



# **EUBC ELITE MEN & WOMEN EUROPEAN BOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

## **BELGRADE 2024**

**15-29 April**

## **TEAM DELEGATIONS' HANDBOOK**

Version 1.0

\* EUBC reserves the right to update this handbook as and when required.

\* This Handbook must be read in conjunction with the IBA Technical and Competition Rules.



**Dr. Ioannis Filippatos**

President

European Boxing Confederation

Dear EUBC National Federations, Dear Boxers, Dear Boxing Family,

We are poised to have a phenomenal and very busy 2024. I am delighted to invite you to the prestigious EUBC Elite Men & Women European Boxing Championships 2024, which will take place from 15th to 29th April in Belgrade, Serbia.

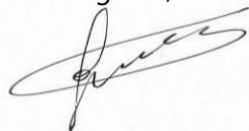
This is the flagship championship of our Confederation, and to make the atmosphere even more exciting, both Elite Men and Elite Women will compete on the same stage this time. But further to this, the competition will be fierce as the boxers will vie for prize money. With the support from IBA's President Umar Kremlev and the IBA, eligible medallists and quarterfinalists in the 25 weight categories will earn the following:  
Gold–USD15,000; Silver–USD10,000; Bronze (x 2)–USD5,000; Quarterfinalist (x 4)– USD1000

As you know, the Elite boxers are in heavy preparation especially this year and there is no doubt that both prize money and bragging rights incentives will spur them on even more, ultimately setting the 2024 EUBC Elite championships to be the best.

Mr. Nenad Borovcanin, President of the Serbian Boxing Federation and his team have tremendous experience in hosting boxing championships. We remember the impressive 2021 IBA Championships hosted by the SBF, and I have no doubt that they will organize this Championships at a very high and professional standard.

EUBC's primary goal is to ensure our boxers have the best opportunities and certainly the EUBC Elite Championships will provide them with an extraordinary platform to showcase their skill and talent. See you soon in Belgrade and good luck to all participants.

*Kind regards,*



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ioannis Filippatos'.

*Dr. Ioannis Filippatos*

*President*

*European Boxing Confederation*



**Mr.Nenad Borovcanin**

President

Serbian Boxing Federation

Dear boxers, living legends of the great game of boxing, ladies, and gentlemen,

I have the distinct honor to greet you on the upcoming EUBC European Boxing Championships in Serbia, Belgrade.

Winning a medal at EUBC European Boxing Championships is a dream of all boxers and admirers alike. And it is in our nature never to stop until our dreams are achieved. The great competition ahead of us represents a unique mixture of team spirit, courage, patriotism, and unfathomable passion for boxing.

I firmly believe that the Serbian Boxing Federation will do a fantastic job in organizing this tournament, and that both the competitors and spectators will take great pleasure in the opportunity to participate in it.

I would like to express my utmost gratitude to the EUBC for convening such a wonderful event,

*Sincerely yours,*

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to be 'Nenad Borovcanin', written on a white background.

*Mr. Nenad Borovcanin*

*President of the Serbian Boxing Federation*

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## 1. ORGANISER

The Serbian Boxing Federation, affiliated with IBA and EUBC, has been entrusted with the organization of the EUBC Elite Men and Women European Boxing Championships, Belgrade 2024.

## 2. CONTACTS

SUBJECT	EMAIL
Registrations for Team Delegations	<a href="mailto:office@eubcboxing.org">office@eubcboxing.org</a> <a href="mailto:teamdelegation2024ep@gmail.com">teamdelegation2024ep@gmail.com</a>
Registrations for Extra Officials	<a href="mailto:office@eubcboxing.org">office@eubcboxing.org</a>
Visa & Entry Requirements	<a href="mailto:epvisaentry2024@gmail.com">epvisaentry2024@gmail.com</a>
Competition related	<a href="mailto:office@eubcboxing.org">office@eubcboxing.org</a>
Press & Media related	<a href="mailto:media@eubcboxing.org">media@eubcboxing.org</a>
Accommodation & Transport	<a href="mailto:accomodationep2024@gmail.com">accomodationep2024@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:eptransport2024@gmail.com">eptransport2024@gmail.com</a>

## 3. DISCLAIMER

Disclaimer regarding damages/inappropriate behaviour by Team Delegations at EUBC-Sanctioned events

The EUBC and the Host National Federation/Local Organizing Committee of the EUBC Championships will not tolerate any misconduct, damages, or inappropriate actions committed by any member of Team Delegations.

