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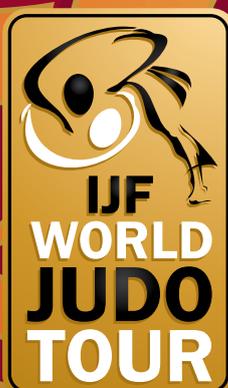
JUDO

OSAKA GRAND SLAM

2018 JAPAN

23-25 November

#JudoOsaka2018





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 @MariusVizer

It is an honour for the International Judo Federation to welcome you all to Japan on the occasion of the Osaka Grand Slam 2018.

We are very pleased to welcome judoka, coaches, officials, referees, media and all members of judo family to Japan for our final Grand Slam of the year which this year has moved from Tokyo to Osaka.

With preparations at an advanced stage in Tokyo for the next Olympiad and the World Judo Championships 2019, we have mutually agreed with the All Japan Judo Federation to relocate our Grand Slam competition for 2018 to Osaka, the host city of 2003 World Judo Championships and a true judo city.

The IJF and All Japan Judo Federation have a rich collaboration and are working closely with the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games Organising Committee to make sure that judo shines brightest at its homecoming in 2020 and is propelled new heights.

I would like to thank the All Japan Judo Federation and the Kodokan Judo Institute, for preserving and promoting the values of our sport and ideals of Shihan Kano Jigoro. I wish everyone an enjoyable and successful stay in Japan.

Best regards,

Marius L. VIZER
President
International Judo Federation

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Dear distinguished guests from the IJF and the Judo family from across the globe, it is our pleasure to welcome you to the Maruzen Intec Arena for the first edition of the Grand Slam Osaka.

It has been fifteen years since Osaka hosted its last international tournament – the 2003 World Championships; we can expect a lively crowd of Judo lovers here in Osaka.

This prestigious tournament will be competed amongst the best Judokas in the world including participants achieving great success at the 2018 Baku World Championships. With the Olympic Qualification period having kicked off in May this year, there will be heated rivalries and thrilling contests. I wish all judoka's participating in this tournament further develop their skills towards the 2019 Tokyo World Championships and 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games.

Before Judo became recognized as an Olympic sport, Professor Jigoro Kano, Judo's founding father, devoted himself to the principle of "human education" through one's lifelong practice of Judo, fostering those who honed Judo's fundamental values of confidence, etiquette, and dignity. In order to uphold his work, the All Japan Judo Federation has been promoting the "Judo MIND Project" which stands for the key principles of Manners, Independence, Nobility and Dignity. I sincerely hope that these fundamental values of Judo will spread around the world, through the Judo family here, attending this event.

I wish that all Judoka who represents the worldwide Judo family, fully demonstrate the results of their daily efforts, and inspire fans from all over the world. I expect you not to be arrogant after victory nor to be discouraged by defeat, but to have respect for your opponent and always have in heart the values of dignity and respect when on the tatami.

Moreover, I sincerely hope that you nurture close friendships here in Japan, the host country of the upcoming World Championships and Olympic Games, and that your stay would be a memorable one.

Last but not the least, I would like to express my cordial gratitude towards all who contributed to the success of this prestigious event.

Yasuhiro YAMASHITA
President
All Japan Judo Federation



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1. DEADLINES

PLEASE RESPECT ALL DEADLINES AND RULES DETAILED IN THESE OUTLINES.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Hotel reservation **KNT(ecc-desk7@or.knt.co.jp): 9 October 2018**

Hotel full payment **KNT(ecc-desk7@or.knt.co.jp): 29 October 2018**

Hotel reservations on and after 10 October 2018, and payments on and after 30 October 2018 will be surcharged with 10 %.

Note: The organisers will do their best to provide your first choice of accommodation but as rooms might be limited this cannot be guaranteed. After the accommodation deadline, the organiser cannot promise rooms in the hotels detailed in these outlines and another official hotel may be added.

VISAS - 29 October 2018

Visa application (with passport photocopies and all information requested in the Visa Application Form) **AJJF (gstokyo@judo.or.jp)**.

Visa applications will only be accepted for people who are inscribed in judobase.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES - 29 October 2018

Travel information **AJJF (gstokyo@judo.or.jp)** & **KNT (ecc-desk7@or.knt.co.jp)**:

EVENT INSCRIPTION - 2 November 2018 23:59 CET

www.judobase.org, for any support/assistance please contact registration@ijf.org before the end of the deadline.

During the period of Olympic qualification under no circumstances will a late entry, for an athlete, be accepted.



