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1. OFFICIALS AND ORGANISING COMMITTEE

This Work plan has been drawn up in accordance with European Gymnastics and the World Gymnastics regulations and is based upon the definitive registrations received by the Office of European Gymnastics by May 7th, 2026. More information can also be found in the *Directives* of the WAG 2026 European Championships.

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2. THE COMPETITION

2.1 Schedule

DATE/TIME	DESCRIPTION	VENUE
Saturday, 8th of August 2026		
All Day	Arrival of European Gymnastics/WTC	
	Meeting – European Gymnastics Staff & LOC Staff	HOTEL SHERATON
Sunday, 9th of August 2026		
All day	Arrival of the WTC - European Gymnastics	
All day	Official Arrival Day of the Delegations	
13:30 – 20:50	Training on Request	TH & WUH
Monday, 10th of August 2026		
All Day	Training as per the Schedule	TH & WUH
14:00 – 17:30	Judges Instruction & Draw for Qualification Competition (Junior & Senior) & Team Final (Seniors)	HOTEL SHERATON
19:30	Orientation Meeting	Judges Room - Arena
Tuesday, 11th of August 2026		
All Day	Junior Training as per the Schedule	TH
As per the Schedule	Seniors Warm-up - Podium Training	
08:50	D-Panel Briefing – Seniors	Judges Room - Arena
09:30 – 21:00	Seniors Podium Training (Subdivision 1-5) Subdivision 1 Subdivision 2 Subdivision 3 Subdivision 4 Subdivision 5	FOP
Wednesday, 12th of August 2026		
All Day	Senior Training as per the Schedule	TH
As per the Schedule	Juniors Warm-up - Podium Training	
09:30	D-Panel Briefing – Juniors	Judges Room - Arena
09:30	Deadline for submission of Start Order for Senior QC	Online on Gymdata (see attachment 4)
10:00 – 20:00	Juniors Podium Training (Subdivision 1-4) Subdivision 1 Subdivision 2 Subdivision 3 Subdivision 4	FOP

Thursday, 13 th of August 2026		
All Day	Junior Training as per the Schedule	TH
As per the Schedule	Seniors Warm-up - QC	
08:15	Judges Briefing – Seniors	Judges Room - Arena
10:00	Deadline for submission of Start Order for Juniors QC	Online on Gymdata (see attachment 4)
09:30 – 21:05	Seniors Qualification Competition (Subdivision 1-5)	FOP
09:30 – 10:35	Subdivision 1	
11:00 – 13:05	Subdivision 2	
13:30 – 15:35	Subdivision 3	
16:30 – 18:35	Subdivision 4	
19:00 – 21:05	Subdivision 5	
Immediately after	Medal Ceremony – Seniors All-Around Final Champion	
Friday, 14 th of August 2026		
All Day	Senior Training as per the Schedule & On Request	TH
As per the Schedule	Juniors Warm-up - QC	
08:30	Judges Briefing – Juniors	Judges Room
10:00 – 20:00	Juniors Qualification Competition (Subdivision 1-4)	FOP
10:00 – 12:05	Subdivision 1	
12:30 – 14:35	Subdivision 2	
15:30 – 17:35	Subdivision 3	
18:00 – 20:05	Subdivision 4	
Immediately after	Medal Ceremony – Juniors Team and All-Around Final Champions	
Saturday, 15 th of August 2026		
All Day	Training as per the Schedule	TH & WUH
As per the Schedule	Warm-up Seniors - AF	
12:45	Judges Draw for AF – Seniors & Juniors	Judges Room - Arena
13:30	Judges Briefing – Senior Apparatus Finals	Judges Room - Arena
13:00 – 14:00	Training on the Podium – Seniors	FOP
14:15 – 14:45	Opening Ceremony	FOP
16:00	Deadline for submission of Start Order for Seniors Team	Online on Gymdata (see attachment 4)
15:00 – 18:20	Seniors Individual Apparatus Finals & Medal Ceremonies	FOP
Immediately after	SmartScoring Shooting Star Award	FOP
Immediately after	Gymnast of the Year 2025 Award	FOP

Sunday, 16th of August 2026		
As per the Schedule	Warm-up – Juniors	
08:30	Judges Briefing – Juniors AF	Judges Room - Arena
08:30 – 09:30	Training on the Podium – Juniors	FOP
10:00 – 13:20	Juniors Individual Apparatus Finals & Medal Ceremonies	FOP
14:30	Judges Briefing – Senior Team Finals	Judges Room
As per the Schedule	Warm-up Seniors - TF	WUH
16:00 – 18:20	Seniors Team Final & Medal Ceremonies	FOP
20:00 – 24:00	Farewell Banquet	Hotel Zonar
Monday, 17th of August 2026		
All day	Official Departure Day	

2.2 Competition Format

The FIG requirements for Juniors and for Seniors will be applied for all phases of competitions.

