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PROMOTER:

World Taekwondo Pan America www.WTPanAm.org

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Global Athletes Issues (non-USA): Contact MNA directly

Post Registration Changes: [WT Simply Compete Login](#)

SANCTIONED BY:

World Taekwondo

President, Dr. Chungwon Choue www.worldtaekwondo.org

VENUE AND DATE OF EVENT:

Coliseo Manuel Petaca Iguina

Expreso Jose De Diego

San Juan, Puerto Rico

Dates: April 3-5, 2020

HOTEL INFORMATION: Please visit www.WTPanAm for Discounted Hotel Rates for Puerto Rico Open.

REGISTRATION:

All Entries will **only** be accepted through the **WT Simply Compete** online registration system and registration is only possible with a valid WT Global Athlete License (GAL) or GOL.

Event Registration: worldtkd.simplycompete.com

GAL Registration: worldtkd.simplycompete.com

All Registration for Athletes, Coaches, and Officials **must be completed through the World Taekwondo Registration System:** worldtkd.simplycompete.com

12 years and over athletes, coaches and officials must have an approved and valid 2020 Global License before you can register. GAL/GOL holders in pending status will NOT be eligible to register. **New registrants should allow up to 4 weeks for GAL approval. Pending status can take up to 4 weeks to process.** For GAL status updates and all inquiries, please contact registrant's Member National Association (MNA) directly.

FOR USA ONLY:

U.S.A. athletes and coaches must hold current USA Taekwondo membership prior to Global License approval. USA Participants must allow up to 14 business days for your Global Licenses to be approved and processed. To register for your Global License, please visit <http://www.teamusa.org/USA-Taekwondo/V2-Events/Global-License-Applications>

GENERAL PROVISIONS:

This is a World Taekwondo **G1 Kyorugi & G1 Poomsae** ranked tournament.

COMPETITOR ELIGIBILITY AND FEES (in USD):

All participants must satisfy the following requirements in order to participate. This is an "Open" event, open to all ages and belt levels. Ages 12 years & over Black Belts must have current Global Athletes License (GAL) to register.

- All athletes must hold passport or birth certificate of the country they will represent.

- Competitors will compete at the age based on their birth year.

Early Registration Fee (ends February 15, 2020):

- \$150.00 for first event. Extra \$100 for each additional event.

Regular Registration Fee (ends March 15, 2020):

- \$175.00 for first event. Extra \$100 for each additional event.

Late Registration Fee (ends March 25, 2020):

- \$225.00 for first event. Extra \$100 for each additional event.

COACH ELIGIBILITY AND FEES (in USD):

- All Coaches must be at least 18 years of age, current Global Official License (GOL) **and** World Taekwondo Coach Permit holders (granted by participating in a Continental Union Coach Seminar).

- Coaches who fail to provide proof of current WT Coach Permit will be subjected to an additional \$200 penalty in order to coach at this event.

- Poomsae or Kyorugi: Early registration fee \$100; Regular \$150. Late Registration Fee \$225. Poomsae AND Kyorgui Coaches pay \$225 before March 25, 2020; Late Registration Fee \$300.

MNA DELEGATE, TEAM DOCTOR, TRAINER ELIGIBILITY:

- Must be current holders of World Taekwondo Global Officials License (GOL) in 2020.

- \$100 registration fee for the entire duration of the event before March 15, 2020. Late Fee \$150 from March 15-25, 2020.

MEDIA ELIGIBILITY AND FEE (in USD):

- Eligible to photographers and videographers who represent both public and private sectors. Field of Play access permitted.

- \$200.00 USD, ALL DAYS, available at the Accreditation Desk. Online registration is not available for Media Passes.

SPECTATOR ADMISSION FEES (in USD) at venue Box Office:

One Day Admission: \$10.00 per day Under 3 Years - Free



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REGISTRATION FEES (in USD)

	COMPETITOR (Black Belt GAL Ages 12 and Over)	COACH (with valid/current World Taekwondo Coach Permit)	MNA DELEGATES (Team Manager, Doctor, Trainer, Therapists)	MEDIA (Photographers & Videographers)
EARLY REGISTRATION By FEBRUARY 15, 2020	\$150 per event (extra \$100 for each additional event)	\$100 Poomsae or Kyorugi (Until March 15, 2020)	\$100 (Until March 15, 2020)	\$200 All Days (Issued at Accreditation)
REGULAR REGISTRATION By March 15, 2020	\$175 per event (extra \$100 for each additional event)	\$150 Poomsae or Kyorugi (Until March 15, 2020)	\$100 (Until March 15, 2020)	\$200 All Days (Issued at Accreditation)
LATE REGISTRATION By March 25, 2020	\$225 per event (extra \$150 for each additional event)	\$225 Poomsae or Kyorugi (MAR 16 – MAR 25, 2020)	\$150 (MAR 16 – 25, 2020)	\$200 All Days (Issued at Accreditation)
UNPAID REGISTRATION / ON-SITE PAYMENTS April 3-5, 2020	\$50 Administration Fee when payment is made on-site.	\$50 Administration Fee when payment is made on-site.	\$175 (APRIL 4-7, 2020)	\$200 All Days (Issued at Accreditation)