2. ORGANIZERS

All Japan Judo Federation (AJJF)

1-16-30-5F, Kasuga, Bunkyo-Ku, Tokyo, 112-0003, Tokyo

+81-3-3818-5009 **gstokyo@judo.or.jp**

Emergency contact during the event

General enquiries - **gstokyo@judo.or.jp**

Accommodation / Transport - Koichi Kamohara +81-80-1026-1393



3. COMPETITION VENUE

Maruzen Intec Arena Osaka

3-1-40, Tanaka, Minato-Ku, Osaka-Shi, Osaka, 552-0005

/www.yahataya-park.jp/osaka_arena/index.html

Number of spectator seats: 10,000

Tickets: will be sold only in Japan

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4. PROGRAMME

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	
Wednesday 21 November 2018	14:00-20:00	Accreditation	Maruzen Intec Arena
Thursday 22 November 2018	9:00-12:00	Accreditation	Maruzen Intec Arena
	14:00	Draw	
	19:00-20:30	Judogi back number check	
	19:30 -20:00 20:00-20:30	Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: 48 kg, 52 kg M: 60 kg, 66 kg	
Friday 23 November 2018		Competition day 1 W: 48 kg, 52 kg M: 60 kg, 66 kg	Maruzen Intec Arena
	10:00* 17:30	Preliminaries (on 4 tatami) Final Block (on 1 tatami)	
	19:00-20:30 19:30 -20:00 20:00-20:30	Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: 57 kg, 63 kg, 70 kg, M: 73 kg, 81 kg	
Saturday 24 November 2018		Competition day 2 W: 57 kg, 63 kg, 70 kg, M: 73 kg, 81 kg	Maruzen Intec Arena
	10:00* 17:30	Preliminaries (on 4 tatami) Final Block (on 1 tatami)	
	19:00-20:30 19:30 -20:00 20:00-20:30	Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: 78 kg, +78 kg M: 90 kg, 100 kg, +100 kg	
Sunday 25 November 2018		Competition day 3 W: 78 kg, +78 kg M: 90 kg, 100 kg, +100 kg	Maruzen Intec Arena
	10:00* 17:30	Preliminaries (on 4 tatami) Final Block (on 1 tatami)	
Monday 26 November 2018	Departures/Training Camp		

* The start time may change depending on the final number of athletes.



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5. VISA

The organiser is happy to help any country with obtaining visa for athletes and officials. For nations, who need a visa to enter the organizing country, please send a full list of participants with scanned copies of all passports, colour passport photos and all information requested in the Visa Form before the deadline stipulated.

Visa contact: gstokyo@judo.or.jp



6. TRANSPORT

The organizer will provide transportation between Kansai International Airport (KIX) from/to the official hotels on delegations' arrivals on 20 November - 21 November 2018 and departures on 26 November 2018 and a bus service to and from the competition venue.

Transport contact: gstokyo@judo.or.jp & ecc-desk7@or.knt.co.jp



7. ACCOMMODATION

All accommodation enquiries should be sent to: ecc-desk7@or.knt.co.jp

For the reservations of the Hotels, priority will be given to groups reserving three nights or more.

CATEGORY A. Art Hotel Osaka Bay Tower

1-2-1 Benten Minato-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka 552-0007 Japan, +81-6-6577-1111

www.mystays.com/en-us/hotel-art-hotel-osaka-bay-tower-osaka/

Check-in time 15:00 / check-out time 11:00

Single Room (15 m²): 25,000 JPY / night / person

Twin Room (18 m²): 20,000 JPY / night / person

Tax, service charge and breakfast are included.

Distance from the competition place: 2.4 km

Distance from Kansai airport: 45.5 km

CATEGORY B. Osaka Academia

1-3-5 Nankoukita Suminoku Osaka-shi Osaka 559-0034 Japan, +81-6-6612-7733

osakaacademia.com/accommodation/index.html (Japanese page only)

Check-in time 15:00 / check-out time 10:00

Single Room (15 m²): 20,000 JPY / night / person

Dormitory Twin Room (15 m²): 17,000 JPY / night / person

Tax, service charge, breakfast and dinner are included.

Distance from the competition place: 5.7 km

Distance from Kansai airport: 38.5 km



Kinki Nippon Tourist Corporate Business Co., Ltd. (KNT) is pleased to assist with all hotel reservations. Please fill out the "Application Form" and submit it to KNT (ecc-desk7@or.knt.co.jp).

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Hotel reservations can ONLY be made through the official travel agency (KNT) on a first come first served basis. Hotel reservations must be made before **9 October 2018**. Full payment must be received before **29 October 2018**.

