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**2019 Modern Pentathlon European Championships
European Continental Olympic Qualifier for Tokyo 2020
Bath, Great Britain
6-11 August 2019**

INVITATION LETTER

Dear Friends,

The UIPM - Union Internationale de Pentathlon Moderne and the ECMP - European Confederation for Modern Pentathlon, together with the Modern Pentathlon Association of Great Britain, has the pleasure of inviting a delegation of your country/district to participate in the **Modern Pentathlon (Senior) European Championships 2019** – European qualification competition for the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games, that will be held in Bath on 6 - 11 August, according to the following programme:

Programme: (Provisional - all times to be confirmed)

4 – 5 Aug	Arrival of Delegations	
	09:00	Test Jumping
5 Aug	20:00	Technical Meeting – Mixed Relay
	TBD	Press Conference
	Mixed Relay	
	10:00	Swimming
	11:30	Fencing (Ranking & Bonus Round)
6 Aug	15:00	Riding
	17:00	Laser Run
	17:45	Medal Ceremony
	18:30	Technical Meeting – Relays
	TBD	Civic Reception
	Relay (Women's and Men's)	
	09:00/09.55	Swimming
	10:30/12.30	Fencing (Ranking & Bonus Round)
	14:45/15.20	Riding
7 Aug	16:30/17.30	Laser Run
	18.15	Medal Ceremony
	20:00	Technical Meeting – Qualifiers



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	Men's Qualifier	
8 Aug	11:00/14.00	Fencing
	12.00/14.30	Swimming
	16:30/17.30	Laser Run
	Women's Qualifier	
9 Aug	11:00/14.00	Fencing
	12.00/14.30	Swimming
	16:30/17.30	Laser Run
	20:00	Technical Meeting – Finals
	Men's Final	
10 Aug	08:30	Swimming
	10:00	Fencing (Ranking & Bonus Round)
	15:00	Riding
	17:30	Laser Run
	18:15	Medal Ceremony
	Women's Final	
11 Aug	08:30	Swimming
	10:00	Fencing (Ranking & Bonus Round)
	15:00	Riding
	17:30	Laser Run
	18:15	Medal Ceremony
	TBD	Closing Function
12 Aug	Departure of Delegations	

COMPETITION RULES

The competition will be carried out according to the UIPM Rules:

Swimming – 50 metre indoor swimming pool / 8 lanes

Fencing (Ranking Round) – 10 pistes indoor

Fencing (Bonus Round) – 1 show piste indoor

Riding – Grass

Laser Run – 38 laser precision targets (manufacturer: ALS), athletics track, tarmac and grass surface.

Please note:

Continental Championships for European Countries (ECMP members) only.

All delegations are allowed to participate with four athletes per gender.

The top 8 places - with a maximum of one (1) quota place per NOC - for women and men respectively earn an Olympic quota place for Tokyo 2020, according to "Qualification System – Modern Pentathlon – Tokyo2020"



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COMPETITION VENUES

The competition will be held at: Sports Training Village, University of Bath
Claverton Down, Bath, England, BA2 7AY

TRAINING

The LOC will offer training facilities for swimming, fencing, shooting and running. The times of available sessions will be published closer to the event.

EQUIPMENT CONTROL

Equipment control will be carried out in conjunction with the programme outlined and further details will be given closer to the event.

ACCOMMODATION

Teams will be accommodated within Woodland Court Residence at the University of Bath. Woodland court is situated approximately 100 metres from the Sports Training Village.

Further details about Woodland Court can be found:

<http://www.bath.ac.uk/study/pg/accommodation/university-owned/woodland-court/>

All Technical Meetings and the LOC Office will be located within the Sports Training Village.

Only single, en-suite accommodation is available.

Accommodation will be arranged in groups of approximately 8-10 rooms with a communal kitchen and dining area provided. Wherever possible, members of the same delegation will be allocated rooms all within the same block.

Please note that all meals will be provided at the Lime Tree restaurant, which is approximately 50 metres walk from Woodland Court.

All delegates will be required to pay a small key deposit. This will be refunded when the key is returned upon departure.

NF's will be financially liable for any damage caused to rooms and their contents at Woodland Court.

TRANSPORT

Transport will only be arranged from and to **Bristol Airport** and **Bath Spa Train Station**. This will only be guaranteed if detailed flight information is entered into the UIPM Registration System in conjunction with the deadlines listed and the entry fees paid.

Bristol Airport is located 34km from the University of Bath and Bath Spa Train Station is 4km.



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For teams choosing to fly into alternative airports, you will be responsible for arranging your own ground transportation accordingly.

Arrangements are in place for teams to arrive on or after 4 August and accommodation before this date cannot be guaranteed. Teams wishing to arrive earlier should contact euos@pentathlongb.org.

Car parking for teams can be arranged close proximity to the accommodation if agreed with the LOC in advance.

All competition venues are within walking distance of the accommodation and Bath City Centre can be easily accessed from the University by public transport.

FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

The costs for this competition are listed below and stated per room per night.

COST (GBP)	Room Type
£120	Single en-suite room (single occupancy)

The prices listed include full board accommodation, ground transportation, training facilities and competition entry.

For anyone wishing to arrange their own accommodation, an accreditation fee must be paid per participant to the LOC. This is set at £60 (GBP) per day per person with a minimum payment of four days (£240). For this, lunch will be provided and ground transportation will be arranged in conjunction with the parameters outlined in section four.

