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The first Grand Prix of the year will be staged in Germany as the Dusseldorf Grand Prix hosts the world's elite from 24 – 26 February.

Germany's Grand Prix has been staged in Dusseldorf since 2010 and has a global reputation as one of the leading events on the IJF World Judo Tour.

Following the season-opening Paris Grand Slam 2017, all attention will turn to Dusseldorf and the Mitsubishi Electric Halle as Germany's top judoka face the best international judoka at home.

The first Grand Prix of the season could set the tone for the year as the new Tokyo 2020 generation could figure large in Dusseldorf.

I would like to thank German Judo Federation for their partnership with the IJF not only for this event but also throughout the year.

I would like to wish the best of luck and a successful trip to all the competing countries, athletes, coaches, officials and staff.

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Mr. Peter Frese
President
German Judo
Federation

On behalf of the German Judo-Federation (DJB) and the International Judo Federation (IJF) I would like to welcome you to the Judo Grand Prix 2017 in Düsseldorf. Athletes, coaches and spectators can look forward to a perfectly organized and exciting competition.

Following the Grand Slam in Paris, the next great highlight of 2017 is waiting for our Judo-elite. In addition to Olympic champions as well as World- and European champions there will be many more international top-athletes competing for the medals.

We would like to especially thank the host-city Düsseldorf which stands for hospitality, sporty emotions and vitality as typical for the Rhine-region. Carrying out the Judo Grand Prix 2017 at the carnival-weekend, on the one hand means a great challenge but on the other hand guarantees a well-frequented and cheerful city. Who knows, maybe we are going to see the one or other costume among the audience. "Hajime and Helau" wonderfully go together.

I am looking forward to exciting and fair competitions in a friendly atmosphere.



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1. DEADLINES

PLEASE RESPECT ALL DEADLINES AND RULES DETAILED IN THESE OUTLINES.

Hotel reservation:	08/01/2017 and payment of 50%
Hotel full payment:	25/01/2017
Visa application (with passport photocopies):	11/01/2017
Travel information:	30/01/2017

Judobase.org inscription : **3 February 2017 23:59 CET**



2. ORGANIZERS

German Judo Federation

Otto-Fleck-Schneise 12 / D-60528 Frankfurt am Main

+49-69-6772080

grandprix@judobund.de



3. COMPETITION VENUE

Mitsubishi Electric Halle

Address Siegburger Straße 15, 40591 Düsseldorf, +49-211 775057

Website www.mitsubishi-electric-halle.de



4. VISA

The organizer is happy to help any country with obtaining visa for athletes and officials. For nations, who need a visa to enter the organizing country, please send a full list of participants with full names, passport numbers, date of birth, and positions along with scanned copies of all passports before the deadline stipulated.

Visa contact : Gisela Preuss, grandprix@judobund.de

Visa application: **11/01/2017**



5. TRANSPORT

The organizer will provide transportation for competing delegations during the event.

For arrivals and departures a transfer service will be available to and from the official hotels/sport hall **ONLY** from the following locations:

- Düsseldorf
- Düsseldorf Mainstation

Transport will also be provided to and from the official hotels/sport hall **ONLY** to the accreditation venue, the draw venue, weigh-in, training and competition unless they are within walking distance. Arrivals and departures information must be sent to the organizers by 30/01/2017.

6. PROGRAMME

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	
Wednesday 22 February	14:00-20:00	Accreditation	Nikko Hotel
Thursday 23 February	09:00-12:00	Accreditation	Nikko Hotel
	14:00 After draw	Draw Referees' meeting Press conference	
	19:00-20:30 19:30-20:00 20:00-20:30	Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, M: -60 kg, -66 kg	Mitsubishi Electric Halle
Friday 24 February	10:00*	Competition day 1 W: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, M: -60 kg, -66 kg	Mitsubishi Electric Halle
	17:00 19:00-20:30 19:30-20:00 20:00-20:30	Preliminaries (on 3 tatami) Final Block (on 1 tatami) Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: -63 kg, -70 kg, M: -73 kg, -81 kg	
Saturday 25 February	10:00*	Competition day 2 W: -63 kg, -70 kg, M: -73 kg, -81 kg	Mitsubishi Electric Halle
	16:15-16:45 17:00 19:00-20:30 19:30-20:00 20:00-20:30	Preliminaries (on 3 tatami) Opening Ceremony Final Block (on 1 tatami) Judogi back number check Unofficial weigh-in Official weigh-in W: 78 kg, +78 kg, M: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg	
Sunday 26 February	10:00*	Competition day 3 W: 78 kg, +78 kg, M: -90 kg, -100 kg, +100 kg	Mitsubishi Electric Halle
	17:00	Preliminaries (on 3 tatami) Final Block (on 1 tatami)	
Monday 27 February	Departures		

* The start time may change depending on the final number of athletes.



