



**76th INTERNATIONAL BOXING
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INVITATION

It is our great pleasure and honor to extend you the invitation for participation in the **"76th International Boxing Tournament STRANDJA 2025"** which will be held from February 22nd to March 3rd, 2025 at the city of Sofia, Bulgaria.

Your participation in this tournament shall help us to promote boxing at all levels. Athletes from all around will gather in our beautiful capital to compete against each other and to win the STRANDJA trophy. For those new talents the tournament will be a platform for their roadmap for their qualifying events in Los Angeles 2028.

We are looking forward to welcoming all of you in Sofia, Bulgaria.

With kind regards,

KRASIMIR ININSKI

President

Bulgarian Boxing Federation





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EVENT FACT SHEET

1. TITLE OF EVENT: 76th International Boxing Tournament STRANDJA 2025

2. EVENT PERIOD

Tournament Period	22.02.2025 – 03.03.2025
Competition Period	24.02.2025 – 02.02.2025
Training camp	10 – 22 February 2025

3. DAILY COMPETITION SCHEDULE:

Date	Time	Phase of the tournament
21–22 February 2025		Arrival of Team Delegations and Registration
22 February 2025	16:00 – 20:00	Sport Entry Check upon assignment
23 February 2025	09:00 -14:00	Sport Entry Check upon assignment
	16:30	Technical Meeting
	17:00	Official Draw (Men and Women)
24 February 2025	08:00 – 09:00	Daily Medical Examination and Weight-in
	9:00 – 09:30	Medical Check for R&Js
	14:00	Preliminaries - DAY 1
	17:30	Official Opening Ceremony
	18:00	Preliminaries - DAY 1
25 February 2025	08:00 – 09:00	Daily Medical Examination and Weight-in
	14:00	Preliminaries - DAY 2
	18:00	Preliminaries - DAY 2
26 February 2025	08:00 – 09:00	Daily Medical Examination and Weigh-in
	14:00	Preliminaries - DAY 3
	18:00	Preliminaries - DAY 3



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27 February 2025	08:00 – 09:00	Daily Medical Examination and Weigh-in
	14:00	Preliminaries - DAY 4
	18:00	Preliminaries - DAY 4
28 February 2025	08:00 – 09:00	Daily Medical Examination and Weigh-in
	14:00	Quarterfinals – Women
	18:00	Quarterfinals – Men
1 March 2025	08:00 – 09:00	Daily Medical Examination and Weigh-in
	14:00	Semifinals – Women
	18:00	Semifinals – Men
2 March 2025	08:00 – 09:00	Daily Medical Examination and Weigh-in
	14:00	Finals – Day 1
3 March 2025		Departures



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4. ELIGIBILITY OF BOXER AND AGE CLASSIFICATION

Age Classification:	Boxers (Men and Women) between the age of 19 and 40 are eligible to compete (born between 01.01.1985 and 31.12.2006)	
Weight Classification:	Men's (in kg)	Women's (in kg)
	Minimum weight – 46-48	Minimum weight – 45-48
	Flyweight – 51	Light Flyweight – 50
	Bantamweight – 54	Flyweight – 52
	Featherweight – 57	Bantamweight – 54
	Lightweight – 60	Featherweight – 57
	Light Welterweight – 63,5	Lightweight – 60
	Welterweight – 67	Light Welterweight – 63
	Light Middleweight – 71	Welterweight – 66
	Middleweight – 75	Light Middleweight – 70
	Light Heavyweight – 80	Middleweight – 75
	Cruiserweight – 86	Light Heavyweight – 81
	Heavyweight – 92	Heavyweight – +81
Super Heavyweight – +92		

Double-up registration will be possible until reaching the maximum boxer per category or bouts per day.

It will be decided on a first-come-first-served basis.



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5. COMPOSITION OF OFFICIAL DELEGATION:

Each Team Delegation can have the following number of officials:

- 1–5 Boxers: 3 coaches + 1 medical + 1 R/J + 1 official
- 5–15 Boxers: 5 coaches + 1 medical + 1 R/J + 1 official
- 15–26 Boxers: 10 coaches + 1 medical + 1 R/J + 1 official

6. NUMBER OF ROUNDS:

Men: Three (3) rounds of three (3) minutes, one (1) minute rest between rounds

Women: Three (3) rounds of three (3) minutes, one (1) minute rest between rounds

7. REFEREES AND JUDGES

R&J are sent by National Federations. Their registration must be completed by 1 February 2025.

