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WELCOME ADDRESS



Adam Roczek,
EUSA President

Dear Friends,

With great pleasure I welcome you to the pages of our yearly magazine to share the best memories of the past year and present our upcoming activities.

Many important events happened in 2019, the year of EUSA's 20th anniversary. Allow me to draw your attention to just a few personal highlights here, while you can find a more detailed overview on the following pages.

In the build up to the fifth edition of the European Universities Games taking place in Belgrade, Serbia, the efforts made by the Organising Committee have been incredible. This is also thanks to the direct involvement of the Prime Minister of the Republic of Serbia Ms Ana Brnabic, whose personal engagement in the preparations provided a major boost. The COVID-19 Coronavirus pandemic had a major impact on sport around the world, and we believe the correct decision was made to postpone the Games until July 2021. This does not alter the magnitude, passion or quality of the event, and we look forward to what is still expected to be the biggest multisport event in Europe, albeit now in 2021.

The 2019 European Universities Championships reached a record number, surpassing 5000 participants, even though not all the originally planned Championships were organised. This will result in a re-evaluation of our sport programme, planning the calendar and strengthening cooperation with European sports federations. It is worth noting that Ukraine became one of the most active and most successful NUSAs, winning 51 medals in total. I hope this will inspire other member countries to similarly demonstrate their potential in future EUSA competitions.

EUSA's main anniversary celebrations took place at the Extraordinary General Assembly, Conference and Gala in Aveiro, Portugal, during which we also presented special awards for the last decade. The events in Aveiro were hosted by our Portuguese member FADU. EUSA has always been able to rely on FADU's contribution and support, and it was not the first time where the EUSA family was welcomed in Portugal with open arms and hearts. It was the last EUSA General Assembly for Mr Daniel Monteiro as the FADU President, having led the organisation over the last four years. I would like to personally thank Daniel for everything, and I'm sure that in his heart, EUSA will be held in a position equal to FADU and Sporting.

Our last Assembly took several important decisions related to the internal organisation of EUSA's structure. By implementing changes to our

Statutes and Electoral Procedure which assures minimum gender representation and the presence of a student as a voting member of the Executive Committee, we became – and I have no fear to say – a sports association which can serve as an example for many. It was not easy to find a proper tool to do that, bearing in mind that the cultural backgrounds of our members and national standards are so different, but we nevertheless achieved this through a unanimous decision-making process.

I am proud to see EUSA and its Institute continue their active engagement and involvement in the field of social responsibility through the development fund, dedicated projects and campaigns, supported by the European Union and FISU. We are also happy to see many of our members celebrating the European Week of Sport (#beactive) and the International Day of University Sport (#letsidus) together with us.

Mr Oleg Matytsin was re-elected unopposed for the next mandate as the FISU President at their General Assembly held in Torino, Italy, the nest of the modern university sport movement. It was an expected decision and well-deserved by Oleg, with EUSA always ready and willing to support FISU's plans and efforts to continue the growth of university sport across the world.

My sincere appreciation goes to member federations, organising committees of EUSA sports events, hosts of our Executive Committee meetings and other events, universities, volunteers, partners, colleagues from the Executive Committee, Commissions and Working Groups, as well as EUSA staff for their passion, dedication and year-round support. I would especially like to underline our appreciation to FISU and President Matytsin for their contribution to EUSA's growth.

I would like to encourage all of you to take an active part in the electoral General Assembly in Yerevan, Armenia as well as EUSA's various projects and other activities, and we look forward to seeing you at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade next year!

The growth of EUSA is the reflection of our joint work and depends on each and every one of us.

Adam Roczek,
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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019

The European Universities Championships are university sports competitions governed by EUSA. A record-breaking 21 different sporting competitions were organised across 16 events in 14 host cities and nine European countries in 2019, involving a total of 5 242 participants from 43 different countries and 1 032 university teams.





02. EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019



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LODZ 2019
EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES
BEACH VOLLEYBALL
CHAMPIONSHIP
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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES
HANDBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



CAMERINO 2019
EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES
TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



BRAGA 2019
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FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



POZNAŃ 2019
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BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



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BRIDGE AND CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES
VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



PORTO 2019
EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES
3X3 BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



ZAGREB 2019
EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES
CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP
EUSA



JÖNKÖPING 2019
EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES
ROWING CHAMPIONSHIP
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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019 – FACTS AND FIGURES

The 2019 European Universities Championships was another milestone season for EUSA, which celebrated its 20th anniversary year in style as a record number of participants took part in the biggest EUSA Championship sports programme to date.

A total of 21 different sporting competitions made up the 2019 Championship programme, which took place at 16 separate events in 14 host cities in nine different countries across Europe.

The Championships, which started in 2001 and have been organised biennially since 2011, began on June 23 with both the EUSA Golf and EUSA Badminton Championships, which took place in Antequera, Spain and Lodz, Poland, respectively.

The month of July saw a total of 13 different events taking place across Europe before the very last Championship, EUSA Rowing in Jonkoping, Sweden, which brought the season to a close over the first week of September.

Four new sports were introduced into this year's Championship programme, namely Water Polo,

Beach Handball, Orienteering and Kickboxing, which formed part of the Combat Sports Championship in Zagreb, Croatia which for the first time was made up of four different sports: Judo, Karate, Kickboxing and Taekwondo.

Two cities hosted a European Universities Championship for the first time: Bydgoszcz in Poland, where EUSA Handball took place, as well as Jonkoping in Sweden, which played host to the 11th edition of EUSA Rowing.

The two oldest sports in the programme, Basketball and Volleyball, were hosted for the 15th time following their first instalment as the first two Championships ever organised by EUSA in 2001.

In total, 5 242 participants from 570 universities from 43 different countries participated in the 2019 European

Universities Championships, making it the largest edition of the Championships in EUSA history following the previous total of 4 132 participants in 2017.

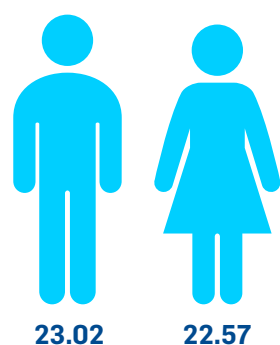
As was the case in 2017, EUSA Football topped the highest-attendance list with a total of 613 participants, an increase of 110 participants compared to 2017. EUSA Rowing was the second-most attended event with 504 participants, followed by Karate with 446.

EUSA would like to thank all participants and congratulate all those who achieved success in this year's Championships, while extending our utmost appreciation to all local organising committees and volunteers, European sports governing bodies and the International University Sports Federation for their support.

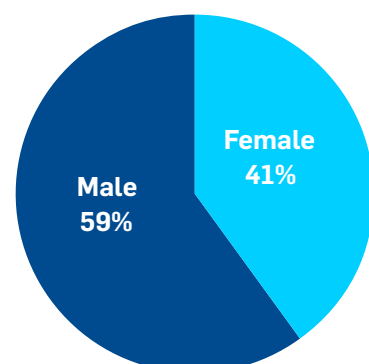
Following the culmination of the Championships, the German University Sports Federation topped the Most Active NUSA results chart, with the French University Sport Federation just behind in second place and the Portuguese Academic Federation of University Sport in third.

Based on the results achieved according to each participating country's national body, the French University Sport Federation won the Most Successful NUSA award, followed by the German University Sports Federation and the Sports Students' Union of Ukraine.

ATHLETES' AVERAGE AGE



ATHLETES' PARTICIPATION PER GENDER



TOP 10 PARTICIPATION PER SPORT

SPORT/CHAMPIONSHIP	2013	2015	2017	2019
Football	467	407	503	613
Rowing	414	540	509	504
Karate	311	117	261	446
Futsal	481	427	260	436
Volleyball	328	350	282	405
Handball	308	231	363	352
Basketball	396	372	367	349
Judo	193	178	252	300
Taekwondo	152	132	217	243
Kickboxing	–	–	–	235



EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES 3X3 BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP PORTO, PORTUGAL JULY 31-AUGUST 3, 2019

Over 230 participants representing 43 universities from 22 different countries took part in the 2019 European Universities 3x3 Basketball Championship which took place on Matosinhos beach in Porto, Portugal.

The competition, which involved 25 men's teams and 18 women's teams, was organised by FAP Porto's Academic Federation, University of Porto and Polytechnic Institute of Porto, with the contribution of the Portuguese Academic Federation of University Sport and Porto's City Council.

EUSA was represented at the event by Executive Committee member Mr Milan Zvan, Technical Delegate Mr Ilan Kowalski and Assistant Technical Delegate Ms Jeanine Tjin-A-Sioe.

In the men's final, Lithuania's Vytautas Magnus University claimed the gold medal after

earning a 21-9 victory against Portugal's Polytechnic Institute of Porto.

In the women's final, the title of champions went to Vasyl Stefanyk University from Ukraine, who narrowly beat University of Aveiro 11-10 in the final.

The award for the Best Shooter from the women's competition was given to University of Zurich's Marjana Milenkovic, and to Tallin University of Technology's Joonas Jarvelainen in the men's competition.

Nova University of Lisbon's Catarina Cardoso was handed the award for the Best Fair Play among the women competitors, while the same award in the men's competition was given to Mario Rausic from the College of Applied Sciences Lavslan Ruzicka In Vukovar.

The award for the Most Valuable Player from the women's competition was given to Gabriela Raimundo from University of Aveiro, while Vytautas Magnus University's

Aurimas Urbonas claimed the MVP prize in the men's competition.

The award for the The Best Slam in the men's competition was given to Nikolaos Persidis from the National Technical University of Athens, while Mario Rausic from the College of Applied Sciences Lavslan Ruzicka in Vukovar won the Three Point Contest.

The next EUSA 3x3 Basketball competition will be held at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia, followed by the next edition of the European Universities 3x3 Basketball Championship which will take place in the Hungarian city of Debrecen.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

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3	University of Malaga	ESP
4	University of Zagreb	CRO
5	Tallinn University of Technology	EST
6	National Technical University of Athens	GRE
7	University of Pitesti	ROU
8	University of Goettingen	GER
9	University of Vienna	AUT
10	University of Shumen	BUL
11	University of Le Havre	FRA
12	TTK Tallinn University of Applied Sciences	EST
13	Polytechnic University of Catalonia	ESP
14	Gdansk University of Technology	POL
15	College of Applied Sciences Lavoslav Ruzicka in Vukovar	CRO
16	University of Minho	POR
17	University of Pecs	HUN
18	University of Physical Education	HUN
19	Technion – Israel Institute of Technology	ISR
20	University of Primorska	SLO
21	University of Genova	ITA
22	University of Porto	POR
23	University North	CRO
24	The Arctic University of Norway	NOR
25	Dogus University	TUR

WOMEN

1	Vasyl Stefanyk Precarpathian National University	UKR
2	University of Aveiro	POR
3	University of Goettingen	GER
4	University of Ljubljana	SLO
5	University of Vienna	AUT
6	Szechenyi Istvan University	HUN
7	University of Zurich	SUI
8	University of Pitesti	ROU
9	University of Lyon	FRA
10	University of Nantes	FRA
11	VU University of Amsterdam	NED
12	University of Porto	POR
13	Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration	RUS
14	Polytechnic University of Catalonia	ESP
15	University of Barcelona	ESP
16	Tel Aviv University	ISR
17	University of Physical Education	HUN
18	Nova University of Lisbon	POR



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP

LODZ, POLAND
JUNE 23-29, 2019

Over 100 participants representing 15 universities from 11 countries took part in the 12th edition of the European Universities Badminton Championship, which was hosted in the Polish city of Lodz.

The competition was organised by the Lodz University of Technology Sports Association with the contribution of Lodz University of Technology and the University Sports Association of Poland, and took place at the Sports Bay Complex at the Lodz University of Technology.

EUSA was represented at the event by EUSA Executive Committee representative Mr Panos Razis as well as Badminton Technical Delegate Mr Erik Ligtvoet and assistant Ms Isabelle Jobard.

The team tournament concluded on Wednesday, 26

June with the final between University of West Bohemia (CZE) and University of Nottingham (GBR).

The Czech team won the men's singles, but Nottingham claimed victory in the women's singles, men's doubles and women's doubles to win the overall title,



FINAL STANDINGS

MIXED TEAM

1	University of Nottingham	GBR
2	University of West Bohemia	CZE
3	University of Bern	SUI
3	University of Fribourg	SUI
5	University of Strasbourg	FRA
6	University of Bordeaux	FRA
7	Uludag University	TUR
8	Opole University	POL
9	N. I. Lobachevsky State University of Nizhny Novgorod	RUS
10	University of Duisburg-Essen	GER
11	German Sport University Cologne	GER
12	University of Lisbon	POR
13	Ural Federal University	RUS
14	Polytechnic University of Valencia	ESP
15	University of Maribor	SLO

INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

MEN'S SINGLES

Jan Louda, University of West Bohemia	CZE
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WOMEN'S SINGLES

Lilian Yang, University of Nottingham	GBR
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MIXED DOUBLES

Torjussen & Westwood, University of Nottingham	GBR
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MEN'S DOUBLES

Delrue & Martinez, University of Strasbourg	FRA
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WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Yang & Westwood, University of Nottingham	GBR
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while the bronze medal was shared by two Swiss teams: University of Fribourg and University of Bern.

In the mixed doubles finals, the title of champions went to John Torjussen and Emily Westwood from University of Nottingham, who won an exciting final match against Pawel Pietryja and Kornelia Marczak representing Opole University from Poland.

In the men's singles finals, Jan Louda from University of West Bohemia claimed the gold medal after beating

his teammate – and doubles partner – Ondrej Kral in the final.

Lilian Yang from the University of Nottingham followed up her gold medal at the previous year's European Universities Games in Coimbra by again winning the women's singles final in Lodz, this time against Ronja Stern from University of Bern (SUI).

Yang then teamed up with of University of Nottingham teammate Westwood to both secure their second gold medal of the competition in

the women's doubles finals, where they defeated Lea Maria Muller and Ronja Stern from the University of Bern.

In the last game of the championship – the men's doubles finals – the title of champions went to Fabien Delrue and Mateo Martinez from University of Strasbourg (FRA), who emerged victorious in the final against Ahmet Can Oruc and Yusuf Yasar of Uludag University (TUR).

The next EUSA Badminton competition will take place

in Belgrade, Serbia at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games ahead of the 13th edition of the European Universities Badminton Championship taking place in Miskolc, Hungary.



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

POZNAN, POLAND
JULY 20-27, 2019

Over 400 athletes making up 14 men's and 12 women's teams, representing 22 universities from 14 countries, competed in the 15th European Universities Basketball Championship, which took place across three sports centres in Poznan, Poland.

The competition was organised by the University Sports Association of Poznan, together with the University Sports Association of Poland.

EUSA was represented in Poznan by Technical Commission member Mr Marko

Zunic and Technical Delegate Mr Peter George alongside assistant Ms Pascale Weivers.

In the men's final, the title of champions went to Italy's University of Bologna who won an exhilarating match 90-78 against Beykent University from

Turkey. Both teams had met already in the final of last year's European Universities Games in Coimbra, with the Italian side making it two from two against their Turkish counterparts.

Vytautas Magnus University from Lithuania dominated



the third place match against University of Rouen from France, as they were crowned the third best university Basketball team in Europe with a 97-79 victory.

In the women's final, French outfit University of Strasbourg won an electrifying final match against University of Vienna from Austria, who showed a lot of skill and commitment, but were however unable to keep up with a well-organised team from France who prevailed 69-59. University of Pitesti from Romania finished with the bronze medal after beating Polish side Gdansk University of Technology to third place with a 63-53 win.

Valerio Cucci from the University of Bologna was awarded the Most Valuable Player in the men's competition, while the award for the best

female player went to University of Pitesti's Sonia Ursu.

The event also received local and national television attention, with the Opening and Closing ceremonies attended by EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek, city and government officials and other invited guests.

The next EUSA Basketball competition will be held in Belgrade, Serbia at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games, while the 16th edition of the European Universities Basketball Championship will take place in Aveiro, Portugal.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	University of Bologna	ITA
2	Beykent University	TUR
3	Vytautas Magnus University	LTU
4	University of Rouen	FRA
5	University of Pitesti	ROU
6	Polytechnic University of Madrid	ESP
7	College of Management Academic Studies	ISR
8	Estonian University of Life Sciences	EST
9	University of Physical Education	HUN
10	University of Rennes 2	FRA
11	University of Coimbra	POR
12	Gdansk University of Technology	POL
13	University of Wurzburg	GER
14	Poznan University of Economics and Business	POL

WOMEN

1	University of Strasbourg	FRA
2	University of Vienna	AUT
3	University of Pitesti	ROU
4	Gdansk University of Technology	POL
5	University of Goettingen	GER
6	University of Physical Education	HUN
7	University of Aveiro	POR
8	Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek	CRO
9	Polytechnic University of Madrid	ESP
10	Mersin University	TUR
11	Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan	POL
12	Istanbul Ticaret University	TUR



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES BEACH HANDBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

ZAGREB, CROATIA
JULY 24-27, 2019

The very first European Universities Beach Handball Championship took place near Jarun Lake in Zagreb, Croatia, and involved almost 150 participants representing 16 universities from eight countries.

The tournament was organised by the Croatian Academic Sports Federation, with support from the European Handball Federation (EHF).

EUSA was represented at the event by Executive Committee member Mr Wolf Fruhauf, EUSA Beach Handball Technical

Delegate Ms Jelena Rakonjac as well as Assistant Technical Delegate Mr Marco Trespidi.

In the women's competition, home team University of Zagreb claimed third place as Spain's University of Barcelona emerged victorious after their 2-1 victory

over University of Novi Sad from Serbia in the final.

Home team University of Zagreb had plenty of support en route to the final of the men's category, where they made their home advantage count to topple University of Belgrade 2-0 and claim the gold medal, while



University of Barcelona earned the bronze medal.

Beach Handball will form part of the 20 sporting disciplines at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games, taking place in Belgrade, Serbia.

The next European Universities Beach Handball Championship will take place in Malaga, Spain as a part of the EUSA Beach Championships alongside Beach Volleyball.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	University of Zagreb	CRO
2	University of Belgrade	SRB
3	University of Barcelona	ESP
4	Budapest University of Technology and Economics	HUN
5	Tilburg University	NED
6	University of Duisburg-Essen	GER
7	German Sport University Cologne	GER
8	Corvinus University of Budapest	HUN
9	University of Pecs	HUN
10	Ozyegin University	TUR

WOMEN

1	University of Barcelona	ESP
2	University of Novi Sad	SRB
3	University of Zagreb	CRO
4	Tilburg University	NED
5	German Sport University Cologne	GER
6	Cyprus International University	EUSA



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES BEACH VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

KOPER, SLOVENIA JULY 21-26, 2019

Over 120 participants from 43 universities and 22 different countries were present in Koper, Slovenia for the 12th edition of the European Universities Beach Volleyball Championship.

The competition, which took place simultaneously with the European Universities Water Polo Championship, was organised by the Slovenian University Sports Association (SUSA) and the University Sports Association of Primorska

(USZP), with the contribution of the City of Koper municipality.

EUSA was represented at the event by Executive Committee members Mr Ceslovas Garbaliuskas and Mr Bruno Barracosa, together with Beach

Volleyball Technical Delegate Mr Adriano Paco.

In the women's competition, an extremely tense gold medal match was won by Eva Pfeffer and Franziska Friedl from Vienna University, who beat University



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of Warsaw's Izabela Błasiak and Paula Stonecka.

The men's final ended in an unexpected manner, as a severe storm hit the Slovene coastal region, forcing participants, spectators and organisers indoors. After a lengthy delay, EUSA officials decided to split the gold medal among both Austrian finalists, with Peter Eglseer and Florian Schnetzer (University of Linz) and Felix

Friedl and Maximilian Trummer (University of Graz) sharing first prize.

The next European Universities Beach Volleyball Championships will take place in Malaga, Spain as a part of the EUSA Beach Championships alongside Beach Handball, while Beach Volleyball is also on the sports schedule at the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	University of Linz	AUT
1	University of Graz	AUTO
3	Lithuanian Sports University	LTU
4	Poznan University of Life Sciences	POL
5	Hasselt University	BEL
6	University of Frankfurt	GER
7	University of Toulouse 3	FRA
8	Technical University of Munich	GER
9	National Institute of Applied Sciences of Toulouse	FRA
10	Riga Stradins University	LAT
11	Moldova State University	MDA
12	National Technical University of Athens	GRE
13	Ben-Gurion University of the Negev	ISR
14	University of Maribor	SLO
15	Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich	SUI
16	Manisa Celal Bayar University	TUR
17	University of Porto	POR
18	University of Zagreb	CRO
19	University of Primorska	SLO
20	University of Wageningen	NED
21	Karlstads University	SWE
22	University North	CRO
23	Technion – Israel Institute of Technology	ISR

WOMEN

1	University of Vienna	AUT
2	University of Warsaw	POL
3	Vytautas Magnus University	LTU
4	Balikesir University	TUR
5	University of Clermont Auvergne	FRA
6	University of Cologne	GER
7	Petro Mohyla Black Sea National University	UKR
8	Czech Technical University in Prague	CZE
9	University of Cyprus	CYP
10	University of Grenoble Alpes	FRA
11	Utrecht University	NED
12	University of Leipzig	GER
13	University of Graz	AUT
14	Manisa Celal Bayar University	TUR
15	University of Porto	POR
16	University of Basel	SUI
17	University of Primorska	SLO
18	Wroclaw University of Environmental and Life Sciences	POL
19	Aalto University	FIN
20	University of Physical Education	HUN
21	National Research University of Electronic Technology	RUS
22	University of Maribor	SLO
23	University North	CRO
24	University of Debrecen	HUN



EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES BRIDGE CHAMPIONSHIP

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY
JULY 24-28, 2019

The European Universities Bridge Championship took place in Budapest, Hungary as a part of the EUSA Mind Sports Championships, and involved 74 participants from 14 universities and 10 countries across Europe.



The competition was organised by the Hungarian University Sports Federation and the University of Physical Education, the host university of the event.

Present on behalf of EUSA in the Hungarian capital was EUSA Auditor and Executive Committee member Mr Liviu Matic and Bridge Technical Delegate Mr Harry Van de Peppel.

After four days of intriguing play, the Team Championship

title was earned by Kozminski University from Poland, with Czech Republic's Charles University taking the runners-up spot. Joining their Polish friends on the podium was Wroclaw University, who ended the competition in third place.

All the Bridge participants gathered with the Chess players on the final evening for the Closing Ceremony, complete with an awards ceremony, which took place at Budapest's University of Physical Education.



FINAL STANDINGS

MIXED TEAM

1	Kozminski University	POL
2	Charles University	CZE
3	Wroclaw University of Science and Technology	POL
4	University of Tübingen	GER
5	AGH University of Science and Technology	POL
6	University of Catania	ITA
7	Paris-Sud University	FRA
8	Vienna University of Technology	AUT
9	Eotvos Lorand University	HUN
10	Istanbul University	TUR
11	Free University of Brussels	BEL
12	Rhine-Westphalia Institute of Technology Aachen	GER
13	Gdansk University of Technology	POL
14	Tilburg University	NED



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY
JULY 24-28, 2019

The European Universities Chess Championship was held in Budapest, Hungary as a part of the EUSA Mind Sports Championships, with 70 participants from 24 European universities from 14 different countries present.