Previous EUBC Championships have experienced certain regrettable incidents by certain individuals belonging to team delegations, especially of young age, which resulted in damages to properties and disrespect to hotel staff.

The EUBC and LOCs rely on the National Federations participating at the Championships to ensure that their delegations will follow all basic rules of behaviour and respect.

The EUBC and the LOC would like to remind National Federations that they (the NFs) will be held accountable and responsible for any damages caused by their Team Delegation to the properties of the hotel, venue and any facilities of the Championships. The EUBC Code of Conduct is in effect for all EUBC Championships and where necessary, Article 7 will be activated.

## 4. COMPETITION REGULATIONS AND OFFICIALS

### 4.1 Regulations

The Championships will be organized based on IBA Technical & Competition Rules.

The Official Draw will be conducted by IBA Approved Scoring System through an electronic draw.

### 4.2 Competition Officials

The Technical Delegate of the event is Mr. Viorel Sima.

This Championships is an EUBC-sanctioned Event and will be officiated by IBA-certified International Technical Officials and IBA 3-star Referees/Judges.

## 5. EVENT SCHEDULE

### 5.1 Event Period

The event dates are 15 - 29 April 2024 and the schedule will include the following:

Arrivals & Sport Entries	15.04.2024.
Sport Entries Check	16.04 – 17.04.2024.
Technical Meeting & Official Draw	17.04.2024.
Opening Ceremony	18.04.2024.
Competition Period	18.04. -28.04.2024 (Rest day 26 April)
Departures**	29.04.2024.

\*\* Departures - as scheduled – teams will be informed of departure time from hotel.

**NOTE: The final schedule with dates and times will be decided accordingly with the Technical Delegate and LOC, and all Teams will be notified.**

**TRAINING:** The training venue will be available from 10.04.2024. Teams will be given a schedule for training times at the Official Training Venue. They will be allowed to train ONLY during the period that they have been assigned. The Schedule will be posted on the Information Board at Team Hotels, and Coaches will be informed.

## 6. PRIZE MONEY

Prize money will be given to Boxers earning 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> place according to the following criteria:

- The boxer will be entitled to receive the Prize Money **only** if he/she has won at least one bout (including by walkover) at the Competition;
- Prize money shall be paid according to article 1.7 of the IBA Technical and Competitions Rules;
- Prize money shall be paid exclusively in the United States Dollars (USD) currency;
- Prize money shall be paid by wire transfer to each eligible boxer's bank account;
- The sum listed in the table below is the gross amount to paid to each eligible boxer and EUBC will not be held liable for costs related to exchange rate costs, bank costs and commissions, etc.;
- Any taxes and duties which might arise in connection with the Prize Money shall be covered by boxer at their own expense.
- Boxer must provide all the respective bank details for transfer within 14 days after end of the Competition and provide any further information requested by EUBC Finance Department/EUBC Office.
- The processing of payment of prize money will begin two months after the end of the Championships providing all criteria have been satisfied.

Prize money will be given for the following placing in the 13 men weight categories and the 12 women weight classes according to the criteria listed above:

13 men and 12 women weight categories	
1 <sup>st</sup>	USD 15,000 (fifteen thousand United States Dollars)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	USD 10,000 (ten thousand United States Dollars)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	USD 5,000 (five thousand United States Dollars)
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5 <sup>th</sup>	USD 1,000 (one thousand United States Dollars)
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## 7. REGISTRATIONS

### 7.1 Boxers

Age Category: Elite Men and Women (between the ages of 19 and 40)

Age Eligibility: Boxers born from 01<sup>st</sup> January 1984 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2005

Only one boxer per National Federation per weight category will be allowed to compete. National Federations may register a maximum of one main boxer and up to two reserve boxers for each of the weight categories listed below:

#### MEN

#	Weight Category	over Kg	to Kg
1	Minimumweight	46	48
2	Flyweight	48	51
3	Bantamweight	51	54
4	Featherweight	54	57
5	Lightweight	57	60
6	Light Welterweight	60	63.5
7	Welterweight	63.5	67
8	Light Middleweight	67	71
9	Middleweight	71	75
10	Light Heavyweight	75	80
11	Cruiserweight	80	86
12	Heavyweight	86	92
13	Super Heavyweight	92	-

#### WOMEN

#	Weight Category	over Kg	to Kg
1	Minimumweight	45	48
2	Light Flyweight	48	50
3	Flyweight	50	52
4	Bantamweight	52	54
5	Featherweight	54	57
6	Lightweight	57	60
7	Light Welterweight	60	63
8	Welterweight	63	66
9	Light Middleweight	66	70
10	Middleweight	70	75
11	Light Heavyweight	75	81
12	Heavyweight	81	-

All registrations must be done through the IBA database (<https://iba-database.sport/nf>)

Entering reserve boxers in the database is strongly encouraged to allow an option of substituting boxers prior to the Sport Entries Check without penalties.