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7. ACCOMMODATION

A. NIKKO Hotel ****

Immermannstrasse 41, 40210 Düsseldorf
+49-211 834-0 www.nikko-hotel.de/

Check-in time 14:00 Check-out time 12:00

Single Price bed and breakfast (per person per night) 190 Euro
Single Price half board (per person per night) 213 Euro
Twin (2 separate beds) Price bed and breakfast (per person per night) 148 Euro
Twin (2 separate beds) Price half board (per person per night): 170 Euro
Alone in a twin Prices: the same as single prices
Distance from airport (km) 8,5 km
Distance from sport hall (km) 2,9 km

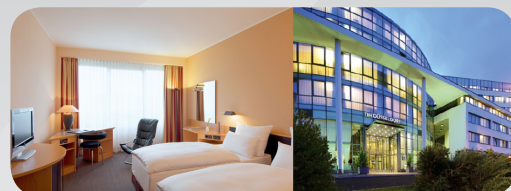


B. NH Düsseldorf City ****

Kölner Str. 186-188, 40227 Düsseldorf
+49 211 78110 www.nh-hotels.de

Check-in time: 15:00 Check-out time: 12:00

Single Price B&B (per person per night) 170 Euro
Single Price half board (per person per night) 190 Euro
Twin (2 separate beds) Price B&B (per person per night) 130 Euro
Twin (2 separate beds) Price half board (per person per night) 150 Euro
Alone in a twin Prices: the same as single prices
Distance from airport (km) 13,2 km
Distance from sport hall (km) 3,5 km

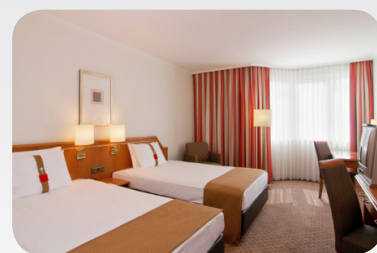


C. Leonardo Hotel ****

Ludwig-Erhard-Allee 3, 40227 Düsseldorf
+49-211-7771-0 www.leonardo-hotels.de

Check-in time 15:00 Check-out time 12:00

Single Price bed and breakfast (per person per night) 150 Euro
Single Price half board (per person per night) 170 Euro
Twin (2 separate beds) Price bed and breakfast (per person per night) 110 Euro
Twin (2 separate beds) Price half board (per person per night) 130 Euro
Alone in a twin Prices: the same as single prices
Distance from airport (km) 9,4 km
Distance from sport hall (km) 1,9 km



If rooms need to be cancelled please inform the organizer immediately. Cancellation of rooms cannot be made at check-in. Illness, injuries or visa problems are not valid reasons for the cancellation of rooms. If rooms are cancelled the organizer has the right to charge the participating delegation as follows:

- Up to 40 days before the arrival - full refund.
- From 40-20 days before the arrival - 10% of the total amount will be refunded.
- From 20 – 0 days before the arrival, any cancellation of rooms or no-show will result 100% of the Charge of the hotel costs that must be paid by the National Federations.

BANK DETAILS

Beneficiary's Name: DJB Service GmbH
 Bank Name: Stadtsparkasse Wuppertal
 Bank A/C No: DE 45 3305 0000 0000 151563
 Bank Address: Islandufer 15, 42103 Wuppertal
 SWIFT Code: WUPSDE33XXX

Add the mention: Grand Prix Germany2017

(Please input the below information correctly and completely on the transfer document and any procedures related to amendment of the bank transfer MUST be done before arrival).