Event ID, Senior: 18233

Event ID, Junior: 18234

The Qualification Competition will act as the continental qualification competition for the 54th Artistic Gymnastics World Championships 2026 in Rotterdam, Netherlands. Please refer to Section 2, Article 5 of the FIG Technical Regulations for more details around the rules & continental quotas.

QUALIFYING COMPETITION

Seniors - Qualifying Competition including All-Around Final, plus qualification for Apparatus Finals & Team Final

Juniors - Qualifying Competition including All-Around and Team Final, plus qualification for the Apparatus Finals

A Senior and Junior team consists of 3 - 5 gymnasts, of which up to 4 gymnasts compete on each apparatus.

The 3 best scores on each apparatus are added together to make the team total on that apparatus.

The NF nominates the team on each apparatus.

If a Federation does not have a sufficient number of gymnasts for a full team, it is possible to participate with a maximum of three (3) Individual gymnasts.

A separate All-Around Final result list will be produced to include the 24 gymnasts with the highest ranking obtained. A maximum of 2 gymnasts per Federation will be taken into consideration.

The results from the Senior Qualifying Competition will determine the All-Around Senior European Artistic Gymnastic Champion 2026.

The results from the Junior Qualifying Competition will determine the Junior European Artistic Gymnastics Team Champions 2026 as well as the All-Around Junior European Artistic Gymnastic Champion 2026.

SENIORS & JUNIORS - Apparatus Finals

The 8 highest ranked gymnasts on each apparatus from the Qualifying Competition will qualify for the respective Apparatus Final. A maximum of two gymnasts per Federation will be allowed in the finals.

SENIORS - Team Final

The 8 best Teams from the Qualifying Competition will participate in the Team Final. Teams consist of 3 to 5 gymnasts. 3 gymnasts will compete on each apparatus with all 3 scores counting towards the total score for the Team on that apparatus.

RESERVE GYMNASTS:

For the Apparatus Finals, the following number of reserve gymnasts will be designated, by taking into account the respective Apparatus ranking results in the Qualification Competition:

- Three (3) gymnasts per apparatus.

If called upon, a reserve works in accordance with the order of the gymnasts replaced. Reserves must be prepared to compete and must be present in the warm-up hall in case they are called upon.

2.2.1 Registration changes

If a qualified gymnast is unable to take part in the AF competition, then they can be replaced by the next gymnast from their federation, on the condition that their result is better than that of the first reserve. This new gymnast will take the starting position of the gymnast they replace.

Withdrawals / Replacements of gymnasts for medical reasons will be accepted in accordance with the FIG/TR. Any proposed replacement must be in line with the above-mentioned conditions. These forms should be submitted to

- Mrs. Maria Cocuzza, European Gymnastics Technical Delegate for the WAG competition, via the LOC Sport Information Desk.

2.2.2 Qualifying Competition - Juniors and Seniors

The starting orders for the QC will be in accordance with the drawing of lots carried out in Lausanne on **July 17th, 2026**, and published by European Gymnastics.

For the Senior and Junior QC, the draw for Mixed Groups will be made from the National Federations with individual gymnast(s).

For the Senior QC the draw will start with the 4 highest ranked Teams from the Qualification Competition at the European Championships in Leipzig 2025 and the Host NF. The Teams are:

ITA, GER, FRA, ROU & CRO

The 4 ranked Teams and the host NF will be drawn in the final subdivision and placed horizontally across the apparatus working in Olympic order.

For Juniors' the QC draw is open for all subdivisions.

If a NF has made a nominative inscription with a team and presents with only individuals at the competition or if the number of individuals at the competition is less than the number of gymnasts detailed in the nominative inscription, the European Gymnastics / WTC is entitled to adjust the starting order of the competition, to reflect the actual number of gymnasts present at the competition.

Teams: The competing order for gymnasts in a team is decided by the National Federation.

Mixed Group: NF with more than one gymnast within a Mixed Group must submit the Starting Order for their gymnasts on each apparatus. A Federation can only chose the order if they have more than 1 gymnast in a Mixed Group.

If a Federation has more than one Individual gymnast and one of their gymnasts does not compete on an apparatus, the Federation can choose which position to compete in.