### 7.2 Team Officials

Each Team Delegation can register the following number of Team Officials:

- 1 Team Manager
- 1 Team Doctor
- 1 Physiotherapist
- 1 IBA Certified Team Cut Technician

Number of coaches according to the table below:

- o 1 – 3 Boxers: Up to 3 Coaches
- o 4 – 8 Boxers: Up to 6 Coaches
- o 9 – 13 Boxers: Up to 8 Coaches
- o 14 – 25 Boxers: Up to 10 Coaches



### 7.3 Coaches

Only IBA certified coaches (1, 2 or 3 star) can be registered as a Coach for this event. National Level coaches (not certified by IBA) are not allowed to serve as seconds and can only be registered as Extra Persons.

If your Team Delegation does not have an IBA Certified coach (1, 2 or 3 star), please raise this issue at the Technical Meeting, so arrangements can be made with another team.

Each Boxer will be entitled to be accompanied to the ring by up to three (3) coaches. However, only two (2) Coaches may mount the apron of the ring and only one (1) may enter the ring.

One of the 3 coaches can be replaced by an IBA Certified Team Cut Technician.

### 7.4 Extra Team Officials (to work with the team)

Each National Federation has the possibility to register **up to two** additional extra team officials. Extra Team Officials will have access to Team Stands and Training Venue, but will NOT have access to warm-up areas in the Competition Venue and will NOT be allowed to serve as seconds. Extra team officials must be accommodated in the team hotels in order to be accredited.

It is the responsibility of respective National Delegations to ensure that all Team Delegations Members hold the required certification and are qualified to perform their duties.

### 7.5 National Federation Representatives (President, Secretary General, etc.) or VIPs

Each team must inform the LOC ([accomodationep2024@gmail.com](mailto:accomodationep2024@gmail.com)) and EUBC Office ([office@eubcboxing.org](mailto:office@eubcboxing.org)) about any national federation representatives or VIPs who will attend the Championships on behalf of the NF.

### 7.6 Process and deadlines

**Registration will open on 14 February 2024 and end on 05 March 2024.**

All registrations for Team Delegations will have to be completed through the IBA database (<https://iba-database.sport/nf>)

Registration for	Done by	Deadline
Boxers	National Federations via IBA Database	05 March 2024
Team Officials	National Federations via IBA Database	05 March 2024
Extra Team Officials	National Federations via IBA Database ("Extra Officials" Section)	05 March 2024
Rooming List	National Federations via IBA Database ("room request" section) and by email to the LOC	01 April 2024
Arrival/Departure time of Team Delegation	National Federations via IBA Database and by email to LOC	01 April 2024

### 7.7 Late registration fees

Late registrations will be considered only on a case by case basis and **the fines will be in effect.**

Please note, that EUBC has introduced a system of fines in order to support the organizers of EUBC Competitions and ensure timely submission of all registration information. EUBC encourages all National Federations to plan timely and diligently to avoid these fines. **All fines WILL BE IN EFFECT for the Championships.**

Offence	Penalty Amount	Remarks
Late registration/replacement of a boxer	€ 200	Must be paid prior to Sport Entries Check
Late registration/replacement of a coach, team manager, doctor, cut technician, or physio	€ 100	Must be paid prior to Sport Entries Check
Registration of a new boxer at the Sport Entries Check without any prior notice	€ 500	Must be paid prior to Sport Entries Check & confirmed by respective National Federation

## 8. ACCREDITATIONS

All Team Delegation members registered for the event through the IBA Database within the deadline will receive their accreditations on site after payment of accommodation is confirmed.

All photos must be sent to the LOC for preparation of the Accreditations. Please contact [mpopadic@gmail.com](mailto:mpopadic@gmail.com)

Accreditations will be given out only upon presentation of a passport. The Accreditation Center will be located at the Hotel Jugoslavija.

