

YOUTH (18-19-20 years old; born in 1999, 1998 1997)

| COMPETITION CATEGORIES | Number of Athletes | Remarks |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Men's Individual Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Women's Individual Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Men's Individual Kumite | 3 athletes | Using Jiyu Kumite |



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| Women's Individual Kumite | 3 athletes | Using Jiyu Kumite |
|------------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Men's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | Using Jiyu Kumite |
| Women's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | Using Jiyu Kumite |

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| (age 21 + ; born in 1996 and before) | | |
| COMPETITION CATEGORIES | Number of Athletes | Remarks |
| Men's Individual Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Women's Individual Kata | 3 athletes | |
| Men's Individual Kumite | 3 athletes | Using Jiyu Kumite |
| Women's Individual Kumite | 3 athletes | Using Jiyu Kumite |
| Men's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | |
| Women's Fuku-go | 3 athletes | |
| (18- | YC 19-20 years old; b | COMPETITION OUTH orn in 1999, 1998, 1997) + |
| SENIOR (age 21 + ; born in 1996 and before) | | |
| | | |
| Men's Synchronized Kata | 3 athletes | |



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| Kata | | |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Men's En-bu | 2 athletes | |
| Mixed En-bu | 2 athletes | |
| Women's Team Kumite | 3 athletes + 1 | Using Jiyu Kumite |
| Men's Team Kumite | 3 athletes + 1 | Using Jiyu Kumite |

V. APPLICATIONS & REGISTRATION

A. Applications

The instruction, how to register in the online registration system, will be sent to the National Federations very soon.

B. Participation Fees

33rd European Traditional Karate-Do Championships 2017:

60 Eur for athlete (only one fee, and athlete can participate in all competitions)

60 Eur for coach

VI. JUDGES

- 1. Selection of the Judges will be made by the WTKF Technical Committee Members during the WTKF Judges' Refresher Course held right before the European Championships on November 3, 2017 in Cluj-Napoca (Romania).
- 2. Judges participating in this event have to be WTKF Registered Qualified Judges (class A, B, C) who have participated in the Judges' Refresher Course held before the tournament and completed the WTKF Judges' Refresher Course held in 2017.
- 3. All Judges must bring their own HAKAMA (black), whistle and clean KARATEGI including navy blue KARATEGI top.



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VII. VISA

Please contact your local embassy for visa procedure. In case of you need invitation, please contact our T.O.C.

VIII. CONTACT INFORMATION

If we can be of any further assistance or if you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact us through the website or e-mail. Update information regarding the Championships can be also found on this website.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

We are looking forward to seeing you in Cluj-Napoca.