OTHER FEES (in USD)

WT COACH PERMIT COURSE - April 2 & 4	POOMSAE COACH PERMIT: \$100 (valid for One Year) 11 Years & Under KYROGUI COACH PERMIT: \$100 (valid for One Year) 12 Years & Over KYORUGI COACH must be current WT Level 1 Coach License or PATU Issued Coach License from 2019.
COACH PENALTY	POOMSAE: \$200 Applies to Coaches who do not hold current World Taekwondo Poomsae Coach Permit KYORUGI: \$200 Applies to Coaches who do not hold current World Taekwondo Kyorugi Coach Permit
WEIGHT CHANGE	By March 25, 2020: NO FEES (Please Login to WT Simply Compete to make changes) After March 25, 2020: \$100 per weight change (Please bring completed Weight Change form to Accreditation on April 3-5)
ACCREDITATION REPRINT	\$50 per request at Accreditation On-Site
AGE MOVE UP	Competitors who were born 2003 may move up to Senior division: \$100 per event 17-year old Competitors may compete in both Junior and Senior divisions. Additional Event Fee Applies. Please Login to WT Simply Compete for Move Up and to register for Multiple Age Divisions.

All payments made to WT GMS are subjected to a mandatory transaction processing fee with NO EXCEPTIONS:

Card Type	Fee Structure
US Amex	3.5%
Non US Amex	5.0%
US Non-Amex (such as VISA)	2.2% + \$0.30 (0.35 EUR if fee in EUR)
Non-US Non-Amex	3.7% + \$0.30 (0.35 EUR if fee in EUR)

If you register and pay for a division at early/regular period and then add a new division at regular or late registration period, you will be charged the difference between two registration periods for your first division and pay respective fees for the period registered for your 2nd division. For example: If you register during the early registration period and paid 150 USD and then add additional division during the Final Registration date period (16-25 March, 2020), you will be charged 150 USD for the addition you have made and pay 75 USD for the registration fee difference from the early registration to the final registration fee for the first division.



REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE with NO EXCEPTIONS

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CHANGES & FEES (in USD):

All change requests made **after March 25, 2020**, including name change, event change, etc. will result in a **\$50 administration fee** per change request. Weight changes after March 25, 2020 will be subjected to a **\$100 Weight Change Fee** with no exceptions.

- Changes **before** March 25, 2020: [WT Simply Compete Login](#)
- Changes **after** March 25, 2020 must be submitted with Change Request Form (see Page 12) and \$100 Change Fee onsite between April 3-5, 2020.

If you make a weight category changes within the same registration period that you registered and paid it will be **FREE**. If you make a weight category change in a different registration period from when you initially registered and paid you will be charged the difference e.g. Registered and paid during early bird (until 15 Feb 2020) you can change any time during this period for FREE. If you then change weight category during regular (Feb 16 – March 15) you would be charged 25 USD (difference between regular and early registration fee). If you change weight category during late registration period (March 16-25) you will be charged 75 USD (difference between late and early registration fee).

OFFICIAL EVENTS:

- Olympic Style Kyorugi Competition
- WT Poomsae Competition (Individual, Pairs, Team)
- WT Freestyle Poomsae Competition (Individual, Pairs, Mixed Team)
- Demonstration Team (Team of 7-10 members)

DRAW OF LOTS:

All athletes will be seeded according to WT World Ranking as of March 20, 2020. A minimum of 25% seeding for all divisions according to the WT ranking bylaw. The draw sheets and brackets will be available one (1) day before the start of the competition of the respective weight category.

COMPETITION REGULATIONS:

Current WT Kyorugi and Poomsae Competition Rules will govern the 2020 San Juan Puerto Rico Open.

ENTRY FEES, TERMS & CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION:

- All Registration for Athletes, Coaches, and Officials must be completed through the World Taekwondo Event Registration System: <https://worldtkd.simplycompetite.com>.
- All athletes, coaches and officials must have an **approved** 2020 Global License (GAL or GOL) **before** registering.
- Round trip airfares, ground transportation, and room and board expenses shall be borne by all participants.
- World Taekwondo and Pan Am Taekwondo Union have a NO REFUND policy.
- **NO REFUNDS will be given for any reason after registration has been completed.**

REGISTRATION & PAYMENT PROCESS:

Athletes, Coaches and Team Officials must register for the event through worldtkd.simplycompetite.com.

