



# **SWEDISH OPEN**

## **TAEKWONDO**

**2023**

**G1 World Ranking  
E1 European Ranking**

10 -11 November  
Fyrishov  
Uppsala, Sweden



Stockholm, 22 September 2023

**Dear friends,**

It is with great pleasure I once again invite you to Sweden to participate in the second edition of the Swedish Open Championship.

We genuinely hope that you will feel welcome and that you will find this to be one of the best well-run events of the year.

To have a smooth registration and weigh-in, the accreditation process will be digital and we have also chosen a fast video replay system.

We welcome all athletes and their entourage to the beautiful university town of Uppsala located 30 minutes from Arlanda Airport in Stockholm.

During this time of the year, you will experience the darkness of the northern hemisphere. Welcome all teams to light up this period with us!

Warmly,

A stylized, handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of the letters 'FPA' followed by a flourish.

**Ms. Fésia Pérez Arriagada**

*President of Swedish Taekwondo Union*

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## **ORGANIZER**

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## **GLOBAL AND EUROPEAN RANKING**

**Global and European Ranking is applicable at the Swedish Open 2023**

Seniors: G1

Juniors: E1

Cadets: E1

## **VENUE**

**Fyrishov**, Idrottsgatan 2, 753 33 Uppsala, Sweden

## **COMPETITION DATES & SCHEDULE**

**11 – 12 November 2023**

11 November: All Juniors / Cadets divisions

12 November: All Seniors divisions

## **REGISTRATION**

**10 - 11 November at venue Fyrishov (Idrottsgatan 2, 753 33 Uppsala)**

10 November: 11:00 – 13:00 hrs & 14:00 – 19:00 hrs

11 November: 11:00 – 13:00 hrs & 14:00 – 17:00 hrs

## **ACCREDITATION**

Will be digital. Those who do payment correctly and in time will be able to go directly to weigh-in.

## **WEIGH-IN DATES, SCHEDULE & LOCATION**

**10 - 11 November at venue Fyrishov (Idrottsgatan 2, 753 33 Uppsala)**

10 November: 14:00 – 21:00 hrs – All Junior and Cadet divisions

11 November: 14:00 – 18:00 hrs – All Seniors divisions

## **RANDOM WEIGH-IN**

Selected athletes must be present in the venue at 08:00 hrs sharp. The names of the athletes selected for the Random weigh-in will be published at 07:00 hrs on the competition day on:

<https://www.svenskataekwoundunionen.se/swedish-open/>

Facebook.com/SwedishOpenTaekwondo

## DRAW SHEETS & BRACKET PUBLICATION

The draw sheets and brackets will be daily published, one (1) day before the start of competition at 21:00 hrs on the following media platforms:

<https://www.svenskataekwoundunionen.se/swedish-open/>

Facebook.com/SwedishOpenTaekwondo

Instagram.com/SwedishOpenTaekwondo

## SEEDING

Seniors: All athletes will be seeded according to the WT World ranking as per September 2023 (published in September 2023)

Juniors: All athletes will be seeded according to the European ranking as per September 2023 (published in September 2023)

Cadets: All athletes will be seeded according to the European ranking as per September 2023 (published in September 2023)

## COMPETITION RULES

WT Competition Rules & Interpretation. **Please note that only semi contact to the head is allowed for cadets according to the Swedish law! This means light touch and not hard kick to the head.**

## COMPETITION SYSTEM

Single elimination tournament system.

## CONTEST TIME

Senior divisions: 3 rounds of 2 minutes, 1-minute break between each round

Junior divisions: 3 rounds of 2 minutes, 1-minute break between each round

Cadet divisions: 3 rounds of 1,5 minutes, 1-minute break between each round

The WT Technical Delegate has the authority to adjust the contest time as he sees fit.

## ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Holder of a valid 2023 WT Global Athlete License;
2. Member of the team/club of a pertinent Member National Association, recognized by Taekwondo Europe or World Taekwondo;
3. Holder of Taekwondo Dan certificate for Seniors. For Juniors and Cadets from 2<sup>nd</sup> Kup and above.
4. An athlete in order to be eligible for participation must be born in:
  - Seniors: 2006 or before
  - Juniors: 2006, 2007 or 2008
  - Cadets: 2009, 2010 or 2011

All competitors must prove their age by presenting their passport or identification card at the official weigh-in.

## COACH ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Minimum age of 18 years;
2. Holder of the WT Coach License Level I Coach Certification or the respective CU Coach License (granted by participation in a WT recognized CU Coach Seminar);
2. Holder of a valid 2023 WT Global Official License;
3. Coach is **not** allowed wearing Dobok.

## MEDAL EVENTS

The following medal events are applicable:

CADET DIVISIONS			
Male division		Female division	
Under 33 kg	Not exceeding 33 kg	Under 29 kg	Not exceeding 29 kg
Under 37 kg	Over 33 kg and not exceeding 37 kg	Under 33 kg	Over 29 kg and not exceeding 33 kg
Under 41 kg	Over 37 kg and not exceeding 41 kg	Under 37 kg	Over 33 kg and not exceeding 37 kg
Under 45 kg	Over 41 kg and not exceeding 45 kg	Under 41 kg	Over 37 kg and not exceeding 41 kg
Under 49 kg	Over 45 kg and not exceeding 49 kg	Under 44 kg	Over 41 kg and not exceeding 44 kg
Under 53 kg	Over 49 kg and not exceeding 53 kg	Under 47 kg	Over 44 kg and not exceeding 47 kg
Under 57 kg	Over 53 kg and not exceeding 57 kg	Under 51 kg	Over 47 kg and not exceeding 51 kg
Under 61 kg	Over 57 kg and not exceeding 61 kg	Under 55 kg	Over 51 kg and not exceeding 55 kg
Under 65 kg	Over 61 kg and not exceeding 65 kg	Under 59 kg	Over 55 kg and not exceeding 59 kg
Over 65 kg	Over 65 kg	Over 59 kg	Over 59 kg

JUNIORS DIVISIONS			
Male division		Female division	
Under 45 kg	Not exceeding 45 kg	Under 42 kg	Not exceeding 42 kg
Under 48 kg	Over 45 kg and not exceeding 48 kg	Under 44 kg	Over 42 kg and not exceeding 44 kg
Under 51 kg	Over 48 kg and not exceeding 51 kg	Under 46 kg	Over 44 kg and not exceeding 46 kg
Under 55 kg	Over 51 kg and not exceeding 55 kg	Under 49 kg	Over 46 kg and not exceeding 49 kg
Under 59 kg	Over 55 kg and not exceeding 59 kg	Under 52 kg	Over 49 kg and not exceeding 52 kg
Under 63 kg	Over 59 kg and not exceeding 63 kg	Under 55 kg	Over 52 kg and not exceeding 55 kg
Under 68 kg	Over 63 kg and not exceeding 68 kg	Under 59 kg	Over 55 kg and not exceeding 59 kg
Under 73 kg	Over 68 kg and not exceeding 73 kg	Under 63 kg	Over 59 kg and not exceeding 63 kg
Under 78 kg	Over 73 kg and not exceeding 78 kg	Under 68 kg	Over 63 kg and not exceeding 68 kg
Over 78 kg	Over 78 kg	Over 68 kg	Over 68 kg

SENIORS DIVISIONS			
Male division		Female division	
Under 54 kg	Not exceeding 54 kg	Under 46 kg	Not exceeding 46 kg
Under 58 kg	Over 54 kg and not exceeding 58 kg	Under 49 kg	Over 46 kg and not exceeding 49 kg
Under 63 kg	Over 58 kg and not exceeding 63 kg	Under 53 kg	Over 49 kg and not exceeding 53 kg
Under 68 kg	Over 63 kg and not exceeding 68 kg	Under 57 kg	Over 53 kg and not exceeding 57 kg
Under 74 kg	Over 68 kg and not exceeding 74 kg	Under 62 kg	Over 57 kg and not exceeding 62 kg
Under 80 kg	Over 74 kg and not exceeding 80 kg	Under 67 kg	Over 62 kg and not exceeding 67 kg
Under 87 kg	Over 80 kg and not exceeding 87 kg	Under 73 kg	Over 67 kg and not exceeding 73 kg
Over 87 kg	Over 87 kg	Over 73 kg	Over 73 kg

