



**EUROPEAN
TAEKWONDO
UNION**

9th European
Para Taekwondo
Championship
2021

PARA

23rd of September 2021
Turkey/ Istanbul

PROMOTER

European Taekwondo Union

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SANCTIONED BY

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GLOBAL RANKING

The Kyorugi (K41/K44 Sport Classes) competitions will award G4/G2 World Para Taekwondo Ranking points.

Article 6.4 states that all international Para Taekwondo competitions recognized by WT shall be formed with participation of no less than three (3) countries. Official results from Para Taekwondo competitions with less than less than three (3) countries participating shall not be recognized by WT. Any sport class and weight category with less than three (3) athletes from two (2) countries shall not be recognized in the official results.

ORGANIZER

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VENUE

Pullman Istanbul Hotel & Convention Center

Adress: Yenibosna Merkez Mah 1. Asena Sok No: 15, 34295 Bahcelievler

Istanbul, Turkey

REGISTRATION & ACCREDITATION

22 September 2021

Pullman Istanbul Hotel & Convention Center



ATTENTION

⚠ You need to **BOOK** an **APPOINTMENT** for Registration & Accreditation

⚠ To **BOOK** your appointment please follow the link below:

www.picktime.com/accreditation

COMPETITION DATES & SCHEDULE

23rd of September, 2021

K41 and K44 Sport Classes and all weight categories

CLASSIFICATION, WEIGH-IN DATES, SCHEDULE & LOCATION

21st and 22nd September 2021 (for available weigh-in times you need to check the booking link below)

Classification will be held on September 21 and September 22, 2021. Classification schedule will be sent out by the WT Para Taekwondo department when registrations close.

Weigh in will be held on September 22, 2021.

Location

Pullman Istanbul Hotel & Convention Center

ATTENTION

⚠ You need to **BOOK** an **APPOINTMENT** for your team to pass the weigh-in.

⚠ To **BOOK** your appointment please follow the link below:

www.picktime.com/weighin

RANDOM WEIGH-IN For Kyorugi

Daily at **08:00 hrs.** The names of the athletes selected for the Random Weigh-in will be published at 07:00 hrs on the competition day on the following (social) media platforms:

www.worldtaekwondo.eu

www.facebook.com/tkdeurope



www.facebook.com/worldparataekwondo

ATTN: Due to COVID-19 restrictions only selected athletes can be present at the weigh-in areas

DRAW SHEETS & BRACKET PUBLICATION

The draw sheets and brackets will be daily published, one (1) day before the start of competition at 21:30 hrs on the following (social) media platforms:

www.worldtaekwondo.eu

www.facebook.com/tkdeurope

www.facebook.com/worldparataekwondo

SEEDING

Athletes will be seeded in accordance with the WT World Para Taekwondo Rules as of September 06, 2021.

Transfer of World Para Taekwondo Ranking points

World Para Taekwondo Ranking points will be transferred from the old Sport Classes and Weight categories to the new Sport Classes and Weight categories to come into effect as of September 6, 2021.

In order for World Para Taekwondo Ranking points to transfer to the new weight categories athletes need to inform World Para Taekwondo of their selected weight category prior to December 31, 2021 or enter a competition, get classified and compete prior to that date.

The athlete is also required to be classified prior to points appearing on the World Para Taekwondo Ranking list. However, if the selected weight category has been informed to World Para Taekwondo prior to December 31, 2021 the classification can be made after this date.

Seeding for the 2021 European Para Taekwondo Open Championships will be made manually as there cannot be a World Para Taekwondo Ranking list published in the new weight categories ahead of the Championships.

The policy on the transfer of World Para Taekwondo Ranking points will be published on the WT website in the coming weeks.

HEAD OF TEAM MEETING

Head of Team Meeting will take place in line with social distancing rules (September 22, 2021)



COMPETITION RULES

KYORUGI

The WT Para Taekwondo Competition Rules as of September 6, 2021 will be implemented for the Para Taekwondo competitions of the K40 Sport Classes.

http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/viewer_pdf/external/pdfjs-2.1.266-dist/web/viewer.html?file=http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/att_file/documents/WT%20Para%20Taekwondo%20Competition%20Rules%20as%20of%20September%206,%202021.pdf

Please note that Article 10.5 of the WT Para Taekwondo Competition Rules will be in effect. When a contestant does not meet the weight during the official weigh-in for the weight division they registered in for the tournament or championships the contestant shall be disqualified.