Please pay online during registration on WT Simply Compete. WT GMS accepts credit card payments ONLY. All online payments are subject to a **mandatory** credit card processing fee based on the total event registration due. Registration will **not be confirmed until payment is received**. **DO NOT** wait until the last minute to register/pay.

Failure to submit payment by the early registration deadline **will** result in late payment fees with **no exceptions**. **Payments made on-site after WT Simply Compete Late registration deadline will be subjected to a mandatory \$50 Administration Fee per participant with NO EXCEPTIONS.**

AWARDS:

- 1st Place: Gold Medal (1) and Participation Certificate
- 2nd Place: Silver Medal (1) and Participation Certificate
- 3rd Place: Bronze Medal (2) and Participation Certificate
- Best Poomsae Competitor Awards: Male & Female
- Best Kyorugi Competitor Awards: Male & Female
- Best Poomsae Referee Awards: Male & Female
- Best Kyorugi Referee Awards: Male & Female
- Best Kyorugi Coach Awards: Male & Female
- Best Poomsae Coach Awards: Male & Female





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VISA ENTRY:

- All participants are responsible for their own visas and airfares.
- **Invitation letters WILL NOT BE ISSUED TO REGISTRANTS WHO HAVE NOT SUBMITTED REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT** through WT Simply Compete.
- Please email [Event Registration AND Payment Confirmation](mailto:ftprpresidente@gmail.com) along with photo of passport in PDF format to ftprpresidente@gmail.com.
- Athletes who are not team members of the National Federation of the country of representation **must register for the tournament and be paid in full prior to requesting VISA assistance.**
- Refund of registration fees will **NOT** be granted due to VISA or travel arrangement issues.

For Registration: worldtkd.simplycompete.com

***Please do NOT call for VISA request.**

Please do not call to request invitation status. VISA requests with Event Registration AND Payment Confirmation will be processed **within 72 hours.** Please e-mail to PATUevents@gmail.com

ANTI DOPING REGULATIONS:

The WT Anti-Doping Rules, and where necessary, the Code of the World Anti Doping Agency, shall apply throughout the competitions. Compulsory anti doping tests will be carried out for all finalists, while random tests will be conducted among the quarter and semi finalists who failed to advance to the (semi-) final. The WT and/or WADA may carry out random out of competition testing prior to the WT President's Cup. All contestants are required to submit their latest and most accurate Athlete Location (whereabouts Info) Forms to the WT.

TUE (Therapeutic Use who take any substance or medicine listed): In the "Prohibited List" of the WT Anti-Doping Rules and Anti-Doping Code of World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) for therapeutic purposes are requested to visit the website of WADA and make online filing of their TUE applications on ADAMS <http://www.wada.org/en/ADAMS/> and report to the WT Sport Department at wtf.dopingfree@gaisf.org no later than 24 March 2020. For more details, please see the following page of the WT website: <http://www.worldtaekwondo.org>. For ADAMS login, please contact National Anti-Doping(NADO) in your country or WT Sport at marcoienna@wtf.org.

INDEMNITIES:

Participants without proper participation entry forms and valid medical insurance coverage will not be allowed to compete at the WT President's Cup. **Liability waivers must be signed** by participants (or by parent or legal guardian for athletes ages 18 and under) prior to the release of credentials at check-in. Photo ID is required to pick up credentials during check-in and weigh-in.

SEMINARS & REFEREE INFO.

Please refer to Event Schedule for details.

WT COACH PERMIT SEMINARS:

PATU will conduct World Taekwondo Coach Permit Seminars on **April 2 & April 4, 2020** in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Seminar registration can be made through www.patu.org.

WT INTERNATIONAL REFEREES:

- Organizer will appoint the required number of WT International Referees. **Referees who are interested in officiating for this event must apply through www.tkdreferee.com before February 10, 2020.**
- Round-trip Airfare shall be borne by each participating International Referee.
- The Organizing Committee shall cover four (4) nights of room and board expenses (check-in in early afternoon of April 2, 2020; checkout before Noon of April 6, 2020).
- **Please note: Referee meeting will be held at 4-7 pm on April 2, 2020 at the event venue.**
- The Organizing Committee shall provide each participating WT International Referee with honorarium of USD\$100.00 per day for 3 days of competition.