## SPORT ENTRIES - ONLINE REGISTRATION

Registration of Cadet, Junior and Senior athletes is only possible with a valid 2023 WT Global Licence (GAL issued by assigned GMS club, region and MNA Administrators only). Please find below the direct link to the WT GMS platform: <https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com>

## REGISTRATION DEADLINE

The deadline for registration is set at:

**26 October 2023, 23:59 CET**

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

## APPLICABLE FEES

### *Regular entry fee*

Early bird until 27 October: 100 euro per registered individual athlete

After 28 October: 150 euro per registered individual athlete

Cash at site: 175 euro per registered individual athlete

### *On-site Change of medal event (weight division) and/or other modifications*

50 euro for each amendment, payable at the registration desk. All changes after the registration deadline shall be done on-site.

### *Extra accreditation cards*

Per 5 athletes, 1 coach accreditation card is issued. If your team requires additional accreditation cards, a fee of 50 euro is charged.

### *Protest fee*

200 euro

## SPECTATORS

Spectators pay the following admission fees:

1 – day admission: 120 SEK or 10 Euro

2 – day admission: 200 SEK or 15 Euro

## BANK DETAILS

All entry fees shall be transferred to the following bank account. All bank charges shall be borne by the participating teams (option OUR).

<b>Name of bank:</b>	<b>Swedbank</b>
<b>Address of bank:</b>	<b>Box 121 43, 102 24 Stockholm, Sweden</b>
<b>Bank Swift Code:</b>	<b>SWEDSESS</b>
<b>Account No.:</b>	<b>SE35 8000 0842 4496 4347 8341</b>
<b>Name of Account:</b>	<b>Svenska Taekwondounionen</b>
<b>Address of Account:</b>	<b>Box 5385, 102 49 Stockholm</b>
<b>Country:</b>	<b>Sweden</b>
<b>Reference:</b>	<b>Swedish Open 2023 + team name</b>

## NO REFUND

The OC does not refund entry fees paid. In case the athlete has not been removed from the list of participants before the deadline his/her team or official must fully (100%) pay the entry fee(s) for participation. In case of no show the invoice will be send to the team after the tournament.

## **SPORT EQUIPMENT**

### ***PSS – system***

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

### ***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>

Only WT-recognized equipment is allowed groin-, forearm-, shin-, mouthpiece, Daedo sensor socks and gloves shall be brought by the contestants, which is compulsory. Sensor socks will not be provided by the organization. Daedo Sensor socks will also be on sale at the venue.

## **FIELD OF PLAY REGULATIONS**

By accepting an accreditation card, all accredited persons agree to comply with the Field of Play regulations applicable at Taekwondo events. Only the competitors and their coaches will have admittance with valid accreditations to the contest areas.

## **AWARDS**

### ***Individual awards***

1<sup>st</sup> place – gold medal and certificate

2<sup>nd</sup> place – silver medal and certificate

3<sup>rd</sup> place – two bronze medals and certificate

All participants will receive a certificate of participation.

## **ACCESS TO FIELD OF PLAY**

Only for one (1) coach, one (1) athlete and one (1) officially licenced Medical Doctor are allowed to enter the Field of Play with their official accreditation. The OC has the right to refuse participants access to the Field of Play.

## **MEDICAL AND ANTI-DOPING**

### ***Applicable doping rules***

The WT Anti-Doping Rules and the WADA Anti-Doping Code are applicable. Compulsory random doping tests may be conducted among the all athletes. World Taekwondo and/or WADA may carry out random out-of-competition testing prior to the event. Therefore, all participating contestants are required to submit their latest and most accurate Athlete Location (Whereabouts Info) Forms to WT.