The competition was organised by the Hungarian University Sports Federation and the University of Physical Education, the host university of the event.

Present on behalf of EUSA in Budapest was EUSA Auditor and Executive Committee member Mr Liviu Matic and Chess Technical Delegate Mr Oleksandr Sulypa.

Russia's Ural State Mining University were dominant in their displays across the five days, with Daria Voit and Polina Shuvalova helping their university to victory in the Women's Rapid Team Championship event as teammates Maksim Chigaev and Alexandr Predke claimed gold in the men's competition.

In the Blitz Individual event, Daria Voit claimed her second gold medal for Ural State Mining University, while in the men's category, Kirill Shevchenko from Ukraine's Lviv University emerged victorious.

The next EUSA Chess competition will take place in Belgrade, Serbia at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN'S RAPID TEAM COMPETITION

1	Ural State Mining University	RUS
2	Armenian State University of Economics	ARM
3	Lviv State University of Physical Culture	UKR
4	Eotvos Lorand University (1)	HUN
5	The Open University of Israel	ISR
6	National Technical University of Athens	GRE
7	Eotvos Lorand University (2)	HUN
8	AGH University of Science and Technology (1)	POL
9	AGH University of Science and Technology (2)	POL
10	University College London (2)	GBR
11	Ozyegin University	TUR
12	Szechenyi Istvan University	HUN
13	London School of Economics and Political Science	GBR
14	University of Porto	POR
15	University of Bielefeld	GER
16	University of Warwick	GBR
17	University of Nice Sophia Antipolis	FRA
18	University College London (1)	GBR
19	EDHEC Business School of Nice	FRA
20	Eszterhazy Karoly University	HUN
21	Norwegian School of Economics	NOR

WOMEN'S RAPID TEAM COMPETITION

1	Ural State Mining University	RUS
2	University of Physical Education	HUN
3	Ozyegin University	TUR
4	AGH University of Science and Technology	POL
5	University of Pecs	HUN
6	Semmelweis University	HUN
7	University of Prishtina	KOS
8	Wroclaw University of Environmental and Life Sciences	POL

INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

MEN'S BLITZ

Kirill Shevchenko, Lviv State University of Physical Culture	UKR
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WOMEN'S BLITZ

Daria Voit, Ural State Mining University	RUS
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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP MADRID, SPAIN JULY 20-27, 2019

Over 600 participants representing 32 universities from 16 countries took part in the 13th edition of European Universities Football Championship held in Madrid, Spain.

The event was hosted by University Camilo Jose Cela in conjunction with the Spanish University Sport Committee with the collaboration of the municipality of Boadilla del Monte.

EUSA was represented at the championship by EUSA Vice President Mr Haris Pavletic, EUSA Honorary Member Mr Filipe Santos, Football Technical Delegate Mr Andreas Demetriou and Assistant Technical Delegate Ms Ourania Foskolou.

In the men's final, the title of champion went to Russia's Kuban State University who won a thrilling match against Ternopil Volodymyr Hnatyuk National Pedagogical University from Ukraine, with the final scoreline reading 4-2 to the Russians.



Portugal's Coimbra University were crowned champions in the women's competition, beating German rivals Frankfurt University 2-1 in a closely-fought encounter.

The Fair Play Trophy in the women's competition was awarded to Frankfurt University, while German compatriots Karlsruhe Institute of Technology claimed the men's Fair Pay Trophy.

Yana Malakhova from Ukraine's Kharkiv State Academy was handed the women's Top Scorer prize, with Thomas Alvares from France's University of Orleans top-scoring in the men's competition.

The Best Goalkeeper Award was given to Sina Autino

from Switzerland's University of Basel among the women participants, while Erik Eire Jor de Sogn from Norway's Fjordane University College claimed the same accolade in the men's competition.

The Most Valued Player among women went to Frankfurt University's Saskia Matheis while the men's MVP prize went to Tavakkyul Mamedov from Kuban State University.

The next European Universities Football Championship will take place in Tirana, Albania but not before next year's football competition at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia.

FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	Kuban State University	RUS
2	Ternopil Volodymyr Hnatyuk National Pedagogical University	UKR
3	University of Almeria	ESP
4	Bahcesehir University	TUR
5	University of Orleans	FRA
6	University of Bochum	GER
7	Karlsruhe Institute of Technology	GER
8	University of Split	CRO
9	The West University of Timișoara	ROU
10	University of Parma	ITA
11	University of Vechta	GER
12	Camilo Jose Cela University	ESP
13	University of Minho	POR
14	Maria Curie-Skłodowska University	POL
15	University of Basel	SUI
16	Sogn og Fjordane University College	NOR
17	University of Evora	POR
18	University of Jyväskylä	FIN
19	University of Amsterdam	NED
20	University of St. Gallen	SUI

WOMEN

1	University of Coimbra	POR
2	University of Frankfurt	GER
3	Kharkiv State Academy of Physical Culture	UKR
4	University of Montpellier	FRA
5	Siberian Federal University	RUS
6	University of Toulouse 3	FRA
7	University of Basel	SUI
8	Camilo Jose Cela University	ESP
9	University of Lleida	ESP
10	University of Vienna	AUT
11	Sogn og Fjordane University College	NOR



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES FUTSAL CHAMPIONSHIP

BRAGA, PORTUGAL
JULY 16-23, 2019

A total of 436 participants representing 26 universities from 12 countries took part in the 2019 European Universities Futsal Championship in Braga, Portugal, the 12th in EUSA's history.

The event was hosted and organised by the University of Minho, together with the Portuguese University Sport Federation.

Present on behalf of EUSA was Executive Committee representative and Auditor Mr Hovhannes Gabrielyan together

with Futsal Technical Delegate Mr Tomasz Aftanski alongside Assistant Technical Delegate Mr Gerard Behan.

In the men's final, University of Malaga from Spain were crowned champions after their 5-1 victory over Karazin

Kharkiv National University from Ukraine.

It was a double victory for Spain as University of Murcia claimed the gold medal in the women's competition after a 3-1 win against Germany's University of Munster.



The women's Fair Play Award was given to University of Porto from Portugal, while the men's Fair-Play Award was won by Germany's University of Kiel.

The Best Goalkeeper Award was handed to Ana Garde from the University of Murcia in the women's competition, while University of Malaga's Gonzalo Ruiz picked up the same award in the men's event.

The Top Goal Scorer Award was won by Anna Shulla from National Pedagogical Dragomanov University in Ukraine, with Miguel Fernandez from Spain's University of Malaga scoring the most goals in the men's division.

The Most Valuable Player Award was won by University of Murcia's Elisabet Bonet, with Jvarashvili Vakhtangi from Tbilisi State University

in Georgia winning the prized accolade among the male participants.

Completing the All-Star Team in the female competition was Tomislava Matijevic from University of Zagreb in Croatia and Zaliia Gazimova from Ural Federal University in Russia, with Joao Abreu from University of Minho in Portugal and Yaroslav Lebid from Karazin Kharkiv National University in Ukraine making up the rest of the male All-Star Team.

The 13th edition of the European Universities Futsal Championship will take place in Split, Croatia, while the next EUSA Futsal competition will take place in Belgrade, Serbia at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games.

FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	University of Malaga	ESP
2	V. N. Karazin Kharkiv National University	UKR
3	University of Minho	POR
4	University of Jaen	ESP
5	Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University	GEO
6	Saint Petersburg ITMO University	RUS
7	Polytechnic Institute of Leiria	POR
8	University of Warsaw	POL
9	Lviv Polytechnic National University	UKR
10	University of Camerino	ITA
11	Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek	CRO
12	University of Reims Champagne Ardenne	FRA
13	University of Munster	GER
14	Norwegian School of Economics	NOR
15	College of Management Academic Studies	ISR
16	University of Coimbra	POR
17	University of Kiel	GER

WOMEN

1	University of Murcia	ESP
2	University of Munster	GER
3	National Pedagogical Dragomanov University	UKR
4	University of Zagreb	CRO
5	Ural Federal University	RUS
6	Norwegian University of Science and Technology	NOR
7	University of Rouen	FRA
8	University of Minho	POR
9	University of Evora	POR
10	University of Porto	POR
11	University of Evry Val d'Essonne	FRA



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

ANTEQUERA, SPAIN
JUNE 23-27, 2019

Eight men and eight women teams from 10 universities from six countries, making up 68 participants in total, descended upon Antequera in Spain for the 2019 European Universities Golf Championship.

The competition was organised by the Spanish University Sports Federation and the University of Malaga, with the contribution of the Spanish Royal Golf Federation and Antequera Municipality.

At the event EUSA was represented by Executive

Committee Member Mr Jean Francoise Sautereau and Golf Technical Delegate Mr Miha Kurner.

It was a clean sweep for the University of Stirling in the men's individual category, where Jordan Sundborg claimed gold as he carded 288, seven strokes

ahead of teammate Colin Edgar in second as Mark Napier, also from the University of Stirling, took the bronze medal.

The University of Stirling naturally claimed overall gold in the men's team tournament, with University of Malaga

in second and University of Navarra third.

University of Malaga's Esperanza Serrano claimed gold in the individual women's category, closely followed by Camille Tremoulet from the University of Toulouse 1 Capitole who bagged the silver medal, while Noemi Carpinelli from the Swiss University of St Gallen came third.

In the women's team category, the overall trophy was handed to the Abat Oliba CEU University, who ended one point ahead of second-placed Toulouse 1 Capitole as the University of Malaga claimed bronze.

Ferrara, Italy has been confirmed as hosts of the next European Universities Golf Championship, the 7th edition of the event.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	University of Stirling	GBR
2	University of Malaga	ESP
3	University of Navarra	ESP
3	Toulouse 1 Capitole University	FRA
5	University of Mannheim	GER
6	University of Algarve	POR
7	Karlsruhe Institute of Technology	GER
8	University of St Gallen	SUI

WOMEN

1	Abat Oliba CEU University	ESP
2	Toulouse 1 Capitole University	FRA
3	University of Malaga	ESP
4	University of St Gallen	SUI
5	University of Bourgogne	FRA
6	Karlsruhe Institute of Technology	GER
7	University of Algarve	POR
8	University of Navarra	ESP

INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

MEN'S SINGLES

Jordan Sundborg, University of Stirling	GBR
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WOMEN'S SINGLES

Esperanza Serrano Torres, University of Malaga	ESP
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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES HANDBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

BYDGOSZCZ, POLAND
JULY 4-10, 2019

A total of 350 participants from 22 teams representing 19 Universities from 11 different countries took part in the 10th edition of the European Universities Handball Championship in Bydgoszcz, Poland.

The competition was organised by the University Sports Association of Poland and Kazimierz Wielki University, with the contribution of the Polish Handball Federation.

EUSA Technical Delegate Ms Maria Carmen Manchado Lopez, Assistant Technical Delegate

Mr Leopold Kalin and Honorary member Mr Filipe Santos were present in Bydgoszcz on behalf of EUSA.

In the closely-contested men's final, it was the University of Granada from Spain who emerged triumphant, gaining revenge over German Sport

University Cologne who had beaten them earlier in the competition. The Spanish university this time made up for that loss by beating their German counterparts 24-21 to claim the gold medal.

Poland's Vincent Pol University in Lublin were a force in the



women's competition from the start, going unbeaten the entire competition before overcoming German rivals University of Hamburg 31-25 in the final. This is the fifth time in ten EUSA European Universities Handball Championships that Vincent Pol ended on top of the podium.

The Best Goalkeeper Awards were given to Victoria Nigbur (University of Hamburg, Germany) and Nils Thorben Schmidt (German Sport University Cologne).

The Top Scorer Award in the women's competition was handed to Ms Laura Pirello from Aix-Marseille University in France, while Oliver Martin Dasburg from Germany's University of Bochum top-scored in the men's event.

The MVP Awards were given to Joanna Szarawaga from Poland's Vincent Pol University

in Lublin and Jose Antonio Bravo Gomez from University of Granada in Spain respectively, while the Fair Play Awards were handed to the University of Valencia (ESP) in the women's competition, and University Union – Nikola Tesla (SRB) in the men's division.

The next EUSA Handball competition will take place at the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia, following which Podgorica in Montenegro will host the 11th edition of the European Universities Handball Championship.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	University of Granada	ESP
2	German Sport University Cologne	GER
3	University of Minho	POR
4	University of Rijeka	CRO
5	University of Bochum	GER
6	Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich	SUI
7	Stefan cel Mare University of Suceava	ROU
8	University of Porto	POR
9	University Union – Nikola Tesla	SRB
10	Akdeniz University	TUR
11	Norwegian University of Science and Technology	NOR

WOMEN

1	Vincent Pol University in Lublin	POL
2	University of Hamburg	GER
3	Aix-Marseille University	FRA
4	University of Porto	POR
5	University of Zagreb	CRO
6	University of Pitesti	ROU
7	University of Bochum	GER
8	University of Valencia	ESP
9	Maria Curie-Skłodowska University	POL
10	Norwegian University of Science and Technology	NOR
11	Kazimierz Wielki University in Bydgoszcz	POL



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES JUDO CHAMPIONSHIP ZAGREB, CROATIA JULY 31-AUGUST 3, 2019

The European Universities Judo Championship 2019 was held in Zagreb, Croatia as part of the very first edition of the EUSA Combat Championships where over 1300 participants from 404 different universities and 36 countries took part in the biggest European Universities Championship of the summer, which included four sports: Judo, Karate, Kickboxing and Taekwondo.

The Judo competition on its own attracted 300 participants from 125 different universities, hailing from 23 different countries.

The Croatian Academic Sports Association was the main

organiser of the event with support from the European Judo Union, combining with the City of Zagreb as an organisational partner.

In attendance on behalf of EUSA was Sports Manager Mr Besim Aliti as SCAC Chair, Judo Technical Delegate Mr Xavier Dung, Assistant Technical Delegate Ms Elisabetta Fratini



and Control Commission Chair Mr Piotr Marzsal.

Following four days of riveting action, it was the University of Strasbourg from France who emerged triumphant as the most successful university in the Judo competition, earning a total of six medals across all categories. Spain's University of Valencia finished second

overall, followed by Sunny State University from Ukraine in third.

Judo has once again been included on the sports programme at the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia, after which it will again form part of the EUSA Combat Championships, which will take place once more in the Croatian capital Zagreb.



MEDALLISTS

MIXED TEAM

1	University of Strasbourg	FRA
2	University of Valencia	ESP
3	Sumy State University	UKR

INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

MEN

-60 kg:	Raoul Theo, Paris Diderot University	FRA
-66 kg:	Zadrol Petar, University of Mostar	BIH
-73 kg:	Khomula Artem, Sumy State University	UKR
-81 kg:	Damian Szarnowiecki, University School of Physical Education in Wroclaw	POL
-90 kg:	Viktor Makukha, Kharkiv State Academy of Physical Culture	UKR
-100 kg:	Yevhen Veher, Yaroslav Mudryi National Law University	UKR
+100 kg:	Vasilije Vujicic, University of Banja Luka	BIH

WOMEN

-48 kg:	Catarina Costa, University of Coimbra	POR
-52 kg:	Anna Surova, University of Customs and Finance	UKR
-57 kg:	Maria Ruiz Muro, University of Valencia	ESP
-63 kg:	Sarai Padilla Guerrero, Francisco de Vitoria University	ESP
-70 kg:	Audrey Fels, Paris-Sud University	FRA
-78 kg:	Patricia Sampaio, Nova University of Lisbon	POR
+78 kg:	Emma Saudrais, University of Strasbourg	FRA



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP ZAGREB, CROATIA JULY 31-AUGUST 3, 2019

Forming part of the first EUSA Combat Championships, the 9th edition of the European Universities Karate Championship took place in the Croatian capital city of Zagreb.

The Combat Championships were made up of four sports, namely Judo, Karate, Kickboxing and Taekwondo, with over 1300 participants from 404 different universities and 36 countries taking part across all four competitions.

A total of 446 participants took part in the Karate Championship, hailing from 172 universities and 30 different countries, making it the biggest of the four Combat Sports at the Championship.

The Croatian Academic Sports Association was the main organiser of the event along with the City of Zagreb as an organisational partner, with support from the European Karate Federation as well.



Present on behalf of EUSA was Sports Manager Mr Besim Aliti as SCAC Chair and Karate Technical Delegate Mr Davor Cipek, Assistant Technical Delegate Mr Luka Pozgaj and EUSA Control Commission Chair Mr Piotr Marzsal.

At the end of the four days of highly competitive and intense match-ups, hosts University of Zagreb from Croatia grabbed top spot on the podium in the Mixed Team Competition, followed by North Macedonia's St Cyril and Methodius University of Skopje in second place and Istanbul Aydin University from Turkey in third.

Karate will appear for just the second time on the sports programme at the European

Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia, before once again forming part of the four sports at the EUSA Combat Championships, taking place once more in Zagreb, Croatia.

MEDALLISTS

MIXED TEAM

1	University of Zagreb	CRO
2	St Cyril and Methodius University of Skopje	MKD
3	Istanbul Aydin University	TUR

TEAM GOLD MEDALLISTS

KUMITE – MEN

National University of Ukraine on Physical Education and Sport	UKR
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KUMITE – WOMEN

Lviv State University of Physical Culture	UKR
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KATA – MEN

Istanbul Aydin University	TUR
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KATA – WOMEN

University of Malaga	ESP
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INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

KATA – MEN

Botond Nagy, Budapest University of Technology and Economics	HUN
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KUMITE – MEN

-60 kg: Xenos Christos Stefanos, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	GRE
-67 kg: Francesco D'onofrio, University of Rome	ITA
-75 kg: Dozic Mensur, University of Tuzla	BIH
-84 kg: Robin Rettenbacher, University of Salzburg	AUT
+84 kg: Karlo Raguz, University of Zagreb	CRO


KATA – WOMEN

Terryana Danofrio, University of Rome	ITA
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KUMITE – WOMEN

-50 kg: Jelena Pehar, University of Zagreb	CRO
-55 kg: Monika Burgerova, University of South Bohemia	CZE
-61 kg: Zenira Bektas, University of Sarajevo	BIH
-68 kg: Anita Tadic, University of Zagreb	CRO
+68 kg: Lucija Lesjak, University of Zagreb	CRO



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES KICKBOXING CHAMPIONSHIP

ZAGREB, CROATIA JULY 31-AUGUST 3, 2019

For the very first time, Kickboxing was included in the 2019 EUSA Championships, forming part of four sports making up the 2019 Combat Championships alongside Karate, Judo and Taekwondo, which took place in the Croatian capital Zagreb.

Over 1 300 participants were involved across all four sporting competitions, with Kickboxing contributing 237 participants from 101 universities and 20 different countries.

The main organiser of the event was the Croatian Academic Sports Association together with the City of Zagreb as an

organisational partner and WAKO European Kickboxing Federation providing additional support.

Present on behalf of EUSA was Executive Committee representative Ms Ivana Ertlova, Kickboxing Technical Delegate Mr Romeo Desa and EUSA Control Commission Chair Mr Piotr Marzsa.

At the end of the fourth day of action, it was the University of Physical Education from Hungary who emerged victorious with five gold medals as they took the honours in the mixed team competition.

Finishing behind the Hungarians was Charles University from the Czech Republic, Ukraine's



Ivano-Frankivsk College of Physical Education, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens in Greece and Ireland's Technological University Dublin, who all ended on the same amount of points.

Kickboxing will make its debut appearance at the European Universities Games in Belgrade,

Serbia, while it has also once again been included in the 2021 EUSA Combat Championships, taking place in Zagreb, Croatia.



MEDALLISTS

MIXED TEAM

1	University of Physical Education	HUN
2	Charles University	CZE
2	Ivano-Frankivsk College of Physical Education	UKR
2	National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	GRE
2	Technological University Dublin	IRL

MEN

LIGHT CONTACT (LC)

-63kg:	Lajos Imre Fesu, University of Physical Education	HUN
-74kg:	Marko Boichuk, Ivano-Frankivsk College of Physical Education	UKR
-84kg:	Danylo Demchyshyn, Lviv State University of Physical Culture	UKR
+84kg:	Balazs Vida, University of Physical Education	HUN

POINT FIGHTING (PF)

-63kg:	Sean Ryan, Technological University Dublin	IRL
-74kg:	Jordan White, Technological University Dublin	IRL
-84kg:	Prodomos Papadopoulos, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	GRE
+84kg:	Jeno Rehoncz, University of Physical Education	HUN

K1 RULES

-67kg:	Lubos Vanka, Charles University	CZE
-71kg:	Timur Gatin, Ufa State Aviation Technical University	RUS
-75kg:	Nikola Todorovic, University of Novi Sad	SRB
-81kg:	Oleksandr Pavliuk, National University of Shipbuilding named after Admiral Makarov	UKR
-86kg:	Vladimir Chobanu, Togliatti State University	RUS

WOMEN

LIGHT CONTACT (LC)

-55kg:	Tennessee Randall, Swansea University	GBR
-65kg:	Andrea Busa, University of Physical Education	HUN
+65kg:	Tereza Cvingerova, Charles University	CZE

POINT FIGHTING (PF)

-55kg:	Marietta Galanmati, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens	GRE
-65kg:	Andrea Busa, University of Physical Education	HUN
+65kg:	Henrietta Nagy, Budapest University of Technology and Economics	HUN

K1 RULES

-56kg:	Monika Chochlikova, Masaryk University in Brno	CZE
-60kg:	Lucia Cmarova, University of Presov	SVK
-65kg:	Alexandra Filipova, University of Economics in Prague	CZE



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIP OLOMOUC, CZECH REPUBLIC JULY 24-27, 2019

The very first European Universities Orienteering Championship took place in Olomouc, Czech Republic, with over 150 participants representing 50 universities from 19 countries taking part in the maiden edition of the event.

The beautiful historical area of Korunni Pevnostka warmly welcomed all the athletes, officials, organisers and friends of academic sports, who participated in the three-day event which comprised of three

separate races: sprint, middle distance and relay.

The competition was organised by Palacky University Olomouc together with the Czech Association of University Sports.

Present at the event on behalf of EUSA was EUSA Control Commission Chair Mr Piotr Marszał and Orienteering Technical Delegate Mr Dusan Vystavel.

Following the conclusion of all three competitions, it was Switzerland's Zurich University of Applied Sciences that earned the gold medal in the Mixed Team Competition, followed by the Czech Republic's University Palacky Olomouc in second. There was a three-way tie for third place, as Brno University of Technology from Czech Republic, Hungary's Budapest University of Technology and Economics and Latvian Academy of Sport Education from Latvia shared the bronze medal.

The second European Universities Orienteering Championship will take place in St Gallen, Switzerland, just after the very first Orienteering Competition at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia.