NATIONAL REFEREES:

Puerto Rico Taekwondo Federation will appoint 25 number of Puerto Rico National Referees. Organizing Committee shall provide each participating National Referee with honorarium of USD\$50.00 per day for 3 days of competition, plus meal allowances.

For Volunteer & National Referee Opportunities, please e-mail: ftprpresidente@gmail.com

For tournament Inquiries, please e-mail: TKDOPEN@GMAIL.COM





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Kyorugi Rules and Competition Format

Organizing committee has the right to change, modify the duration of rounds, divisions and make official decisions without prior notices.

HEAD OF THE TEAM / TECHNICAL MEETING:

PATU technical officials shall conduct the Head of Team meeting on Thursday April 2, 2020 at 7 pm. Head of the team meeting location will be announced one week prior to event date.

The WT Technical Delegate and Organizing Committee have the rights to change, modify the duration of rounds, and combine divisions at the Head of Team meeting. The official drawing will be done automatically and posted on the PATU Facebook Page.

OFFICIAL UNIFORMS:

All Sparring athletes must wear WT approved black V-neck white uniform (dobok) in good condition. Patches, embroidery, logos, team names, country names, athlete names, and stripes are permitted on uniforms. NO TAPING IS ALLOWED ON ANY PART OF THE UNIFORM.

COACHES ATTIRE:

All coaches must oblige to wearing business suits (tie optional) for the semifinals and final rounds. Coaches that do not follow the dress code will not be allowed to enter the field of play during finals and semifinals.

SPARRING EQUIPMENT:

Organizer will be using DAEDO Generation 2 PSS & E head system for G1 sparring divisions. Daedo Generation 1 PSS system will be used for non G1 divisions.

All Black Belt competitors are **REQUIRED** to purchase and use their own Daedo sensor socks & heels for the sparring event(s). Daedo sensor socks & heels can be purchased by visiting the Daedo sales booth at the event.

All Sparring competitors are responsible for supplying their own gloves, arm, shin guards, groin guards and mouth guards. **No eyeglasses or goggles, prescription or nonprescription, are allowed with no exceptions.**

RECOGNIZED BRANDS:

All contestants are required to wear WT recognized doboks and protective equipment. The latest version of WT recognized manufacturers' list is available at the website of World Taekwondo <http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/wtf-partnersrecognized/>

Please Note: Organizer reserves the right to disallow any uniform or equipment if it is found to be offensive or degrading in any fashion.

Weight Change can be made at no costs **before** MAR 25, 2020:

WT Simply Compete: worldtkd.simplycompete.com

Weight Change must be made onsite after March 25, 2020

KYORUGI COMPETITIONS:

YOUTH DIVISIONS (Ages 6-7, 8-9, 10-11) BLACK BELTS

CADET DIVISIONS (Ages 12-14) BLACK BELTS

JUNIOR DIVISIONS (Ages 15-17) BLACK BELTS

G-1 SENIOR DIVISIONS (Ages 17 & Over) BLACK BELTS

ULTRA DIVISIONS (Ages 33+) BLACK BELTS

WEIGH-IN:

The weigh-in of the athletes ages 12 and over will take place at designated weigh-in area **one (1) day prior** to the start of the respective weight category of competition. **PLEASE REFER TO EVENT SCHEDULE FOR WEIGH IN TIME / DATE.**

- All weigh-in athletes must present a form of government issued photo ID.

- At weigh-in, male athletes must wear a minimal of underpants and female athletes must wear a minimal of underpants & brassieres. **Under NO circumstances may an athlete weigh-in in the nude in Puerto Rico.**

- Each athlete shall have one (1) attempt to pass the weigh in. However, one (1) extra attempt is allowed for those athletes who did not qualify the first time. This extra attempt shall be done within the time limit of the official weigh-in hours on the same day.

- If an athlete wants to change weight at the time of registration, he/she may do so for a fee of \$100.00. Athlete may change weight for the same fee after their 1st weigh-in attempt. A test scale will be available outside of the weigh in rooms.

RANDOM WEIGH IN: All G-1 Kyorugi competitors are subject to this new WT rules. Random weigh-in must be completed 30 minutes prior to the beginning of each competition day.

WEIGHT CHANGE PROCESS & FEES:

A mandatory Administration Fee of **\$100.00 (USD)** will be assessed to ALL weight change requests that are made after March 25, 2020 *with no exceptions*.

Weight changes prior to March 25, 2020 must be made through WT Simply Compete with participant's Login information.

Changes **after** March 25, 2020 must be done onsite with completed Change Request Form (see Page 12). An administration fee of **\$100.00 (USD)** will be assessed to ALL weight change requests that are made **after** March 25, 2020 with no exceptions.

Sparring Competitors **CANNOT** participate in more than one (1) weight category in the same age division.