The competing order of the Teams / Mixed Groups **WILL NOT** alternate during the Qualification Competition – example as follows - **Rotation 1** AUT, Mixed Group, **Rotation 2** AUT, Mixed Group.

The gymnasts in the first Team / Mixed Group will warm-up and compete, then the gymnasts in the second Team / Mixed Group will warm-up and compete.

The competing order for NF with Individual gymnasts inside a Mixed Group **WILL** rotate in the Qualification Competition– example as follows - **Rotation 1** – ISL, ISL, NOR, NOR – **Rotation 2** – ISL, NOR, NOR, ISL.

2.2.3 Apparatus Finals - Juniors and Seniors

The draw for the starting order for AF was carried out online on 27th May by the European Gymnastics WTC.

If more than 8 gymnasts qualify for one apparatus final, an updated draw will take place to determine the new starting order.

If a gymnast competes in two (or more) successive Apparatus Finals and medals in the preceding Final (thus reducing the gymnasts' opportunity to return to the warm-up hall prior to the next Final), the WTC will (if necessary) adjust the start order. As a result, the start order for the Final following the medal presentation may be amended.

Starting Order for Apparatus Final - Seniors

							
Ranking Qual.	Order App. Final	Ranking Qual	Order App. Final	Ranking Qual	Order App. Final	Ranking Qual	Order App. Final
1	1	1	4	1	1	1	7
2	3	2	7	2	3	2	5
3	6	3	3	3	5	3	4
4	7	4	2	4	2	4	3
5	2	5	8	5	4	5	2
6	8	6	1	6	8	6	1
7	5	7	5	7	6	7	6
8	4	8	6	8	7	8	8

Starting Order for Apparatus Final - Juniors

							
Ranking Qual.	Order App. Final	Ranking Qual.	Order App. Final	Ranking Qual.	Order App. Final	Ranking Qual.	Order App Final
1	4	1	2	1	4	1	4
2	2	2	4	2	8	2	6
3	3	3	1	3	7	3	8
4	5	4	6	4	3	4	5
5	7	5	3	5	1	5	1
6	8	6	8	6	6	6	2
7	6	7	7	7	5	7	7
8	1	8	5	8	2	8	3

2.2.4 Team Final - Seniors

For the TF, two (2) teams will compete on each apparatus. Each Team will have a touch warm-up. The Team who is competing first (as per the starting order) will do their touch warm-up first. When the first Team is finished their touch warm-up, the second Team will commence their touch warm-up. The timer will indicate the start and end time of each touch warm-up. Only teams who are doing their touch warm-up are entitled to be on the Podium.

In the competition, Teams will not compete in one block; they will compete as described in the FIG TR – see examples of both the touch warm-up and competition order below.

- Touch Warm-up Rotation 1 – SUI, SUI, SUI, GER, GER, GER
- Competition - Rotation 1 – SUI, GER, SUI, GER, SUI, GER
- Touch Warm-up Rotation 2 – GER, GER, GER, SUI, SUI, SUI
- Competition - Rotation 2 – GER, SUI, GER, SUI, GER, SUI

Starting Order for Team Finals

				
1	Team 1	Team 3	Team 5	Team 7
	Team 2	Team 4	Team 6	Team 8
2	Team 8	Team 2	Team 4	Team 6
	Team 7	Team 1	Team 3	Team 5
3	Team 5	Team 7	Team 1	Team 3
	Team 6	Team 8	Team 2	Team 4
4	Team 4	Team 6	Team 8	Team 2
	Team 3	Team 5	Team 7	Team 1

2.3 Touch warm-up during the competition

- Warm-up times are in accordance with FIG rules.
- Qualifying Competition and Apparatus Finals Juniors - on the Podium.
- Qualifying Competition, Apparatus Finals & Team Finals Seniors - on the Podium.
- In Apparatus Finals Juniors & Seniors, the first 4 gymnasts will warm-up and compete followed by the remaining 4 gymnasts, who will warm-up and compete.
- Prior to the start of Apparatus Finals, a timed warm-up period of one hour is afforded to the gymnasts on the Podium. This warm-up will end approx. 30 minutes (Juniors) and 1 hour (Seniors) before the start of the competition.

2.4 Tie Breaking Rules

Senior Competition

In case of a tie in any place in the qualification to all Finals, in the All-Around Ranking, the Team Final and in the Apparatus Finals, the tie breaking rules will follow the FIG Technical Regulations, Section 2, Article 7. Ties will be broken.

Junior Competition

In the event of a tie in any place in the Team Ranking, in the All-Around Ranking and in the Apparatus Finals, the tie breaking rules will follow the principles set out in the FIG Technical Regulations, Section 2, Article 7. Ties will not be broken in Finals.