FINAL STANDINGS

MIXED TEAM

1	Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich	SUI
2	University Palacky Olomouc	CZE
3	Brno University of Technology	CZE
3	Budapest University of Technology and Economics	HUN
3	Latvian Academy of Sport Education	LAT

INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

SPRINT COMPETITION – MEN

Riccardo Rancan, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich	SUI
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MIDDLE DISTANCE COMPETITION – MEN

Petr Horvat, Brno University of Technology	CZE
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RELAY COMPETITION – MEN

Hellmuller & Schonleber, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich	SUI
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SPRINT COMPETITION – WOMEN

Tereza Janosikova, University Palacky Olomouc	CZE
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MIDDLE DISTANCE COMPETITION – WOMEN

Tereza Janosikova, University Palacky Olomouc	CZE
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RELAY COMPETITION – WOMEN

Muller & Stadler, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology in Zurich	SUI
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MIXED RELAY COMPETITION

Janosikova & Schuster, University Palacky Olomouc	CZE
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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES ROWING CHAMPIONSHIP

JONKOPING, SWEDEN
SEPTEMBER 4-7, 2019

The city of Jonkoping in Sweden hosted a EUSA Championship for the very first time, with a total of 504 participants from 82 universities and 22 different countries descending upon Lake Munksjon for the 2019 European Universities Rowing Championship, the 11th edition of this competition in the EUSA programme.



FINAL STANDINGS

MIXED TEAM

1	Szechenyi Istvan University	HUN
2	Reading University	GBR
2	University of Bochum	GER
2	University of Hannover	GER
2	University of Linz	AUT
2	Utrecht University	NED

MEN

M1x:	Queens University Belfast	GBR
LM1x:	University of Economy Bydgoszcz	POL
LM2x:	Tallinn University of Technology	EST
M2x:	Jonkoping University	SWE
LM2-:	University of Bochum	GER
M2-:	University of Stuttgart	GER
LM4x:	University of Lyon	FRA
M4x:	Reading University	GBR
LM4-:	Erasmus University Rotterdam	NED
M4-:	Szechenyi Istvan University	HUN
M8+:	Imperial College London	GBR

WOMEN

LW1x:	University of Bath	GBR
W1x:	University of Bochum	GER
LW2x:	Utrecht University	NED
W2x:	Estonian Academy of Security	EST
W2-:	Budapest University of Technology and Economics	HUN
LW4x:	Utrecht University	NED
W4x:	Reading University	GBR
W4-:	University of Linz	AUT
W8+:	University of Linz	AUT

The competition was organised by the Swedish University Sport Federation and Jonkoping University, with the contribution of Destination Jonkoping, Jonkoping and Huskvarna Rowing clubs, as well as the Jonkoping Municipality.

EUSA was represented at the event by EUSA Executive Committee representative Mr Francis Cirianni as well as Rowing Technical Delegate Mr Luka Grubor.

After three days of entertaining racing, Hungary's Szechenyi

Istvan University emerged victorious in the Mixed Team Competition, winning four medals in total across all divisions.

Five universities tied for second place overall, namely Reading University (GBR), University of Bochum (GER), University of Hannover (GER), University of Linz (AUT) and Utrecht University (NED).

The next rowing competition where student rowers can face each other on the water will take place in Belgrade, Serbia

during the European University Games. Thereafter, student rowers will head to Bydgoszcz in Poland, where the next European Universities Rowing Championship will be held.



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES TABLE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

CAMERINO, ITALY
JULY 15-20, 2019

Over 140 participants representing 27 universities from 14 countries took part in the 2019 European Universities Table Tennis Championship, which saw five days of riveting action taking place in the quaint Italian town of Camerino.

The Championship was organised by CUS Camerino and the University of Camerino, with 20 male teams and 11 female teams taking part.

Vice Chair of the EUSA Technical Commission Mr Andrzej Hrehorowicz was present in Italy on behalf of EUSA, along with Table Tennis Technical Delegate Mr Matija Krnc and Assistant Technical

Delegate Ms Ekaterina Ovsiannikova.

In the men's team competition, the title of champion went to the University of Nisantasi from Turkey who beat Magnitogorsk

State Technical University from Russia in the gold medal match.

Russia's Kazan Innovative University named after V.G. Timiryasov were the gold medallists in the women's team competition, beating Great Britain's University of Nottingham to the title.

In the men's doubles finals, Piotr Chodorski and Ihor Zavadskyi from Poland's State School of Higher Education in Zamosc earned top spot on the podium following their victory over Isakov Ilia and Shvets Kirill from Russia's Magnitogorsk University.

Russian duo Ekaterina Guseva and Ekaterina Cherniavskaia from Magnitogorsk University claimed the women's doubles title after defeating Carol Klara and Jazbec Ida from Croatia's University of Zagreb in the final.

In the men's singles finals, Ibrahim Gunduz from Nisantasi University in Turkey was named the overall champion after his win over Aleksandr Tiutriumov from Russia's Magnitogorsk University in the final, while Russia's Ekaterina Okhotnikova from Kazan Innovative University Named After V.G. Timiryasov claimed the women's title after beating her doubles partner Daria Shadrina in the final match.

The 10th edition of the European Universities Championship in Table Tennis will take place in Olomouc, Czech Republic, while Table Tennis players will also be able to showcase their skills at the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN'S TEAM

1	Nisantasi University	TUR
2	Magnitogorsk State Technical University	RUS
3	The State School of Higher Education in Zamosc	POL
3	Rzeszow University of Technology	POL

WOMEN'S TEAM

1	Kazan Innovative University named after V.G. Timiryasov	RUS
2	University of Nottingham	GBR
3	Magnitogorsk State Technical University	RUS
3	University of Zagreb	CRO

INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

MEN'S SINGLES

Ibrahim Gunduz, Nisantasi University	TUR
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WOMEN'S SINGLES

Ekaterina Okhotnikova, Kazan Innovative University named after V.G. Timiryasov	RUS
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MEN'S DOUBLES

Chodorski & Zavadskyi, The State School of Higher Education in Zamosc	POL
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WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Cherniavskaia & Guseva, Magnitogorsk State Technical University	RUS
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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

ZAGREB, CROATIA
JULY 31-AUGUST 3, 2019

Featuring for the sixth time at the EUSA Championships, the European Universities Taekwondo Championship 2019 was held in Zagreb, Croatia as part of the first edition of the EUSA Combat Championships which involved three other sports, including Judo, Karate and Kickboxing.



A total of 1300 participants from 404 different universities and 36 countries took part across all four sporting disciplines, with the Taekwondo competition made up of 253 participants from 113 universities in 18 different countries.

The Croatian Academic Sports Association was the main organiser of the event together with the City of Zagreb as an organisational partner, with support from World Taekwondo Europe.

In attendance on behalf of EUSA was Executive Committee Representative Ms Ivana Ertlova, Taekwondo Technical Delegate Mr Noor Shirali, Assistant Technical Delegate Ms Johanna Bliem and Control Commission Chair Mr Piotr Marzsal.

After four days of exhilarating action, Ukraine's National University of Ukraine in Physical Education and Sport emerged victorious in the Mixed Team Competition, earning three gold medals in total across all categories. Portugal's University of Minho ended second, with Kharkiv National Automobile and Highway University from Ukraine and Croatia's University of Zagreb finishing joint-third.

Taekwondo will next feature in a EUSA competition at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia, before once again forming part of the EUSA Combat Championships taking place in Zagreb, Croatia.

MEDALLISTS

MIXED TEAM

1	National University of Ukraine in Physical Education and Sport	UKR
2	University of Minho	POR
3	Kharkiv National Automobile and Highway University	UKR
3	University of Zagreb	CRO

INDIVIDUAL GOLD MEDALLISTS

FREE-STYLE POOMSAE – MEN

Mustafa Oguzhan Ornek, Gazi University	TUR
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RECOGNISED POOMSAE – MEN

Henry Chiu, Loughborough University	GBR
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KYORUGI – MEN

-54 kg: Ismael Illa-Salifou, University of Rennes 1	FRA
-58 kg: Adieni Bajrami, Mediterranean University of Albania	ALB
-63 kg: Valdet Allaraj, Mediterranean University of Albania	ALB
-68 kg: Dmytro Govorun, Kharkiv State Academy of Physical Culture	UKR
-74 kg: Vladyslav Yerko, National University of Ukraine on Physical Education and Sport	UKR
-80 kg: Denys Voronovskiy, Kharkiv National Automobile and Highway University	UKR
-87 kg: Andrii Harbar, Donbass State Engineering Academy	UKR
+87 kg: Chan Yong Yoon, University of Barcelona	ESP

FREESTYLE POOMSAE – WOMEN

Jessica Rau, University of Trier	GER
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RECOGNISED POOMSAE – WOMEN

Judit Lopez Blas, Autonomous University of Barcelona	ESP
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KYORUGI – WOMEN

-46 kg: Noelia Grau Baldovi, University of Valencia	ESP
-49 kg: Oleksandra Danshyna, Kharkiv National Automobile and Highway University	UKR
-53 kg: Viktoriia Sobko, National University of Ukraine on Physical Education and Sport	UKR
-57 kg: Joana Cunha, University of Minho	POR
-62 kg: Jone Magdaleno Albizu, University of Deusto	ESP
-67 kg: Sofia Cruz, University of Minho	POR
-73 kg: Iryna Pypot, National University of Ukraine on Physical Education and Sport	UKR
+73 kg: Sarah Di Sinno, University of Applied Sciences Düsseldorf	GER



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP PODGORICA, MONTENEGRO JULY 21-27, 2019

Over 130 participants representing 27 universities from 18 countries took part in the 2019 European Universities Tennis Championships, which took place in the capital city of Montenegro, Podgorica.

The competition was organised by the University of Donja Gorica, together with the Students Sports Association of Montenegro.

Present on behalf of EUSA at the competition was Vice President Mr Kemal Tamer along with EUSA Tennis

Technical Delegate Mr Daniel Studer and Assistant Technical Delegate Ms Anastasia Tsouroufli.

After six days of action on the clay courts in Podgorica, Kozminski University from Poland emerged victorious in the men's competition, edging

France's University of Lille to the title, with Istanbul Bilgi University from Turkey finishing third.

In the women's competition, Istanbul Aydin University from Turkey was awarded the gold medal following their victory over France's University of



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	Kozminski University	POL
2	University of Lille	FRA
3	Istanbul Bilgi University	TUR
4	Istanbul Aydin University	TUR
5	Financial University under the Government of the Russian Federation	RUS
6	University of Seville	ESP
7	University of Innsbruck	AUT
8	University of Mainz	GER
9	University of Stirling	GBR
10	University of Zurich	SUI
11	Ben-Gurion University of the Negev	ISR
12	University of Coimbra	POR
13	University of Bayreuth	GER
14	University of Genova	ITA
15	Nova University of Lisbon	POR
16	Sports University of Tirana	ALB
17	Norwegian School of Economics	NOR
18	National Technical University of Athens	GRE
19	University Donja Gorica	MNE
20	University of Montenegro	MNE

WOMEN

1	Istanbul Aydin University	TUR
2	University of Bordeaux	FRA
3	University of Grenoble Alpes	FRA
4	University of Stirling	GBR
5	Nova University of Lisbon	POR
6	University of Mainz	GER
7	Financial University under the Government of the Russian Federation	RUS
8	University of Seville	ESP
9	University of Innsbruck	AUT
10	Poznan University of Medical Sciences	POL
11	University of Bern	SUI
12	Near East University	EUSA
13	University of Zagreb	CRO
14	The Arctic University of Norway	NOR
15	University Donja Gorica	MNE

Bordeaux, with compatriots University of Grenoble Alpes claiming the bronze medal.

Tennis has been included as one of the 20 sporting disciplines at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia, following which Granada in Spain will play

host to the 13th edition of the European Universities Tennis Championships.



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

LODZ, POLAND
JULY 26 – AUGUST 2, 2019

The oldest event on the EUSA Championship programme, the European Universities Volleyball Championship, was in 2019 held in the Polish city of Lodz.



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	Beykent University	TUR
2	Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek	CRO
3	University of Montpellier	FRA
4	Moldova State University	MDA
5	Istanbul Aydin University	TUR
6	University of Bochum	GER
7	University of Bremen	GER
8	Lodz University of Technology	POL
9	University of Minho	POR
10	University of National and World Economy	BUL
11	University of Jyväskylä	FIN
12	Sogn og Fjordane University College	NOR
13	The West University of Timișoara	ROU
14	Ruppin Academic Center	ISR

WOMEN

1	University of Bologna	ITA
2	Istanbul Aydin University	TUR
3	University of Rijeka	CRO
4	University of Munster	GER
5	University of Valencia	ESP
6	University of Poitiers	FRA
7	University of Bordeaux	FRA
8	University of Bayreuth	GER
9	Petro Mohyla Black Sea National University	UKR
10	University of Turku	FIN
11	University of Helsinki	FIN
12	Lodz University of Technology	POL
13	University of Porto	POR
14	University of Cyprus	CYP
15	University of Bergen	NOR

A total of 405 participants representing 28 universities from 17 countries took part in the competition, hosted by the Lodz University of Technology and the Polish University Sports Association.

EUSA was represented at the event by Technical Commission Chair Mr Jorg Forster, Volleyball Technical Delegate Ms Ellen-Mari Burheim and Assistant Technical Delegate Mr Lars Rydland.

In the men's competition, Beykent University from Turkey were crowned champions after overcoming Croatia's Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek 3-0 in the final, with France's University of Montpellier ending the tournament in third place.

In the women's final, Italy's University of Bologna beat Turkey's Istanbul Aydin University 3-1 to end on top of the podium, with University of Rijeka from Croatia ending third.

Volleyball will feature for a fifth time at the European Universities Games as part of the sports programme for the fifth edition of the Games taking place in Belgrade, Serbia, following which Europe's best university Volleyball players will gather in Guimaraes, Portugal for the next edition of the European Universities Volleyball Championship.



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EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES WATER POLO CHAMPIONSHIP

KOPER, SLOVENIA
JULY 21-27, 2019

Taking place alongside the European Universities Beach Volleyball Championship, the very first edition of the European Universities Water Polo Championship took place in the coastal city of Koper in Slovenia.

After being included as a demonstrative sport at the European Universities Games 2016 in Zagreb/Rijeka, and following a solitary edition of the EUSA Water Polo Cup held in Koper, Slovenia in 2017, Water Polo was included as an official sport on the European

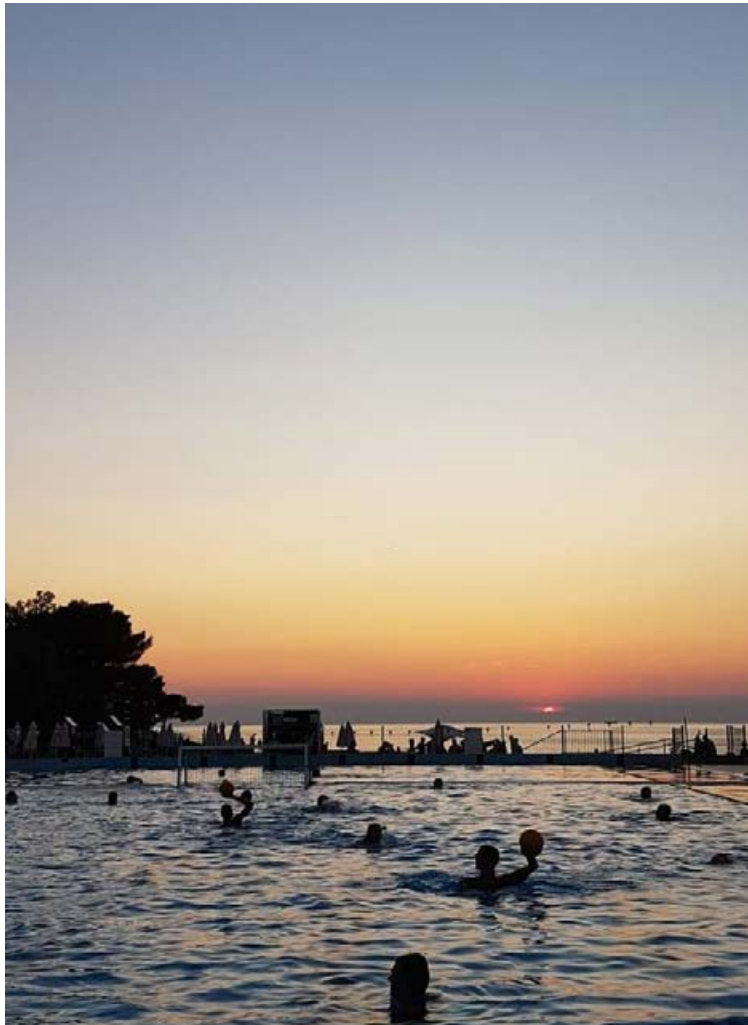
Universities Championships programme in 2019.

A total of 78 male participants from five universities and five different countries took part in the competition, organised by the Slovenian University Sports Association and the University Sports Association of Primorska,

with the contribution of the City of Koper Municipality.

Present in Koper on behalf of EUSA was Executive Committee Member Mr Bruno Barracosa as well as Water Polo Technical Delegate Mr Attila Marosvari.

Despite having just five teams in attendance, the competition was



FINAL STANDINGS

MEN

1	Lodz University of Technology	POL
2	Budapest Business School	HUN
3	Rhine-Westphalia Institute of Technology Aachen	GER
4	University of Primorska	SLO
5	St. Cyril and Methodius University of Skopje	MKD



fierce and ended with an upset as Poland's Lodz University of Technology beat favourites Budapest Business School from Hungary 12-9 in a high-quality and entertaining final, with Germany's Rhine-Westphalia Institute of Technology Aachen claiming the bronze medal.

Water Polo will feature for a second time at the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia ahead of the second edition of the European Universities Water Polo Championship taking place in Miskolc, Hungary.



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EUSA INSIDER

With over 5 000 participants involved in the 2019 European Universities Championships for the very first time, it is important for EUSA to learn the experiences and views of everyone participating in our competitions. EUSA Insider brings you stories from athletes, volunteers and organisers, providing insight into EUSA sports events and European university sport.

Participants in EUSA events come from all walks of life and hail from different countries, are of different ages, have different beliefs and different fields of study, but all have one thing in common: a love for sport. For the past three years, EUSA has gathered and shared the stories of student-athletes, volunteers and organisers involved in our events, revealing their personal sporting journeys and experiences in our events, as well as their views on the university sports scene.

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Mariana Bonito, 23
3x3 Basketball
University of Aveiro (POR)

"Have fun, enjoy the game you love, meet different people and experience different cultures."



Andy Lee, 23
Volunteer
University of Bath (GBR)

"Comprehensive support, international exploration and work with enjoyment and fun are the solid reasons to volunteer at EUSA events."



Ronja Stern, 22
Badminton
University of Bern (SUI)

"When do you get the chance to travel Europe in an amazing team and do what you love most?"



David Lescano, 19
Judo
Ramon Llull University (ESP)

"What I enjoyed the most was the brilliant atmosphere between teams."



Eva Pfeffer, 21
Beach Volleyball
University of Vienna (AUT)

"Enjoy your student life and take up the chance of being part of such events like EUSA competitions."



Tigran Petrosyan, 25
Chess
Armenian State University of Economics (ARM)

"Respect each other, learn from each other and have fun together."



Mirjam Sipos
Event Organiser
Jonkoping University (SWE)

"Hosting a EUSA event is a great stepping stone for any university."



Luis Mendes, 24
Futsal
University of Minho (POR)

"The moments, the stories inside and outside the pitch will be in my memory forever."





03

ENDORSED EVENTS

EUSA also endorses other sporting events across the continent, granting its patronage to already-established university sport competitions across Europe to help increase the promotion and exposure of such events.



FRIENDSHIP GAMES 2019

EILAT, ISRAEL

JUNE 12-18, 2019

The southern Israeli port town of Eilat was once again the host of the successful 14th edition of the annual Friendship Games, which was held between June 12-18, 2019.

The Friendship Games is an international basketball tournament that brings teams from all over the world together, with emphasis on countries that have ongoing conflict between them.

Once again, the event proved that through sport it is possible to unite students from different cultural and religious backgrounds, with participants at the 2019 competition including teams from Europe, the Middle East and Asia.

In total, 16 teams in both the men's and women's competition were present, including participants from Jordan, Poland, Russia, England, Ukraine, Lithuania, Portugal and Ireland, as well as teams representing The Palestinian Authority, Israeli Arabs and Jews.

Long-lasting friendships were formed over the week-long tournament, as students were able to learn from each other and share their different cultural

backgrounds. A number of social events also took place over the Games, including an emotional visit to the Holy City of Jerusalem.

Ukraine's Lviv State University of Physical Culture were the overall winners in the female competition, while Lithuanian Sports University from Lithuania emerged victorious in the men's competition.

The Friendship Games are held under the patronage of both the European University Sports

Association (EUSA) and the International University Sports Federation (FISU).



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SELL GAMES 2019

KAUNAS, LITHUANIA

MAY 17-19, 2019

More than 1 300 students from 48 universities in seven different countries took part in the 2019 edition of the annual SELL Games, organised under the patronage of EUSA.

The SELL Games is an international sports competition for students, with its roots going back to the year 1923 when the first International Regional Student Sports competitions were organised in Tartu and then later became known as the SELL Games. Each year one of the four host countries – Finland (Suomi), Estonia (Eesti), Latvia (Latvija), Lithuania (Lietuva), making up the event's name SELL – take turns to organise the SELL Student Games.

The 2019 edition was hosted in the Lithuanian city of Kaunas, marking the 35th edition of the

event which attracted over 1 300 students from seven different countries, namely Estonia, Finland, Latvia, Lithuania, Russia, Poland and China.

Under the slogan "One Game – One Heart", the Games were organised by the Lithuanian Students Sports Association (LSSA), under the patronage of the International University Sports Federation (FISU) and the European University Sports Association (EUSA), which was represented at the event by President Mr Adam Roczek.

Students competed in 13 different disciplines, including Track and Field, Basketball, Rugby 7s, Mini Football, Volleyball, Swimming, Powerlifting, Table Tennis, Judo, Badminton, Orienteering, Wrestling (Greco-Roman) and Chess.

After three days of fun-filled sporting action, it was the Lithuanian Sports University who emerged as overall victors, winning 19 gold medals, 19 silver and 17 bronze medals in total. Second spot was taken by the China University of Geosciences with seven gold,

two silver and two bronze medals, while Vilnius University ended third with six gold, seven silver and nine bronze medals.



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CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

As much as University Sport is about the action during competitions, EUSA places equal emphasis on the educational aspect of such events, regularly organising meetings, seminars and conventions to promote transparency, networking, knowledge sharing and constant progress.



EUSA CONFERENCE 2019 AVEIRO, PORTUGAL SEPTEMBER 26, 2019

The 2019 EUSA Conference was held at the University of Aveiro in Portugal, and brought together some of the wisest minds and highest authorities in European University Sport.