8. JUDO GI

Athletes must compete wearing an IJF approved judogi supplied by one of the following manufacturers: **Greenhill, SFJAM NORIS, DANRHO, MIZUNO, Double D Adidas, HAYAKAWA, Fighting Films, Budo Sport AG, ESSIMO, MATSURU B.V, KAPPA, DAEDO and TOYO Martial Arts.**



9. MEDALS AND PRIZE MONEY

First place

Gold medal and 3,000 US\$ (judoka: 2,400 US\$ and coach 600 US\$)

Second place

Silver medal and 2,000 US\$ (judoka: 1,600 US\$ and coach 400 US\$)

Third places (x2)

Bronze medals and 1,000 US\$ for each (judoka: 800 US\$ and coach 200 US\$)



10. DOPING CONTROL

Doping control will include in each category:

- a. the winner of the category
- b. one of the three other medal winners by draw

The draw (for b) is carried out in accordance with the IJF Anti-doping Rules and the IJF SOR during the competition before the start of the final block. Competitors have to report to the Doping Control Station immediately after signing the Notification form. Pursuant to WADA ISTI Art. 5.4.4, prior to doping control, athletes are allowed to take part in the awarding ceremony and fulfil their press commitments or receive medical treatment if needed. The selected competitors will be constantly accompanied by an official chaperone (appointed by the organizing committee) from the time of notification until arriving at the Doping Control Station. A person of the athlete's choice (team doctor, coach, trainer, delegation head etc.) may accompany them.



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11. INTERNATIONAL TRAINING CAMP

27 February to March 2 2017, Düsseldorf

ORGANIZER

German Judo Federation

Address: Otto Fleck-Schneise 12, 60528 Frankfurt/Main

D-P.O. Box 71 02 25, 60 492 Frankfurt/Main

Tel: +49-6772080 Fax. +49-69-677 22 42

Mail: grandprix@judobund.de

Dates and Place

Date: From Monday February 27th to Thursday March 2nd 2017 (departure)

Place: TBA

PARTICIPANTS

Women and Men Seniors

Competitors have to be registered by their national federation

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

Monday February 27th	Tuesday February 28th	Wednesday March 1st	Thursday March 2nd
Arrival of delegations			
10:00-11:30 Training Men	9:00 – 11:00 Training Women	9:00 – 11:00 Training Men	9:00 – 11:00 Training Women/Men
11:30 – 13:00 Training Women	11:00am – 13:00 Training Men	11:00am – 13:00 Training Women	Departure of Delegations
16:00 -18:00 Training Men	16:00 -18:00 Training Women	16:00 -18:00 Training Men	
18:00 – 20:00 Training Women	18:00 – 20:00 Training Men	18:00 – 20:00 Training Women	
Lunch and dinner at the hotels			

ACCOMMODATION

All participants in the International Trainings camp in Düsseldorf must stay in one of the official hotels.

Training will not be permitted if the accommodation is out of the official hotels.

Reservation at the official Hotels must be booked exclusively through the Organizer on a first come first serve basis.

There will be no refunding or reduction for arrivals after the opening date or departures before the closing date.

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All damages to property of hotels or venues resulting from the stay of a national delegation shall be charged to federation and paid in full.

When your requested hotel is fully booked any reservation will be automatically booked to another official hotel in any category.

Packages Training Judo + Accommodation + Catering

Package price is per person from February 27th – March 2nd (3 nights) from Monday lunch to Thursday lunch and accommodation in double rooms (EJU Trainings camp fee not included).

Single room occupancy if available.

Nikko Hotel, Immermannstrasse 41, 40210 Düsseldorf

Price: 560 € per person in double room (2 person per room)

Price: 750 € in single room (1 person per room if available)

Alone in a twin Prices: the same as single prices

Breakfast Lunch and Dinner at the hotel

Leonardo Hotel, Ludwig-Erhard-Allee 3, 40227 Düsseldorf

Price: 480 € per person in double room (2 person per room)

Price: 680 € in single room (1 person per room if available)

Alone in a twin Prices: the same as single prices

Breakfast Lunch and Dinner at the hotel

Meal tickets will be distributed at the arrival of the delegation.

Registration and Payment

EJU FEE

The regulations of the European Judo Union have fixed to pay the following EJU Fees:

- European Federations EURO 30,00 per athlete
- Non-European Federation EURO 100,00 per athlete

The fee has to be paid to the EJU and shall be collected by the German Judo Federation in cash upon your arrival.

REGISTRATION

First entry: January 8th 2017 (included). Please fill out the “Application Form” attached the regulation of the Grand Prix Düsseldorf 2017 and submit it to grandprix@judobund.de.

