



2024 Senior European Championships

Budapest, Hungary

07.07.-14.07.2024

Dear Friends,

The ECMP – European Confederation of Modern Pentathlon, together with the HMPA - Hungarian Modern Pentathlon Association, has the pleasure of inviting a delegation of your country to participate in the **2024 Senior European Championships** to be held in Budapest, Hungary, from 7-14th July 2024 according to the following programme.

The invitation is 6 men and 6 women athletes per nation in the individual competition (but the best 4 athletes per nation can qualify from the semi-finals to the final) and an unlimited number of officials. In case of a withdrawal of any athlete already qualified for the final, the next athlete in the ranking by points after the semi-final from any nation will replace him/her.

PLANNED PROGRAMME

7th July	Arrival of Delegations
16:00	Jumping Test
21:00	Technical Meeting – Women’s and Men’s Relay
8th July	Women’s and Men’s Relay
21:00	Technical Meeting – Women’s Qualification
9th July	Women’s Qualification
21:00	Technical Meeting – Men’s Qualification and – Women’s Semi-final
10th July	Men’s Qualification and Women’s Fencing Ranking Round
21:00	Technical Meeting – Men’s Semi-final
11th July	Men’s Fencing Ranking Round and Women’s Semi-final
12th July	Men’s Semi-final
21:00	Technical Meeting – Women’s and Men’s Final
13th July	Women’s and Men’s Final
21:00	Technical Meeting – Mixed’s Relay
14th July	Mixed’s Relay
	Riding Show – Farewell to Horses performance

Note: time can be modified



Competition Rules:

The competition will be carried out according to the UIPM Rules. The swimming event will be held at a different place away from the central venue. The distance between the two venues is 2 km (5 minutes by car).

Women's and Men's relay competition

considering the number of available horses, 10 relays each gender (or a maximum of 20 relays in both genders in total) get the opportunity to ride in the relay competition.

Competition Venues

Fencing: BOK Sport Hall

Budapest, Dózsa György str 1

10 indoor official metal piste

Swimming: Gerevich Swimming Pool TBC

Budapest, Istvánmezei út 1-3.

25m indoor swimming pool

Riding & Fencing Bonus Round & Laser Run: Puskas Arena, Statue Park

Budapest, Dózsa György str 1.

Running course: tartan, grass (600m lap)

Training

Training for swimming will be provided from 7th July 2024 according to the previously communicated schedule. As the shooting, riding and fencing venues will be set up right before the competition, there will be only few training opportunities in the mentioned events.

Accommodation

Teams will be accommodated in **Danubius Hotel Arena** (Budapest, Ifjúság str 1-3.)

Website: <https://www.danubiushotels.com/en/our-hotels-budapest/danubius-hotel-arena>

Important notice:

After 29th June 2024. 24.00 (CET) no cancellation is permitted.

100 % of the occurred costs must be paid after this deadline.

Anyone who selects a twin room, but spends the night alone must pay the single room price.



Please note:

LOC will invoice - following UIPM Rule 1.14.3 - all teams who have upon arrival fewer athletes and/or officials than submitted in the registration system and without informing the Organising Nation/LOC at least 7 days prior to their arrival, 200€ for each person not attending. Should this fee not cover 100% of occurred costs, LOC will reserve the right to invoice difference to team, not having respected the deadline for cancellation.

After 29th June 2024. 24.00 (CET) we only accept modifications that don't affect the number of participants and don't reduce the number of the nights spent (for example: name change).

Transport

Transportation from the **Budapest Liszt Ferenc International Airport** to the official hotel and the return journey is only guaranteed if flight information is provided in the registration form well in advance and prior to the deadline.

The LOC has an agreement with a shuttle service provider company, **MINIBUD** company. All athletes who arrive at the Liszt Ferenc International Airport can find meeting points where they can receive information from the transportation schedule. Please look for those meeting points.

Note: the main desks are inside of the arrival level in the transit zone, in the same place where the passengers collect their baggages.

Financial Conditions

For delegations (athletes, coaches, officials, supporters) reserving the accommodation package, the prices are as follows:

- Single room: 210€ / night / person
- Twin room: 160€ / night / person in the case 2 person use the room.

The accommodation fee for a one (1) night stay is minimum 250€ per person per night regarding the extra hotel fees.

ATTENTION!

All extra cost for bank transfer should be worn by the national federation. Ignoring that, the amount will be invoiced afterwards that should be paid ONLY IN CASH at arrival.

Each price includes full board accommodation, local transportation from/to the event and shuttle from/to Budapest Liszt Ferenc International Airport.



Accreditation fee

Delegations wishing to arrange their own accommodation must pay an accreditation fee per participant (athlete, coach, or official) to the LOC. The amount of the accreditation fee is set at **75€ /day / person** with a **minimum payment of 4 days (300€)**. For this, we will provide lunch packets for the competition days and allow access to official transportation between the official hotels and competition sites.

Based on the proforma invoice, which will be sent to each delegation by the 1st July 2024, the total amount must be transferred to the LOC by 6th July 2024. As soon as the requested amount appears on the account of LOC or a bank confirmation is received, the final invoice will be issued and sent.

Any extra emerging fee should be paid by cash at the accreditation desk upon arrival, but we strongly recommend to pay by bank transfer in advance.

Bank Account Details:

Name of bank: MBH Bank Nyrt

Address of bank: H-1056, Budapest, Váci str. 38.

Name of account: Hungarian Modern Pentathlon Association, H- 1146, Budapest, Istvánmezei str 1-3.

EUR IBAN: HU68 1030 0002 1056 1106 4882 0017

SWIFT: MKKBHUHBXXX

Registration, Deadlines

We would greatly appreciate it if you could confirm your participation as soon as possible and fill out the form via the link below:

[Registration form for the European Championship](#)

Deadlines for the Entry Forms are as follows:

Preliminary	before 15th June
Final	before 22th June 24:00 (CET)

If we do not receive your registration to the deadline or we do not receive your Delegation's deposit payment, then we will consider your delegation as non-participating.

If the form does not work, please let us know and we will email it to you in a different format.



Athletes Licenses/Riding ability

Athletes are only allowed to participate in UIPM sanctioned events if they are in possession of a valid 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 Championships in the qualification for the Final, but if they qualify for the Final, must relinquish their place to the next placed pentathlete qualified rider from their group. Such Letter/certificate must be sent to uploaded on UIPM portal before registration and some video footage might be asked prior to the Championships.

In addition, the athlete must show sufficient riding ability already in the warm-up, otherwise he will not be allowed to compete in the riding phase.

Insurance

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

VISAS & Vaccinations

Visiting nations should confirm visa and vaccination requirements for entry into Hungary prior travelling to the event. The LOC cannot accept responsibility for arranging visas but can provide specific letters of invitation if needed. For information if you need a visa or vaccinations, please contact your nearest Embassy or Consulate.

Laser Pistols

Firearms Licenses are not a legal requirement when bringing air and CO₂ pistols into Hungary for competition purposes.



General Information

All athletes are kindly requested to wear their official national uniform at the competition.

As the closing ceremony of the competition, an impressive horse show will be held, with which will pay our respect to the long and glorious traditions of the pentathlon in horse riding, thereby saying goodbye to the horse program. Spectacular jumps and elegant choreographies guarantee an unforgettable experience for everyone.

Don't miss this opportunity to remember and celebrate together!

LOC Contact Details

Please contact directly the LOC for local information regarding family and friends wishing to attend the competition or for any local questions you may have.

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We look forward to seeing you in Budapest.

Best regards,

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