Held at the University of Aveiro on September 26 and organised in conjunction with Portuguese University Sport Federation FADU, the Conference gathered EUSA's member associations, partners, invited guests, speakers and local university authorities to discuss various topics regarding university sport, its challenges and future plans.

Over 150 participants from all over Europe, as well as guests from visiting countries and continents, were in attendance

at the event, which coincided with the 20th anniversary of the European University Sport Association.

Following the welcome addresses from University of Aveiro Rector Mr Paulo Jorge Ferreira, EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek and FADU President Mr Daniel Monteiro, the Conference began in earnest with a round table regarding good governance in sport, moderated by EUSA Executive Committee Member Mr Bruno Barracosa.

Speakers Mr Joao Gabriel Silva, the former Rector of the University of Coimbra, EUSA Honorary Member Mr Olaf Tabor, EUSA Student Commission Chair Ms Anna Edes and Senior Advisor at Cross Culture Project Association Mr Jens Nymand Christensen shared their insight, experiences and valuable tips regarding good governance, while taking on questions from the audience as well.

This round table was preceded by an engaging discussion



about female leadership in sport, moderated by EUSA Treasurer Mr Lorenz Ursprung. The speakers included Chair of Women in Football Ms Ebru Koksall, Auditor of the Swedish Sports Confederation Ms Kristina Thuree, President of the Swedish University Sports Federation Mr Sture Espwall and President of the Latvian University Sports Federation Ms Agita Abele, who shared a number of good examples of women in their associations, including themselves, taking up positions of leadership while also posing challenging questions about the difficulties

faced by women in sport across the continent.

The afternoon session brought together some of the most experienced heads as FISU First Vice-President Mr Leonz Eder moderated a roundtable discussion including Mr Matytsin, Mr Roczek, Mr Monteiro and EUSA Honorary Member Ms Alison Odell who reflected on the past 20 years of EUSA so far, its growth, improvements, milestones as well as future focus.

The final session was conducted by EUSA Treasurer Mr Ursprung,

who presented the association's development strategy for the next five years.

Mr Milan Zvan, Chair of EUSA's Education Commission, concluded the day's packed agenda by summing up the Conference programme and sharing his final remarks.



EUSA EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL ASSEMBLY AVEIRO, PORTUGAL SEPTEMBER 27, 2019

The 2019 EUSA Extraordinary General Assembly was held on Friday, September 27 in Aveiro, Portugal, hosted by the Portuguese Academic Federation of University Sport (FADU) at the University of Aveiro.

Following the strategic goals of the organisation, the main aim of the assembly was to adopt changes to the EUSA Statutes and regulations. The modifications came as a result

of discussions with members and partner organisations over the previous years, in line with recently-made changes to the International University Sport Federation Statutes, and follow

recommendations and good practices promoted at global level by FISU and at continental level by the European Commission and European Council.

Participants were first welcomed by EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek and on behalf of the hosts by FADU President Mr Daniel Monteiro.

A special welcome address was given by the President of the International University Sports Federation (FISU) Mr Oleg Matytsin, who praised EUSA on their many achievements and congratulated the organisation at the occasion of the 20th anniversary.

The audience was also addressed by the representatives of other partner organisations: on behalf of the Asian University Sport Federation (AUSF) its Vice-Secretary Mr Zhen Shen, on behalf of the European Fair Play Movement (EPPM) its President Mr Christian Hinterberger and

on behalf of the European Non-Governmental Sports Organisation (ENGSO) its President Mr Stefan Bergh.

The Assembly was chaired by EUSA Executive member Mr Bruno Barracosa who led proceedings while steering members and guests through the agenda.

EUSA members confirmed the proposal to update the organisation's Statutes and Internal Regulations, in order to increase representation and stability, as well as ensure and promote participation of both genders within EUSA governing bodies, clearly define the rights and duties of the members and strengthen the legal frame of EUSA operations. The Assembly also approved the proposal on honorary distinction.

Due to the resignation of an Executive Committee member, an election for a substitute Executive Committee Member took place, with Mr Jorg Forster from Germany elected as Executive Committee member for the current mandate.

The event concluded with the presentation of the next regular General Assembly which will be held in October 2020. The newly-elected President of the Armenian Student Sports Federation (ARMSSF) Mr Hovhannes Gabrielyan invited everyone to Yerevan for the electoral General Assembly, taking place in October 2020.





EUSA GALA AVEIRO, PORTUGAL SEPTEMBER 27, 2019

Following the culmination of the 2019 EUSA Extraordinary General Assembly, the magnificent Teatro Aveirense in the picturesque city of Aveiro, Portugal played host to an entertaining annual EUSA Awards Ceremony on Friday, September 27.

Organised by EUSA in conjunction with hosts FADU – the Portuguese University Sport Federation – the prestigious event served to recognise the stand-out achievements of individuals, universities and associations who excelled in EUSA events over 2018.

With the occasion marking the 20th anniversary of EUSA, there were also special awards given to those who had particularly excelled over the past decade.

Over 150 participants were present at the beautifully-decorated Teatro Aveirense including EUSA's member

associations, partners, invited guests and local university authorities, many of whom had been part of the EUSA Extraordinary General Assembly earlier in the day.

The first award of the evening was the most successful National University Sports Association (NUSA) award, which was handed to the French University Sport Federation for the results achieved by their universities at the 2018 European Universities Games. Mr Jean-Francois Sautereau, French University Sport Federation President, was in attendance to receive the award.

The next award was handed to FADU, the Portuguese Academic Federation of University Sport, who were recognised as the Most Active NUSA for 2018 following their organisation of the 2018 European Universities Games in Coimbra, with FADU Portugal President Mr Daniel Monteiro receiving the award.

Based on the sports achievements and results achieved at the 2018 European Universities Games, the University of Coimbra from Portugal won the Best University Award for 2018, with the vice-rector of the University of Coimbra Mr Antonio



Figueiredo and the president of the Academic Association of Coimbra Mr Daniel Azenha both picking up the accolade.

Mr Figueiredo and Mr Azenha were both soon on stage once more after the University of Coimbra was named the Most Active University of 2018 for their participation in the 2018 Games.

The next award given on the night was the Enno Harms Fair Play Award, given for a fair play gesture or situation during a EUSA sporting event which stood out above the rest. For their selflessness at the 2018 Games, the Red Cross were named the worthy recipients of this award, with Coimbra Red Cross representative Mr Goncalo Orfao receiving the accolade.

A Special Acknowledgement Award was then handed to Mr Ricardo Morgado, a member of the European Universities Games 2018 Organising Committee, for the organisation's dedication and success in hosting the Games in Coimbra.

Four Order of Merits were then awarded to three individuals and one institution who,

through their involvement and commitment, gave significant contribution to the development and promotion of university sport in Europe in 2018.

Two award winners were recognised in absentia, including Mr Janez Kocijancic, President of the European Olympic Committees and Mr Yves Le Lostecque, Head of the European Commission's Sport Unit, while former Rector of the University of Coimbra Mr Joao Gabriel Silva and President of the Academic Association of Coimbra Mr Amilcar Falcao, on behalf of the University of Coimbra, were present to receive their awards.

The three biggest awards of the night were saved for last: the awards for those who had especially excelled over the previous decade, from 2009-2019.

EUSA's Most Successful NUSA over the last 10-year period, based on most points received for their activity, including organisation, participation and success, was a final showdown between the French University Sport Federation (FFSU), German University Sports Federation (ADH) and Portuguese Academic

Federation of University Sport (FADU), with the German University Sports Federation being named the eventual winner.

University of Coimbra, University of Minho (Portugal) and University of Zagreb (Croatia) were all in line for EUSA's Best University Award, based on the final standings and in accordance with the EUSA points system, over the past ten years, and in the end, the University of Minho was named the winner.

The final award of the evening was a special Order of Merit given to an individual who has shown extraordinary support and unmatched devotion to university sport over the past decade, with FISU President Mr Oleg Matytsin the worthy recipient of this award.

A number of traditional cultural and magical performances and dances were included in the evening's proceedings, adding to the night's entertainment.

A gala dinner at the University of Aveiro concluded the evening, making it a truly memorable and enjoyable EUSA 20-year celebration.





FISU-EUSA SEMINAR KRANJSKA GORA, SLOVENIA APRIL 11-14, 2019

The very first edition of the FISU-EUSA Seminar took place in Kranjska Gora, Slovenia in mid-April and proved to be a resounding success, with the two well-established organisations continuing to strengthen their ties for the betterment of university sport.

With the picturesque snow-capped mountains as its backdrop, the Seminar was the first meeting of its kind, as representatives from the Federation of International University Sport (FISU), including FISU First Vice-President Mr Leonz Eder, gathered together with the majority of European University Sports Association (EUSA) members and staff to discuss and converse over a wide variety of topics in relation to university sport.

EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek opened the first afternoon's proceedings, followed by an opening address from Mr Eder, before distinguished guest Mr Shen Zhen, Vice Secretary General of the Asian University Sports Federation (AUSF), shared the activities of FISU's Asian member. Mr Eder then continued the day's programme with a presentation of FISU's strategy and activities, followed by EUSA Secretary General Mr

Matjaz Pecovnik's presentation of EUSA's activities and projects.

The first day concluded with a roundtable discussion regarding the legacy of university sports events and the impact they have had, and can have, on host cities.

The following day began with various presentations regarding funding opportunities in university sport, where the Development Programmes of both FISU and EUSA

were presented. Thereafter the audience heard various presentations regarding non-financial support services, and on both occasions, the audience was divided into smaller groups to further discuss and then share their observations and opinions on the presented topics.

Two separate workshops kicked off proceedings in the afternoon, where those in attendance chose between presentations addressing either volunteering or social responsibility through sport, and again smaller groups were formed to discuss and expand on the topics further.

In line with the European #BeActive campaign, seminar

attendees spent the rest of the afternoon at a local gymnasium where fun-filled games of basketball and volleyball were played.

The final day began with a panel discussion regarding management of university sport events, where various case studies from previous events were presented by relevant organising committee members.

The final session of the Seminar took place in the form of two parallel workshops: one discussed the ideas and plans for IDUS (International Day of University Sport) 2019, while the other discussed media coverage at university sport

events, where a number of good practise examples were shared.

Concluding remarks were then given by Mr Eder and Mr Pecovnik, where it was agreed that many positive outcomes were reached at the Seminar, which should take place on a more regular basis.

Attendees were then all transported to Slovenia's capital Ljubljana to visit the EUSA Office and be present for the official opening of a new office, a recent expansion to EUSA's existing office space, following which time was given to explore central Ljubljana before a farewell dinner.

All in all, the FISU-EUSA Seminar received numerous positive remarks as those in attendance were able to network, strengthen ties, exchange ideas and knowledge and learn from some of the most experienced minds in each organisation, all while striving to continue their best efforts for the growth of university sport as a whole.



EUSA CONVENTION BELGRADE, SERBIA MAY 30-JUNE 1, 2019

In preparation for the next edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, the local organising committee welcomed more than 80 participants to the EUSA EUG2020 Belgrade Convention in Serbia between May 30 and June 1, 2019.

EUSA's Technical Commission, EUSA Office Staff, the EUG2020 Organising Committee and representatives from Serbia's National and Regional Sport Federations all came together to prepare for this major university sports event.

The convention participants were welcomed by OC General Director Mr Predrag Juskovic, University Sport Federation of Serbia (USSS) President Mr Dejan Madic, and EUSA Technical Commission Chair Mr Jorg Forster.

Providing an introduction to the governing body of university sport in Europe, EUSA Sports Manager Mr Besim Aliti took to the stage before Mr Sandro Romanic, OC Accommodation and Catering Director presented the Organising Committee to the audience.

Mr Aliti returned to the stage to focus on the operational aspects of managing EUSA sport events, inviting Mr Liam Smith, EUSA Assistant Sports Manager, to discuss result management and live streaming.

Following a short break, EUSA Sports Assistant Ms Lea Medvesek presented the registration and accreditation system, process and related practicalities.

Ms Ana Todoric, OC Sports Director presented the proposed sport programme, as well as the steps taken so far in the sports sector. Closely linked to the sports sector, Mr Akim Komnenic, OC Venue Director, then discussed the proposed venues for the different sports.

Expert guest speaker Mr Neil Carney then spoke about event





management, and the need to create a positive working culture in the organising committee.

Mr Jorg Forster presented the role of the EUSA Technical Delegates and emphasised the need for open communication with all involved stakeholders.

To finish the first day, a Panel Discussion was organised, moderated by Mr Smith. Guests Mr Carney, Mr Forster, Mr Aliti and Ms Todoric touched on many relevant topics such as volunteer management and how to engage the local community in the event.

The audience was also able to take part in the discussion, raising various questions ranging from ensuring participation to the future of sport.

On the second day of the event, the EUSA technical delegates and representatives from Serbia's National and Regional Sport Federations had the opportunity to visit

the respective proposed sport venues.

The technical delegates had a chance to share their evaluation of the sport venues, including the renovations that were needed to improve certain venues so that they were in line with EUSA standards.

The Convention was part of the knowledge sharing process within the Supporting Mobility and Good Practice Exchange in University Sport, supported by the European Union.



EUSA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The elected EUSA Executive Committee, who are responsible for the good governance of the organisation and implementation of decisions taken by the General Assembly, met on four separate occasions over 2019 to discuss and review the work done by the association while ensuring its continued progression.

Antalya, Turkey March 29-30, 2019

EUSA's Executive Committee members and invited guests met in Antalya, Turkey in March for the first official meeting of the year, hosted by the Turkish University Sports Federation (TUSF).

The participants were welcomed on behalf of the local hosts by TUSF President Mr Kemal Tamer, Vice-President Mr Mehmet Gunay, Secretary General Erdogan Celebi and their team. On behalf of the Executive Committee, EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek thanked the hosts for the hospitality and warm welcome and presented them a commemorative plaque.

Executive Committee members first acquainted themselves with the reports of the EUSA Office and Institute, presented by EUSA Secretary General Mr Matjaz Pecovnik and financial report by EUSA Treasurer Mr Lorenz Ursprung.

The past and future editions of the EUSA Sports events – Championships and Games – were discussed next. The Organising Committee of the upcoming European Universities Games Belgrade attended the meeting, presented the progress report and upcoming

plans. Their delegation was led by Director of the EUG2020 Mr Predrag Juskovic, and the meeting was also attended by the new President of the Serbian University Sport Federation (USSS) Mr Dejan Madic, Rector of the University of Belgrade Ms Ivanka Popovic and supporting staff.

Executive Committee members were then acquainted with the progress report of the 2019 European Universities Championships, while EUSA endorsed events and FISU University Cups were also discussed.

Participants then received an update on the preparations for the year's educational events and meetings, including the FISU-EUSA Seminar, EUSA Conference, General Assembly and Anniversary Gala, as well as the 2020 General Assembly.

Projects and initiatives supported by the International University Sports Federation (FISU) and the European Union through Erasmus+ programme were then presented, as well as several other projects in the field of promotion of education in and through sport with special focus on skills development, dual career, social inclusion and equal opportunities in sport.

Reports of the EUSA commissions were then presented by their chairs and secretaries – Student, Technical, Equal Opportunities, Education, Media and Communications, Finance and Marketing; reflecting also on the measurements of the EUSA development strategy and internal regulations. Updates from member federations, FISU and continental federations, as well as partner and other organisations were also given to conclude the two-day meeting before a sightseeing trip of Antalya, where participants had the opportunity to experience traditional Turkish hospitality, culture and cuisine.

Naples, Italy July 4, 2019

At the occasion of the 30th FISU Summer Universiade which took place in Italy, the EUSA Executive Committee convened an extraordinary meeting on July 4, 2019 in Naples.

The Executive Committee members discussed the proposals for modification of the EUSA Statutes to be in line with the EUSA Development Strategy adopted the previous year.

The proposals, together with various other decisions taken in connection with the operation of the association, were then presented during the EUSA Extraordinary General Assembly in September, where the year's third EUSA Executive Committee meeting was held in Aveiro, Portugal.

Aveiro, Portugal September 26, 2019

At the occasion of EUSA's 20th anniversary celebrations in Aveiro, Portugal, a brief Executive Committee meeting

was held prior to the following day's EUSA Conference and General Assembly.

The Executive Committee discussed a number of internal matters while finalising points of discussion ahead of the Extraordinary General Assembly taking place in Aveiro.

Ljubljana, Slovenia November 29-30, 2019

The EUSA Executive Committee's final meeting of 2019 was held in Ljubljana, Slovenia on November 29 and 30.

Apart from the members of the Executive Committee and EUSA staff, representatives from the European Universities Games Belgrade Organising Committee were also invited to the meeting.

The meeting started with a welcome address from EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek and EUSA Secretary General Mr Matjaz Pecovnik, followed by a general report of activities from the previous meeting.

The very successful season of the 2019 European Universities Championships was presented next, with the evaluation of each event, presentation of the statistics, discussing also disciplinary matters, as well as awards. A presentation of FISU World University Leagues and Cups was made, reporting on the successful 3x3 event in Xiamen, as well as the Football event in Jiniang. Other EUSA endorsed events, held under the patronage of the organisation, were also discussed.

FISU-supported projects and projects supported by the European Union were presented as well. EUSA and its Institute are very active also in the fields where social





responsibility and other values are addressed in and through sport, namely the topics of dual career, social inclusion and equal opportunities, skills development, anti-doping, good governance and volunteering – supported by the Erasmus+ programme of the European Union, as well as activities and projects supported by European Solidarity Corps and Mobility in Sport as preparatory actions.

On the topic of conferences and meetings, the past EUSA Conference, Extraordinary General Assembly, Awards Ceremony and Gala 2019 were discussed, evaluated as very successful and thanks were again expressed to FADU,

University of Aveiro and the city for hosting the main EUSA anniversary events. Executive Committee members also got acquainted with the planned upcoming meetings, as well as the 2020 General Assembly which will be held in Yerevan, Armenia.

A presentation on international cooperation covered updates from EUSA member associations, FISU and other continental federations, as well as partner and other organisations. Chairs and secretaries of the EUSA Commissions presented their activity reports and plans including the Student, Technical, Equal Opportunities, Education,

Media and Communications and Finance and Marketing Commissions.

Addressing future sports events, the Executive Committee discussed the European Universities Championships for 2021 and attributed Handball to Podgorica, Montenegro – adding it to the list of previously attributed events. General progress reports for the European Universities Games 2022 and 2024 were also discussed, while the upcoming European Universities Games Belgrade was discussed in more detail.

The delegation from Belgrade, composed of Director Mr

Predrag Juskovic, Deputy Director Ms Anita Dobre, Project Manager Mr Dragan Atanasov and Head of Sport Department Ms Ana Todoric, presented in detail the activities and plans for the upcoming period.

Following the EUSA Supervision Commission's recent visit to Belgrade, special emphasis was focused on the feedback from these meetings, with great satisfaction expressed over the preparations for EUG2020.



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PROJECTS

Looking to not only have an impact through sport, EUSA is involved in various projects and initiatives, engaging with different organisations to promote university sport values and provide equal opportunities and educational activities through an array of different programmes.

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SPORTS FOR ALL

EUSA continually pushes for equality, respect and full inclusion of student athletes with disabilities in sport, while simultaneously promoting the spirit of fair play at all our events.

Gender

All EUSA's sporting events are inclusive of all genders, something the association is extremely proud of, yet when reflecting upon the statistics of event participants from the European Universities Championships 2019, male participants are still outnumbering female participants 59%-41%. Although this ratio has improved over the years, EUSA acknowledges that more needs to be done as we strive to continue on the road towards a more balanced participation of male and female participants at future events.

Socio-Economic Status

One of the aims of EUSA is to strengthen and support its member federations, the national university sport bodies in Europe. EUSA links 46 national university sports bodies across the continent, so the organisation and conditions of

each of our members are very diverse. Recognising that not all EUSA members have the same funding opportunities, a development fund was launched, aiming at developing and strengthening university sport throughout Europe. With the support of the Club of Donors, we were able to secure a special development fund for 2019 and were able to assist EUSA members, primarily those with little or no participation in EUSA events over the past four years. Similar provisions will be made for participants at the 2020 European Universities Games who require financial assistance.

Disabilities

Since the inclusion of athletes with disabilities for the first time at the European Universities Games 2016, EUSA has continued to search for ways to be more inclusive in our events. Following the inclusion

of Para Table Tennis at the last European Universities Games in 2018, EUSA has together with the local organisers included Para Table Tennis again onto the schedule for the next edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia.

EUSA recognises that European university sport can still make vast improvements regarding the inclusion of all students into sports, along with everyday physical activity, and with the support of the European Paralympic Committee as our partner, we believe we will make continued progress in future.

Fair Play

With the European Fair Play Movement (EFPM) as our partner, EUSA strongly promotes the spirit of fair play at all our events. Its values are deeply embedded in EUSA and we have emphasised the importance of sportsmanship

and a positive approach to sport across our 20 years of existence.

EUSA has always awarded exemplary behaviour on the sport field and will continue with the same practice in the future, with the ultimate goal of introducing a "Fair Play Card" into various sports.

The fair play initiative was strongly encouraged at all EUSA's sporting championships in 2019, and apart from having positive messages involving fair play oaths read by athletes and referees at all sports events, EUSA also annually attributes the Enno Harms Fair Play Award to showcase the noble gestures present in European university sport.

EUSA INTERNATIONAL VOLUNTEER PROGRAMME

Through the work of the EUSA Student Commission, the Organising Committees of EUSA events, and with the support from the International University Sports Federation (FISU), EUSA was able to offer students from around Europe a unique opportunity to participate as part of the organisation of EUSA events as international EUSA volunteers.

Throughout the summer of 2019, international volunteers were present across the 21 EUSA European Universities Championships, assisting the local organising teams and the local volunteers. The main aim of the volunteer programme is to give students who are interested in sports and in organising sport events the chance to experience a unique adventure, to meet new people from different countries, learn about the values of sport, and gain valuable work experience through volunteering.

The programme includes working areas within the fields of media, communication, transport, accommodation and of course in sports venues, all the while assisting organisers, referees and the participants themselves. All this in the context of an international sport event, where the volunteers are able to network and improve their future opportunities through like-minded people as well as having an enjoyable time! The only thing the volunteers have to organise is their travel to and from

the official airport/station of the event. From there, local organisers will provide internal transport, full accommodation and meals for the duration of the event, and along with having an amazing time at the event, the organisers will provide them with a certificate indicating the working position and hours.

We are once again looking for local, national, and international volunteers in 2020 and 2021. Potential volunteers are encouraged to register their interest online. If you are unsure

about applying, we urge you to check out EUSA Insider on <https://www.eusa.eu/media/eusa-insider> where you can hear about the student experiences from the international volunteer programme in 2019.



PLEASE SEE
[eusa.eu/projects/eusa-volunteer-programme](https://www.eusa.eu/projects/eusa-volunteer-programme)
for more information



EUSA EXHIBITION

EUSA launched an exhibition on university sport in Europe in 2014. The project, supported by the International University Sport Federation (FISU), enables an overview of the development of university sport, with a special focus on the European context.