## 9. SPORT ENTRIES CHECK

The Sport Entries Check will take place on 16.04 – 17.04.2024. at the Hotel Jugoslavija. Please make sure to arrive in Belgrade, Serbia on or prior to 16 April. EUBC and LOC will inform Team Delegations of their exact appointment time prior to the event (the schedule will also be displayed at Team Delegation Information Desks). The Sport Entries Check is **mandatory** for all Team Delegations, and teams should make all necessary arrangements to attend their appointment on time.

Each Team delegation can appoint a maximum of 2 persons to attend the Sport Entries Check.

Each Team Delegation's representatives will have an appointment with the Officials to confirm the entry list of their delegation, the spelling of boxers' names, the uniforms, national flag & anthem and to present the official documents listed below.

Your representative(s) must present:

- National Passports of each boxer
- Record Books of each boxer (with annual medical examination completed within the previous 12 months)
- Results of Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C and HIV tests, not older than 6 months
- Declaration of non-pregnancy (females)
- IBA Medical certificates issued within the last 30 days for each boxer.
- Anti-doping consent forms signed by each boxer.
- Video consent form signed by team manager/head coach.
- Code of Conduct Enforcement signed by team manager/head coach.
- Boxer's uniform examples.

To complete the Sport Entries process and receive accreditations, all Team Delegations must pay accommodation costs in full.

**All Sport Entries Check forms can be found on the EUBC website:**

**<https://eubcboxing.org/documents/>**

**Under "Sport Entries Check"**

### IMPORTANT

- Please note that the presence of your representative is mandatory. In the event where Team Delegation Representatives do not show-up to the scheduled appointment, the entire Team will be disqualified.
- All Documents Must Be Presented

## 10. VISA & ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The Organizer will provide assistance for Visas if required.

For all information, please contact:

1. Tijana Vlahovic – +381658525820
2. Uros Jakovljevic- +381656673396
3. Email address – [epvisaentry2024@gmail.com](mailto:epvisaentry2024@gmail.com)

Subsequently, you will receive an invitation letter which is necessary to apply the Visa.

The process for obtaining a visa for Serbia will be as follows:

Team delegations who need a Visa must immediately request it at the Serbia Embassy/Consulate of their country.

- For more information, please visit the following website:  
<https://www.mfa.gov.rs/gradjani/ulazak-u-srbiju/vizni-rezim>

## 11. TRANSPORTATION

### 11.1 International Transportation

All travel information related to the Team Delegation must be entered in the IBA Database during the registration and additionally sent to the LOC at [eptransport2024@gmail.com](mailto:eptransport2024@gmail.com)

The airport of arrival and departure will be airport Nikola Tesla in Belgrade. In case of requiring any kind of assistance at the airport, please contact the LOC at: +381644627655 – Dejan Jokovic

**Deadline to submit arrival and departure information: 01.04.2024.**

### 11.2 Local Transportation

Local transportation will be provided by the organizers to and from the airports, as well as between Team Hotel(s) and Competition/Training venues as needed.

Guidance information and timetables will be displayed on information boards in the lobby of each Team Hotel.

## 12. ACCOMMODATION

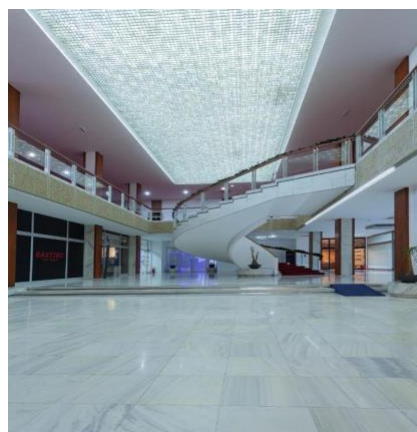
### 12.1 Team Delegations' Hotel

#### 1. HOTEL JUGOSLAVIJA

\*\*\*\* MAIN TEAM DELEGATION HOTEL

Rating (3 and 4 star)

Address: Bulevar Nikole Tesle 3



Reminder: NF Representatives cannot stay at Team Delegations' Hotels.