2.5 Access to the competition area

Gymnasts are permitted to return to the warm-up hall during Podium Training & / Competitions, without any special approval, in order to share the designated stretching area and the apparatus. During the QC, priority will nevertheless always be given to any gymnasts warming up for the following subdivision. Therefore, permission will be required from any federation(s) warming-up on the Apparatus before the gymnasts coming from the Competition Hall may use a specific apparatus. Gymnasts will be fully responsible to return to the competition hall when required in order to perform their routine on time.

Concerning the presence of the coaches and medical team on the podium the following provisions will apply:

- For full Teams in the QC, 2 coaches are allowed (WAG – 1 must be female)
- For Federations with Individual Gymnasts in the QC, **ONLY** 1 coach is allowed regardless of the number of Individuals (WAG – Male / Female)
- For Federations with Individual Gymnasts in the AAF and AF, 1 coach per gymnast is allowed (WAG - Male / Female).
- For all competitions, 1 team medical person per national federation is allowed.

Transferable access cards for the Field of Play (FOP), Zone 1

	WAG Sen	WAG Jun
Transferable Access Card - Zone 1 – Coaches	2	2
Transferable Access Card - Zone 1 - Medical Staff	1	1

2.6 Use of electronic devices (European Gymnastics/TR)

During the duration of official European Gymnastics competitions (which is defined as starting the moment the first gymnast enters the field of play and ending the moment, the last score is publicly displayed):

- Judges on the field of play are absolutely prohibited from using mobile phones and any other kind of electronic communication devices, except for devices provided by European Gymnastics or the Scoring provider for the actual scoring or other competition related tasks.
- Other delegation members (gymnasts, coaches, medical staff) are prohibited from using mobile phones and any other kind of electronic communication devices except for when listening to music (with earphones and at a sound level which is not observable for surrounding persons). Other delegation members are also allowed to take photos (but no videos), without flash and must not interrupt the running of the competition.

If these rules are violated during a competition, the persons concerned will receive a verbal warning, in the presence of a witness, followed by a written warning if repeated.

If this behaviour is repeated after the written warning is issued, those persons concerned may be excluded for the rest of the competition.

The Superior Jury is responsible to decide these disciplinary measures.

Appeals against these decisions have to be submitted to the Jury of Appeal whose decision is final.

2.7 Medal ceremonies

The medal ceremonies will take place according to the schedule and will be organised as follows:

- Qualifying Competition Seniors: All-Around: Gold, Silver and Bronze medalists on the podium
- Qualifying Competition Juniors: All-Around & Team: Gold, Silver and Bronze medalists on the podium (including coaches for the TF Result)
- Apparatus Finals Juniors & Seniors: Gold, Silver and Bronze medalists on the podium
- Team Final Seniors: Gold, Silver and Bronze medalists on the podium, including coaches.

Flags will be raised in front of the gymnasts, allowing them to face the flags during the national anthem without having to turn around.

According to the FIG / TR, gymnasts must wear the national **tracksuit** during the medal ceremonies. The participation of the medal winners in the medal ceremonies is compulsory. Gymnasts or teams that are absent for unjustified reasons will be disqualified.

Please note: to ensure the presence of all medal winners in the arena for the medal ceremonies for the Senior All-Around and Junior All-Around & Team Final, we kindly ask the **Top 3 ranking Athletes (Sen & Jun) & Teams (Junior only) after Subdivision 3** to stay in the **delegation seating and on-hold for the LOC**.

2.8 Apparatus supplier

The official apparatus supplier for this European Championships is Spieth Gymnastics.

Additional landing mats for all apparatus will be provided by the apparatus supplier in the warm-up halls and for podium training.

Personal equipment permitted on the FOP:

Handstand bars, training beams, yoga mats, or similar are permitted inside the FoP area during podium training but are not permitted on the podium.

They are not permitted inside the FoP area during touch warm-up in any phase of the competition.

They are permitted in the training halls throughout the competition.

Additional landing and spotter mats that are not supplied by the LOC as per the Apparatus Norms, are not permitted at anytime.

2.9 Scoring and distribution of results

After each competition, the results will be provided on the Internet on the following web site:

www.europeangymnastics.com. In addition, the results will be sent to the Heads of Delegation by e-mail.

At the end of the competition all delegations will be provided with a complete set of results including the judges' individual scores for all competitions.