After recently being updated, the exhibition now includes new information and photos, and features seven stand-alone panels in the form of towers, grouping the contents according to topics: University Sport in Europe, European University Sports Association, European Universities Championships, European Universities Games, Education and Social Responsibility, Honouring the Best and Partnerships and Future Programme.

Officially launched and opened during the European Universities Games Rotterdam 2014 and hosted at the premises of the Erasmus University Rotterdam, the exhibition has travelled extensively around Europe during its five years

of existence, visiting Austria, Croatia, Estonia, Germany, Italy, Lithuania, Poland, Portugal, Slovenia and Switzerland. The exhibition has also been on display during various FISU events including the Universiade in Gwangju, Korea and the General Assembly in Lausanne, Switzerland.

In 2019, the exhibition made its way to Lodz, Poland, where it was on display for the duration of both the European Universities Badminton and Volleyball Championships in the city, allowing all 510 participants from both competitions to learn more about EUSA's history, legacy, projects and impact in the field of university sport.

Thereafter the exhibition was set up at the University of Aveiro at the occasion of the EUSA Conference and Extraordinary General Assembly 2019, where the over 150 guests and participants at the event were able to browse over the informative panels.

The exhibition's final appearance of the year was at the 2019 EUSA Dinner held in Ljubljana, Slovenia, an occasion during which special appreciation awards were handed to local institutions and individuals who significantly contributed to the development and growth of EUSA.

The exhibition has been present at each edition of the European Universities Games since 2014,

and the upcoming Games in Belgrade will be no exception, where it will remain available for viewing by participants, guests and spectators for the duration of the event.

As a travelling exhibition, the EUSA exhibition can also be requested for display at universities, university sports events and at other sporting occasions in Europe. Please contact the EUSA Office if you are interested in hosting the exhibition.



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EUSA CLUB OF DONORS

EUSA works closely together with its member associations, offering the possibility of financial support to active members who are still developing, with special focus given to aid participation of university teams and single student athletes from these countries at EUSA events.

In order to allow us to continuously support our activities and programmes for EUSA members from developing countries, we need to raise additional funds. That is why we decided to establish the Club of Donors, with the aim of supporting dedicated projects that will enable further development of university sport in Europe.

With this goal in mind, we kindly ask all friends of the university sport movement to join the Club of Donors. All members of the

Club of Donors regularly receive EUSA publications as well as invitations to EUSA events.

Donations of any amount are appreciated, but to officially become a member of the EUSA Club of Donors, a minimum annual contribution of €100 for individuals and €500 for institutions is required.

The Club of Donors contributes to our development fund which over the last decade has made over 100.000 EUR of funding

available, supporting 5-10 members annually.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our donors for their support that has helped us move the university sport field forward!



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EUSA AWARDS

EUSA awards officially recognise excellence in the field of university sport over the previous year in the areas of sporting performance, participation, sport development, lifelong dedication, fair play, inclusion and many, many more.

Attributed to individuals, universities and institutions of higher education, EUSA member associations and other organisations, the awards allow for public recognition of their contribution and efforts.

In addition to the annual categories below, the 2019 EUSA Awards Ceremony, which took place in Aveiro, Portugal following the 2019 EUSA Conference and Extraordinary general Assembly, included a number of special awards given to those who particularly excelled and contributed to European university sport over the past decade.

At a separate awards ceremony at the EUSA Dinner held in Ljubljana, Slovenia at the end of the year, several special appreciation awards were given to local institutions and individuals who significantly contributed to the development and growth of the organisation.

Most Active University

The Most Active University award is determined by the participation of individuals and teams per university in the European Universities Championships or Games.

Best University

The Best University award is determined by the sports achievements and results per university in EUSA competitions.

Most Active NUSA

The Most Active National University Sports Association award is determined by the participation of teams and number of participants per NUSA in the European Universities Championships or Games.

Most Successful NUSA

The most successful National University Sports Association award is determined by the results and final placement of athletes per NUSA in the European Universities Championships or Games.

Enno Harms Fair Play

Named after the first EUSA President, the Enno Harms Fair Play award takes into account a fair play gesture/situation during EUSA sporting events which stood out the most.

Order of Merit

EUSA awards the Order of Merit as the highest recognition to individuals and institutions for their outstanding contribution to the development of EUSA and university sport on local, European and international level.

Special Awards

EUSA may also recognise other special achievements and contributions by presenting special awards to individuals or institutions.

2018 AWARDS

Most Active University

University of Coimbra (POR)

Best University

University of Coimbra (POR)

Most Active NUSA

Portuguese Academic Federation of University Sport (POR)

Most Successful NUSA

French University Sport Federation (FRA)

Enno Harms Fair Play

Coimbra Red Cross (POR)

#MyEUSA Photo Competition

Mr Jose Miguel Cazorla Bernal, San Jorge University (ESP)

Order of Merit

Mr Janez Kocijancic, President of the European Olympic Committees

Mr Yves Le Lostecque, Head of the European Commission's Sport Unit

Mr Joao Gabriel Silva, Former Rector of the University of Coimbra

Mr Amílcar Falcao, President of the Academic Association of Coimbra

2019 AWARDS

Most Active University

University of Zagreb (CRO)

Best University

University of Zagreb (CRO)

Most Active NUSA

German University Sports Federation (GER)

Most Successful NUSA

French University Sport Federation (FRA)

Enno Harms Fair Play

Technion – Israel Institute of Technology (ISR)

Special Award

WAKO European Kickboxing Federation (WAKO Europe)

Logotype Award

European Universities Badminton Championship, Lodz (POL)

#MyEUSA Photo Competition

Claudia Sanches, Polytechnic Institute of Porto (POR)



2009-2019 AWARDS
Most Successful NUSA
 German University Sports
 Federation (GER)



2009-2019 AWARDS
Best University
 University of Minho (POR)



2009-2019 AWARDS
Order of Merit
 Mr Oleg Matytsin, FISU President

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF UNIVERSITY SPORT (IDUS)



The International Day of University Sport (IDUS) was celebrated throughout Europe by EUSA at several events with active participation of the EUSA Executive Committee, Office Staff, competition participants as well as the activities coordinated by EUSA member associations across the continent.

Proclaimed and endorsed by the United Nations Education, Science and Culture Organisation (UNESCO) and the International University Sports Federation (FISU), IDUS is celebrated around the world on September 20th. In Europe many of the IDUS celebrations were also linked to the European Week of Sport (EWOS), which takes place between September 23-30.

Following FISU's lead in aiming to create stronger sporting cultures in universities and encourage physical activity, thousands of university students, institutions, cities and people across the globe once again came together to celebrate IDUS on 20 September 2019, among them several EUSA member associations who organised an array of events to promote healthy and active living.

Albania



IDUS celebrations took place in various locations, but were centred around the south eastern city of Korce, where friendly matches in mini-football, basketball and volleyball, as well as a cycling event, took place. A final celebratory event included music and singers performing with an array of instruments.

Armenia



In Armenia, IDUS celebrations coincided with the 28th anniversary of the Independence of the Republic of Armenia. Over 200 students from 15 different universities participated in cross country running and tug-of-war events, while 100 students from 12 different institutions participated in a Dragon Boat competition.

Austria



Unisport Austria's main IDUS activities took place at the University of Innsbruck, where a unique cultural programme was organised. The federation had a stand and activity zone where the local community could meet student athletes, try different games and learn about the activities and achievements of university sports.

Belarus



Activities were celebrated at various campuses at different universities across Belarus, with sporting events including a 5km run, mixed volleyball, football and table tennis competitions. Promotions and an exhibition dedicated to the International Day of University sport was organised, while a new sport stadium was opened at Vitebsk State Technological University.

Croatia



Split, Zagreb and Zadar all organised activities in Croatia to commemorate the day, with various sporting events held which included free climbing, rowing, futsal, basketball and workout training.

Finland

Approximately 150 students took part in events organised by student organisations at five different universities which included yoga lessons, an excursion to an adventure park and a football match. A seminar on dual career was also organised, while World Champion Cross Country Skier Matti Heikkinen was also present to talk about his career.

Hungary



More than 20 higher education institutions with almost 12 500 students joined the International Day of University Sports, with activities ranging from a charity walk, dragon boat demonstration, FIT-night, stairs and running competitions, aquathlon, mini golf and a bike tour to friendly competitions in football, handball, basketball, volleyball, ping-pong and rugby, with events also inclusive of disabled participants. Following these events, the main goal of the Hungarian University Sport Federation is to integrate 3x45 minute weekly movements into students' daily routine, which they can continue throughout their lives.

Kosovo



Around 200 students and university staff participated in activities which received national television coverage. Several sporting disciplines were on show, including basketball, beach volleyball, ping pong and futsal.

Latvia

Almost 150 participants from four Latvian universities gathered to celebrate IDUS by taking part in a basketball tournament, organised for both men and women basketball teams.

Moldova



The Moldavian Student and Veterans Sports Federation, in partnership with the State University of Physical Education and Sport, organised three separate events, which included an international scientific conference under the title "Sport. Olympism. Health.", a mini-football tournament as well as a university cross-country running race.

North Macedonia



The University Sports Federation of Macedonia celebrated IDUS by organising a friendly basketball match between two of the oldest and best universities in the country, SS. Cyril and Methodius University from Skopje and St Kliment Ohridski University from Bitola.

Romania



A friendly football match between two local teams in Ploiesti was organised, with some professional players giving up their kit and becoming spectators as they were replaced by students and pupils during the game, giving a chance to the youngsters to experience the feeling of being a professional athlete.

Russia



Over 70 sport events involving approximately 50 000 students were organised across Russia to celebrate IDUS, with sport competitions, festivals, conferences, seminars, exhibitions, flashmobs and meetings with famous athletes forming some of the highlights of the days' activities. Concerts were also organised to continue the celebrations into the night.

Slovenia



Various educational and sporting activities were arranged in Slovenia, including movement testing for the elderly at a Day Care Center and a talk about smart drinking. In addition, pilates and aerobic classes, kickboxing classes, a wakeboarding competition, a night run and a night hike was also organised. With the EUSA Office based in Slovenia's capital, EUSA Office staff joined students in Ljubljana for an enjoyable sunrise hike up the nearby Smarna Gora Hill on the morning of September 20.

Switzerland



Various activities were organised across Switzerland to celebrate IDUS, some of which involved discofit, Africa dance and Zumba, a step challenge, indoor cycling, social running, functional group training, massages and "Frau Hund" catering for culinary well-being.

Turkey

A cycling race, basketball tournament, Zumba contest, indoor soccer penalty contest, three-pointer contest, foosball and darts contests were just some of the IDUS activities organised across Turkey.

Ukraine



There were various events and activities held across Ukraine to celebrate IDUS, including a flashmob of jump squats, a sports exhibition, workshops on various sports, sports competitions as well as a drawing competition.





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EU INITIATIVES

EUSA is also a proud partner in projects and initiatives coordinated or endorsed by European institutions, agencies and other organisations, receiving valuable support from the European Commission, Council of Europe and other institutional bodies.



EU WEEK OF SPORT

The European Week of Sport (EWOS) and the #BeActive campaign, initiated by the European Commission, aims to promote sport and physical activity across Europe. Together with national coordinators and partner organisations, among them EUSA as an official partner, we're not only trying to make Europe healthier, but also helping to strengthen the continent in more ways than one, based on our shared values and interests.

Since its launch in 2015, the EWOS has brought together hundreds of organisations and offers demonstrations in several sports, also providing information about the benefits of sports activities and healthy nutrition.

Taking place annually between September 23 and 30 throughout Europe, the 2019 edition officially kicked off in Espoo, Finland which held the presidency of the Council of the European Union,

with proceedings taking place in the presence of the European Commissioner for Education, Culture, Youth and Sport Mr Tibor Navracsics.

The fifth edition of EWOS began with a conference entitled "Safeguarding Children in Sport", with a number of high-profile sporting authorities present to discuss this topic, while almost 10 000 school children had the opportunity to #BeActive and

try different sports and physical activities in a local sports park.

As part of the celebrations, dance shows, aerobics classes and football matches were organised, with the highlight of the week reserved for the #BeActive Night on Saturday, September 28, where a series of mass sports events took place across various cities in Europe, joining the #5minchallenge which encouraged all participants on the continent

to take part in some sort of physical activity for at least five minutes at 7pm CET.

In total, 29 000 events took place in 42 countries across Europe involving a cumulative 15.5 million people, three million more than the previous year.

In another closely-related event, the University of Malaga played host to a successful conference focusing on University Sport as part of their European



Week of Sport celebrations on September 22 and 23. EUSA, represented by Sports Manager Mr Besim Aliti, was present among a number of university representatives in attendance to discuss the impact university sport can have on EWOS.

Elsewhere, the European Week of Sport Beyond Borders Seminar was held in Kiev, Ukraine in October, with

discussions focused around the sporting opportunities available for the Western Balkans and Eastern Partnership countries and regions. EUSA was represented at the event by Secretary General Mr Matjaz Pecovnik, who contributed to a roundtable discussion on new sports.

#BEACTIVE



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EU SPORT FORUM

Organised on an annual basis, the European Union Sport Forum brings together a number of key sport stakeholders from across the continent to serve as a platform for dialogue with the European Commission, giving participants a unique opportunity to exchange and discuss views with policy makers of the EU institutions and Member States while tackling a wide range of topics.

In collaboration with the Romanian presidency, the European Commission hosted the 2019 European Sport Forum on April 8 and 9 in Romania's capital city, Bucharest.

Over 350 participants attended the two-day Forum, with EUSA represented by President Mr Adam Roczek and Secretary General Mr Matjaz Pecovnik.

The Forum commenced with an introductory welcome session by Mayor of Bucharest Ms Gabriela Firea; Ms Antoaneta Angelova-Krasteva, Director for Innovation, International Cooperation and Sport, DG EAC, European Commission; Member of the European Parliament Mr Santiago Fisas and Mr

Mihai Covaliu, President of the Romanian Olympic and Sports Committee.

Several different discussions were held throughout the course of the first day, including plenary sessions on doping in sport, the role of sport federations in the promotion of European sport and whether Europe can still attract major sports events. There was also a presentation on empowering girls through sport, as well as parallel sessions on the rights and interests of athletes and schools' contribution to the promotion of healthy lifestyles.

The second day of the Forum kicked off with back-to-back parallel sessions discussing the

protection of sport rights in the EU, how grassroots sport should be financed and justice in sport and challenges of less popular sports, before a plenary session on how Europeans will engage in sport in the future, followed by concluding remarks, officially closed the Forum.

The Forum presented the perfect opportunity for EUSA to network, strengthen partnerships with established partners, as well as create contacts with potential new partners.

Mr Roczek and Mr Pecovnik also made use of the occasion to meet with presidents and representatives of various partner organisations such

as the European Olympic Committees, European Paralympic Committee, European Handball Federation, European Table Tennis Union, Badminton Europe, European Non-Governmental Sports Organisation (ENGSO) and European Athlete as Student (EAS) – the Dual Career Network.

EUSA was particularly pleased to see that the Forum was also attended by several university sport family members and representatives, which can only serve to grow university sport in Europe and beyond.



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EUROPEAN COMMISSION

On an annual basis, the European Commission organises a number of seminars, meetings and gatherings for stakeholders across Europe, including EUSA, to discuss various aspects of sport on the continent.

EU Sport Info Day

The European Commission and the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) organised an information day on Erasmus+ Sport and other EU funding opportunities in Brussels, Belgium on February 5, 2019 followed by project coordinators' meeting the following day.

Over 500 people representing various organisations and institutions from all over Europe attended the 6th edition of the Sport Info Day, where information about the Erasmus+ sports chapter and other EU funding opportunities related to sports activities were presented.

EECG Meeting

The fourth edition of the European Commission's Expert Group on Skills and Human Resources Development in Sport meeting was held in the city of Lisbon, Portugal on May 15-16, 2019.

A number of varying presentations were made over the two days, involving topics such as dual career, education of coaches, EU-funded programmes, upcoming events and the drafted guidelines for

the basic requirements in skills and competences for coaches.

EWOS Seminar

Over 100 representatives from national coordinating bodies and partners of the European Week of Sport and the #beactive campaign met in Sintra, Portugal between May 22 and 24, 2019 for the Key Players' Seminar.

The seminar was organised by the Sport Unit of the European Commission and hosted by the Portuguese Institute of Sport and Youth (IPDJ).

Outlines for the 2019 edition of the European Week of Sport were presented followed by a number of presentations and workshops, with special focus given to networking and the sharing of experiences between the national governing bodies and partners.

EU Presidency Conference

On June 13-14, 2019, the Romanian Presidency of the Council of the European Union and the European Commission organised a conference entitled 'The Advantages of practicing sport in an organised environment for people with

fewer opportunities' in Mamaia/ Constanta, Romania.

The conference included panels on the social role of sport, focusing on inclusion through sport for people with fewer opportunities, and workshops focussing on the benefits of sport for children and young people at risk and on the organised sport in disadvantaged areas.

Erasmus+ Sport Cluster Meeting

On December 4-5, 2019 the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency and the Sport unit of the European Commission organised an Erasmus+ Sport Cluster Meeting on 'The role of sport in education: enhancing skills development and dual careers perspectives' in Brussels, Belgium.

The meeting focused on the promotion of education in and through sport with special focus on skills development and implementation of the EU guidelines on Dual Careers of Athletes, with a number of plenary sessions and workshops related to the topic.

Sports Specificity Seminar

The European Commission organised a Seminar on Specificity of Sport on December 17 in Brussels, Belgium, involving representatives of key stakeholders in the field of sport, including EUSA.

The Seminar involved several round tables discussing the European model of sport, from grass-root to commercialized competition gathered under one umbrella, often self-regulated, based on volunteering services and on solidarity between the professional and amateur part.

EUSA was represented at the event by its President Mr Adam Roczek and Student Commission Chair Ms Anna Edes.



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UNISPORT



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The project Supporting Mobility and Good Practice Exchange in University Sport (UniSport) supports learning mobility and exchanges while promoting the international dimension of sport, targeting management of university sport in general, as well as organisers of sports events on a national and international level.

The project, supported by the European Union, links the European University Sports Association as the applicant, national university sports bodies and universities in three countries: organisers of the European Universities Games in Portugal, Serbia and Poland respectively, as well as a National Olympic Committee as an expert body.

Through the exchange scheme of sport management staff in form of practical study visits, trainings and job-shadowing on one hand and seminars and knowledge transfers on the other, EUSA as the project coordinators hopes to strengthen the competences and qualifications of the partners and their staff, develop international cooperation, encourage similar exchanges within our networks and

contribute towards a European network of skilled sport staff.

In addition, we will include modern technologies as powerful innovative tools for collaboration, knowledge sharing and management.

In preparation for the upcoming edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, the local organising committee welcomed more than 80 participants to the EUSA EUG2020 Belgrade Convention between May 30 and June 1, 2019, which was the first event of the knowledge-sharing process within the Supporting Mobility and Good Practice Exchange in University Sport.

EUSA's Technical Commission, EUSA Office Staff, the EUG2020 Organising Committee and representatives from Serbia's

National and Regional Sport Federations all came together to prepare for the Games.

The main focus was on the operational and technical aspects of managing EUSA sport events, to help the Organising Committee prepare for EUG2020 in Belgrade. In this meeting, the EUSA technical delegates and representatives from Serbia's National and Regional Sport Federations had the opportunity to visit the proposed sport venues and share their evaluation of the them, including the renovations that were needed to improve certain venues to be in line with EUSA standards.



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EMPOWERED NATION



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Based on the EUSA gender equality survey results, EUSA finds it important to strengthen women's participation in the field of university sport. The Empowered Nation (ENACT) project officially kicked off during the European Universities Games 2018 in Coimbra, and was a two-year project which aimed to create a change in university sport society and raise awareness about the issues for women in sport.

The project was financed by the European Union as an Erasmus+ small collaborative partnership project, and reached across Europe, with project partners from Slovenia, Portugal, Hungary and Turkey. The project had a wide impact not just geographically, but also included different levels of sport governance as partner organisations included a university, a university sport club, a national university sport governing body and an international Non-Governmental Organisation.

ENACT focused on searching for long term and sustainable strategic plans to enforce a gender balanced sport society at all levels, supporting women through non-formal education and engaging

them into the European sport sector, fostering international cooperation and sharing good practices in university sport at different levels for gender balanced leadership and fighting against the lack of access and opportunities at higher levels in sport for women.

Over the duration of the two-year project, which concluded at the end of 2019, the partners were able to organise a site visit at the 4th European Universities Games (EUG2018) in Coimbra; data was gathered about the gender situation of EUSA sport events; a voluntary pledge board to support gender equality in sport and leadership at all levels was established; several local activities were carried out by the partners; and sustainable

ideas and future cooperation between target groups were proposed with the aim to build sustainable, gender balanced sport events from the point of view of athletes and volunteers ahead of EUSA's next big event – the 5th European Universities Games Belgrade, Serbia.

The project was coordinated by the European University Sports Association Institute and partners included Uludag University (TUR), Portuguese University Sport Federation (POR) and Budapest University Athletics Club (HUN).



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PROMOTING DUAL CAREER THROUGH EDUCATION OF YOUNG JOURNALISTS

The key objective of the Promoting Dual Career Through Education of Young Journalists (PRODUCE) project is to develop and improve skills and educate young reporters through volunteering at European Universities Championships and Games while also promoting dual career of athletes.

The project's aim is to create both an educational peer to peer network among young journalists in Europe while simultaneously providing guidelines for active learning, giving non-formal knowledge to budding reporters through practical experience at various European Universities Championships.

PRODUCE will look to guide the young reporters while also educating trainers to share the learnt expertise with their

students, with the target age being 18-25. A workshop will also be created and presented at the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia.


The two-year project will therefore strive to promote dual career using successful examples of top athletes who combine both study and sport, using university sport events to promote university sport for high school students and encourage them to strive for Dual Career.

The final results of the project will include educating trainers, pointing out important topics for non-formal education of young reporters and writing guidelines for improving the experience of volunteers at grassroots-level at major sport events. These guidelines will be used at EUSA and other sport events that will ensure the legacy and sustainability of the project.

The transnational project includes the following partners: AZS Sport club Poznan (POL);

SportIndeks (SER); KK Hrvatski Dragovoljac (CRO); AIPS Europe (MAL) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).

This project is co-funded by Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.

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EUROPEAN SOLIDARITY CORPS AND EUROPEAN VOLUNTARY SERVICE

The European University Sports Association, through its EUSA Institute, is an accredited organisation for European Solidarity Corps (ESC) activities in volunteering, solidarity projects, traineeships and jobs, supported by the European Union.



The European Solidarity Corps replaced the European Voluntary Service (EVS) as a new initiative which creates opportunities for young people to volunteer or work in projects that benefit communities and people around Europe, either in their own country or abroad.

Being a pan-European organisation, EUSA finds it important and stimulating to host volunteers in our working office in Ljubljana, enabling them and us to have a fresh and international view in our youth work and projects.