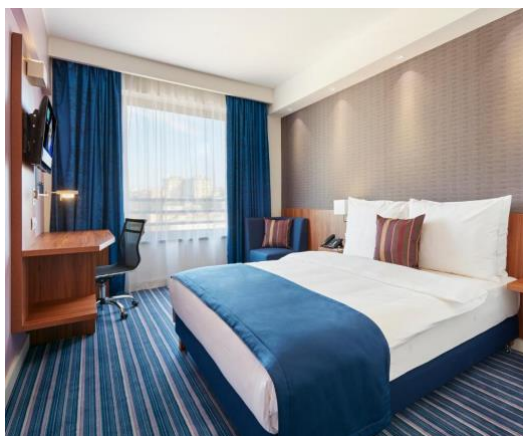
Type of Room	Price per person (EUR)
Single Occupancy	110
Double Occupancy	80
Triple Occupancy	70



2. NOBEL PLACE ( HOLIDAY IN EXPRESS) HOTEL \*\*\*\*

Rating (4 star )

Address: Ruzveltova 23



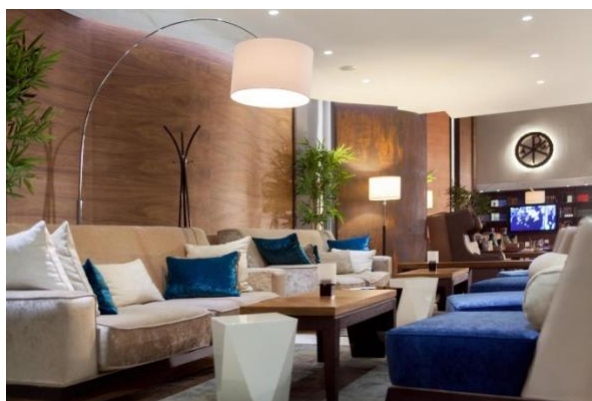
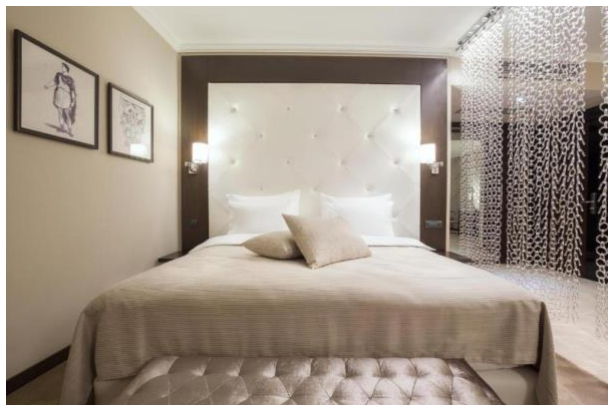
Reminder: NF Representatives cannot stay at Team Delegations' Hotels.

Type of Room	Price per person
Single Occupancy	120
Double Occupancy	90
Triple Occupancy	80

3. HOTEL KONSTANTIN \*\*\*\*

Rating (4 star)

Address: Mije Kovačevića 7



Type of Room	Price per person (EUR)
Single Occupancy	120
Double Occupancy	90
Triple Occupancy	80

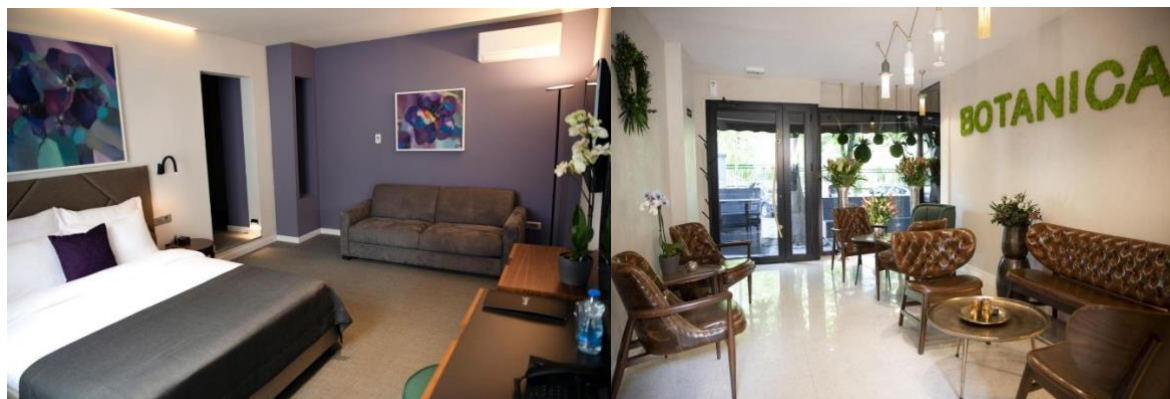


## 12.2 Extra Officials Hotel

HOTEL BOTANICA\*\*\*\*

Rating (4 star)

Address: Mije Kovačevića 7



Type of Room	Price per person (EUR)
Single Occupancy	120
Double Occupancy	90
Triple Occupancy	80

### 12.3 VIP Hotel

(Including guests NF Representatives eg. Presidents, Secretaries, etc.)