All athletes are required to be registered in the correct weight division by the end of registration deadline. Weight division will not be changed in the case the athlete does not pass weigh in!

We remind you that athletes need to follow the World Para Taekwondo Kyorugi Uniform Guide that you can find here:

http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/viewer_pdf/external/pdfjs-2.1.266-dist/web/viewer.html?file=http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/att_file/documents/World%20Para%20Taekwondo%20Kyorugi%20-%20Uniform%20Specification%20Guide.pdf

COMPETITION SYSTEM KYORUGI

KYORUGI

The competitions in the K41/K44 Sport Class will be held in single elimination tournament system.

CONTEST TIME

The duration of contest shall be one round of five (5) minutes with thirty seconds (30) timeout for each athlete. In the case of a tied score after the completion of the five (5) minute round, round of one (1) minute will be conducted as the Golden round, after a one (1) minute rest period. No timeout can be taken during the Golden Round. Each coach will be allowed to call for one (1) thirty (30) second timeout at any time during the one round contest. The duration of contest may be adjusted to four (4) minutes or three (3) minutes upon the decision of the Technical Delegate for the pertinent Championships.



GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Every Team shall enter as many athletes as they wish in each Sport Class and weight division.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Holder of a valid 2021 WT Global Athlete License;
2. Holder of the nationality of the participating team;
3. Member of a team/club of a pertinent Member National Association, recognized by European Taekwondo Union or World Taekwondo;
4. Holder of a Para Taekwondo Dan issued by WT issued and recognized 5-1 Geup
5. Athlete must go through International Classification in accordance with the WT Athlete Classification Rules and be assigned a Sport Class and Sport Class Status prior to the tournament. **Athletes found Not Eligible (NE) will not be able to compete.**
6. An athlete in order to be eligible for participation must be born in 2005 or before for Kyorugi events. All competitors must prove their age by presenting their passport or identification card at the official weigh-in. For those athletes that are not adults, a written consent must be submitted (please find enclosed on the last pages) at the registration, signed by one of the parents or legal guardians, accepting their participation and all parts of the official invitation.

COACH ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Minimum age of 16 years;
2. WT Para Coach Certificate Level 2 or above is required;
3. Holder of a valid 2021 WT Global Official License;
4. Coaches must wear a suit for semi-finals & finals. For other matches coaches can wear tracksuits.

MEDAL EVENTS

The following medal events are applicable:

Kyorugi K40 Sport Classes

The Para Taekwondo Kyorugi K40 Sport Classes (K41, K44) are for athletes with a physical impairment.

NOTICE: The event will be open to participation from all WT MNAs. G4 World Ranking points will be awarded to WTE athletes while athletes from other continents will be awarded G2 World Ranking points.



SPORT CLASSES	
K41	
K44	
MALE EVENTS	FEMALE EVENTS
Not exceeding 58kg	Not exceeding 47kg
Not exceeding 63kg	Not exceeding 52kg
Not exceeding 70kg	Not exceeding 57kg
Not exceeding 80kg	Not exceeding 65kg
Over 80kg	Over 65kg

We kindly request your reply to our ongoing survey of the selection new weight classes for your athletes. Your reply will help ensure a timely transition of your athletes' World Para Taekwondo Ranking points.

SPORT ENTRIES

Team entries will only be accepted through the WT GMS online registration system Simply Compete.

Registration of athletes is only possible with a valid 2021 WT Global Licence (GAL issued by assigned GMS club, Edition and MNA Administrators only). Please find below the direct link to the WT GMS platform:

<https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com/>

REGISTRATION DEADLINE

31 August 2021, 23:59 CET

This deadline is applicable for all sport entries, payments and admitting all required documents.

APPLICABLE FEES

Regular entry fee

100 euro per registered athlete

On-site Change of medal event (weight division)

NO CHANGERS ALLOWED AFTER DEADLINE

Additional Accreditation cards

50 euro for each on-site approved additional requested Accreditation card.

Protest fee

200 euro. In case of an official protest, a non-refundable 200 euro fee shall be paid.



Replacement of athletes

In case an athlete needs to be replaced after the deadline, this can be done maximum 48 hours before the draw will take place. A fee of 100 euro is applicable.