The ESC position in EUSA is open to motivated individuals, aged between 17 and 30,

as a long-term placement, usually for a period of 12 months, and we usually host two international volunteers through these programmes, taking gender and geographical diversity into account.

In recent years, volunteers from France, Hungary, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Ireland, Poland and Croatia have benefitted from this experience as assistants in the EUSA Office.

At the start of October 2019, EUSA with its Institute welcomed three new international EVS-ESC volunteers into the office: Ms Amelie Bury from France, Mr Tomasz Olszewski from Poland

and Ms Zrinka Tabain from Croatia. The three volunteers are based in Ljubljana for a 12-month period, and will assist where possible in various spheres of EUSA-related projects and other work.

The progress of the volunteers is constantly monitored by a mentor, and they are given constant support and assistance in all spheres of life during their stay in Slovenia.

The recruitment period for new volunteers is officially announced and realised only once per year, usually in the beginning of the year, and we only accept applications for volunteering in the EUSA Office

during the announced calls. For short term volunteering opportunities, please see the EUSA international volunteer programme which is carried out in cooperation with the organising committees of the European Universities Championships and Games.

ESC opportunities at EUSA are possible because of the support from the European Union and the National Agency in Slovenia Movit.



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GENDER EQUALITY TOOLKIT FOR GENERATION Z



The objective of the Gender Equality Toolkit for Generation Z (GETZ) project is to develop, deliver and evaluate an innovative educational resource specifically designed to educate Generation Z on the issues relating to gender equality and equal opportunities in sport.

The initiative for the GETZ project comes from the continued prevalence of gender inequality in sport and the need to look at this issue from the perspective of the next generation.

Consortium partners have recognised the presence of gender inequality in sport in their countries and are committed to working on gender related projects.

The project started in 2018 and will run for three years. The main focus of the project is the creation of the GETZ toolkit, which will be implemented in the form of a Massive Open Online Course (MOOC), consisting of a unique set of lessons and resources specifically designed to highlight the issue of gender equality in sport in a practical, theoretical and applied way.

Working collaboratively on GETZ, partners will facilitate a consistent approach to educating future sport leaders on the issue of gender inequality. The project will result in the creation of the GETZ MOOC and a gender equality research study.

The core of the project's work is to raise awareness among generation Z (the next generation after millennials), in order to achieve better outcomes for the future, while another firm objective is to encourage females to take up a career within sport, whether in management or other activities.

The coordinator of the project is the University of Worcester (GBR), with three more education bodies in the consortium including Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences (NED), Vrije

University of Brussels (BEL), Molde University College (NOR), as well as three sports governing bodies – the Swedish Sports Confederation (SWE), Croatian Olympic Committee (CRO) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).

The project is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.



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EDUCATION MODEL FOR PARENTS OF ATHLETES IN ACADEMICS



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Project EMPATIA – Education Model for Parents of Athletes in Academics – looks to gather information about the roles of parents and guardians of athletes in their dual careers, produce resource materials and offer online education modules in several languages.

The main aim of the project is to establish an online multilingual educational programme for parents of young and talented athletes involved in a dual career. Although parents play a crucial role in ensuring the long-term development of athletes, they are often unprepared to help their sons and daughters prevent, cope with or resolve challenges at sport and academic levels. Thus, the primary aim of the EMPATIA project is to structure an evidence-based e-learning multilingual educational programme specifically tailored for dual career parenting needs.

The developed online multilingual dual career parenting education programme will be tested at

the level of the participating countries before making it available in and beyond Europe. In attending this dual career parenting education programme, parents and guardians will increase the awareness of their role, improve their knowledge of dual career issues, and enhance their capability to establish a more effective dialogue with their athletic progeny, as well as with academic and sport staff.

The project consortium is composed of 10 partners, representing universities, institutes and sports bodies from four countries and two European networks. EMPATIA is led by the University of Ljubljana (SLO), with partners Foro Italico University of

Rome (ITA), University of Limerick (IRL), University of Coimbra (POR), Italian National Olympic Committee – CONI (ITA), Ginasio Clube Figueirense (POR), Sport Ireland Institute (IRL), National Institute of Sport, Expertise, and Performance (FRA), European Athlete as Student Network (MLT) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).

The project, which runs from January 2018 to December 2020, is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.



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SMART SPORT



This two-year project supports the implementation of continental dual career guidelines, embracing sport and education while linking them to the business sector, especially focusing on smart technologies. Within the project, online educational modules for elite athletes and coaches will be developed, aimed at enhancing their knowledge of innovative and smart technologies, their technological skills and its uses.

Smart Sport supports the implementation of the European Union guidelines on dual careers of athletes by setting up a transnational network of stakeholders who will elaborate on, implement and test an innovative Dual Career Programme as a new educational and training opportunity for athletes and coaches. The project will strengthen cooperation between educational institutions and sport organisations at EU level while meeting the hard challenges athletes face in having to combine education with sports training.

Smart Sport wishes to contribute to supporting further implementation and development, allowing for flexible online education for

talented student-athletes in project partner countries. The project targets university student-athletes, coaches and sport professionals from these countries, focusing on the use of modern technologies that can change the way society operates and can have a huge impact on the development of sport by giving it a whole new perspective to focus on. Online educational modules elaborated by project experts in sport technology are being developed and the didactic content will be oriented towards tech-enabled learning and training to facilitate prospective programme participants in acquiring new, more advanced and effective skills.

The project aims not only to raise the competence of university athletes and coaches through

education in and through sport, but also to increase the awareness of major stakeholders in sports and education about dual career of athletes and elaborate new state-of-the-art paths for EU athletes.

Smart Sport is co-financed by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union and is led by the Bulgarian Olympic Committee (BUL). The partners consortium is composed of the Institute of Sports Sciences at the University of Vienna (AUT), the Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg (GER), the Macedonian Olympic Committee (MKD) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).



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MEDIA AS A CHANNEL OF ATHLETES' DUAL CAREERS PROMOTION AND EDUCATION



Abbreviated to EdMedia, this project aims to proactively change the attitude towards an athletes' dual career by deliberately shaping a positive image and encouraging sports organisations to pursue the implementation of the European Union's 2012 guidelines on dual careers of athletes.

The action plan of the project includes conducting a comprehensive analysis of related scientific articles and examining how an athletes' dual career image is formed by media, before analysing the gap between the current practices and the EU guidelines on dual career of athletes.

This evidence-based and eminence-based knowledge will be used as a platform to produce a powerful knowledge-exchange as well as educational resources which will encourage the European sports community

to strengthen dual career policies in Europe.

EdMedia's goal is to then develop and implement an online educational programme for both athletes and sports organisations to use to qualitatively promote a more positive attitude towards athletes' dual career and to encourage stakeholders to contribute to the improvement of conditions for dual career athletes, from an individual, organisational and national level.

Project partners include the Lithuanian Sports University

(LIT); European Athlete as Student Network (MAL); University of Rome Foro Italico (ITA); Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi (ROM); University of Valencia (SPA); German Sport University Cologne (GER); University of Ljubljana (SLO) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).

The project is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.



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ATHLETES FRIENDLY EDUCATION



Funded by the Erasmus+ programme of the European Union, Athletes Friendly Education (AFE) is a transnational project focused on the promotion of dual careers of athletes and the support of innovative educational approaches and good governance in sport, in relation to the objectives of the EU policies in the field of sport and in pursuit of the objectives from the EU Commission Guidelines on Dual Career of Athletes.

The aim of the project is to spread awareness and good practices among educational institutions that support athletes in their dual careers by determining the minimum quality standards of educational and training institutions at the EU level, and then establishing a certification system to recognise the efforts made by dual career-friendly institutions.

The greater goal is to then raise awareness on the importance of education of athletes at national levels and offer tools for athletes, managers, coaches and parents to take responsible decisions about education, with the project's certified list of

educational programmes able to guide them in their dual career path.

Through the partners' efforts, AFE will look to create new instruments of cooperation and secure sustainable partnerships between higher education institutions and businesses while establishing a list of educational programmes, at the EU level, with already developed mechanisms.

Along with project coordinators Olympic Committee of Slovenia (SLO), partners in the project include the National Olympic Committee of Portugal (POR), the Belgian Olympic

and Interfederal Committee (BEL), the German Olympic Academy (GER), the Croatian Olympic Academy (CRO), the University of Maribor's Faculty of Organisational Sciences (SLO), the University of Rijeka's Faculty of Maritime Studies (CRO), the Volleyball Federation of Macedonia (MKD) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).

The two-year project began in January 2019 and will run until December 2020.



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MATCH POINT



The objective of the Match Point project is to combat doping in recreational environments by setting up a transnational network to elaborate and conceive engaging, deterring and detecting educational programmes and innovative open resource online educational courses, which will lead to the development of an Ethical Code for behaviour in tennis and grassroots sports.

The project focuses on young non-professional tennis athletes' and coaches' culture and attitudes against doping, protecting their health and moral ethics and supporting the integrity of sports as well as its positive values and principles.

Results from the Match Point project will be well disseminated through multiplier sport events, as well as through the project's smart, interactive web-based platform, allowing for continuous collaboration between project stakeholders as well as for the integration of new organisations in it during and after the project lifetime.

Through strengthened cooperation between the project partners from five European countries and different sectors such as sports, research and education, Match Point will promote and support new anti-doping pathways, raise the young athletes' and coaches' awareness of the doping threats, develop new prevention educational anti-doping tools and contribute to the development of an European sport and socio-cultural doping free environment.

Partners in this collaborative partnership project include the Bulgarian Tennis Federation (BUL); Polish Tennis Federation

(POL); Romanian Tennis Federation (ROU); University of Vienna (AUT); Austrian Institute for Sport Medicine (AUT) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).

The two-year project, which runs from January 2019 to December 2020, is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.



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HALTING HARASSMENT AND ABUSE IN SPORTS USING LEARNING TECHNOLOGIES

Halting Harassment and Abuse in Sports using Learning Technologies (HALT) is a three-year project which looks to raise awareness of best practices in combating violence and tackling racism, discrimination and intolerance in sport.

The project will create and exploit learning technologies (digital games, digital informative material, movies and online community of practice platforms) developed by academics to address this goal in a wide network of athletes across Europe, supported by sports and athlete organisations.

HALT will look to develop Online Communities of Practice (CoP) for awareness and knowledge about harassment and abuse in sports among athletes, academic experts and sport sector stakeholders.

The project's aim is to enable knowledge-sharing and the emergence of best practices with an emphasis on athletes' awareness and knowledge about harassment and abuse in sport; develop e-learning material; minimise the risk of offending behaviour of people involved in sports; identify new areas for policy intervention; and develop anti-harassment and abuse-protection social norms through whistleblowing promotion across all levels and types of sports.

Partners of this transnational project include the Aristotle

University of Thessaloniki (GRE); European University Cyprus (CYP); Portuguese Union of Professional Football Players (POR); Spanish Women Futsal Players Association (ESP); Salzburg Sports Association (AUT); Hellenic Gymnastics Federation (GRE) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).

The project is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.



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RAINBOW YOUTH FOR SPORTING EQUALITY

Rainbow Youth for Sporting Equality (RYSE) is a multilateral European project which looks to improve experiences for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex and queer (LGBTIQ+) young people in sport.

The project aims to improve experiences for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex and queer (LGBTIQ+) young people in sport, ensuring that sport offers the same opportunities to LGBTIQ+ young people as it does to others.

To achieve this, project partners will work with LGBTIQ+ young people to create a charter of inclusion for youth sport and thereafter train sport educators on the charter, thus improving their skills in supporting LGBTIQ+ young people in sport.

The aim is then to encourage improvements in social inclusion and equal opportunity across different youth sport settings and develop a cross-

border online training tool that maximises reach and sustainability.

Partners will consider various settings where youth sports educators operate such as schools, colleges, universities and youth groups, and will take a co-produced approach where young people outline what they expect from an inclusive and non-discriminatory sports environment to create a Rainbow Sports charter.

The project will then go on to train youth sports educators in how to create such an environment. In both aspects, the project will work across different youth sports settings,

targeting both formal and non-formal education settings.

The project team will then distil the training into an online training module which will be presented alongside the charter at a final project conference to a group of multipliers/managers and policy makers within youth sport education settings from each partner country for them to use and disseminate the findings.

Project partners include LEAP Sports Scotland (GBR), Queer Sport Split (CRO) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).



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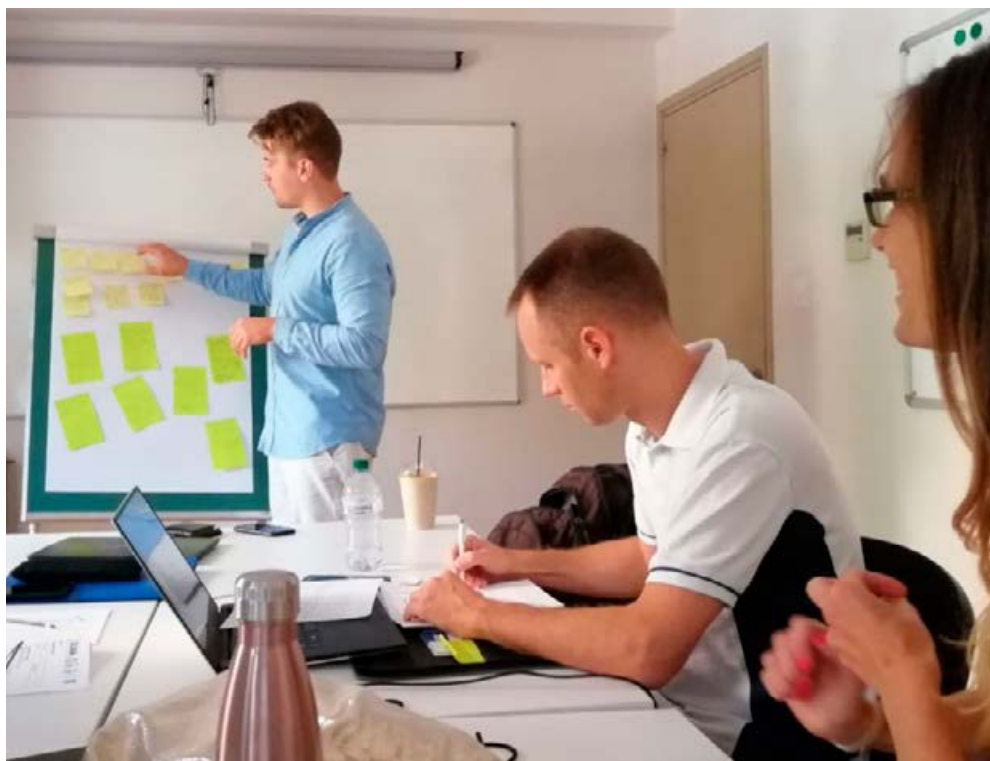


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SKILLS FOR YOU(TH) THROUGH SPORT



SK4YS – Skills for You(th) through Sport – is a transnational initiative of European sport, youth organisations and educational institutions whose aim is to raise awareness of soft skills and competences learnt through sport and implement them through sport-based employment programmes. It is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.

The two-year awareness-raising initiative, which targets young people from disadvantaged backgrounds and those not in employment or training, focuses on a cross-sector approach of sport, youth, employment and education policies.

The project, which started in 2019 and will end in December 2020, will look to empower sport, youth and educational institutions by developing and delivering sport-based employability programmes for young people through the collection, classification and promotion of European good

practices, made available through an educational handbook.

The main outcome of the project will be a good practice database and an online handbook (educational module) which will be developed for representatives of youth and sport organisations, coaches, trainers and youth leaders on topics related to soft skills development through sport, the contribution of sport and physical activity to key competences and developing sport and employability programmes for disadvantaged young people.

Partners of this transnational project include European Non-Governmental Sport Organisation (HUN), Oltalom Sport Association (HUN), Budapest Association for International Sports (HUN), European Observatoire of Sport and Employment (FRA), Cyprus Youth Council (CYP) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).



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ATHLETIC MIGRATION: DUAL CAREER AND QUALIFICATION IN SPORTS



EUSA is an associated partner for a two-year period in this ongoing project, which is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.

Athletic Migration: Dual Career and Qualification in Sports (AMID) looks to promote and support good governance in sport and dual careers of athletes by building a network for the exchange of best practices, by developing skills and competences in dual career, especially addressing migrating athletes.

The insufficient support for migrating athletes is a major risk of decreased performances or drop-outs in education and sports, with the AMID project hoping to raise awareness and knowledge of the phenomenon

of dual career and athlete migration, including the current situation and challenges in the European Union.

The project also hopes to build a network and develop applicable support structures for migrating athletes within the EU, including implementation and evaluation of best practices while providing practical tools to stakeholders and feeding good practices into governance.

AMID ultimately aims to expand its network, exchange the identified best practices across European policies and

involve national authorities in all participating organisations.

AMID's project partners include the University of Salzburg (AUT); University Sport Service Hamburg (GER); Lapland University of Applied Sciences (FIN); University of Ljubljana (SLO); University of Cassino and Southern Lazio (ITA); European athlete as student network (MAL) and the European University Sports Association Institute (SLO).



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NEW PROJECTS



The Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) in September 2019 published the selection results of the Erasmus+ Sport – Call for proposals; the Collaborative partnerships and Not-For-Profit European Sport Events beginning in 2020. We are happy to announce that again also projects where EUSA Institute forms part of the partnership consortium have been selected for funding from the European Union.

The call covered large scale Not-For-Profit European sport events, small collaborative projects and collaborative partnerships which focus on these four main aspects: Health Enhancing Physical Activities (HEPA) and the European Week of Sport; dual career and volunteering; combatting doping and match-fixing – good governance, and social inclusion and combatting violence, racism and discrimination.

The European University Sports Association (EUSA) with its EUSA Institute in Ljubljana,

Slovenia, will take part in two projects encouraging social inclusion and equal opportunities in sport:

- as a full partner in a collaborative partnership project led by the FARE Network: Innovating Football Leadership: Inclusion through Policy and Practice (iFlipp)
- as an associate partner in not-for-profit sports event coordinated by the Alice Milliat Association: The Queens Rugby7 Festival.

These projects will be co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme

of the European Union. The results are a great recognition of our organisation and EUSA activities, and we are very excited about contributing to the development of university sport and sport in general on the European level, with the support of the European Union through the Erasmus+ programme.



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EUSA INSTITUTE

The EUSA Institute is a non-profit non-governmental entity based in Ljubljana, Slovenia, created by the European University Sports Association (EUSA) for the purposes of further developing university sports, organising events, carrying out projects and providing education in sports at university level.

The main aim of the EUSA Institute is to support the development of university sport in Slovenia and Europe. It carries out professional, technical and organisational tasks aimed at providing education in sports at university level, working closely with EUSA while also partnering with other organisations.

The organisation was established for the purposes of developing university sports, organising sporting events, carrying out sports activities and projects as well as providing education in sports at

university level. To that end, the Institute also hosts various seminars, workshops and other educational events and activities in relation to sports and education for which its members are appropriately trained. In pursuit of its purpose, the Institute collaborates with individuals, interested groups, civil society, non-governmental organisations and legal entities at local, national and international levels.

EUSA is proud to run several projects and initiatives through the EUSA Institute, many

of which are funded by the Erasmus+ programme of the European Union, as well as other sources.

We always look forward to strengthening cooperation with key stakeholders in the development of university sport in Europe through the activities of EUSA and its Institute.



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UNIVERSITY SPORT IN EUROPE AND BEYOND

Developing university sport is a long-term task that requires a sound strategy and needs mutual cooperation on an international level. Through collaboration with FISU and other organisations focused on university sports we hope to continue the development of university sport across the globe.



PORTUGAL

EUSA MEMBERS

As an umbrella organisation, EUSA is comprised of 46 National University Sports Associations (NUSAs) in Europe, governing sport in higher education. The members serve on local, national, regional, European and international levels. The mission of the EUSA member associations is to improve the conditions for student-athletes within their country on several levels, encouraging and enabling them to actively pursue their university studies as well as engagement in sports.

Electoral Assemblies

Following the conclusion of the Assembly of the Students Sports Association of Montenegro (SSAM) in January, a new leadership for the next four-year period was elected, and the new statutes were adopted. Mr Ivica Todorovic, Director of the Career Center of the University of Montenegro, was appointed as the new president of the organisation. Mr Predrag Zecevic will serve as the President of the Assembly and Mr Boris Sekulic as the Secretary General. At the Assembly, the new statutes were adopted in line with the

new law on sports, and was approved by the Ministry of Sports.

Mr Andre Reis, student at the University of Lisbon – School of Economics and Management (ISEG), was voted in as the new president of FADU Portugal University Sport Federation for 2019-2021 following elections in September, succeeding Mr Daniel Monteiro. The new Executive Board, led by Mr Reis, has nine members. Other governing bodies that took office at the start of September include the General Assembly,

Audit, Disciplinary and Justice Board. The mandate of the governing bodies is two years (2019-2021), coinciding with the period of a Universiade.

The Electoral Assembly of the Slovenian University Sports Association (SUSA) was held on October 15 in Ljubljana, electing a new President and appointing a new Secretary General. The Assembly elected former Minister of Education Mr Igor Luksic as the new President, while Ms Karmen Sibanc was appointed Secretary General. Delegates also elected other

members of the Executive Committee, Disciplinary Commission and Supervisory Board for the four-year mandate period 2019-2023.

The Finnish Student Sports Federation OLL elected Aalto's Mr Antti Pentikainen as the new President of the Board at the General Assembly in Jyväskylä in November.

In addition to Mr Pentikainen, Ms Sanna-Maria Ahl from Seinäjoki University of Applied Sciences and Ms Nita Vallimäki from Satakunta University of Applied Sciences were elected as Vice Presidents, and Ms Ilona Raimas from University of Helsinki and Ms Liisa Reinola from Seinäjoki University of Applied Sciences were elected as Board Members.

The Academic Sports Association of Israel (ASA Israel) held their General Assembly on November 24, as new management for the next four-year period was elected. Mr Victor Hadad was re-elected as the association's president, which will see him lead the organisation until 2023.

Following Italian University Sport Center – Centro Universitario Sportivo Italiano (CUSI)'s General Assembly in November, Mr Antonio Dima was elected as the association's new president for the next four-year period. The new CUSI board was also elected, with the organisation proud to have six women elected as members.

University Sport Development Meetings

The Kosovo University Sports Federation hosted members of

EUSA staff and other European university sport authorities for an official two-day visit from 14-15 June, where great strides were taken in the development of the country's university sport. Various presentations and discussions were had involving high-level university authorities together with Master's students from the Faculty of Physical Education at the University of Pristina. Lectures and case study examples were also shared, with future projects and cooperation discussed the following day upon the delegation's visit to AAB College in Pristina. As part of the visit, EUSA attended the inauguration of a new Beach Volleyball venue at the University of Pristina, a facility which will serve the student community for years to come.

The University of Malaga played host to a successful conference focusing on University Sport as part of the European Week of Sport. The conference, which took place over September 22 and 23, brought together several universities to discuss the impact university sport can have on the European Week of Sport. Present at the conference on behalf of EUSA was Sports Manager Mr Besim Aliti, who shared his expertise in the field of sport event organisation.