#### HYATT HOTEL \*\*\*\*\*

Rating (5\*star)

Address: Milentija Popovica 5 , Beograd

Website <https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/hotel/serbia/hyatt-regency-belgrade/belgr>




Type of Room	Price per person (EUR)
Single Room	150
Double room	120

### 13. PAYMENT CONDITIONS AND BANK INFORMATION

All Team Delegations must pay the full room charges for the entire event Period (15 April – 29 April).

Bank transfer payment is accepted and must be completed 05.04.2024, using the following Bank account:

<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <b>BANKA POŠTANSKA ŠTEDIONICA,</b>  <b>AKCIONARSKO DRUŠTVO, BEOGRAD</b>  <small>Београд, Палила, Улица Краљице Марије бр.3 Република Србија</small> </div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>BANKA POŠTANSKA ŠTEDIONICA,</b>  <b>AKCIONARSKO DRUŠTVO, BEOGRAD</b>  <small>Београд, Палила, Улица Краљице Марије бр.3 Република Србија</small> </div> </div>	
<b>TRANSFER HAS TO BE EFFECTED AS PER FOLLOWING INSTRUCTION</b> INSTRUKCIJA ZA USMERAVANJE DEVIZNIH SREDSTAVA	
<b>FIELD 32: CURRENCY</b>	EUR
<b>FIELD 56a: INTERMEDIARY INSTITUTION</b>	Raiffeisen Bank International AG Austria SWIFT: RZBAATWW
<b>FIELD 57a: ACCOUNT WITH INSTITUTION</b>	Banka Poštanska Štedionica a.d. 11000 BEOGRAD SWIFT: SBPORSBG
<b>FIELD 59: BENEFICIARY CUSTOMER – NAME &amp; ADDRESS</b>	RS35200371687010198889 EP U BOKSU 2024 DOO BEOGRAD TERAZIJE 45 11012 Beograd 155
<b>DETAILS OF PAYMENTS / CHARGES</b>	

**POSTAL SAVINGS BANK**  
 International and Domestic Payments Department  
  
 BANKA POŠTANSKA ŠTEDIONICA A.D.  
 Sektor za devizni i dinarski platni promet



## 14. COMPETITION & TRAINING VENUE

### 14.1 Competition Venue

Hall Aleksandar Nikolic „Pionir“

Adress: Čarlija Čaplina 39, Beograd



### 14.2 Training Venue

Training venue is the same venue as the official tournament venue – Aleksandar Nikolic – Hall Pionir

## 15. IMAGE RIGHTS & TECHNICAL VIDEO RECORDING

A Host Broadcaster will film promotional videos and official event photographers will take photos of boxers before and during the Championships. All training sessions will be open to the media. By participating in the Event, each Team Delegation Member agrees to release his/her image rights to EUBC.

Video recording of bouts by Team Delegation Members for broadcasting purposes of any kind(including social media) will not be allowed.

National Federations may be allowed to record bouts of their boxers with not more than one camera per ring, exclusively for technical purposes. Specific location in the venue will be reserved for this purpose. Each National Federation must submit a signed copy of the Video Consent Form at the Sport Entries Check.

## 16. DOPING CONTROL

Anti-doping controls will be conducted in accordance with the IBA Anti-Doping Rules and the World Anti-Doping Code. We want to remind you that according to WADA regulations, from 2016, blood testing may be conducted during IBA Competitions.

TUE must be submitted through the ADAMS system no later than the 15 March 2024

## 17. MEDICAL CARE

The LOC will provide medical care and first-aid during the entire Championships Period to any participant who suffers from a sports injury contracted during the Championships.

Nearest hospital with Accident & Emergency (A&E): Klinicki centar Srbije

Address: Pasterova 2

National Medical Emergency Telephone Number: [011 3618444](tel:0113618444)

## 18. INSURANCE

All participants are requested to get their own travel and medical insurance as the LOC will provide liability insurance for all participants only at the Competition Venue.

## 19. COVID-19 Protocol (if applicable)

The event is approved as professional sport event with a very strict countermeasure concept and if required, the EUBC Event Management Protocol for COVID-19 will be implemented according to the current COVID-19 situation in the Host City at the time of the Championships. There will be an update regarding all the requirements and protocols to be followed.



**SEE YOU IN BELGRADE!**