PAYMENT

Bank informations

Beneficiary's Name:	DJB Service GmbH
Bank Name:	Stadtsparkasse Wuppertal
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Bank Address:	Islandufer 15, 42103 Wuppertal
SWIFT Code:	WUPSDE33XXX
Add the mention:	International Training Camp 2017



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- Please make payment via bank transfer before 25th of January 2017.
- All bank fees and bank transfer costs are to be paid by the participating federation.
- If payment is made after the 25th of January 2017 a surcharge of 10 % will be levied upon the total payable amount. Possible reservation of extra rooms at the check-in will also be surcharged with 10 %, no exceptions will be made.

CANCELLATIONS: In case of of cancellation, the following cancellation fee will apply

- Up to 40 days before the arrival - full refund.
- From 40-20 days before the arrival - 10% of the total amount will be refunded..
- From 20 – 0 days before the arrival, any cancellation of rooms or no-show will result 100% of the Charge of the hotel costs that must be paid by the National Federations.

Cancellations of rooms cannot be made at the check-in. Injuries, visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms.

TRANSPORT / VISA / INSURANCE

VISA

For nations, who need VISA to enter Germany, please send us as soon as possible (latest 11st January 2017) the list of participants with names, passport numbers, date of birth and function as well as bank transfer for the hotel booking. Please be informed that the letter of invitation will be send by regular post. Any other request will be charged to the applying federation (e.g. express mail service).

INSURANCE

- Each delegation must be in possession of a guarantee insurance covering all its members for competition and training:
- Civil liabilities
- Injury
- Repatriation assistance.

TRANSFER

- The journey is the responsibility of each national federation.
- Transport from the airport/train station Düsseldorf will be provided for those persons who will only participate in the training camp.
- Transportation won't be organized for groups under 3 persons.

12. GENERAL INFORMATION

FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES

All national federations, officials, coaches and athletes participating in the event described in these outlines have to respect and accept the authority of the IJF Officials, the IJF Statutes, the IJF Sports and Organization Rules (SOR), the IJF Refereeing Rules and the IJF Antidoping Rules. Individuals deemed to have acted against the IJF, its principles or purposes should be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards.

INSURANCE

Each National Federation is responsible for its competitors (the control of non-pregnancy as well as the control of gender are placed under the responsibility of the National Federations) and must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as the civil liabilities for their competitors and officials, during the event described in these outlines.

The organizer of the event and the IJF will not be responsible for any insurance related to the above-mentioned matters. Nevertheless the National Judo Federation staging the event shall take all necessary actions to provide insurance coverage against civil liability for the entire duration.

The organizer of the event and the IJF have no liability for any claims of injury, illness or death arising out of the participation and traveling in connection with this event.

ACCOMMODATION

Hotel reservations **MUST** be made through the organizing committee. All delegates inscribed for an IJF official event must stay in one of the official hotels suggested by the organizers for a minimum of one (1) night. If this is not respected accreditation will not be given.

Reservations of extra rooms at the check-in may be surcharged with an additional 10%.

If rooms need to be cancelled please inform the organizer immediately. Cancellation of rooms cannot be made at check-in. Illness, injuries or visa problems are not valid reasons for the cancellation of rooms. If rooms are cancelled the organizer has the right to charge the participating delegation as follows:

- Up to 40 days before the arrival - full refund.
- From 40-20 days before the arrival - 10% of the total amount will be refunded.
- From 20 – 0 days before the arrival, any cancellation of rooms or no-show will result 100% of the charge of the hotel costs that must be paid by the National Federations.

Any damage to hotel property resulting from the stay of a national delegation will be charged to the national federation and must be paid in full.

Delegations are kindly requested not to dry clothing (including judogi) or have training sessions in the corridors of the official hotels.

According to the new International Judo Federation (IJF) rule enacted on the 2 December 2012 in Tokyo “the organizing country should not request fee penalties for countries which cannot make bank transfers but can pay in cash money upon arrival. On the other hand, they should inform well in advance the



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organizing country and specify the number of participants before the deadline”.

COMPETITION RULES

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest IJF SOR, IJF Refereeing Rules and IJF Anti-Doping Rules.

System of competition: quarterfinal (last 8) repechage

Weight categories:

Men -60kg, -66kg, -73kg, -81kg, -90kg, -100kg, +100kg

Women: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63kg, -70kg, -78kg, +78kg

Duration of contest: Men five (5) minutes and women (4) minutes (real time).

INSCRIPTION OF DELEGATES

Competitors can only be entered in one weight category and only entries of IJF member national judo federations will be accepted. Participating athletes must be born in 2002 (15 years in the calendar year) or before.