EUSA was present in the eastern Croatian city of Slavonski Brod as an invited guest to deliver a presentation to students and local organisations on university sport in Europe. Sports Manager Mr Besim Aliti attended the event, organised by the College of Slavonski Brod, giving an overview of university sport on the continent, before highlighting

various organisational and event management aspects. Over 200 students were present on the day, as well as several representatives from local sports organisations.

Gala Events

On February 24, the annual sports awards recognising the most successful athletes in Bosnia and Herzegovina of the previous season took place at the National Theatre in Sarajevo, organised by the Sports Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina. EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek was in attendance, and was presented with a Plaque of Appreciation.

In cooperation with the Organising Committee of the Winter Universiade 2021, Swiss University Sports hosted their glittering Swiss Students Sports Awards ceremony at the LUGA fair in Lucerne in May. Over 130 athletes and officials, supporters, guests and delegates including academic, political and sports authorities took part in the event, with a number of student-athletes receiving awards for their excellent results in recent competitions.

On October 4, more than 500 people from all over Ukraine gathered in the auditorium of the National State University of Physical Culture and Sport in Kiev to celebrate the achievements of Ukrainian student-athletes at the 2019 Summer Universiade and the European Universities Championships. On behalf of President of Ukraine, 40 athletes and coaches were awarded

for their achievements during the FISU Summer Universiade in Naples. Ukrainian students won 20 medals in Naples and 55 medals in the European Universities Championships, ending in the top three of EUSA's medal classification standings for 2019.

Special Anniversaries

2019 marked 100 years of university sport in the UK, and to celebrate the occasion the University of Sheffield hosted a centenary celebration at the 2019 BUCS National Championships in February, welcoming several UK university institutions to the event to take part in eight different sports. Present at the event on behalf of EUSA was Sports Assistant Mr Liam Smith, who met with key operational staff from BUCS, as well as EUSA Executive Committee Member and Chair of the Media and Communications Commission, Mr Bill Thompson, and EUSA Honorary Member, Ms Allison Odell CBE. BUCS Nationals was the first of many events throughout 2019 which celebrated the centenary of university sport in the UK.

The Finnish Student Sports Federation (OLL) celebrated its 95th anniversary with a Gala in Helsinki on February 2, with the event highlighting the importance of OLL advocacy work in Finland as well as at an international level, before which Badges of Merit and Honour were awarded to the deserving winners. EUSA was represented at the event by EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek and EUSA Education and Development Manager Ms Sara Rozman.





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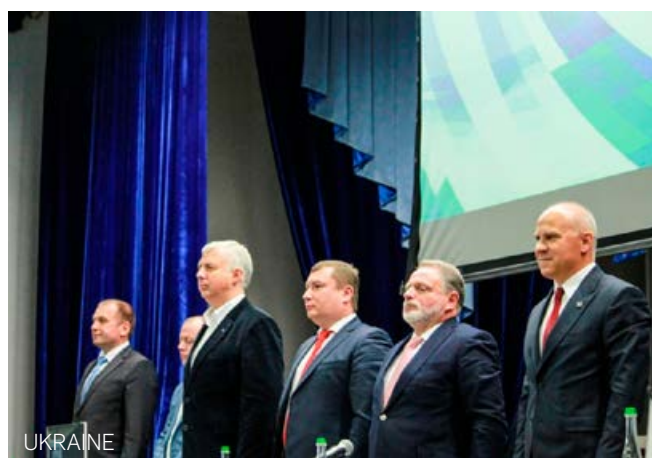
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Poznan University Sports Association (AZS Poznan) celebrated its 100th anniversary with a glamorous Gala event at the University of Adam Mickiewicz Aula in December, where a number of individuals were recognised for their excellence and contribution. The event allowed AZS Poznan to reflect on their major milestones over the past century, which were not solely limited to university sports, but also

contributed to the growth of both youth and professional sport. A number of Merit awards, Badges as well as Outstanding Contribution awards were given on the night, recognising the efforts of individuals both past and present.

Slovak University Sports Association (SAUS) celebrated the 100th anniversary of university sport in Slovakia in 2019 with several activities

throughout the year, culminating in the anniversary Gala in Bratislava on December 5. The 100-year milestone was commemorated by guests from Slovakia and abroad, including representatives of FISU, EUSA, as well as leaders from other organisations. The Gala gave the federation the opportunity to honour individuals and organisations who devoted themselves to the development of university sport in the country,

as well as to celebrate the many successes over the past century. EUSA President Mr Adam Roczek also presented an award to the SAUS President Mr Julius Dubovsky, marking the important anniversary and achievements of the organisation.



INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY SPORTS FEDERATION (FISU)



As the International University Sports Federation embarked upon 2019, the 70-year-old federation found itself at a crossroads. On the one hand, it had come a long way since the first International University Sport Week in 1949 and was celebrating seven decades of driving the university sports movement forward. On the other, the year marked many firsts that set the stage for a new and exciting future.

The first big FISU sports event of the year was the Krasnoyarsk 2019 Winter Universiade, which set a record of sorts with the participation of 58 countries and nearly 1 700 athletes. In Siberia, ski orienteering made its Universiade debut and the United Arab Emirates participated in the winter sport spectacle for the first time. It was also the first time ever that

good wishes came from high above, as celebrated cosmonaut Oleg Kononenko spoke to the athletes from outer space during the opening ceremony.

From the 5 000 smiling volunteers to the nearly flawless performances of the gold medallists, the 29th edition of the Winter Universiade will go

down in history for the emotions it incited.

FISU President Mr Oleg Matytsin evoked these passions when he thanked the Krasnoyarsk citizens by saying, "the days that we spent here, in the heart of Siberia, will always remain in our memory!"

The Krasnoyarsk 2019 legacy thrives as its venues and facilities are now open to the public and are being used enthusiastically by local Siberian clubs and communities alike.

Just over three months later, more than 6 000 athletes representing around 120 countries marched into the Stadio San Paolo in Italy for the Napoli 2019 Summer Universiade. As per its motto, the 30th Summer Universiade was unique indeed – and not just because the Athletes' Village was housed on two luxury cruise ships.

The sun-soaked seaside city gave athletes and spectators an unparalleled setting for the biggest multi-sport event for student-athletes. A lasting image from the artistic and musical opening ceremony was the spellbinding performance of arguably the best tenor in the world today – Andrea Bocelli, whose melodious voice enthralled the spectators and resonated in Stadio San Paolo as the clock struck midnight to mark the opening of the games.

Sport took centre stage in Napoli, as it should, with the moment of crowning glory coming as the home nation closed the 12 days of competition with gold in the men's water polo final.

"It feels so very good, it was important to win in front of our supporters," said Italy's gold medal-winning Water Polo captain Umberto Esposito. "This is very emotional."

It was a perfect emotional moment to cap off a magical fortnight.

Later in the year, as FISU geared up to celebrate its 70th anniversary, it also prepared for a new era with a fresh Executive Committee that was elected during the 36th FISU General Assembly held in Turin, Italy, in November. Mr Matytsin was once again endorsed as FISU President for a further four-year term. In a historic development, Ms Penninah Aligawesa Kabenge from Uganda was elected as the federation's first-ever female Vice President.

The four-year term of the Executive Committee officials elected in Turin will cover Universiades to be held in Lucerne and Chengdu in 2021 and Lake Placid and Ekaterinberg in 2023.

The FISU sporting season in 2019 closed with two University World Cups, the unique tournaments with the university-versus-university format rather than national teams. A successful fifth edition of the FISU University World Cup 3x3 was staged in Xiamen, China. The inaugural 2019 FISU University World Cup – Football soon followed in Jinjiang, also in China.

FISU's newest sports property set the bar high as it played out from 21 November to 1 December 2019. The tournament in Jinjiang paved the way for the future of university-versus-university competition in the world's most popular sport.

After almost a year of training, preparation and continental qualifying tournaments, more

than 400 student-athletes arrived in Jinjiang to play a total of 62 matches over 11 days. The teams were raring to go, as they prepared to take a shot at being crowned the first-ever 'University World Cup Champion' in football.

"We came to this competition to become the champions," said Igor Milioransa of Paulista University upon his arrival in Jinjiang. "It is a great experience because for many of us it is our first time travelling outside Brazil."

The tournament created waves even before the first kick-off as one of FIFA's '125 greatest living footballers' arrived in Jinjiang to unveil the distinctive trophy. Argentine football legend Mr Juan Sebastian Veron gave the green signal for the games to begin and shared a word of inspiration for the participating student-athletes.

"It's important that you have a dream and follow it," said Mr Veron, who made his event entrance by walking hand-in-hand with two local ball kids.





With the green signal from one of the best-ever, the tournament was off to a scintillating start. The stadiums in Jinjiang, many of which were purpose-built for this event, provided the perfect setting for some fantastic matches.

As the tournament progressed, the women's team from the University of Ottawa made news for more reasons than one. The firebrands from Canada, known as the 'Gee-Gees', seared their way through the draw even as they studied furiously for exams during the day.

"We have been trying to balance school and soccer while we've

been here," said goalkeeper Margot Annie Shore, the undisputed star of Ottawa's semi-final victory against Beijing Normal University.

"Most of us start exams as soon as we get back, so we are all trying to keep up with our schoolwork here in Jinjiang!"

The sheer effort of keeping up with academics and reaching the final at the same time was not lost on anyone and the Canadians became immensely popular with local fans and other teams alike.

They did not disappoint in the final either, as Mikayla Morton's



second-minute goal against Paulista University proved to be enough for the title.

After 11 days, 61 matches, and 206 goals scored, it finally came down to the University of Wollongong from Australia taking on the University of the Republic from Uruguay in the men's grand finale that was played out in a packed Jinjiang Football Park Stadium before 7 500 spectators.

Befitting a grand finale, the match went 1-1 into half-time, then into full time and finally into 30 minutes extra time. The decisive moment came when University of the Republic's captain Santiago Pallares Palomeque scored a penalty kick just six minutes before the match would have gone into a shootout, which was enough for the title.

"I was trying to be as calm as possible in that moment because it was a decisive one," the Player of the Tournament said after the victory. "I tried to bring myself into a calm state and get some power inside me."

When the winning team was asked if the final was their toughest match of the tournament, Head Coach Alejandro Heguy Charamelo immediately said, "Yes, of course, a final is a final. In our country we say you don't play a final, you only win a final!"

"Thank you to the people of Jinjiang for being so helpful and receptive to us," he added. "The people here were truly amazing."

The FISU University World Cup – Football returns to Jinjiang in 2021. The year 2020 will also see the sixth edition of the University World Cup 3x3, the

FISU Forum in August that will be held in Budapest, Hungary, and the fourth FISU Volunteer Leaders Academy in Kazan, Russian Federation that will yet again bring together hundreds of future leaders from around the world.

At the International University Sports Federation, excitement never stops.



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ASIAN UNIVERSITY SPORTS FEDERATION

The Asian University Sports Federation (AUSF) hosted four remarkable championships across 2019 as well as the FISU-NUSF Seminar, all of which were fully presented to Asia and the world via the AUSF website and Facebook page by the newly-formed AUSF Media Committee. The four championships brought together hundreds of university students from all over Asia to compete for glory and enrich their university sports experience, while the 2019 FISU-NUSF seminar attracted 50 delegates from 14 countries/regions to discuss the topic of "Media and Sports Development". The Seminar provided a useful platform to foster friendship and knowledge sharing.

AUSF Championships

In 2019, four Asian University Championships were staged, including the 5th 3x3 Basketball Championship, the first Asian University Badminton Championship in Chinese Taipei, the first Asian University Karate Championship in Macau China and the second Asian University Cheerleading Championship in Korea. Over 500 officials, coaches and student-athletes from nearly 20 member

federations participated in these four championships.

As a FISU qualifying tournament, the 3x3 Basketball Championship has grown to be a flagship event for both AUSF and FISU, stimulating more and more university students to watch and participate in this sport in recent years. Mongolia and Chinese Taipei won the tickets in the men's category for 2019 FISU 3x3 Basketball World Cup Final while the Chinese

Taipei and Iran teams took the honour in the women's category.

Both the inaugural Karate and Badminton Championships also enjoyed similar successes, and it is hoped that both will become regular events on the AUSF calendar. For Karate, there was a total of 11 participating countries/regions with nearly 100 delegates for the championship, while many top young athletes across Asia participated in the inaugural

edition of the Badminton Championship, elevating the competition to an international level.

The 2nd Cheerleading Championship held in Korea attracted almost 200 participants from eight countries/regions, with Team Japan impressing everyone with world-class performances and dominating the final results convincingly.

Apart from the competitions, the participants also took part in various workshops during the Championships with specialised topics helping them better prepare both mentally and physically while enriching their overall experiences at the events. The AUSF Championships are therefore not only a pathway to promote sporting excellence, but also a platform to enhance learning, sharing and communication.

AUSF will be organising a number of different sporting championships across 2020, among them the first Bodybuilding and Fitness Championship taking place in Pattaya, Thailand in March, as well as the first Tchoukball Championship, which will be held in Singapore in July.

FISU-NUSF Seminar

As the core project of both FISU and AUSF, the biennial 2nd FISU-NUSF Seminar was held in Chinese Taipei from September 20-21.

The theme of the Seminar was "Media and Sports Development" and attracted

over 50 participants in the field of sports management and media from Asia, Europe and Oceania. The high-level Seminar provided not only an occasion for knowledge dissemination and sharing, but it was also an opportunity for networking and experience sharing on project/event management in the forms of plenary sessions and concurrent workshops.

IDUS Celebrations

During the fourth instalment of IDUS in 2019, several NUSFs across Asia including China, Nepal, Singapore, Mongolia, Iran, the Philippines and Chinese Taipei celebrated IDUS at various university campuses in an effort to echo the message of this inspiring initiative.

In addition, AUSF together with the Chinese Taipei University Sports Federation hosted IDUS celebration activities in conjunction with the first Asian University Badminton Championship and 2019 FISU-NUSF Seminar. Through the activities, the participants better understood the philosophy, concept and objective of IDUS while enjoying the festive

atmosphere, with many declaring they would bring the ideas back to their home countries/regions. The events inspired many to strive to promote university sports and influence more people to take up sports and adopt a healthier lifestyle.

Bilateral Cooperation

Over 2019, ties were strengthened between AUSF and EUSA through regular exchanges of visits. Such collaborations not only improve communication between the federations, but also enhance the friendship among the member federations of AUSF and EUSA. EUSA delegates and EUSA members are warmly welcome to attend the 11th AUSF General Assembly and 3rd FISU-AUSF Strategic Dialogue to be held in 2020.

FISU Executive Committee Election

Through concerted efforts of all Asian members and the generous support of our fellow friends from all over the world, eight delegates from Asia were elected into the FISU Executive

Committee for the term 2019-2023, including Mr Zhen Shen from China as Vice President. The result of the election is not only an honour for Asia but also a heavy responsibility, which will inspire them to work much harder for the development of university sports across the world.



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FEDERATION OF AFRICA UNIVERSITY SPORTS (FASU)

2019 was a successful year filled with many ups and downs in African University Sports. Regardless, many successes and positives were noted, as we reflect on the past year of activity and reveal what we have in store for the year 2020.

FISU-FASU Strategic Dialogue 2019

Held on 23rd March 2019, the FISU-FASU Strategic Dialogue took place under the theme "Shaping the Future by sharing the vision". This presented itself as an opportunity to help the growth of university sports on the continent for future generations. The dialogue was mainly centered around round table discussions and panel sessions. FISU President Mr Oleg Matytsin expressed his gratitude towards the strides taken by the Federation in promoting university sport on the continent.

FASU General Assembly 2019

The 2019 FASU General Assembly saw the Federation welcome six new member countries, bringing the number of FASU-affiliated national federations to 40. These included Central African Republic, Comoros, Guinea, Libya, Mauritius and Cape Verde.

History was made as a new executive committee for the years 2019-2023 was elected, headed by the first ever female FASU President Ms Nomsa Mahlangu from South Africa.

The General Assembly also approved the Strategic Road Map 2019-2022 as a continuation of the previous 2015-2019 general road map,

with modifications made where necessary. Six key focus points were discussed and agreed upon, which include sports activities, administration, education, finance, branding and Pan-Africanism and Integration.

FASU Championships

2019 gave birth to a number of new Championships, including Rugby 7s, Tennis and Badminton, which took place along with 3x3 Basketball and Cross-Country. The motive of the Championships was mainly to spread the FASU/FISU brand through exposing more students to continental competitions, with great pleasure taken in seeing a large number of NUSFs

embracing and taking part in the Championships.

Summer Universiade

Africa as a whole can stand proud after the FISU Summer Universiade Napoli 2019, with the continent registering a total of 26 medals altogether – the most ever reached at a Summer Universiade, beating their previous-best total of 22 medals earned at the Summer Universiade 2009 in Belgrade, Serbia a decade prior.

Leading the way was the continent's biggest delegation South Africa, who ended the Games with 18 medals in total – a personal high as well, beating their previous best tally of 14





medals won at the Kazan 2013 Summer Universiade.

South Africa finished tenth in Napoli, cracking the top ten for just the second time in the 13 Universiades in which they have competed since 1995.

Following behind South Africa as the second-best African side at this year's Universiade was Morocco, who brought home three medals – a gold, silver and bronze respectively.

Algeria rounded off Africa's top-three performers at Napoli 2019, ending with a solitary gold medal to finish 40th overall.

Seven African countries medalled in total, the other four being Burkina Faso, Ethiopia, Egypt and Uganda, with 12 more medals earned than in the previous Universiade in Taipei 2017, making it a Summer Universiade to remember for the African continent.

IDUS

African universities and National University Sports Federations celebrated IDUS 2019 in various

different ways, majorly sports. In South Africa's Sol Plaatje University in the Northern Cape, the #LetsIDUS activities brought together 437 students, faculty and community members for a 5-kilometer campus race.

The University of Johannesburg celebrated IDUS with games and activities on its Soweto campus with student fitness training, a squash skills exhibition and enterprising entertainment by the university cheerleading team.

Across the rest of Africa, celebrations included a novelty football match at the ongoing higher institution football league in Nigeria, a FASU conference in Zambia, a basketball game hosted by the University of Botswana and fitness exercise sessions in Rwanda.

The Comoros University Sports Federation celebrated its first IDUS with a special seminar on university sports. Cultural displays followed, as did a basketball game between host school Arso-Tech and a city-select side from Domoni.

10th FASU Games 2020

FASU will be organising the 10th edition of the All Africa University Games 2020 which will be held at Kenyatta University, Nairobi, Kenya from August 17-21.

The programme includes an array of sports, including Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, 3x3 Basketball, Chess, Football, Handball, Karate, Netball, Rugby 7s, Swimming, Table Tennis, Taekwondo, Tennis and Volleyball, as well as three demonstrative sports including Woodball, Roll Ball and Snooker.

The tournament shall be used to qualify teams for the World University League Finals in 3x3 Basketball and Soccer.

A pre-Games Scientific conference and heads of delegation meeting is scheduled to take place on July 2-3 at Kenyatta University.



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FISU AMERICA

As coordinators of the efforts of the university sport organisations across the American continent, FISU America's main objective over 2019 was to promote the overall development of student-athletes in the region through competitive sport and academic activities, representing the region as a branch of FISU.

Ordinary Assembly of the CADE-Panam Sports alliance

In February, and in the context of the Ordinary Assembly of the CADE, the President and the authorities of FISU America met with Mr Neven Ilic, President of Panam Sports, an entity which groups all the Olympic committees of America and is responsible for the organisation of the Pan-American Games. The main outcome of the meeting was an agreement to increase the number of athletes with tertiary studies.

17th Central America and Caribbean Games

The 17th Central America and Caribbean University Games were organised in Tunja, Colombia. Seven countries contended eleven sporting

disciplines. This competition was important to promote university sports in the area.

2nd Strategic Dialogue FISU-FISU America

On May 21 and 22, the NUSF of America met in Bogota to discuss the future of university sports in the continental federation. In this second edition of the Strategic Dialogue FISU-FISU America, sixteen countries from America as well as representatives from EUSA, AUSF and FISU formed part of this event in which they discussed the main topics and challenges that university sports faces. Topics of discussion included gender equality, IDUS, growth of national and continental university leagues

and the importance of combining exercise with study.

31st Summer Universiade

The 31st Summer Universiade in Napoli was a great competition for FISU America, with twelve countries represented, 100 medals won and hundreds of student-athletes taking part. USA obtained 53 medals and Mexico 21, with both ending in the top 10 medal board overall. Trinidad and Tobago won its first medal ever in a Summer Universiade, adding a silver to the America's total.

3rd FISU America 3x3

The 3rd edition of FISU America 3x3 was carried out in Maceio, Brazil, from 8-10 August. The best 10 male and 13 female teams on the continent took

part, playing for a place in the FISU University World Cup 3x3. Seven countries participated, represented in the male competition by UNIP (BRA), Universidad de Chile (CHI) and UNLaM (ARG), and in the female competition by ITESM (MEX), Universidad de Chile (CHI) and PUCV (CHI), who earned their tickets to China.

FISU Volunteer Leaders Academy

Sixteen American countries and the CUSF's representatives participated in the FISU Volunteer Leaders Academy from September 5-11. The FISU Ambassadors shared ideas, worked in groups and learned a great deal about the organisation of a sport event. They also had time for games,

visits to the city and physical activities. Argentina also had a representative at the event present and share information about this year's 2020 FISU WUC Rugby Sevens tournament.

IDUS

The International Day of University Sport is a very important day for the university sports, with universities from every corner of the continent celebrating the event with colourful celebrations, festivals and activities for the students and their families in the facilities of their universities.

First FISU America Futsal

The very first edition of FISU America Futsal was carried out in Posadas, Argentina. Universities from Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Costa Rica, Mexico and Peru participated in the first Pan-American tournament of Futsal, where ten male teams and six female teams played for the trophy. In the end, the ladies team from ITESM (MEX) and the men's team from UNLaM (ARG) were crowned champions in their respective categories.

UWC 3x3

In the FISU University World Cup 3x3 in Xiamen, China, the teams that qualified from the FISU America 3x3 represented the region well with their amazing plays and exhibitions of skills during the tournament. The male team of UNIP(BRA) who had emerged victorious on the continent also proved to be the best team on the planet, raising the trophy to demonstrate America's 3x3 strength.

UWC Football

The most popular sport on the planet, football, enjoyed its first FISU University World Cup in Jinjiang, and did a superb job in representing America in the competition. Two women's teams from the continent were present and not only enjoyed a great tournament, but both made it to the final where the University of Ottawa (CAN) beat UNIP (BRA), bringing back both the gold and silver medals to America. In the male competition, three teams took part, with UNIP ending in the top8, while the Universidad Autonoma del Estado de México (MEX) achieved a semi-final

spot, losing against the eventual tournament winners, the Universidad de la Republica from Uruguay. America loves football, and with two world champions, has shown that the sport is being played at a very high level.