Cancellation of rooms cannot be made at check-in. Illness, injuries or visa problems are not valid reasons for the cancellation of rooms. If rooms need to be cancelled please inform the organiser immediately and charges will be incurred as follows:

- Before 16 October 2018, full refund.
- From 17 October to 29 October 2018, 50% refund
- On and after 30 October 2018, any cancellation of rooms or no-show will result in 100% of the charge of the hotel costs that must be paid by the National Federations.

BANK DETAILS

Beneficiary's Name: KINKI NIPPON TOURIST CORPORATE BUSINESS CO., LTD
Bank Name: SUMITOMO MITSUI BANKING CORPORATION
Branch Name: Suzuran (Branch Code 760) by SWIFT directly
Bank A/C No: 7300731
Bank Address: 1-5-28, Shimanouchi, Chuo-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka
SWIFT Code: SMBCJPJT

Please input the bank information correctly and completely on the transfer document and any procedures related to amendment of the bank transfer **MUST** be done before arrival.

Delegations must ensure that all bank charges are paid at their end so that the organisers receive the correct amount of funds without any deductions. It is helpful if the payment has been done late that the person attending accreditation brings proof of the bank transfer.

8. TRAINING

Training is the responsibility of the organizing federation. Planning and scheduling of training sessions will be organized taking into consideration requests made by delegations daily on a first request made first served basis.

Contact: All Japan Judo Federation International Department gstokyo@judo.or.jp
Training venue: Maruzen Intec Arena Osaka
Dates of training: 21 - 22 November 2018 from 10:00 to 20:00

9. JUDO GI

Athletes must compete wearing an IJF approved judogi supplied by one of the following manufacturers: **Taishan, Double D Adidas, BasicItalia (Kappa), Budo Sport AG (Hiku), Danrho Kwon KG, Daedo, Essimo, Fighting Films, Green Hill, Kusakura (Hayakawa), Ipponshop, Mizuno, Matsuru B.V, SFJAM Noris, Toyo Martial Arts and Yawara.**





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10. MEDALS AND PRIZE MONEY

First place - Gold medal and 5,000 US\$ (judoka: 4,000 US\$ and coach 1,000 US\$)

Second place - Silver medal and 3,000 US\$ (judoka: 2,400 US\$ and coach 600 US\$)

Third places (x2) - Bronze medals and 1,500 US\$ for each (judoka: 1,200 US\$ and coach 300 US\$)

IMPORTANT: For the prize money to be paid each medallist must bring a copy of their passport and their personal tax number to the awarding ceremony.



11. DOPING CONTROL

Doping control will include in each category:

- a. the winner of the category
- b. one of the three other medal winners by draw

The draw (for b) is carried out in accordance with the IJF Anti-doping Rules and the IJF SOR during the competition before the start of the final block.

Competitors must report to the Doping Control Station immediately after signing the Notification form. Pursuant to WADA ISTI Art. 5.4.4, prior to doping control, athletes can take part in the awarding ceremony and fulfil their press commitments or receive medical treatment if needed. The selected competitors will be constantly accompanied by an official chaperone (appointed by the organizing committee) from the time of notification until arriving at the Doping Control Station. A person of the athlete's choice (team doctor, coach, trainer, delegation head etc.) may accompany them.

12. INTERNATIONAL TRAINING CAMP

Please note that the International Training Camp will be held in TOKYO (not in Osaka).

Transportation from Osaka Grand Slam official hotels to the International Training Camp hotels will be arranged ONLY for International Training Camp hotel package participants. Transfer date is 26 November and a charter bus will be arranged. (500km / 8 hours).

DATES

Monday 26 November 2018: Move to Tokyo

Tuesday 27 November to 1 Saturday December 2018: Training Camp

Sunday 2 December: Departures

DEADLINES

Accommodation Package Entry: 17 October 2018

Accommodation Package Full payment: 29 October 2018

Visa application (with passport photocopies): 29 October 2018

Travel information: 29 October 2018



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LOCATION

KODOKAN (Men / Women) in TOKYO

ACCOMMODATION

PACKAGE PLAN ONLY

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Accommodation Package booking: Please send the form to KNT (ecc-desk7@or.knt.co.jp).

IMPORTANT: All participants of the Training Camp **MUST** stay in one of the Official Hotels. Please make the Accommodation Package reservation through the organizing committee (KNT).

The Package includes ACCOMODATION for 6 nights, BREAKFAST, BUS TRANSPORTATION from GS Osaka Official Hotels to International Training Camp Official Hotels on 26 November 2018 and from International Training Camp Official Hotels to an airport (Narita or Haneda) on 2 and 3 December 2018.

