

INVITATION LETTER

Dear Friends,

The UIPM – Union Internationale de Pentathlon Moderne, together with the Hungarian Modern Pentathlon Association (HMPA), has the pleasure of inviting a delegation of your country to participate at the UIPM 2024 Pentathlon World Cup to be held in Budapest, Hungary, from 23rd to 28th April 2024 according to the following program:

21-22 April	Arrival of Delegations			
22 April	21:00	Technical Meeting – Women’s Qualification	Arena Hotel	
23 April	Women’s Qualification			
		Fencing/Swimming/Laser Run	NKE	
	21:00	Technical Meeting – Men’s Qualification and Women’s Semi-finals	Arena Hotel	
24 April	Men’s Qualification			
		Fencing/Swimming/Laser Run	NKE	
	Women’s Semi-finals			
		Fencing Ranking Round	NKE	
	21:00	Technical Meeting – Men’s Semi-finals and Women’s Semi-final	Arena Hotel	
25 April	Women’s Semi-Finals			
		Fencing Bonus Round/Swimming/Laser Run	NKE	
	Men’s Semi-Finals			
		Fencing Ranking Round	NKE	
		Jumping Test		NKE
26 April	Men’s Semi-Finals			
		Fencing Bonus Round/Swimming/Laser Run	NKE	
	21:00	Technical Meeting – Men’s and Women’s Finals	Arena Hotel	



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		Finals (Women's and Men's)		
		Women's Final	Men's Final	
27 April	Riding	Riding		NKE
	Fencing Bonus Round	Fencing Bonus Round		NKE
	Swimming	Swimming		NKE
	Laser Run	Laser Run		NKE
	Award Ceremony	Award Ceremony		NKE
	21:00	Technical Meeting – Mixed Relay		Arena Hotel
			Mixed Relay	
28 April		Fencing Ranking Round		NKE
		Riding		NKE
		Fencing Bonus Round		NKE
		Swimming		NKE
		Laser Run		NKE
		Award Ceremony		NKE
29 April	Departure of Delegations			

Competition Rules

The competition will be carried out according to the UIPM Rules.

Swimming: 25m indoor swimming pool / 8 lanes
 Fencing: 9 pistes indoor/ 1 piste outdoor
 Laser Run: 38+2 reserve shooting ranges with ALS PLT
 Running course: Sand, grass, concrete, chad

Competition Venues

Riding, Fencing Ranking and Bonus Round, Swimming, Laser Run: University of Public Service (Nemzeti Közszołgálati Egyetem - NKE)
 GPS: 47.481786,19.085374

Accommodation

Teams will be accommodated in the **Danubius Hotel Arena H-1148 Budapest, Ifjúság útja 1-3. - GPS: 47.5006717,19.1018876**
<https://www.danubius-hotels.com/en/our-hotels-budapest/danubius-hotel-arena>

Transport

Transportation from the Liszt Ferenc International Airport to the official hotels and the return journey is only guaranteed if arrival information is provided in the registration system in good time and prior to the deadline. Transportation from the official hotels to the venues for athletes will be according to the training and competition program.



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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 4 meeting points where they can receive information from the transportation schedule. Please look for those meeting points. The desks will be decorated with the design of the UIPM World CUP.

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 full board



Registrations fees before the hotel registration deadline (5th April 2024 24:00 CET):

Single 230 € per person per night
Twin 180 € per person per night

Registrations fees after the hotel registration deadline (5th April 2024 24:00 CET):

Single 245 € per person per night
Twin 190 € per person per night

Types and Number of Available Rooms with Sizes of the Beds

 x 1	Single room	80	90 cm x 200 cm/bed
 x 2	Twin room (two separated bed)	120	90 cm x 200 cm/bed

Each price includes full board accommodation, breakfast (open buffet), lunch (lunch packets at the venue), dinner (open buffet), local transportation from/to the event and shuttle from/to the Liszt Ferenc International Airport 2.

Delegations who wish 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 € per day per person with a minimum payment of 4 days (300 €). In this case, we will provide only lunch packets for the participants.

ATTENTION! All extra costs for bank transfer must be paid by the national federation. Otherwise, the amount will be invoiced afterward.

Paying cash upon arrival is only accepted if you have a written approval from the LOC to do so and all financial conditions (costs) will be calculated on the prices mentioned above.

Bank Account Details

Name of bank: [MKB Bank Zrt.](#)
Beneficiary Name: [Magyar Öttusa Szövetség](#)
SWIFT code: [MKKBHUHB](#)
Account No: [HU68 10300002-10561106-48820017 \(€\)](#)

As a reminder, if on arrival at the competition, teams arriving with fewer athletes and/or officials than submitted in the registration system and without informing the Organizing Nation/LOC at least 7 days prior to their arrival, the NF will have to pay a fine to the Organizing Nation/LOC of 200 € for each person not attending.



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Deadlines

Delegations are kindly reminded that the UIPM Online registration system is obligatory. The online system will be open from **5th March 2024**. All information must be submitted, including flight information, pistol serial numbers, accommodation bookings, etc. by **5th April 2024**. Any changes after this must be sent by email to the organizer hanzely.akos@pentathlon.hu or hmpa@pentathlon.hu. Following the closure of the registration system on the **5th April 2024**, a NF must enter the competition with at least one pentathlete/team per confirmed gender or Mix Relay. Any failure to take part having sent their final entries will pay a fine of 600 € to the UIPM. The early confirmation of your intention to participate (and indication if competing Mixed-Relay) or not would highly be appreciated and by submitting the information by email to hanzely.akos@pentathlon.hu or hmpa@pentathlon.hu ASAP, but latest by 18th March 2024.

Deadlines are as follows:

Participation Confirmation:	15th March 2024
Hotel Registration:	Before 5th April 2024
Deadline to transfer total amount:	12th April 2024
Closure of Registration:	5th April 2024

If we do not receive complete information of your delegation prior to closure of the registration system or we do not receive your delegation's payment, confirmation then we will consider your delegation as non-participating.

Athletes Licenses / Riding Ability

Athletes are only allowed to participate in UIPM sanctioned events if they have 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 reminded of Rule 1.12.1 ii): **Pentathletes without riding ability listed on their Licence uploaded to the UIPM portal by the competition registration deadline may compete at World Cup competitions in the qualification for the Semi-final, but if they qualify for the Semi-final, must relinquish their place to the next pentathlete not yet qualified with the highest score in all groups.**

Note: Riders can be stopped at any time during warm-up and competition if displaying non-sufficient riding ability or dangerous riding.

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 financial liability or loss, injury or illness that occurred to any participant and or member of the delegation.

Laser Pistols

Firearms licenses are not a legal requirement when bringing air and CO2 pistols (cylinders for laser pistols) into Hungary for competition purposes.

VISAS & Vaccinations

The LOC can provide specific letters of invitation or invitation by name or communicate with your embassies if needed. For information if you need a visa or vaccinations please contact your nearest Embassy or Consulate. For contacting LOC use: szeles.tunde@pentathlon.hu



General Information

All athletes are kindly requested to wear their official national uniform at the competition. Please also bring a track/record of your anthem and a national flag (200 x 100 cm).
Expected Weather conditions: +25 - +15 Celsius in April
Voltage: 230 V

LOC Contact Details

Address: Hungarian Modern Pentathlon Association
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Office: +36/1-4606885

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.

Competition Director

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We look forward to seeing you in Budapest!

Sincerely yours,

UIPM President
Dr. h.c. Klaus Schormann

HMPA President
Gabor Balogh



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