For the fair play and successful competition, it is highly recommended to NFs to bring their 3 Stars R&Js.

8. REGISTRATION FORMS

Please fill all attached forms and send them all back to the Organizing Committee, signed/confirmed by the National Federation's President or Secretary General until:

a. For Final Entry Registration and Room request: Send an electronic copy of the final registration forms by e-mail **until 1 February, 2025** to strandja2025@gmail.com

b. For Travel Details: Send the filed-in travel details form by e-mail **until February 5th, 2025** to strandja2025@gmail.com



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09. REQUIREMENTS

a) All Boxers must bring along with them:

- Record book with annual medicals duly completed and updated
- Current and valid Passport

b) Boxer's Uniform:

Each boxer must bring uniforms according the latest rules.

10. TRANSPORTATION

All the delegates will be welcomed at Sofia Airport by the staff of the Organizing Committee to be transported to the hotel. The Organizing Committee will provide local transportation for all participants between the airport and the hotel and the competition venue free of charge. Each National Federation will organize and pay for the travel arrangements for their athletes and officials from their country to Sofia Airport and from Sofia Airport to their country.

11. ACCOMMODATION

The hotel reservations of all participants – boxers and officials (incl. Extra Officials and VIPs) must be completed through LOC.

A. Room Rates for Team Delegations are as follows:

Park Hotel Moskva 3* (next to the competition venue)**

For double/triple occupancy (2/3 persons per room - twin beds)	EUR 95 per person , per day, including 3 meals
For single occupancy (1 person per room)	EUR 115 per person , per day, including 3 meals

- Free Wi-Fi connection
- Optional accommodation in triple occupancy
- **Limited amount of single rooms available – first come – first served basis**



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Park Hotel Vitosha 4** - 10 minutes' drive from the competition venue**

For double occupancy (2 persons per room - twin beds)	EUR 110 per person , per day, including 3 meals
For single occupancy (1 person per room)	EUR 130 per person , per day, including 3 meals

- Free Wi-Fi connection, fitness center
- **Limited triple room option – please request by email.**
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The room rates are provided for the tournament period and apply from **20 February 2025** (in case of early arrivals) to **3 March 2025**. When filling in the Travel and Accommodation Form, team delegations must include their choice of hotel.

B. Payment of Hotel Room Charges:

All Team Delegations must pay the full room charges for the entire tournament period.

Payment methods: in **CASH (EUR)** upon arrival or by **BANK TRANSFER** to:

Account holder: Company for International Meetings – CIM Ltd.

Bank: Eurobank EFG Bulgaria

IBAN: BG54BPBI 7940 1401226001, BIC: BPBIBGSF

Please, ask for invoice before completing the payment to settle the total amount. **Deadline for bank payments: 20th of February 2025.**

12. INSURANCE

All participants are requested to get their own travel and medical insurance.

13. VISA

Those countries that need entry visas for Bulgaria must send us:

- list with the names of participants
- birth dates
- the passport numbers
- Copies of passport



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Not later than 20 January 2025 and contact the Embassy of Bulgaria in their countries in advance or the nearest Consulate of Bulgaria in neighboring countries. The Organizing committee will provide all the necessary facilities for all the participating countries to enter into Bulgaria. To ensure and speed up the visa application process, please remember to fill in the Final entry form carefully and to send it to the Organizing committee in due time. Based on this form the Organizing committee will issue a formal Visa support letter to facilitate the visa procedure.

Please keep in mind that Bulgaria is already part of the Schengen zone and we cannot speed up the approval process.

14. PRE-TOURNAMENT TRAINING CAMP

International training camp before the tournament will be held from **10 February 2025**, and will last until the beginning of the Tournament. The deadline for registration for the training camp is the 5th February 2025. The prices for accommodation (Park Hotel Moskva) are as follows:

- Single room - 90 Euros per person per night, 3 meals per day, Wi-Fi connection, transportation to training venue, special gift
- Double room - 70 Euros per person per night, 3 meals per day, Wi-Fi connection, transportation to training venue, special gift

Please, send you request to strandja2025@gmail.com

Contact details of the Local Organizing Committee:

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