2.10 SmartScoring Shooting Star & Gymnast of the Year 2025 Awards

The SmartScoring Shooting Star Award and the Gymnast of the Year 2025 Award will take place on Saturday, August 15th immediately after the Seniors Individual Apparatus Finals.

2.11 Competition numbers (Bib)

Two (2) sets of competition numbers will be provided to the Head of Delegation by the LOC at accreditation. The numbers must be firmly attached to the competition attire throughout the entire competition.

2.12 New elements

New elements should be submitted by e-mail to Mrs. Mairead Kavanagh mairead@gymnasticsireland.com, the President of the Superior Jury, **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE** but no later than 24 hours before the start of podium training. A technical drawing and a video must be attached to the e-mail.

2.13 Anti-doping control

Any doping is prohibited. An anti-doping control can be requested at any time. Anti-doping controls will be undertaken in line with the Anti-Doping Control Regulations of FIG and WADA.

2.14 Prize money

A **prize money** fund will be introduced for the **first time in history** at the **European Championships Zagreb 2026**.

The total prize money fund for **Women's Artistic Gymnastics** amounts to **EUR 62,500** and is provided exclusively by the LOC – **Croatian Gymnastics Federation**.

The prize money is intended for **athletes and their coaches**.

Prize money will be awarded in the **Senior All-Around and Apparatus Finals** competitions in **WAG**.

The total Prize money for WAG is EUR 62,500 and is detailed in the tables below.
The Prize money will be distributed in EUR as follows:

Athletes' prize fund per competition: EUR 10,000

Ranking	Amount EUR
1	3,000
2	2,000
3	1,500
4	1,000
5	800
6	700
7	600
8	400

If after application of the tie-breaking rules as outlined in the FIG Technical Regulations, Section 2, there is still a tie, the prize money of the tied ranks will be added and divided equally amongst the respective gymnasts & coaches.

Coaches' prize fund per competition (1 coach per gymnast): EUR 2,500

Ranking	Amount EUR
1	1,250
2	750
3	500

Prize money will be transferred to the bank account of the respective Federation of the awarded gymnast/coach.

The Croatian Gymnastics Federation will request each National Federation to provide its official bank account details to which the prize money shall be transferred. Prize money payments will be made exclusively to the respective National Federations. Each National Federation is responsible for distributing the awarded prize money to the athletes and their coaches in accordance with its internal regulations and procedures.

The LOC will not be responsible for any local taxes payable in the beneficiary's residence country.

3. THE JURIES

3.1 Jury of Appeal

The jury of appeal is composed of two members of the Executive Committee (one of them acting as President) and if necessary a third person to be designated in accordance with the matter of the appeal, who was involved neither in the decision of the Competition Jury, nor in the decision of the Superior Jury, nominated on-site by the European Gymnastics President or his representative.

President: Ms. Sabrina Klaesberg, European Gymnastics Vice-President

Member: Ms. Carine Charlier, European Gymnastics EC member

3.2 Superior Jury

President: Ms. Mairead Kavanagh, President WTC / European Gymnastics

Member: Ms. Maria Cocuzza, Technical Delegate WTC / European Gymnastics

Member: Ms. Fabienne Ringler, Responsible for Judges WTC / European Gymnastics

3.3 Apparatus Jury

All registered judges must hold a valid FIG judges brevet (16th Cycle). To be allowed to judge, the judges must have taken part in the judges' instruction, in the drawing of lots and in the briefings preceding the competition. Where possible all Judging Panels will comprise of 7 E-Judges. In cases where there is an insufficient number of judges from the participating National Federations, the WTC reserves the right to adapt, if necessary, the composition of the Judging Panels according to the situation, which may include, the Senior Judges being used in the Junior Competition and vice versa.

3.3.1 D-Jury

The D1 Judges were nominated by the European Gymnastics TC.

D2-judges were drawn on 10th May 2026 by the European Gymnastics WTC after the definitive inscription of the National Federations, according to the category of the Judges.

D1- and D2- judges remain the same throughout the entire competition and are detailed as follows:

Seniors:

				
AS	Jonna SALONEN 	Valerie Van CAUWENBERGHE 	Angela CACOVEANU 	Martina KOLEVA-CASTELLETTI 
D1	Anca MIHAILESCU-GRIGORAS 	Christine FRAUENKNECHT 	Oksana SLIUSARCHUK 	Orna SHAI 
D2	Maria IOANNOU (CYP)	Nadezda SEILE (LAT)	Tuulia RAISANEN (FIN)	Elena REDYANOVA (RUS)

Juniors:

				
AS	Jonna SALONEN 	Valerie Van CAUWENBERGHE 	Angela CACOVEANU 	Martina KOLEVA-CASTELLETTI 
D1	Anca MIHAILESCU- GRIGORAS 	Christine FRAUENKNECHT 	Oksana SLIUSARCHUK 	Orna SHAI 
D2	Marta DAMASIO (POR)	Veronica PUDDU (ITA)	Delphine CARDON (BEL)	Anne Torill NORDLI (NOR)

D1 Reserve Seniors & Juniors: Zeltia GARCIA BEN (ESP)

D2 Reserve Senior: Michaela BILL (LIE)

D2 Reserve Junior: Sibel DAGISTANLI (TUR)

3.3.2 E-Jury

The E-judges will be decided by the drawing of lots on site.

The E-Jury will consist of SEVEN (7) E-Judges. The Final E-score will be determined from the average of the 3 middle scores.

All entered judges must be available until the drawing of lots for the last competition of the respective European Championships. Exceptions will be managed by Mrs. Mairead Kavanagh, the President of the European Gymnastics WTC.

For AF Juniors & Seniors, a Federation whose gymnast has qualified for an Apparatus Final (including 1st & 2nd Reserve) will as a result, not have their judge included in the Judges Draw for the concerned Apparatus.

Cat 4 judges, if present, are only allowed to judge line and time.

As a reminder and according to the European Gymnastics / TR, the function of a judge cannot be combined with any other function.

E-Judges may only attend training sessions at which their National Federation is in attendance.

D-Judges (D1 & D2) may attend all training sessions.

3.4 Judges' instruction and drawing of lots

According to the European Gymnastics / TR, the presence of the judges at the judges' instruction is mandatory. If a Judge does not arrive on time and as a result misses the Judges Instruction, she / he may be excluded from judging. The judges' instruction will be held in person and in English. Judges are however encouraged to bring their Laptop or Tablet to the Championships as a back-up.

The judges' oath will be carried out at the end of the judges' instruction by one of the host Federation's judges.

3.5 Inquiries of the score

European Gymnastics applies the relevant TR / FIG article.

The number of inquiries made by a Federation are counted separately for each competition with a separate FIG competition (ID) number. (e.g.: the number of inquiries made by a Federation in the Junior competition and in a Senior competition are counted separately).

Following an inquiry if the final score remains unchanged or is lowered, the amount due will be invoiced by European Gymnastics (in Euro, not in USD) at a later date and same must be paid within one month.

4. ORGANISATION OF THE EVENT

4.1 Competition venue

Arena Zagreb

Address: Vice Vukova 8, 10000 Zagreb

Website: <https://www.zagrebarena.hr/>

Hall capacity: 5,000

Distance from official Hotels: approx. 5 km



4.2 Orientation Meeting

The Orientation Meeting will be held on **Monday, 10th August 2026 at 19:30** in the **Judges Room** area at the venue. The presence of the participating National Federations at the Orientation meeting is mandatory. A maximum of 2 members per delegation, including the Head of Delegation is permitted.

Unjustified failure to attend will result in a sanction against the federation of Euro €1,000.

4.3 Training information

A detailed training schedule will be provided to the participating NF after the drawing of lots. The delegations are obliged to respect the training schedules.

Training upon request will be possible on Sunday, 9th of August from 13:30 – 20:50. Please complete **Appendix 3** and submit the request to the LOC (sport@echzagreb2026.com) no later than 48 hours before the Official Arrival date of Delegations as per the Work Plan.

Training on Request will no longer be available after Friday, 14 August.

4.4 Official Podium Training

A detailed program of the official podium training will be provided to the participating NF in the Training Plan.

- The presence of the D-judges at Podium Training is mandatory.
- The presence of the E-judges at Podium Training is not mandatory, however, the WTC would strongly encourage all E-Judges to be present.
- When attending Podium Training the E-Judges can either sit in the stands or on the FOP.

4.5 Accreditation

Accreditations will be distributed at the official hotels.

The accreditation office will be located at the competition venue.

