



I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Title: WTKU European Traditional Karate-Do Championships 2021
Sanctioned by: World Traditional Karate-Do Union (WTKU)
Tournament venue: SPODEK ARENA Katowice, Poland

II. PARTICIPANTS

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

Each WTKU member international organization and representative national federation has the right to send their own competitors to each category.

WTKU members:

World Fudokan Federation
World Traditional Karate-do Federation
World Budo Karate Association
World Dento Karate-do Federation

1. They must have the **brown belt** (in cadets and juniors) or registered WFF or WTKF or WBKA or WDKF black belt (Shodan or higher).
Brown belts could be used ONLY for the cadets and juniors, for youth and seniors - only black belts.
2. Age in agreement with their competition category.
3. They must know, fully understand and be able to compete in accordance with the WTKU competition rules.
4. They must be free of any physical or mental handicap that might cause a breach of the WTKU 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 international traveling insurance and also personal accident insurance issued by their respective National Federations.
7. They must present Medical Release and International Health Insurance to Medical Emergencies.



COMPETITION RULES

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IV. CATEGORIES & NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Age and competition categories

CADET (born in 2007 and 2006)		
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
Men's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes in team	Two national teams are possible
Women's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes in team	Two national teams are possible
Men's En-bu	2 athletes in team	Two national teams are possible
Mixed En-bu	2 athletes in team	Two national teams are possible

JUNIOR (born in 2005 and 2004)		
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 Ko-go Kumite
Women's Individual Kumite	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Men's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Women's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Men's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes in team	<p style="color: red;">Team can be composed of at least one junior athlete, others can be cadets.</p> <p>REMARK: cadet/junior athletes can participate ONLY ONCE in the same competition category. For example: If athlete participate at enbu men/men CADET's category he can not participate at enbu men/men YOUTH category or if an athlete participate in cadets team kata, he can't participate in youth team kata or if an athlete participate in Cadet's team kata, the same athlete can not participate in Cadets team kata again with other team.</p>
Women's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes in team	<p style="color: red;">Team can be composed of at least one junior athlete, others can be cadets.</p> <p>REMARK: cadet/junior athletes can participate ONLY ONCE in the same competition category. For example: If athlete participate at enbu</p>

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Men's En-bu	2 athletes in team	<p>Team can be composed of at least one junior athlete, others can be cadets.</p> <p>REMARK: cadet/junior athletes can participate ONLY ONCE in the same competition category. For example: If athlete participate at enbu men/men CADET's category he can not participate at enbu men/men YOUTH category or if an athlete participate in cadets team kata, he can't participate in youth team kata or if an athlete participate in Cadet's team kata, the same athlete can not participate in Cadets team kata again with other team.</p>
Mixed En-bu	2 athletes in team	<p>Team can be composed of at least one junior athlete, others can be cadets.</p> <p>REMARK: cadet/junior athletes can participate ONLY ONCE in the same competition category. For example: If athlete participate at enbu men/men CADET's category he can not participate at enbu men/men YOUTH category or if an athlete participate in cadets team kata, he can't participate in youth team kata or if an athlete participate in Cadet's team kata, the same athlete can not</p>

		participate in Cadets team kata again with other team.
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<p>COMBINED COMPETITION</p> <p>CADET (born in 2007 and 2006)</p> <p>+</p> <p>JUNIOR (born in 2005 and 2004)</p>
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COMPETITION CATEGORIES	Number of Athletes	Remarks
Men's Team Kumite	3 athletes + 1	Using Ko-go Kumite

<p>YOUTH (born in 2003, 2002, 2001)</p>
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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	Using Jiyu Kumite
Women's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite

SENIOR (born in 2000 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	Using Jiyu Kumite
Women's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite
COMBINED COMPETITION YOUTH (born in 2003, 2002, 2001) + SENIOR (born in 2000 and before)		
Men's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes in team	1 team per country
Women's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes in team	1 team per country
Men's En-bu	2 athletes in team	1 team per country



Mixed En-bu	2 athletes in team	1 team per country
Women's Team Kumite	3 athletes + 1	Using Jiyu Kumite, 1 team per country
Men's Team Kumite	3 athletes + 1	Using Jiyu Kumite, 1 team per country

V. APPLICATIONS & REGISTRATION

A. Applications

For logistical reasons we must receive all re at least until **17th September 2021**.

B. Registration

The instruction, how to register in the online registration **registration.wtku.org**.

C. Participation Fees

European Traditional Karate-Do Championships 2021:

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

60 Eur for coach

Registration fees for all Athletes paid to the T.O.C. at the Tournament Office at latest one day before competition (until October 3, 2021).

VI. JUDGES

- 1. Selection of the Judges will be made during the WTKU Judges' Refresher Course held right before the European Championships.**
- 2. Each judge candidate must submit the online registration by September 17th, 2021.**
- 3. All Judges must bring their own HAKAMA (black), whistle and clean KARATE-GI including navy blue or white KARATE-GI top.**



VII. VISA AND COVID-19 regulations

Please contact your local embassy for visa procedure.

For requests contact:

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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 e-mail secretary@wtku.org. Update information regarding the Championships can be also found on this website <https://www.katowicekarate2021.info/>.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

We are looking forward to seeing you in Katowice.

Sincerely Yours,

Prof. Dr. Ilija Jorga, WTKU president