Each national federation can inscribe a maximum of two (2) athletes per weight category.

The organizing national federation can inscribe a maximum of four (4) athletes per weight category.

Non-competing athletes or training partners can be inscribed as judoka.

Inscription of all participants must be done using the IJF online registration system at <https://www.judobase.org>. The final deadline for inscription is 20 days before the draw.

All athletes and officials must be entered on time. National federations missing the registration deadline will not be allowed to start and no exceptions will be made!

After the deadline no additional delegates can be added. Changes can be made one to one, like for like, due to injury or illness. For example an injured athlete can be replaced by another athlete regardless of gender or weight category. An ill team official can be replaced by another team official etc.

In cases where registered athletes are cancelled on the spot during accreditation without previous notification to the IJF, a penalty of 100 USD per athlete will apply. This penalty will be charged by the IJF to the National Federation.

For any support please contact registration@ijf.org before the end of the deadline.

ACCREDITATION

The control of entries and issuing of accreditation cards will take place during accreditation (see program for time and place).

At least one team official must attend in time to confirm the entries of all athletes and officials with his/her signature. Passports or photocopy of passports of all athletes must be available on request.

An accreditation card with photograph will be issued to athletes, officials and media. This accreditation card must be carried at all times.

A delayed appearance or no-show at control of entries may result in the exclusion of all participants from the draw and the event. In case of unforeseen delay of arrival the Federation must contact immediately the organizer and the IJF registration team (registration@ijf.org).

Number of accreditations for officials:

1 – 4 competitors: 3 officials

5 – 9 competitors: 5 officials

10 or more competitors: 7 officials

Extra accreditation for delegation members can be purchased from the organizing committee for 100.00 € for the days of competition.

TRAINING

Training is the responsibility of the organizing federation. Planning and scheduling of training sessions will be organized taking into consideration requests made by delegations daily on a first request made first served basis. If you are interested in booking training please contact the organizer.

DRAW

Each national federation must send at least one delegate to attend the draw. A maximum of three (3) delegates per national federation (2 officials and 1 athletes' delegate) will be authorized.

The top eight (8) athletes from the entered competitors in each weight category will be seeded according to the current World Ranking List.

JUDOGI CONTROL

Each competitor is obliged to have sewn on the back of his/her judogi a backnumber bearing his surname and his/her National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The backnumbers must be fixed horizontally and centred on the back of the judogi. They must be placed at a distance of 3 cm from the bottom of the collar. The backnumber can only be ordered from www.ijfbacknumber.com or www.mybacknumber.com.

The Education and Coaching Commission will inspect the judogi jacket every evening. The checking process will start half an hour prior to the unofficial weigh-in and will end at the same time as the official weigh-in (19:00 – 20:30).

The backnumber and publicity should comply with the current IJF judogi regulations.

The official sponsor label of the event will be given provided that:

- The judogi are clean and dry.
- The backnumber, publicity and emblem are properly sewn and do not show any wear or tear.
- All previous advertising has been removed.

Guide to attaching and removing the sponsor label:

Lay the judogi flat and attach the new sponsor label of the event on the back of the correct judogi.

White judogi: IJF sponsor

Blue judogi: Organizer's sponsor

Ensure the label is firmly attached around the edges.

Immediately after the competition and before washing remove the sponsor label.

For further information on judogi rules please refer to the IJF SOR section 8 and appendix C.

WEIGH-IN

The weigh-in will be carried out in accordance with the IJF SOR section 7.

The athlete's official weigh-in will be scheduled the day before the competition.

- Unofficial weigh-in: 19:30 to 20:00



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- Official weigh-in: 20:00 to 20:30

COACHING

Coaches nominated by their national federations should respect the IJF Code of Ethics point 4 and IJF SOR point 9.6. Any coaches not adhering to these rules could be subject to disciplinary action.

AWARDING CEREMONY

The competitors wearing their white judogi (no shoes, flip flops or socks) will stand behind the podium according to the following order 2,1,3,3. Competitors having won a medal have to attend the ceremony to receive their medal in person. If a competitor is absent during the awarding ceremony for no valid reason they will lose the right to have the medal. It is strictly forbidden for competitors on the podium to bring national flags or the similar identification other than the one represented in the regular manner on their equipment. Any demonstration of religious, political, personal or commercial sign is prohibited and so is wearing a cap or any other head cover.

WELCOME TO DÜSSELDORF, GERMANY!!!

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