2nd FISU America Games

After the great success in the 1st FISU America Games in Sao Paulo, Brazil in 2018, and after defining university sport competitions for the year 2020, FISU America chose the city of Merida, Mexico to host the 2nd edition of the FISU America Games. The decision was made by the committee of the CUSF to keep developing university sport in the area, and following the immense effort by Mexican Federation CONDDE in recent years, they were given the honour of organising the 2020 Games on Mexican soil. This kind of competition ensures university sport keeps growing in the region.

FISU AMERICA



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FISU OCEANIA

2019 was a productive year for FISU Oceania with further development of its projects and activities as well as continued attendance at FISU events. The ability to continually provide opportunities for Oceania student-athletes and improve governance practices of its members were the two key areas of focus for the year. The support FISU Oceania can provide to all its nations, many of which are still developing, will continue to see the expansion of university sport in the region.

FISU Oceania is a small continental university sport federation (CUSF) with 12 National University Sport Federations (NUSF) members. The region is geographically dispersed, however this does not hinder collaboration and participation in FISU and FISU Oceania programmes and events. Member countries include American Samoa, Australia, Cook Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, Guam, Marshall Islands, New Caledonia, New Zealand, Northern Mariana Islands, Papua New Guinea and Samoa.

FISU Oceania supports key FISU programmes such as the FISU Volunteer Leaders Academy

and Young Reporters Program. Students from Australia and New Zealand were selected to be a part of these key student events in 2019. International Day of University Sport also continues to be a key event in the region where events were held in Australia, Fiji, New Zealand and Papua New Guinea.

FISU Oceania General Assembly

FISU Oceania held its General Assembly in November 2019 in Turin, Italy to coincide with the FISU General Assembly in the same city. With the completion of his term, Mr Martin Doulton officially stood down as President and Mr David

Schmude from Australia was elected as the new President for the coming mandate period (2019-2023). Ms Nicola Clayden (NZL) was elected as Vice President with Mr Michael White (NMI), Ms Amy Sasser (MHL) and Mr Alifereti Cawanibuka (FIJ) all elected onto the Executive Committee.

MOU Partnerships

In 2019, Oceania contributed to the FISU-NUSF Seminar held in New Taipei City in September through the provision of presenters and facilitators. This support was provided as a part of the MOU between Asian University Sports Federation and FISU Oceania. Delegates

from Northern Mariana Islands, Papua New Guinea, New Zealand and Australia attended this event which coincided with the International Day of University Sport and the first Asia University Badminton Championships.

Summer and Winter Universiades

Australia participated in the Winter Universiade in Krasnoyarsk, Russia, sending a small team of 11 student-athletes who competed in the Freestyle Skiing, Figure Skating, Snowboard, Speed Skating and Cross Country events.

Both Australia and New Zealand sent large delegations to the





Summer Universiade in Naples, Italy. Australia achieved medals in Athletics, Basketball and Swimming, as the Australian women's Basketball team succeeded in defending their gold medal from the Universiade in Taipei (2017). New Zealand was also successful in achieving medals in Athletics.

3x3 World Cup

Oceania was represented at the 3x3 FISU University World Cup by Macquarie University from Australia (final placing 5th) and New Zealand's University of Otago (final placing 6th) in the men's competition and by Australia's University of Technology Sydney (final placing 8th) and Lincoln University from New Zealand (final placing 10th) in the women's competition.

Football World Cup

Oceania was represented in the men's tournament by Australia's University of Wollongong (final placing 2nd) and in the women's tournament by Australia's University of Sydney (final placing 6th). Marcus Beattie from Wollongong won the Golden Boot award for most goals scored, capping off a

successful competition journey for the men's team.

MyUniSport workshops

MyUniSport is the education programme of FISU Oceania. The programme is adaptable to the needs of the Federation in which workshops are hosted and include topics of event management, touring team management, incident management and team leadership. In 2019, two workshops were held in Papua New Guinea, where 200 delegates focused on the topic of leadership, and in Fiji, where the 20 delegates present focused on event management.

Oceania NUSF events

Oceania NUSFs played host to a number of sport events amongst their various programmes. Highlights include UniSport Australia's National Championships, held across 44 sports, where University of Sydney was crowned overall champion university; Fiji's Inter Tertiary Games in September which attracted over 2 000 students across seven sports, with Fiji National University winning the overall title; University of New Caledonia's

Futsal team competing against national teams from Pacific Nations attending the Futsal Nations Cup; University and Tertiary Sport New Zealand's National Championships, contested across ten sports, where University of Auckland emerged victorious and Papua New Guinea hosting four intervarsity tournaments over the year, expanding its programme to include more tertiary institutions across the country.

Looking towards 2020

2020 will bring more opportunities for Oceania NUSFs and students within the region, with key projects including the rebranding of FISU Oceania to meet current FISU branding guidelines, the hosting of a 3x3 Basketball qualifying event, the expansion of the MyUniSport education programme, continued promotion of FISU in the region and expansion of IDUS activities.

At the 2019 General Assembly, a new strategy for FISU Oceania was developed and this will also be a key focus to ensure it is managed and NUSFs continue

to contribute to programmes and activities within the region.

Finally, FISU Oceania would like to recognise Mr Martin Doulton and thank him for his contribution to our Federation. Mr Doulton completed his term as President in November 2019 and has had a long association with FISU Oceania from initially being Secretary General and then President. Mr Doulton was elected to the FISU Executive Committee in November, and we know that whilst his executive role with our Federation might be completed, he will continue to be a voice for the region.

FISU Oceania



Oceania University Sports Association



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A photograph of two male athletes celebrating on a podium. The athlete in the background is wearing a white and blue cycling jersey and has his arms raised in a 'V' shape. The athlete in the foreground is wearing a dark blue singlet and is holding the leg of the first athlete. The entire image is covered with a semi-transparent red overlay. Large white text '08' is positioned on the right side of the image.

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PARTNERS AND NETWORK

Strengthening ties and cooperating with other organisations working in the field of sport is essential for sustainable progress and development. EUSA is proud of its existing network of partners and is also constantly nurturing new alliances.

EUSA PARTNERS

EUSA is proud of its existing network of partners and is honoured to be associated with some of the biggest and influential sporting entities not only across Europe, but the entire globe. EUSA's partners are a constant source of help and support, aiding the association's goal of enhancing the quality of events and initiatives while further developing university sport as an integral part of a student's life.

From knowledge exchange and practical assistance to the provision of personnel and equipment at sporting events and co-operation in various projects, EUSA's partners are a fundamental resource for the association's growth and continual development.

Yet another partner was added in 2019, as EUSA signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the European Judo Union. With the list of partners ever-growing, EUSA was proud to celebrate its 20th anniversary with the following list of partners:

International University Sport Federation (FISU); African University Sport Federation (FASU); Pan-American University Sport Federation (FISU America); Oceania University Sport Association (FISU Oceania); Asian University Sport Federation (AUSF); European Commission; Council of Europe; European Non-governmental Sports Organisations (ENGSO); European Fair Play Movement (EFPM); European Olympic Committees (EOC); European Paralympic Committee (EPC); European Union of Sports Press (AIPS Europe); European Athletes as Student

(EAS) – Dual career network; European Students' Union (ESU); Badminton Europe Confederation (BEC); European Bridge League (EBL); European Chess Union (ECU); European Handball Federation (EHF); European Judo Union (EJU), European Karate Federation (EKF); European Table Tennis Union (ETTU); European Volleyball Confederation (CEV); Rugby Europe; European Kickboxing Federation (WAKO Europe); World Taekwondo Europe (WTE); International Dance Organisation (IDO); International Federation of Sport Climbing (IFSC); International Orienteering Federation (IOF).

We are also happy to have Kraft and Werk Marketing and Communications Agency as our official partner.

EUSA is looking forward to developing university sport with each of its current partners, and we hope to continue expanding our network, building new alliances and adding to the list new partners in the coming years.

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EUROPEAN OLYMPIC COMMITTEES

As an official partner of the European Olympic Committees, EUSA was present in Warsaw, Poland as one of the invited guests at the 48th General Assembly of the European Olympic Committees, which took place on October 25-26, 2019.

Present at the annual event on behalf of EUSA was President Mr Adam Roczek and Secretary General Mr Matjaz Pecovnik.

International Olympic Committee (IOC) President Mr Thomas Bach provided the welcome address for the two-day meeting, highlighting the efficiency and dynamism of the 50 European National Olympic Committees while discussing the need for unity, political neutrality and solidarity in order to achieve the Olympic mission of building a better world through sport.

EOC President Mr Janez Kocijancic reiterated the importance of universality, good governance and ethics in all organisations of Olympic

Movement in his address, and called for the continent's premier multi-sports events to be better integrated into the Olympic fold.

Reports on the activities of the EOC head office as well as the Minsk European Games were then given, before addresses by Polish NOC President and host of the event Mr Andrzej Krasnicki, and Minister of Sport and Tourism of Poland Mr Witold Banka.

Former EOC Executive Committee Member and President of the Slovak Olympic Committee Mr Frantisek Chmelar (SVK) was awarded the EOC Order of Merit for his lifelong service to sport and the Olympic Movement in Europe

ahead of the conclusion of the General Assembly which was followed by the 100th Anniversary Gala for the National Olympic Committee of Poland.

At the occasion, EUSA was able to meet with a number of other partner organisations including the Federation of International University Sport (FISU), the European Handball Federation (EHF), European Fair Play Movement (EFPM), the European Table Tennis Union (ETTU) and the European Non-Governmental Sports Organisation (ENGSO).



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COUNCIL OF EUROPE



The Council of Europe's member states representatives, forming the Governing Board of the Enlarged Partial Agreement on Sport (EPAS), accompanied by the Consultative Committee, held their annual meeting in Strasbourg, France on June 5 and 6, 2019.

As a member of the EPAS Consultative Committee, EUSA was present at the meeting as well, represented by Communications and Projects Manager Mr Andrej Pisl.

The meeting was also an opportunity for networking, discussion and promotion of EUSA and its partners, the activities and projects.

Led by the Chair of the Consultative Committee Mr Jens Sejer Andersen, the members reviewed the annual activities, discussed educational activities and programmes, reviewed the applications and renewals of the organisations in the consultative committee, adopted a proposal for the revision of the Terms of Reference of the committee and engaged in a panel discussion on gender identity in sport, focusing on the case of Caster Semenya. The members of the EPAS Consultative Committee later joined the annual plenary meeting with the Governing

Board, led by Mr Zoran Verovnik as the Chair and Mr Stanislas Frossard as the Secretary General.

The joint meeting of the EPAS Governing Board and the EPAS Consultative Committee discussed the reports and recent news, including the conferences of ministers responsible for sport, and the 2020-21 programme of activities. The first day concluded with a round table event on the subject of Sport and Media Freedom.

The second day was dedicated to the current activities and projects, focusing on three aspects: ethical sport (tackling corruption and promoting good governance, sport and human rights), inclusive sport (promoting diversity and fighting against discrimination, migrants and their integration through sport) and safe sport (martial arts and combat activities, inclusion of children and their protection in sport) as well as

topics covering all three pillars (sport for all, the European Sports Charter and its revision).

In 2019, the Council of Europe celebrated its 70th anniversary, having maintained its focus on human rights, democracy and the rule of law for seven decades. Based on the Council of Europe's general sports standards, the Enlarged Partial Agreement on Sport (EPAS) was established in 2007 in order to give fresh momentum to pan-European sports co-operation; address the current challenges facing sport in Europe; make sport healthier, fairer and well governed and ensure that it conforms to high ethical standards.



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ENGSO AND ENGSO YOUTH



The European Non-Governmental Sports Organisation (ENGSO) General Assembly, organised by the German Olympic Sports Confederation, took place in Frankfurt, Germany on June 14-15, 2019, attracting the participation of ENGSO member federations as well as several partner organisations, including EUSA.

ENGSO President Mr Carlos Cardoso welcomed all participants to the meeting, which was followed by an address from Mr Jan Holze, Chairman of German Sports Youth.

After the welcome addresses, the floor was given to representatives of invited partner organisations as EUSA Secretary General Mr Matjaz Pecovnik, present on behalf of EUSA, addressed the audience, stressing the good partnership EUSA and ENGSO have developed over the last five years, after both organisations signed a Memorandum of Understanding in 2014.

Mr Yves Le Lostecque, Head of Sport Union at the European Commission, then presented the most recent developments of the EU policy in the field of sport, focusing on the

implementation of 3rd EU work plan for sport (2017-2020), Erasmus+ Sport and the European Week of Sport.

Mr Stanislas Frossard, Executive Secretary of EPAS, then took the stand, presenting the latest news from the Council of Europe.

The morning programme concluded with a workshop entitled Sustainable Development and Sports after which the General Assembly took place in the afternoon, where delegates approved the reports and action plan for the upcoming period, and elected new members of the Executive Committee.

Mr Stefan Bergh, former ENGSO Secretary General, was elected as new ENGSO President. Ms Filipa Godinho, who was the Sports Director at EUG 2018

in Coimbra, was elected as an Executive Committee Member.

At the occasion of the ENGSO General Assembly, Mr Pecovnik also met with Mr Christoph Fischer, ADH Secretary General, to discuss matters relating to university sport in Europe and across the world.



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EUROPEAN JUDO UNION



EUSA expanded its growing list of continental partners by signing a Memorandum of Understanding with the European Judo Union (EJU) on June 23, 2019, strengthening general cooperation and partnership between the two organisations.

EUSA, represented by its President Mr Adam Roczek and Secretary General Mr Matjaz Pecovnik, and European Judo Union (EJU), represented by its President Mr Sergey Soloveychik and Vice-President Mr Michal Vachun, signed the Memorandum in Minsk, Belarus.

Judo has been part of the EUSA sports programme since 2011, when the first European Universities Judo Championship was held in the Bosnia and Herzegovina capital Sarajevo. Four editions of European Universities Judo Championships have been organised in total, while Judo also appeared in the previous

two editions of the European Universities Games, in Zagreb-Rijeka 2016 and Coimbra 2018.

In 2019, Judo was included as one of the four different sports on the programme at the first European Universities Combat Championships in Zagreb, Croatia, while it will also feature as one of the 20 sporting disciplines at the fifth edition of the European Universities Games in Belgrade, Serbia.

Thereafter, Judo will again be included as the one of the four sports at the 2021 European Universities Combat Championships, taking place

once more in the Croatia capital, Zagreb.

The aim of the signed Memorandum of Understanding is for EUSA and EJU to work together in activities and projects promoting Judo as a university sport in Europe, to promote and contribute to the development of judo competitions among students while also exchanging information and searching for new opportunities arising from the newly-signed cooperation.



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INTERVIEW WITH THE HEAD OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION'S SPORT UNIT

A EUSA Dinner was organised at the end of November, where several special EUSA awards were handed out to deserving recipients who have significantly contributed to the development and growth of the organisation. Among the award winners was Mr Yves Le Lostecque, Head of the European Commission's Sport Unit, who received the EUSA Order of Merit for his constant support and personal engagement on behalf of his institution. EUSA had the privilege of catching up with Mr Le Lostecque, who reflected on his award, the impact of sport on European youth, and what the future holds.

Congratulations on your EUSA Order of Merit and thank you for your involvement and support. What does this award mean to you?

It is an incredible honour to have been awarded the EUSA Order of Merit. Since I took up my position of Head of the Sport Unit in the European Commission, it has been a pleasure to cooperate with EUSA. We share a common commitment to foster grassroots sport, and to underline the need for more sport and physical activity in our daily lives, including, of course, in universities.

The current European Multiannual Financial Framework (MFF) is now ending. How would you evaluate the Erasmus+ programme, especially related to the Sports Chapter?

I consider Erasmus+: Sport as a success story. It has allowed us to support thousands of projects and to translate into concrete actions our policy priorities. Projects promoting social inclusion through sport, and sport for health in particular, have benefited from substantial financial support.

What can we expect from the new programme in future?

Quite simply: the same and even more. The future programme will be more open to international cooperation and will allow us to promote mobility of sport coaches and

staff, which was not possible under the current programme.

How would you evaluate the progress made in the university sport sector in recent years, especially regarding Dual Career?

The progress has been good, especially since more and more universities are showing understanding towards Dual Career needs and flexibility towards athletes, respecting their time for trainings and competitions. We are also receiving more and more applications for Erasmus projects in this field, which is also a welcome trend.

In your opinion, how important a role does sport play in shaping the lives of young men and women on the continent?

It is essential: on a physical level, of course, to improve our health, but also on a personal level, to promote respect, tolerance and fair play.

Having attended EUG2018 and other events, how important do you feel EUSA is in developing university sport in Europe?

I am very impressed with the work done by EUSA. You are doing a great job at creating a community of students around sport.

Finally, what role has sport played in your life?

Sport is, and has always been, my passion. Those who know



me consider that I am football addicted, but the truth is that I love all kinds of sports. I feel very lucky that my function allows me to combine this passion and work.





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FUTURE PROGRAMME

As the leading organisation working in the field of university sport in Europe, EUSA is proud to share with you our future plans for university sport across the continent. Our goal is to continue to develop the quality sports events we govern as well as evolve our educational programme, thereby delivering above and beyond the expectations of our student-athletes, universities and partners.



EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES GAMES

BELGRADE, SERBIA JULY 14-27, 2021



During the 2016 EUSA General Assembly which took place in Wroclaw, Poland, Belgrade was officially announced as the host city for the fifth edition of the European Universities Games, with Serbia set to host the biggest edition of the Games so far in EUSA history.

Following the global COVID-19 Coronavirus outbreak however, and with the health and safety of all EUG2020 participants the primary concern, it was decided in March 2020 that the fifth edition of the European Universities Games would be postponed by a year. While this may have partly disrupted preparations for the event which was set to take place in July 2020, EUSA together with the EUG2020 Organising Committee have remained committed to the organisation of what is still set to be the biggest European university sports event of the year.

Belgrade is no stranger to hosting elite sporting events, even at university sport level, having hosted the 2009 FISU Summer Universiade, and will now add the EUG2020 onto their impressive list, which includes the World Volleyball League Finals, the World Kickboxing Championships and the men and women's European Water Polo Championships, to name but a few.

Led by an experienced Organising Committee across a range of sectors, the hosts of the fifth European Universities Games are aiming for this to be the biggest event in the competition's history, with over 5 500 participants expected to descend upon the confluence of the Rivers Sava and Danube to showcase their sporting prowess.

With a population of close to two million people, Belgrade is a bubbling metropolis with an array of impressive sporting facilities that student-athletes at Belgrade 2021 will have the privilege of playing in, not least the 20 000-seater Stark Arena, which will host what will surely be a spectacular opening ceremony.

Others include the 5000-seater Sport Hall Ranko Zeravica, which has facilities for basketball, volleyball and handball; KSC Pinki, which can host futsal, basketball, volleyball, handball and kickboxing, as well as Tennis Center Novak, named after Serbia's world-famous tennis star Novak Djokovic, which boasts seven high class tennis courts.

A total of 19 sporting disciplines, as well as competition for athletes with disabilities, will be on show at EUG Belgrade 2020. They are: Badminton, Basketball, 3x3 Basketball, Beach Handball, Beach Volleyball, Chess, Football, Futsal, Handball, Judo, Para Judo, Karate, Kickboxing, Orienteering, Rowing, Table Tennis, Para Table Tennis, Taekwondo, Tennis, Volleyball and Water Polo.

Almost 1 000 volunteers and over 800 referees will be present in Belgrade, while interestingly, an exact total of 2020 medals will be awarded throughout the Games.

Participants and attendees of the event will not only enjoy a wide variety of summer sporting competitions, yet will also be able to involve themselves in educational and social aspects of university sport in Europe, with conferences, exhibitions and workshops discussing the topics of Anti-Doping, Inclusion, Dual Career, as well as a Rectors' Conference, taking place.

Student-athletes, officials and invited guests will also have the chance to enjoy the rich, historic and cultural offerings the city of Belgrade has to offer, while being hosted in numerous top-quality accommodation venues in close proximity to the sports centres.



EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES GAMES 2022 AND 2024

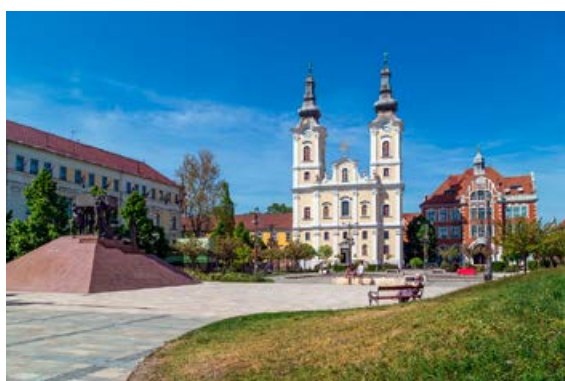


EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES GAMES 2022

ŁÓDŹ, POLAND



Poland's third-biggest city Łódź will host the sixth edition of the European Universities Games in 2022, having received attribution at the EUSA General Assembly held in Madrid in April 2018. It will be the biggest university sport event organised in Poland since the Winter Universiade in 2001. Organisers expect to host athletes from 13 different sport disciplines. The city of Łódź has hosted three EUSA Championships in the past, including the 2007 Handball Championships, as well as the Badminton and Volleyball Championships in 2019.



EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES GAMES 2024

DEBRECEN AND MISKOLC, HUNGARY



The Hungarian cities of Debrecen and Miskolc will host the 7th edition of European Universities Games. The announcement was made at the EUSA General Assembly held in Madrid in April 2018. This will be the biggest University multi-sport event organised in Hungary after the 1965 Summer Universiade. Organisers expect more than 4 500 athletes to compete in 20 different sports. Miskolc has previous experience in hosting a EUSA event after successfully organising the 2017 European Universities Basketball Championships, while joint-hosts Debrecen will be hosting a EUSA competition for the very first time. As test events for the 2024 Games, Miskolc will host both the 2021 European Universities Badminton and Water Polo Championships, while Debrecen will host the 2021 European Universities 3x3 Basketball Championships.

2019 KEY MEDIA NUMBERS



INTERNATIONAL
UNIVERSITY
SPORTS
FEDERATION



TV BROADCASTING
2,101
HOURS

95.5M
USERS REACHED

VIDEO VIEWS
38.2M

3.3M
ENGAGEMENTS

LIVE STREAM
838
HOURS

CUMULATIVE TV AUDIENCE

372M

87M
IMPRESSIONS

VIDEO VIEWS
9.7M

TV BROADCASTING
2,419
HOURS

LIVE STREAM
562
HOURS



1.4M
TOTAL AUDIENCE REACH

40k
VIEWS ON FISU.TV

INSTAGRAM

478k
POST IMPRESSIONS

62k
TWITTER
IMPRESSIONS

29
LIVE
STREAM
HOURS

216k
FACEBOOK
POST
REACH



INSTAGRAM POST
364k
IMPRESSIONS

TOTAL AUDIENCE REACH
2.09M

46k
VIEWS
ON
FISU.TV

129
LIVE
STREAM
HOURS

987k
FACEBOOK
POST
REACH

390k
TWITTER
IMPRESSIONS



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14-27 JULY 2021



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