Replacement of Accreditation cards

25 euro for each replacement and reprinting request of accreditation cards

PAYMENT ENTRY

All entry fees shall be paid in advance to the Organizing Committee. All bank transfer shall be paid to the following bank account:

Beneficiary: TURKIYE TAEKWONDO FEDERASYONU

Name of the bank: TURKIYE GARANTI BANKASI AS

IBAN: TR52 0006 2000 7110 0009 0853 24

BIC/SWIFT: TGBATRIS

Bank address: HACI BAYRAM MAH ANAFARTALAR CAD NO:17 ULUS ALTINDAG ANKARA

Bank address Payment reference

PARA plus TEAM NAME

Example

PARA Team Italy

PROOF OF PAYMENT REQUIREMENT

All teams are required to send proof of payment (copy of bank transfer) to taekwondo@gsb.gov.tr within one (1) week after registration in Simply Compete. Taekwondo Europe and/or the Organizing Committee have the right to delete sport entries from teams that do not send proof of payment from the system in order for other athletes to register and to prevent 'ghost athletes'.

Any athlete registering on-line who does not take part in the competition and who has not been removed from the entry list before the deadline (10th March 2020), is liable for paying his/her entry-fee in full. (For any athlete not presenting at registration, his/her team or official will be liable for ensuring full payment has been received, prior to the team's participation). If a team does not show up at the event and has not requested a participation cancellation before the deadline, it will be requested to settle the payment of the entry fees in full (100%).

NO REFUND

European Taekwondo Union and/or the Organizing Committee do not refund entry fees paid.

ACCREDITATION CARD DISTRIBUTION

Registered teams only receive the athlete and official's accreditation cards if all financial obligations have been fulfilled. For all registered athletes, the entry fee has to be paid before the accreditation cards will be distributed to the respective team.

SPORT EQUIPMENT

PSS – system

Daedo International Generation 2, with electronic headgear are provided by the OC.

Head protector

Head protector with face shield will be used for all Para Taekwondo kyorugi competitions.

Mats

Daedo mats will be used at the event

Dobok and protective equipment

Athletes can only use WT recognized products while participating at the event. See a list of recognized products at: <http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/wtpartners-wt/recognize.html>

FIELD OF PLAY REGULATIONS

By accepting a European Taekwondo Union accreditation card, all accredited persons agree to comply with the Field of Play regulations applicable at European Taekwondo Union events.

AWARDS

Individual awards

1st place – gold medal and certificate

2nd place – silver medal and certificate

3rd place – bronze medal and certificate

3rd place – bronze medal and certificate

Team awards

Best female team award: 1st, 2nd and 3rd place trophies

Best male team award: 1st, 2nd and 3rd place trophies

Best overall team award: 1st, 2nd and 3rd place trophies

Team Standing is determined by the number and value of the medals earned by the individuals of a team.

INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION

Kyorugi (K40)

International Classification of all Kyorugi (K40 Sport Classes) athletes will take place on 21st and 22nd September, 2021.

The details on each sport class can be found in the WT Athlete Classification Rules: http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/viewer_pdf/external/pdfjs-2.1.266-dist/web/viewer.html?file=http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/att_file/documents/World%20Para%20Taekwondo%20Athlete%20Classification%20Rules%20as%20of%20September%206,%202021.pdf

Medical Diagnostics Form through World Taekwondo Classification System (WTCS)

“As of 6 September all athletes will be assigned an "R", review Sport Class Status, and must go through classification again at their first tournament under the new World Para Taekwondo Athlete Classification Rules. It is essential that a new MDF be submitted to the WTCS no later than 3 weeks prior to the 9th European Para Taekwondo Championship.”

World Taekwondo Classification System (WTCS) is the new WT online registration tool for MNAs to register their new athletes and add Medical Diagnostic Forms (MDF) and pictures to be seen by the WT Classification Evaluation Committee in order to determine if the new athlete is eligible for Para Taekwondo and meets Minimum Impairment Criteria (MIC). All athletes in the WTCS will require a WT License Number (GAL).

In order to activate Member National Association user account information for the World Para Taekwondo Classification System (WTCS) please click on WTCS Account Request Form on the following on the following link: <https://db.ipc-services.org/wtcs/app/login>. Fill out the and submit the MNA Account Request form to the Para Taekwondo Department at para-tdk@worldtaekwondo.org. Username and password will then be sent to the communicated email address.