PAYMENT DETAILS

All payments must be made via bank transfer in GBP and in accordance with the deadlines listed in section 5.3. The bank details are as follows:

Account Name:	Modern Pentathlon Association of GB Ltd
Account Number:	60640654
Account sort code:	200500
BIC	BUKBGB22
IBAN	GB19BUKB20050060640654
Bank Name	Barclays
Bank Address	Barclays Commercial Bank, 2 nd Floor PO Box 6792 8 Market Place, Basingstoke, BX3 2BB
Payment reference	See details below



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The payee will be responsible for all bank charges incurred by MPAGB for bank transfers and must select this option when making the payment. Extra charges will be invoiced and must be paid in cash (sterling on arrival)

Payment reference

It is important that you quote your National Federation Country Code and EUROS2019 as your payment reference. **Please ensure that your Country Code is stated first**, for example:

A payment from Great Britain would have the reference: **GBREUROS2019**.

DEADLINES

The UIPM online registration must be used to submit all entry and accreditation information. To assist with planning, the LOC would very much appreciate a notification of intention to participate by **16 April 2019** outlining your likely delegation number and requirements to euross@pentathlongb.org.

Date	Details
18 February 2019	Online registration opens
16 April 2019	Confirmation of participation
28 June 2019	30% payment deposit due
15 July 2019	Final entry deadline – registration system closes
26 July 2019	Full payment due

If we do not receive the payments and entry information in conjunction with the deadline listed, then we will consider your delegation as non-participating.

A 10% late payment surcharge will be added for delegations failing to adhere to the final payment deadline of **26 July 2019**. Please note that under no circumstances will cash payments be accepted to pay fees on arrival at the event.

Delegations are reminded

Following the final entry deadline, the team must inform the LOC at least seven days prior to arrival of any withdrawals. This is for competition planning purposes only and unfortunately we will not be able to issue any refunds for accommodation costs.

If, on arrival for the competition, the delegation has less athletes and/or team officials than listed on within their final entry information and has not informed the LOC at least 7 days prior to their arrival, then the NF will pay a fine to the LOC of 200 Euros for each person failing to come.

Following confirmation of the final entries, a NF must enter the competition with at least one pentathlete. Any NF failing to take part after having sent their final entries will pay a fine of 750 Euros to the UIPM.



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ATHLETES' LICENSES/ RIDING ABILITY

Athletes are only allowed to participate in UIPM sanctioned events, if they are in possession of a valid UIPM issued Athletes License. Registration is not possible without a License Number. If an athlete does not have a license, they will not be allowed to take part in the competition.

You are kindly reminded of UIPM Rule 1.12.1 and its relevance to this competition is as follows: Pentathletes without riding ability listed in the database and without a letter/certificate from their NF confirming their ability to ride may compete at the competition in the qualification for the Final, but if they qualify for the Final, they must relinquish their place to the next placed pentathlete qualified rider from their group. Such Letter/certificate must be sent to up loaded on UIPM portal before registration and some video footage might be asked prior to the competition.

INSURANCE

According to UIPM Rules all members of attending delegations should insure themselves in case of accidental injury or illness. The organiser will not accept any responsibility financial or other, for any loss, injury or illness of any member of the delegation.

All competitors from qualifying countries should bring their EHIC (European Health Insurance Card) with them to show they are entitled to free emergency treatment in the UK.

CIVIC RECEPTION

A Civic Reception will take place. Further details about this will be provided closer to the event.

VISAS & VACCINATIONS

In general, no special immunizations or medications are necessary for travel to the United Kingdom.

If you are travelling from a country not listed within the European Economic Area then it is likely you will require a Visa for entry into the United Kingdom. Visas can be applied for up to three months prior to travel and further information can be found at <https://www.gov.uk/check-uk-visa>.

The LOC cannot accept responsibility for arranging visas but can provide specific letters of invitation if needed. Please submit your request with all participant details (including date of birth and passport numbers) to euross@pentathlongb.org.



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FIREARMS

Firearms licenses are not a legal requirement when bringing laser, air and CO2 pistols into Great Britain for competition purposes. Passengers bringing in these goods solely for use at the event can go through the green 'nothing to declare' channel on arrival in the UK.

It is important that you ensure that the pistol information is logged within the Registration System.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Uniform and Anthems

All athletes are kindly requested to wear their official national uniform at the competition. We also kindly request that you bring a CD of your national anthem.

Friends and Family

Tickets are available for purchase online from our ticketing partner
<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/pentathlon-gb>

Bath is a popular tourist destination and for family and friends wishing to spectate at the event. We recommend that accommodation bookings are made as early as possible. Bath Tourist Office can help with accommodation requests. Please visit their website www.visitbath.co.uk/accommodation or contact them via e-mail tourism@bathtourism.co.uk We have heavily discounted rates at the 5* Bath Spa Hotel <https://www.macdonaldhotels.co.uk/our-hotels/south-england/bath/macdonald-bath-spa-hotel>

Local Information

Weather conditions in August: Average Temperature - 19 degrees Celsius.

Voltage: 230V

We look forward to seeing your delegation in Bath.

Best regards,

Dr. h.c. Klaus Schormann

UIPM
President

Dmitry Svatkovsky

ECMP President

David Armstrong

Chair MPGB