*The accommodation for 6 nights is from 26 November to 1 December 2018 (check out: 2 December 2018).

*There is no refund even if you stay less than 6 nights.

A. TOKYO DOME HOTEL

1-3-61 Koraku, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo, 112-8562, JAPAN, 81-3-5805-2111
www.tokyodome-hotels.co.jp/e/
Check-in time: 15:00 / check-out time: 11:00

Single Room (26 m²): 128,000JPY / 6 nights / person
Twin Room (33 m²): 104,000 JPY / 6 nights / person
Tax, service charge and Breakfast are included.

Distance from airports: Narita 75.5 km / Haneda 24.5 km

B. a hotel around Kodokan / Tokyo Dome Hotel area (walking distance to the Kodokan)

Single Room only : 98,000 JPY / 6 nights / person
Tax, service charge and continental breakfast are included.

C. a hotel in Sugamo / Itabashi / Hongo area (train distance)

Single Room only : 86,000JPY / 6 nights / person
Tax, service charge and continental breakfast are included.





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No transportation service between the hotel and the Kodokan will be provided. Please use public transportation to/from the Kodokan.

If rooms need to be cancelled please inform the official travel agency (KNT) immediately. Cancellation of rooms cannot be made at check-in. Illness, injuries or visa problems are not valid reasons for the cancellation of rooms. If rooms are cancelled the organizer has the right to charge the participating delegation as follows:

- Before 24 October 2018, full refund.
- From 25 October to 4 November 2018, 50% refund
- On and after 5 November 2018, any cancellation of rooms or no-show will result in 100% of the charge of the hotel costs that must be paid by the National Federations.

IMPORTANT: All damages to property of hotels or venues resulting from the stay of a national delegation will be charged to the National Federation and must be paid in full.

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SWIFT Code: SMBCJPJT

PARTICIPANTS

Seniors (Men and Women). Participants **MUST** be registered by their national federations.

PARTICIPATION FEE

100 Euro / per athlete

Please pay in cash to the AJJF during the Accreditation of the Grand Slam Osaka.

INSURANCE

Each delegation must be in possession of a guarantee insurance covering all its members for competitions and training:

- Civil liabilities
- Injury
- Repatriation assistance

VISA

Visa contact: All Japan Judo Federation (AJJF) International Department : gstokyo@judo.or.jp





13. GENERAL INFORMATION

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES

All national federations, officials, coaches and athletes participating in the event described in these outlines must respect and accept the authority of the IJF Officials, the IJF Statutes, the IJF Sports and Organization Rules (SOR), the IJF Refereeing Rules and the IJF Anti-Doping Rules. Individuals deemed to have acted against the IJF, its principles or purposes should be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards.

INSURANCE

Each National Federation is responsible for its competitors (the control of non-pregnancy as well as the control of gender are placed under the responsibility of the National Federations) and must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as the civil liabilities for their competitors and officials, during the event described in these outlines.

The organizer of the event and the IJF will not be responsible for any insurance related to the above-mentioned matters. Nevertheless, the National Judo Federation staging the event shall take all necessary actions to provide insurance coverage against civil liability for the entire duration.

The organizer of the event and the IJF have no liability for any claims of injury, illness or death arising out of the travelling and participation in this event.

ACCOMMODATION

Hotel reservations **MUST** be made through the organizing committee. **All delegates inscribed for an IJF official event must stay in one of the official hotels suggested by the organizers for a minimum of one (1) night.** If this is not respected accreditation will not be given.

Any damage to hotel property resulting from the stay of a national delegation will be charged to the national federation and must be paid in full.

Delegations are kindly requested not to dry clothing (including judogi) or have training sessions in the corridors of the official hotels.

According to the new International Judo Federation (IJF) rule enacted on the 2 December 2012 in Tokyo “the organizing country should not request fee penalties for countries which cannot make bank transfers but can pay in cash money upon arrival. On the other hand, they should inform well in advance the organizing country and specify the number of participants before the deadline”.

COMPETITION RULES

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest IJF SOR, IJF Refereeing Rules and IJF Anti-Doping Rules. System of competition: quarterfinal (last 8) repechage

Weight categories:

Men -60 kg, -66 kg, -73 kg, -81 kg, -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg

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

Duration of contests: Men and women (4) minutes (real time).





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INSCRIPTION OF DELEGATES

Competitors can only be entered in one weight category and only entries of IJF member national judo federations will be accepted.