Upon accreditation, the Head of Delegation or his/her representative must provide the following to the LOC:

- The passport of all delegation members
- Certificate of a valid insurance **for all the members** of the delegation;
- Proof of the fulfilment of all financial obligations to the LOC (competition fee package);
- Completed Appendix Number 9 - "Confirmation of the correctness of National Anthem & Flag".
- Completed Appendix Number 10 – "Confirmation of the correctness of WAG Floor Music".
- Hand in one set of back-up USB key of their gymnasts' floor exercise music, including for each USB key the name of the NF and the 3 capital letters used by World Gymnastics for the country code, the name of the gymnast, the name of the composer and of the title of the music and the exact length of the music. These back-up audio USB key must be brought for safety reasons and will be returned at the closing banquet.
- An additional audio USB key has to be brought for the training sessions.
- Appendix 6 – Request to Raise the Apparatus. Whilst acknowledging the latest date to submit this form is 24 hours prior to the start of Podium Training, the TC & LOC would greatly appreciate if the requests can be submitted as early as possible. All requests to raise the UB will be checked by the TC President, TD / European Gymnastics Member during a Training session. The gymnast will be asked to perform an element on the UB (i.e., Giant) and **only if she touches the mat during this element** will approval be granted to raise the bars.
- Departure confirmation

4.6 Accommodation

European Gymnastics' and Judges' Hotel (Category I)

Hotel Sheraton Zagreb 5*

Ulica Kneza Borne 2, 10000 Zagreb

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/zagsi-sheraton-zagreb-hotel/overview/>

Delegation Category II Hotel

Hotel Westin Zagreb 4*

Kršnjavoga 1, 10000 Zagreb

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/zagwi-the-westin-zagreb/overview/>

Delegation Category III Hotel

Hotel Zonar Zagreb 4*

Trg Krešimira Čosića 9, 10000 Zagreb

<https://www.maistra.com/properties/zonar-zagreb/#/>

Delegation Category III Hotel

Hotel International 4*

Miramarska 24, 10000 Zagreb

<https://www.maistra.com/properties/hotel-international/#/>

4.7 Meals

For the Delegations

All meals will be served at the hotels, with extended service hours for lunch and dinner.

- Breakfast: 06:30 - 10:00
- Lunch: 11:30 - 15:30
- Dinner: 18:30 - 22:30

Meals for the judges

Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be served at the official hotel according to the package booked by the respective federation.

On **Thursday and Friday, 13–14 August (Qualifications)**, and on **Sunday, 16 August (Juniors Individual Apparatus Finals & Senior Team Final)**, lunch will be provided **for all judges at the competition venue**. No lunch service will be available at the hotel on these days.

Farewell Banquet

The Farewell Banquet for the delegations will take place on **Sunday, 16 August 2026** at **Hotel Zonar** from 20:00.

Accredited Delegation members (with the exception of E- and R- media), who will stay at one of the official hotels and pay the competition fee package through the LOC will receive a free ticket for the Farewell Banquet.

All other persons wishing to attend the Banquet will be entitled to do so, provided that a request is sent to the LOC by emailing to delegations@echzagreb2026.com **by 14 July 2026**, requesting the number of tickets to be released. The cost of a ticket for the Farewell Banquet is **EUR 80** per person.

The LOC will organize shuttle bus transportation to and from the Farewell Banquet for accredited participants staying at the official hotels. The detailed transportation schedule and departure times will be published and communicated at a later date.

4.8 Transportation

International Transportation

The invited participating Federations must pay for the travel costs of their delegation members.

The official arrival airport is:

- **Franjo Tuđman Airport, Zagreb (ZAG)**

You can also arrive at Zagreb Railway Station by train or Zagreb Bus Station by bus.

All accredited persons who have booked an official Zagreb 2026 Competition Fee Package through the Zagreb 2026 LOC will be provided with complimentary transfers from and to Franjo Tuđman Airport, Zagreb, as well as Zagreb Train Station and Zagreb Bus Station, on the official arrival and departure days.

These transfers will operate between the designated arrival points and the official hotels, and vice versa, for all accredited persons.

Transportation to and from the airport on days other than the official arrival and departure days will be subject to a transportation fee of EUR 50.00 per person (one-way).

The travel details must be submitted to the LOC by email to transport@uniline.hr until **14 July 2026**.

Local Transportation

Event local transportation service from the official hotels to the venue and back, as well as to any other official activities and back, will be provided to all delegations that booked one of the official Zagreb 2026 Competition Fee Package through the LOC and submit their Travel Schedule for Arrival and Departure to the LOC by email to transport@uniline.hr until **14 July 2026**.

Public transportation within the City of Zagreb is not included in the event accreditation and any related costs shall be borne by the participants.

For participants arriving by private vehicle, ample free parking spaces are available in the parking areas surrounding the competition venue (Arena Zagreb).

4.9 Delegation boxes

Delegation Mailboxes will be set up at the information desk located at the Competition Hall. All information regarding competition, warm-up, training, as well as European Gymnastics and LOC correspondence will be distributed via the delegation mailboxes and if possible (available as electronic file), sent by e-mail or WhatsApp to the Heads of Delegation.