Athletes that have not submitted MDFs in time will not be called for classification and will not be able to compete.

WTCS Account Policy – Each Member Federation must internally designate exactly one (1) primary user responsible for WTCS Account.

Research

WT may be conduct research in Para Taekwondo kyorugi competition performance factors. Injury surveillance research as well as research into athlete classification will also be conducted during the event.

If you have any questions or concerns related to research at this event please contact the WTE Office at info@worldtaekwondo.org or the WT Para Taekwondo



Department at para-tkd@worldtaekwondo.org

MEDICAL AND ANTI-DOPING

Applicable medical rules

The WT Medical Code, WT mouthguard, bracing, taping, padding and piercing rules are applicable, which all MNA participating this event must comply.

Applicable doping rules

The WT Anti-Doping Rules and the WADA Anti-Doping Code are applicable. Compulsory random doping tests will be conducted among all athletes. World Taekwondo and/or WADA may carry out random out-of-competition testing prior to the event.

Therapeutic Use Exemption

Athletes who take any substance or medicine listed in the “Prohibited List” of the WT Anti-Doping Rules and WADA Anti-Doping Code for therapeutic purposes are requested to submit TUE applications via ADAMS, together with the required medical information. Otherwise, please download the TUE Application Form (found on <https://ita.sport/TUE>), and once duly completed and signed, send it together with the required medical file to tue@ita.sport. Report TUE applications also to the WT Sport Department via antidoping@worldtaekwondo.org by no later than 5 September 2021.

ADAMS login

For ADAMS login, please contact National Anti-Doping Organization (NADO) in your country or tue@ita.sport with copy to antidoping@worldtaekwondo.org

For more details, please visit

<http://www.wada-ama.org/en/ADAMS/>

http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/anti_doping-wt/therapeutic.html

MEDIA AND PRESS

Media accreditation

Registered media and press officials or official photographers are entitled to receive a media and press accreditation card. For more information please contact the European Taekwondo Europe Union at info@worldtaekwondoeurope.org.

Photo positions

All accredited photographers are only allowed to use the designated photo positions while working in the Field of Play. By accepting a media and press accreditation, the



accredited person agrees to follow at all times the instructions of the European Taekwondo Union Media and Press officer.

ACCOMMODATION

Hotel accommodation

As the format of the event will be a bio-secured bubble, all accredited national teams participating at the event shall mandatorily book their hotel accommodation via the Organizing Committee. Any athletes or team members that do not comply with this regulation will NOT be able to participate at the event.

Transportation

The Organizing Committee shall provide transportation between the airport and hotel and vice-versa and between the hotel and the competition venue for those teams that have booked their hotel via the Organizing Committee.

PLEASE REFER TO THE ACCOMMODATION & TRANSPORTATION FORMS SENT ALONG WITH THIS OUTLINE

HASHTAGS & SOCIAL MEDIA

Hash tags

Taekwondo Europe uses the following hash tags:

#taekwondoeurope

#taekwondofamily

#PC2021

Social media platforms

Taekwondo Europe is present at the following social media platforms:

Facebook: @tkdeurope

Instagram: @tkdeurope

Twitter: @tkdeurope

YouTube Channel: Taekwondo Europe

INDEMNITIES

It is the responsibility of each registering team to ensure that their athletes and team officials have filled out the indemnification forms correctly and have duly signed them, thereby indemnifying WT, ETU, the Organizing Committee and all other officials and athletes from any claims of injuries, losses or otherwise arising in the course of participation at the 9th European Para Taekwondo Championship 2021 or any activities linked therewith.

It is the responsibility of each registered team to ensure and guarantee that sufficient insurance coverage has been arranged for all athletes, team officials and other participants. Without sufficient insurance coverage, teams will not be allowed to compete.



Please fill out the Personal Indemnity Forms and return them to the Organization Committee before 31st August 2021. Each participant (athletes, team officials, etc.) has to fill out the indemnification form.

MEDICAL INSURANCE

All participating athletes, coaches, team officials, technical officials and participants at ETU events shall have mandatorily an international medical insurance that covers medical care(COVID included) and in case of emergency, repatriation to the country of origin, valid on the days present in the host country of the event. ETU nor the Organizing Committee shall be responsible to cover any medical costs incurred for medical treatment before, on or during the competition or repatriation in the broadest sense of the word.