Participating athletes must be born in 2003 (15 years in the calendar year) or before. When travelling with minors the team official / coach must have all the necessary documents in place to say that they are acting on behalf of the parents/guardians "in loco parentis".

Each national federation can inscribe a maximum of two (2) athletes per weight category.

The organizing national federation can inscribe a maximum of four (4) athletes per weight category.

Non-competing athletes or training partners can be inscribed as judoka.

Inscription of all participants must be done using the IJF online registration system at <https://www.judobase.org>. The final deadline for inscription is 20 days before the draw.

All athletes and officials must be entered on time. After the deadline, no additional competing athletes can be added. Changes can be made one to one, like for like, due to injury or illness. For example, an injured athlete can be replaced by another athlete regardless of gender or weight category. An ill team official can be replaced by another team official etc.

In cases where registered athletes are cancelled on the spot during accreditation without previous notification to the IJF, a penalty of 100 USD per athlete will apply. This penalty will be charged by the IJF to the National Federation.

For any support please contact registration@ijf.org before the end of the deadline.

ACCREDITATION

The control of entries and issuing of accreditation cards will take place during accreditation (see program for time and place).

At least one team official must attend in time to confirm the entries of all athletes and officials with his/her signature. Passports or photocopy of passports of all athletes must be available on request.

An accreditation card with photograph will be issued to athletes, officials and media. At all times, this accreditation card must be worn throughout the event.

A delayed appearance or no-show at control of entries may result in the exclusion of all participants from the draw and the event. In case of unforeseen delay of arrival, the National Federation must contact immediately the organizer and the IJF registration team (registration@ijf.org).

Number of accreditations for officials:

1 – 4 competitors: 3 officials

5 – 9 competitors: 5 officials

10 or more competitors: 7 officials



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The functions president, referee and judoka are not included in the above calculation. Extra accreditation for inscribed delegation members can be purchased from the organizing committee for \$100.00 USD for the days of competition.

DRAW

Each national federation must send at least one delegate to attend the draw. A maximum of three (3) delegates per national federation (2 officials and 1 athletes' delegate) will be authorized.

The top eight (8) athletes from the entered competitors in each weight category will be seeded according to the current World Ranking List.

Dress code: formal suit (jacket, trousers, shirt and tie for men; jacket, trousers/skirt/dress, blouse for women) and formal shoes.

JUDOGI CONTROL

For further information on judogi rules please refer to the IJF SOR. Each competitor is obliged to have sewn on the back of his/her judogi a backnumber bearing his surname and his/her National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The backnumbers must be fixed horizontally and centred on the back of the judogi. They must be placed at a distance of 3 cm from the bottom of the collar. The backnumber can only be ordered from www.ijfbacknumber.com or www.mybacknumber.com.

The backnumber is the responsibility of the athlete.

The Education and Coaching Commission will inspect the judogi jacket every evening. The checking process will start half an hour prior to the unofficial weigh-in and will end at the same time as the official weigh-in (19:00 – 20:30).

The backnumber and publicity should comply with the current IJF judogi regulations. The official sponsor label of the event will be given provided that:

- The judogi are clean and dry.
- The backnumber, publicity and emblem are properly sewn and do not show any wear or tear.
- All previous advertising has been removed.

Guide to attaching and removing the sponsor label:

Lay the judogi flat and attach the new sponsor label of the event on the back of the correct judogi.

White judogi: IJF sponsor / blue judogi: Organizer's sponsor

Ensure the label is firmly attached around the edges. Immediately after the competition and before washing remove the sponsor label.





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WEIGH-IN

The weigh-in will be carried out in accordance with the IJF SOR section 7.

The official weigh-in for athletes will be scheduled the day before the competition.

- Unofficial weigh-in: 19:30 to 20:00
- Official weigh-in: 20:00 to 20:30

AWARDING CEREMONY

Each athlete who has won a medal must be present at the ceremony to receive their medal personally. The athlete should go to the awarding area immediately after their medal contest.

Any athlete who is absent from the awards ceremony without a good reason may forfeit the medal and prize money.

Athletes must attend the medal ceremony barefoot, without any hat, cap or any similar head covering and wearing their IJF approved white judogi that conforms to the IJF judogi rules with special attention being paid to the publicity rule. If it is not clean, then they must wear a reserve judogi.

It is strictly prohibited for athletes on the podium to have a mobile phone (or similar device), national flags or similar items other than those on their judogi. Any demonstration with religious, political, personal or commercial connotation is also prohibited.

Athletes must also be available for interview after the last awarding ceremony if requested by the IJF Media Team.



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