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Kyorugi Weight Divisions

RANDOM WEIGH IN: All G-1 Kyorugi competitors are subject to this new WT rules.

Random weigh-in must be completed 30 minutes prior to the beginning of each competition day.

6-7 YEARS Male / Female Black Belts	8-9 YEARS Male / Female Black Belts	10 - 11 YEARS Male / Female Black Belts
FIN -19KG	FIN -21KG	FIN -30KG
LIGHT -23KG	LIGHT -25KG	LIGHT -35KG
MIDDLE -27KG	MIDDLE -30KG	MIDDLE -40KG
HEAVY +27KG	HEAVY +30KG	HEAVY +40KG

12-14 YEARS CADET MEN	12-14 YEARS CADET WOMEN	15-17 YEARS JUNIOR MEN	15-17 YEARS JUNIOR WOMEN	18-32 YEARS SENIOR MEN Black Belts	18-32 YEARS SENIOR WOMEN Black Belts	33+ ULTRA MEN Black Belts	33+ ULTRA WOMEN Black Belt
-33KG	-29KG	-45KG	-42KG	-54KG	-46KG	-58KG	-49KG
-37KG	-33KG	-48KG	-44KG	-58KG	-49KG	-68 KG	-57KG
-41KG	-37KG	-51KG	-46KG	-63KG	-53KG	80 KG	-67KG
-45KG	-41KG	-55KG	-49KG	-68KG	-57KG	+80KG	+67KG
-49KG	-44KG	-59KG	-52KG	-74KG	-62KG		
-53KG	-47KG	-63KG	-55KG	-80KG	-67KG		
-57KG	-51KG	-68KG	-59KG	-87KG	-73KG		
-61KG	-55KG	-73KG	-63KG	+87KG	+73KG		
-65KG	-59KG	-78KG	-68KG				
+65KG	+59KG	+78KG	+68KG				

***COMPETITORS** cannot participate in more than one (1) weight category in the same age division.

WEIGHT CHANGES & FEES (in USD):

- An administration fee of **\$100.00 (USD)** will be assessed to ALL weight change requests that are made **after** March 25, 2020 with no exceptions. Weight Change after March 25, 2020 must be done on site at Accreditation.
- Changes **before** March 25, 2020 by logging in at WT Simply Compete: worldtkd.simplycompete.com
- Changes **after** March 25, 2020 must be done onsite with completed Change Request Form (see Page 12) and \$100 Change Fee.

If you make a weight category changes within the same registration period that you registered and paid it will be **FREE**. If you make a weight category change in a different registration period from when you initially registered and paid you will be charged the difference e.g. Registered and paid during early bird (until 15 Feb 2020) you can change any time during this period for FREE. If you then change weight category during regular (Feb 16 – March 15) you would be charged 25 USD (difference between regular and early registration fee). If you change weight category during late registration period (March 16-25) you will be charged 75 USD (difference between late and early registration fee). **NO REFUNDS will be given for any reason after registration has been completed. Absolutely no registration accepted after March 25, 2020. Weight Change Fee applies after March 25, 2020.**



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Poomsae Rules and Competition Format

Organizing committee has the right to change, modify and make official decisions without prior notices.

HEAD OF THE TEAM / TECHNICAL MEETING:

OC shall conduct the Head of Team meeting on Thursday, April 2, 2020 at 7pm.

Designated Poomsae will be drawn at the Head of Team Meeting Thursday, April 2, 2020 at 7 pm. Designated Poomsae will be posted on the PATU Facebook Page after Midnight of April 2, 2020.

The WT Technical Delegate and Organizing Committee have the rights to change, modify competition format and combine divisions at the Head of Team meeting.

OFFICIAL UNIFORMS:

WT approved y-neck Poomsae uniforms are mandatory for all competitors in all Poomsae divisions. Cadets and Juniors are allowed to wear Poom or Black Belt with Poomsae uniforms. Poomsae Competitors Age 14 and under must wear Poom Collar Y-neck uniforms.

COACHES ATTIRE:

All coaches must wear business suits (tie optional) for the semifinals and final rounds. Coaches that do not follow the dress code will not be allowed to enter the field of play during finals and semifinals.

FREESTYLE POOMSAE:

Competition shall start from the Final Round, and the top four individual competitors/pairs/team shall be awarded 1st, 2nd and two (2) 3rd place based on their total points in the final round. In the case of a tie, competitor with the higher Technical points win. 3rd and 4th places are awarded with bronze medals.

*Competitor(s) are allowed to use the same music and routine in the same division.

Designated Poomsae will be announced at 7 pm on April 2, 2020 at the Technical Meeting.