All relevant documents proving that such an insurance is present, including insurance policy papers, should be taken to the event in case a medical situation occurs.

Each MNA/Club, Team doctor or team medical staff must ensure their athletes and team officials have valid international health insurance that covers medical and emergency care at the designated hospitals in Turkey before arrival to the venue.

COVID-19 TESTING

Covid-19 Rapid Test will be applied to each member of Teams right upon arrival in hotel. Only to members with negative test result will be allowed to stay in hotel and get accreditation. The cost of rapid test will be 25,00 € and will be paid in cash.

For international flights, some passengers may have to submit PCR test. If you wish, you can have your Team tested in hotel by OC for 30,00 €.

In case a team representative or official needs to be COVID tested at any time during the competition or before departure, the OC could arrange the tests within 72 hours' notice. The result of the test will be issued 24 hours after testing. The relevant Testing Form has to be filled in and sent to the email address available on the form.

GENERAL SCHEDULE <i>(SUBJECT TO CHANGE)</i>			
DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
20th of September	All day	Arrivals	Istanbul
21 September 2021	CHECK LINK	CLASSIFICATION	Pullman Istanbul Hotel & Convention Center
22 September 2021	CHECK LINK	CLASSIFICATION	
	CHECK LINK	Registration & Accreditation	
	CHECK LINK	Weigh-in	
	21:30 hrs	Draw sheets publication	
23 September 2021	07.00 hrs	Random weigh-in lists publication	
	08:00 hrs	Random weigh-in	
	Start at 09:00hrs	COMPETITION	
	13:00 - 14:00 hrs	Lunch break in Rotation	
	19:00 - 20:00 hrs	Finals and Awarding Ceremony	
24 September 2021	All Day	Departures	Istanbul

PERSONAL INDEMNIFICATION FORM

THIS INDEMNIFICATION, HOLD HARMLESS, RELEASE AND CONSENT NOT TO SUE executed this on: _____ (insert date of signing).

I, the undersigned, certify that I will indemnify, hold harmless and release the European Taekwondo Union, World Taekwondo and the Organizing Committee, its executive board members, directors, officers, members, employees, consultants, agents, attorneys, contractors (including without limitation sponsors, suppliers, licensees and other representatives (each, an “Indemnatee” and, collectively, “Indemnitees”), from and against any and all damages, injuries, penalties, fines, claims, suits, liabilities, costs, attorneys’ fees court costs and expenses of every kind and nature suffered by or asserted against the Indemnatee as a direct or indirect result of participating in the 9th European Para Taekwondo Championship 2021 in the broadest sense of the word.

By signing and submitting the form below, I accept and agree to the terms and covenants contained in this Indemnification, hold harmless, release and consent not to sue.

I verify that by signing and submitting this form, that I have read and agree to all of the terms and conditions provided above.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Signature:

In case the person involved is a minor, the legal guardian has to sign:

Name: _____

Relation towards the

minor _____

Date: _____

Signature:

Please send this form to: taekwondo@gsb.gov.tr



LIABILITY DECLARATION
(only for under aged athletes)

My name:

I live in:

I am the parent/guardian of:

Date of birth (competitor): ____/____/____

I declare that I accept the participation of _____ at the 9th European Para Taekwondo Championship 2021 on xx September 2021 and that I accept all parts of the official invitation of this tournament.

For physical reasons nothing speaks against a participation of the aforementioned athlete and I understand that all competitors are considered to participate at their own risk. European Taekwondo Union, World Taekwondo and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for any damages, injuries or losses. All athletes must bring their own documents and the forms or any medical insurance in Turkey.

Place: _____ Date: _____

Signature of the parents/legal guardian:

Please send this form to: taekwondo@gsb.gov.tr



VISA ASSISTANCE FORM

Important:

Please fill out this form and send it to: taekwondo@gsb.gov.tr

along with **passport copies** of all visa applicants and **Simply Compete Registration Summary**, to receive an invitation letter.

LOCATION of EMBASSY FOR VISA APPLICATION:

e-mail of EMBASSY:

Insert name of country:

Family name as shown in passport:

Given name as shown in passport

Date of birth:

Nationality:

Passport no.:

Passport date of issue:

Passport expiration date:

Name of the team:

Signature of the President: _____

Stamp of the club/team: _____

Please fill out and send this form to the Organizing Committee by **15/08/2021**