### ***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 visit the website of WADA and make online filing of their TUE applications on ADAMS. Report TUE applications also to the WT Sport Department via [sport@worldtaekwondo.org](mailto:sport@worldtaekwondo.org).

### ***ADAMS login***

For ADAMS login, please contact National Anti-Doping Organization (NADO) in your country or WT Sport Department at [marcoienna@worldtaekwondo.org](mailto:marcoienna@worldtaekwondo.org)

### ***For more details, please visit***

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

<http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/medical-antidoping/>

anti-doping/therapeutic-use-exemptions-tues/  
Some contestants chosen at random may be tested.

## **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 Swedish Taekwondo Union.

### ***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 Swedish Taekwondo Union and Press officer.

## **ACCOMMODATION & TRANSPORTATION**

### Official hotels

Official hotels are within walking distance from the venue and can be booked through OC at:

[accommodation@svenskataekwoundunionen.se](mailto:accommodation@svenskataekwoundunionen.se)

- Scandic Uppsala Nord (1400 m away)
- Hotel Botanika (1200 m away)

### Other

You can book sport package at the following hotel stating the code "Swedish Open 2023":

- Arenahotellet (3,3 km away – 10 minutes with bus)

The OC shall **not** provide transportation between the airport and hotel and hotels and venue.

## **INDEMNITIES**

By registering and participating in the G1 Swedish Open Taekwondo Tournament 2023 on 11- 12 November 2023, you certify that you will indemnify, hold harmless and release the European Taekwondo Union, World Taekwondo, STU, the Organizing Committee and all other officials and athletes from and against any claims of 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 Indemnitee as a direct or indirect result of participating in the championship in the broadest sense of the word.

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.

## **MEDICAL INSURANCE**

All participating athletes, coaches and team officials shall have mandatory a medical insurance that covers medical care and in case of emergency repatriation to home country. 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.

## **HASH TAGS & SOCIAL MEDIA**



### **Hash tags**

The Swedish Open G1 uses the following hash tags at Facebook and Instagram:  
#SwedishOpenG1 and #SwedishOpenWT

The Swedish Open is present at the following social media platforms:

Facebook.com/SwedishOpenTaekwondo

Instagram.com/SwedishOpenTaekwondo

## **TIMETABLE**

*(subject to change)*

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
<b>10 November</b>	11:00 – 13:00 hrs 14:00 – 19:00 hrs	Registration & Accreditation
	14:00 – 21:00 hrs	Weigh in Cadets and Juniors athletes competing on Saturday 11 Nov 2023
	21:00 hrs	Publication of draw sheets Competition Day 1
<b>11 November</b>	07:00 hrs	Publication random weigh in
	08:00 hrs	Start random weigh in
	09:00 – 13:00 hrs	Start Cadet and Juniors competition
	11:00 – 13:00 hrs 14:00 – 17:00 hrs	Registration & Accreditation
	13:00 – 14:00 hrs	Lunch break
	14:00 – 18:00 hrs	Weigh in Senior athletes competing on Sunday 12 November 2023
	14:00 – 21:00 hrs 19:00 hrs	Competition and awarding ceremony Publication of draw sheets Competition Day 2
<b>12 November</b>	07:00 hrs	Publication random weigh in
	08:00 hrs	Start random weigh in Seniors
	09:00 – 13:00 hrs	Start Seniors competition
	13:00 – 14:00 hrs	Lunch break
	14:00 – 21:00 hrs	Competition and awarding ceremony

**LIABILITY DECLARATION**  
(only for under aged athletes)

My name:

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I live in:

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I am the parent/guardian of:

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Date of birth (competitor): \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

I declare that I accept the participation of \_\_\_\_\_ at the G1 Swedish Open Taekwondo Tournament 2023 on 11-12 November 2023 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. Swedish Taekwondo Union, 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 Stockholm, Sweden.

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of the parents/legal guardian:

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