Please visit www.patu.org or "Pan American Taekwondo Union (PATU)" Facebook page for all event updates and Poomsae Designation on April 2, 2020.

The Compulsory Poomsae list may change based on the latest WT Poomsae competition rules.

COMPETITION RULES & RANKING:

WT Poomsae Competition Rules and Poomsae Ranking bylaws will govern the 2020 San Juan Puerto Rico Open.

G-RANKED POOMSAE:

Cut-Off system AND Single Elimination:

Cut-Off system will be used in the Preliminary and semi-final rounds of all recognize Poomsae divisions. Single Elimination will be used in the Final rounds (Top 8) of all Individual Recognized Poomsae divisions. Cut-Off system will apply to all Free Style Poomsae competitions.

NON G-RANKED POOMSAE:

Cut-Off system for all non G-ranked Poomsae events, Cut-Off system of competition shall comprise the Preliminary, Semi-Final, and Final rounds. Pairs and Team divisions of all ages will use Cut-Off system.

SINGLE ELIMINATION SYSTEM:

The latest World Taekwondo Poomsae Single Elimination rules will be used for the Final rounds in all Individual Recognized Poomsae divisions.

CUT OFF SYSTEM:

Preliminaries: When 20 or more competitors are participating; competition shall start from the Preliminary round with division of groups at different rings. Competitors shall perform one(1) designated compulsory Poomsae, and half of each group shall advance to Semi-Final based on the highest scores. In the Preliminary round, each group may be judged by a different group of judges. If the number of competitors is odd, the number of competitors will be rounded to an even number. Ex) If there are 23 competitors in the division, it will be considered as 24 competitors and 12 shall advance to Semi-Final.

Semi-Final Selection: When 9 to 19 competitors are participating; competition shall start from the Semi-Final round. Competitors shall perform one(1) designated compulsory Poomsae, and 8 of them shall be advanced to Final Round based on the highest scores.

Final: When 8 or fewer competitors are participating, competition shall start from the Final Round. Competitors shall perform two(2) designated compulsory Poomsae, and the top four individual competitors/pairs/team shall be awarded prizes based on their total points in the final round. In the case of a tie, competitor with the higher presentation points wins. 3rd and 4th places are awarded with bronze medals.

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Poomsae and Freestyle Divisions

Organizing committee has the right to change, modify and make official decisions without prior notices.

Individual Black Belt Division		Compulsory Poomsae	
YOUTH - 11 Years & Under		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo	
CADET - 12 Years to 14 Years		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang	
JUNIOR - 15 Years to 17 Years		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek	
UNDER 30 - 18 Years to 30 Years (G1)		Taeguek 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin	
UNDER 40 - 31 Years to 40 Years (G1)		Taeguek 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin	
UNDER 50 - 41 Years to 50 Years		Taeguek 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon	
UNDER 60 - 51 Years to 60 Years		Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon, Hansu	
UNDER 65 - 61 Years to 65 Years		Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon, Hansu	
OVER 65 - 66+ Years Old		Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon, Hansu	
Pair Divisions (Co-ed)		Compulsory Poomsae	
YOUTH – 11Years & Under		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo	
CADET PAIR - 12 Years to 14 Years		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang	
JUNIOR PAIR -15 Years to 17 Years		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek	
UNDER 30 PAIR -18 Years to 30 Years		Taeguek 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Teabak, Pyongwon, Shipjin	
OVER 30 PAIR - 31+ Years Old		Taeguek 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon	
Team Divisions		Compulsory Poomsae	
YOUTH – 11 Years & Under		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo	
CADET TEAM - 12 Years to 14 Years		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang	
JUNIOR TEAM - 15 Years to 17 Years		Taeguek 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek	
UNDER 30 TEAM -18 Years to 30 Years		Taeguek 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin	
OVER 30 TEAM - 31+ Years Old		Taeguek 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon	

Individual Freestyle Division	Pair Freestyle Poomsae	Mixed Team Freestyle Poomsae
UNDER 18 12 Years to 17 Years	UNDER 18 PAIRS 12 Years to 17 Years (1 Male, 1 Female)	UNDER 18 MIXED TEAM 12 Years to 17 Years Old (5 members, 2 Male & 3 Female or 3 Male & 2 Female)
OVER 18 18+ Years Old	OVER 18 PAIRS 18+ Years Old (1 Male, 1 Female)	OVER 18 MIXED TEAM 18+ Years Old (5 members, 2 Male & 3 Female or 3 Male & 2 Female)

Partner Invitation Function for Poomsae Event: WT GMS has implemented a function for an individual member to invite partner(s) for Pairs and Teams Poomsae. During the registration for a Poomsae event, there is a new button called “Invite/Add”. Your partner will receive an email about the invitation, then he/she needs to accept the invitation by registering through GMS to Puerto Rico Taekwondo Open. Click [here](#) to find detailed infographics on how the function works.