A special "Mailbox" authority card will be issued to each Head of Delegation. This card must be shown by the Head of Delegations or their designated representative when collecting all information from their Delegation Mailbox. The delegation member designated to collect the information from the Delegation Mailbox will be required to sign for information collected.

The information desk will be open daily between: 08:00 – 21:00

4.10 Photo Session

Each athlete's photo in national tracksuit shall be taken after podium training. These photos will be used by the Scoring company to display on the screens during the events. For this purpose, the athletes are requested to follow the dedicated volunteers to have their pictures taken.

4.11 Floor Music

The music must be submitted by **14 July 2026**.

Each delegation, logging in with its credentials at the official accreditation platform (<https://accreditations.elevien.com>), must upload the music files for each performance through the NF Portal under the "Floor Music" section.

Music files must be uploaded in the following format: .mp3

The file name must contain:

- The official abbreviation of the nation
- The first and last name of the individual competitor(s)
- The category
- Junior or Senior

(Example: ITA_AMATO_Asa_Senior.mp3)

If you need assistance, please contact: accreditation@echzagreb2026.com

Delegation members are requested to keep a CD and USB key of their music for training sessions and in case of technical problems.

Each Federation must also confirm that the music used does not violate any copyright and that it may be broadcast within a sports context. At accreditation, the Head of Delegation must hand in the Music Release Form, which will be provided together with the Work Plan.

4.12 Medical Service

Medical Service will be provided at the official competition, warm-up and training venues. Trained medical staff will be in place during the opening hours at all official venues. Physiotherapists will also be available in the training and warm-up hall, where ice will be provided for athletes if needed. If a medical emergency occurs, please search for the medical centre or approach the nearest medical team.

If a medical emergency occurs and an athlete needs to go to the hospital the athlete **MUST** be accompanied by a person from her delegation.

Outside the official opening hours at the official venues, there is a 24/7 on-call number available for all athletes. This Number can be called if medical advice is needed.

On Call Number: +385 91 627 6593

Official Hospital ECh 2026

Name: **Klinička bolnica "Sveti Duh"**

Address: Sveti Duh 64, 10000 Zagreb

Tel: +385 1 3712 111

4.13 Safeguarding

A safe environment for all participants is a top priority at the 2026 European Championships.

In case you experience or see any form of non-accidental violence, harassment &/ abuse please contact Ivana Pranjić (email: safeguarding@echzagreb2026.com ; mobile: +385 91 627 6594).

4.14 Delegation seating

During qualification competitions, delegations will be allocated reserved seating in a dedicated section within Category 1 seating (lower tier).

During finals, delegations will be allocated reserved seating in a dedicated section within Category 2 seating (upper tier).

4.15 Ticketing Information

- Online: <https://echzagreb2026.com/en/>
- On site: at Venue Ticket Office during competition days.
- For any additional questions, please contact us at this email address: tickets@echzagreb2026.com

4.16 Appendix

- App 1: Layouts
- App 2: Details of New Elements or Vaults
- App 3: Additional Training Request
- App 4: Manual for online confirmation of starting order for QC & TF
- App 5: Vault Numbers
- App 6: Request to raise the Apparatus
- App 7: Replacement & Withdrawal
- App 8: Inquiry Form
- App 9: Time, Line & Bonus Review Form
- App 10: Confirmation of the correctness of the National Anthem & Flag
- App 11: Music Release & Confirmation of the correctness of the Floor Music
- App 12: European Gymnastics WAG Coaches Handbook

4.17 Rules and Regulations

This European Championships will take place under the following regulations:

- FIG and European Gymnastics Statutes
- FIG and European Gymnastics Technical Regulations
- FIG Code of Points, relevant Newsletters and help desk
- FIG General Judges' Rules
- FIG Specific Judges' Rules
- FIG Anti-doping Rules
- European Gymnastics Medical Guidelines
- Medical Organisation of FIG Competitions and Events
- FIG Framework for Safeguarding Athletes and other Participants from Harassment and abuse in Sport during Events
- FIG License Rules
- European Gymnastics Media Rules
- FIG Apparatus Norms
- FIG Advertising and Publicity Rules
- FIG Rules for Sanctioning (approval) of International Events
- European Gymnastics Accreditation Directives
- European Gymnastics Directives for Ceremonies
- FIG Code of Ethics
- FIG Code of Discipline
- and subsequent decisions of the FIG/European Gymnastics Executive Committee

The members of the European Gymnastics / EC / WTC will any handle unforeseen incidents or events which may occur during these Championships.

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