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Demo Team Rules

Organizing committee has the right to change, modify and make official decisions without prior notices.

OFFICIAL UNIFORMS:

All Demo Team competitors must wear WT approved black V-neck white uniform (dobok) in good condition. Patches, embroidery, logos, team names, country names, athlete names, and stripes are permitted on uniforms. **NO TAPING IS ALLOWED ON ANY PART OF THE UNIFORM. NO KNEE / ELBOW PADS.**

DEMONSTRATION TEAM COMPETITION:

- Maximum time to complete the demonstration is 8 minutes including set-up and clean-up time.
- The routine shall be done within at least 10mx10m area.
- Minimum of 7 members and no more than 10 members. All Demo Teams must be self sufficient for Board breaking part of their Demo routine. No coach, master or outside board holders are allowed. Boards must be held by demo team members.
- Music and reproductive system must be provided by the demonstration team. **Teams without music will be disqualified.**
- No pyrotechnics, fireworks or rockets.
- Boards, weapons, official tables or other accessories shall be provided by the demonstration team.
- WT approved v-neck white uniforms must be worn by the entire team. **Y-neck Poomsae uniforms are not permitted.**
- All Demo performances must include, traditional Poomsae, Free Style Team Poomsae (up to 5 members), Self-defense, and board breaking routine. Additional routines are encouraged.
- Additional presentation points will be awarded for weapons demonstration.

DEMO TEAM SCORING:

Based on the following order of superiority in ascending order:

1. Synchronization technique (20%).
2. Excitement on the performance (20%).
3. Successful completion of Taekwondo techniques (20%).
4. Entertainment generated (20%).
5. Display of Precision, Speed and Power (20%).

Major Deduction (0.5 points):

- Any part of the body above the ankle bone that touch the mats.
- Crossing the boundary line with both feet.
- Under or Over time
- Inability to complete all four (4) mandatory skills.
- Assistance from team members in completing aerial techniques.
- Extreme remarkable and offensive behavior amongst coaches and competitors; failure to obey directions from referees / officials.

Minor Deduction (0.1 points):

- Failure to break boards or execute board breaking techniques.
- Losing balance, extended pause, lack of synchronization and harmony.

Puerto Rico Taekwondo FESTIVAL For Competitors of All Ages, All Rank

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**2020 Puerto Rico Taekwondo Festival
Information and Registration.**

GENERAL PROVISIONS:

Pan Am Competition Rules will govern the 2020 Puerto Rico Open Taekwondo Festival.

COMPETITOR ELIGIBILITY:

This is an "Open" event, open to all participants of all belt rank, ages 5 and above.

- Competitors will compete at the age based on their birth year.
- GAL is NOT REQUIRED for Puerto Rico Taekwondo Festival.

POOMSAE COMPETITIONS:

Cut-off system: Competitions shall comprise the Preliminary, Semi-Final, and Final rounds.

SPARRING COMPETITIONS:

Single elimination, 2 Rounds, 60-second round with 30-second rest period.

WEIGH-IN: The weigh-in of the athletes takes place in the Staging weigh-in area at the event venue **on the day of competition.**

BOARD BREAKING COMPETITIONS:

Competitors **MUST** purchase official approved regulation size boards from event vendor on-site for \$3.00 per board.

DISTANCE BREAK (Flying Side Kick): Competitor will be judged based on the distance of the break with a maximum of two attempts.

HEIGHT BREAK (Jump Front Kick): Competitor will be judged based on the height of the break with a maximum of two attempts.

WEAPONS COMPETITION RULES:

- Cut Off system: Maximum set up time in 1 minute, maximum time to compete the demonstration is 1 minute.

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EVENT SCHEDULE

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DATE	TIME	EVENTS	PLACE
Thursday April 2, 2020	All Day	Officials & National Teams Arrivals	Coliseo Manuel Petaca Iguina
	11:00am	National Team Check In	
	12:30pm - 7:00pm	Registration and Check In for all Competitors & Participants	
	1:30pm - 2:30pm	WT Pan Am Kyorugi Coach License Course for coaches coaching 11 years & Under.	
	4:00pm - 7:00pm	Referee Meeting	
	7:00pm	Head of the Team Meeting & Technical Meeting & Drawing of Brackets	
	1:30pm - 3:30pm	Weigh In for Senior Kyorugi Athletes Competing on April 3, 2020.	
Friday April 3, 2020	7:30am - 4:00pm	Registration and Check In for all Competitors & Participants	Coliseo Manuel Petaca Iguina
	9:00am - 6:00pm	San Juan Open G1 Kyorugi Competitions – All Weight Categories Male & Female	
	10am - 12pm	Weigh In for April 4 th Youth, Cadet, Junior & Ultra Weigh.	
Saturday April 4, 2020	8:00am - 3:00pm	Check-In & Accreditation	Coliseo Manuel Petaca Iguina
	9:00am - 6:00pm	Kyorugi Competitions for Youth, Cadet, Junior & Ultra. *Weigh In on April 3 rd 10am-12pm.	
	1:00pm - 6:00pm	Puerto Rico Taekwondo Festival *All Color Belts & Non GAL Black Belts. **Puerto Rico Taekwondo Festival Participants Weigh In during staging.	
	2:30pm - 4:30pm	World Taekwondo Poomsae Coach License Course	
Sunday April 5, 2020	8:00am - 11:00am	Registration and Check In	Coliseo Manuel Petaca Iguina
	9:00am	G1 Poomsae Competitions – Youth, Cadet, Junior, and Senior.	





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FOR ON-SITE CHANGE PROCESSING ONLY

CHANGE REQUEST APPLICATION

First Name _____ Last Name _____ Gender M F

Country _____ Phone _____ Date of Birth _____

GAL Number (if applicable): _____ E-mail Address _____

****TYPE OF CHANGE****

Registered Age / Division / Weight: _____

Change Request in Details:

Change Request #1 - _____

Change Request #2 - _____

\$50 Per Change. Please Enter Total Due \$ _____

CHANGES & FEES:

All change requests will result in a **mandatory \$150 Administration fee** per change request.

Change request includes, but are not limited to: weight, name, age, date of birth, gender, belt rank, event and/or division change, etc.

Please do not Email or Call To Make Change Requests!

Changes After MARCH 27, 2020 Must Be Done On-Site at Accreditation

We only accept Cash Payment in USD.

Participant's Print Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Participant's Guardian Print Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____



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LIABILITY WAIVER

ALL Participants must PRINT & SIGN THIS WAIVER (signed by Parent or Legal Guardian if under 18 Years).

Please submit completed Liability Waiver at Accreditation on April 3-5, 2020.

PLEASE DO NOT E-MAIL or MAIL LIABILITY WAIVER!

CHAMPIONSHIP PARTICIPATION WAIVER

Puerto Rico Taekwondo Federation

COMPETITOR, COACH, REFEREE, VOLUNTEERS, OFFICIALS, TOURNAMENT STAFF AND MEDIA WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND PARENTAL CONSENT AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of your acceptance of my entry for Puerto Rico Open Taekwondo Championships to be held on April 2-5, 2020 at San Juan, Puerto Rico, I do hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators waive, release and forever discharge any and all rights and claims for damages, including bodily injury which I may have or which may occur to me against the referees, medical staff and all members of this championships or their respective officers, representatives, successors, and/or assigns and against any competitor for any and all damages which may be sustained by me in connection with my associates with or entry into this championship event, or which may arise out of traveling to, participating in and returning from this tournament event. I am not entering this competition in reliance or any written or oral representation by the Puerto Rico Taekwondo Federation and World Taekwondo regarding the applicable rules and qualifications of the judges and referees. I am in good health and physical condition to participate in this tournament. I fully understand that my entry fee is non-refundable. I consent that any picture furnished by me or any pictures taken of me in connection with the championships can be used for publicity, promotion or television showing, and I waive all compensation in regard, thereto. I understand that Martial Arts is a body contact sport and I further understand all the contents of the rules and general information which was published by the organizing committee and I agree to them in their entirety.

- I understand the nature of San Juan Puerto Rico Open Taekwondo Championship activities and believe that my experience and capabilities, or that of the minor child, to be qualified to participate in these events which to be held in Puerto Rico. **I UNDERSTAND THAT PUERTO RICO TAEKWONDO FEDERATION AND WORLD TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT ACTIVITIES INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS OF SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS AND DEATH.** These risks and dangers may be caused by me or the minor child's own actions, or inactions, and/or the actions or inactions of others participating in the training. In addition, I fully authorize Puerto Rico Taekwondo Federation to transport me/my child to a nearby medical care facility to seek necessary medical care in the case of emergency.
- I have read this agreement, fully understand it's terms, understand that I or the minor child have given up substantial rights by signing it and have signed it freely and without any inducement or assurance of any nature and intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by the law and agree that if any portion of this agreement is held to be invalid that the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force and effect.

Participant's Print Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Participant's Guardian Print Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____