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16th USPE European Police Championships Swimming

15th – 19th November 2021 in Moscow/Russia

Invitation to Enter

The Russian Public and State Police Sports Association "Dynamo" was entrusted by the Union Sportive des Polices d'Europe (USPE) with the organisation of the 16th USPE European Police Championships Swimming from 15th to 19th November 2021 in Moscow/Russia.

The following regulations are issued for the 16th USPE EPC Swimming 2021.

They have been adopted on the basis of the Statutes, Rules and Regulations, Competition Rules and Anti-Doping-Regulations of the USPE.



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1. General organiser

Union Sportive des Polices d'Europe (USPE)

2. Organiser

Russian Public and State Police Sports Association "Dynamo"

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3. Date

Arrival: 15th November 2021

Departure: 19th November 2021

4. Venue

The competition takes place at Sports complex «Dynamo Vodny stadium»:

- Venue: Leningradskoe shosse, 39, building 53
125212, Moscow
Russia
- Web: <http://www.vodnydynamo.ru/>

5. Accommodation

All participants, delegates and guests will be accommodated in:

- Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton Moscow – Marina
Leningradskoe Shosse, Moscow 39, bld 1
125212, Russian Federation
Tel: +7-495-212-20-20
Fax: +7-495-212-20-41
- Web: <https://doubletreemoscow.ru/contacts.html>

The meals for the teams will start with dinner on 15th November 2021 and end with breakfast on 19th November 2021. The eating schedule will be specified in the information "Welcome" upon arrival.

6. Travel Information / Visa procedure

6.1 Travel information

The organiser will provide the shuttle from Moscow airports and railway stations according to the travelling details of the delegations. **The organiser requests that, if possible, arrival and departure take place exclusively via "Sheremetyevo Airport".**

6.2 Shuttle service during the USPE EPC Swimming

The organiser will provide shuttle services during the USPE EPC Swimming. The competition area is located nearby the hotel (walking distance of 5 minutes). Teams arriving by their own car/bus are requested to go directly to the hotel.

6.3 Visa procedure

For the successful visa application to the Russian Federation please kindly send the following information as soon as possible to the Dynamo Office (sportpolicerus@gmail.com):

- name and surname
- gender
- date of birth
- passport number
- passport issue date
- passport validity date
- city and consulate where you will apply for visa.

Dynamo Russia will send the invitations both to the participants and guests as well as to the Russian embassies/consulates in the indicated cities.

The further procedure of visa application to Russia is fulfilled in accordance to the rules and regulations of the Russian embassies/consulates in the respective country of each participant.

In case of any difficulties please contact the Dynamo office (sportpolicerus@gmail.com).

7. Safety Requirements

The organiser will ensure that all safety requirements are met according to the rules of the respective sports discipline. The organiser will ensure that a medical first aid will be present at the matches. The organiser is responsible for ensuring safety during the USPE EPC Swimming.

8. Insurance

Everyone involved in the USPE EPC Swimming is responsible for his/her own insurance cover. The participating member countries are responsible for and undertake to conclude all necessary and adequate insurance cover (e.g. accident and health insurance) for their whole delegation members at their own expense for the whole duration of the USPE EPC Swimming. Claims for damages against the USPE are expressly excluded.

9. Competition rules

The USPE Competition Rules, item 4.9 Swimming, shall apply.

4.9.1 The rules and regulations laid down by Fédération Internationale de Natation (FINA) shall apply, unless otherwise stipulated below or provided for in the Invitation to Enter.

Note: Lifesaving will not take place in accordance with item 10.6.

4.9.2 In agreement with the organiser and the USPE Secretary General, the responsible member of the USPE Technical Commission determines the disciplines for the EPC.

4.9.3 Each member union may enter up to two sportsmen/-women per individual discipline with regard to both men's and ladies' events. The number of starts in individual disciplines is not limited. One team per relay event may be entered.

Each member union may send up to 28 sportsmen/-women as well as up to four attendants. However, the number of attendants must not exceed the number of sportsmen/-women.

The competition will be held with preliminary heats and finals. A direct final will be held in case of 8 or less participants per discipline/teams per relay. An individual swimmer or relay team qualified but not wishing to take part in a final shall withdraw within 30 minutes after the end of the preliminary heats concerned. Reserves for finals will be based on times established in the preliminary heats. It is the responsibility of the team manager to ensure that athletes are present at the finals of the competition.

10. Event

10.1 Seeding

The lane placing will be to the times, based on the entry time announced with Form 5. If no time is announced, the respective swimmer will be placed by draw. The lane placing for the finals will be based on times established in the preliminary heats. In case of a direct final, the competitors/relays will be seeded according to the times announce with Form 5. All lane placing will be in accordance to the FINA Rules.

10.2 Competition area

The Competitions will be at the Sports complex «Dynamo Vodny stadium» which is located nearby the hotel (walking distance of 5 minutes).

A total of a 50m pool with 10 lanes are available for the USPE EPC.
Temperature: 26 degrees celsius.

10.3 Participants

Each team can enter two women and two men for each discipline. The number of starts in individual disciplines is not limited. One country can field one team in relay disciplines. Each member union may send up to 28 sportsmen/-women as well as up to four attendants. However, the number of attendants must not exceed the number of sportsmen/-women.

10.4 Sport equipment

All teams are expected to wear uniform sportswear displaying the emblems of their individual member union. Only FINA approved swimsuits are allowed during the competition.

10.5 Official Training

Official training will be arranged on the 1st day of the stay until 10:00 p.m.

10.6 Disciplines

50m	Freestyle
100m	Freestyle
400m	Freestyle
50m	Breaststroke
100m	Breaststroke
50m	Backstroke

100m	Backstroke
50m	Butterfly
100m	Butterfly
200m	Individual medley
4 x 100m	Medley relay
4 x 100m	Freestyle relay
4 x 50m	Freestyle mixed relay (2 women /2 men)

According to item 4.9.2 of the USPE Competition Rules the organiser, the USPE Secretary General and the USPE Technical Delegate decided to cancel lifesaving, as the hygiene guidelines for protection against Covid-19 cannot otherwise be observed due to the shortfall of the minimum distance.

The following competitions will be held for female and male. The number of entries sent with Form 3 will decide which disciplines will be held at this USPE EPC.

10.7 Decorations and honours

The winner of each individual disciplin and the team/relay competitions is: "European Police Champion".

- Medals:

Participants who took first, second and third places in individual competitions and relay will be awarded with prizes and medals.

- Other awards:

The organiser will hand over special awards.

The organiser will be award the 3 best teams to obtaining the highest number of points (sum) to the following system:

In individual events:

Places 1 – 8:	18, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10 points
Places 9 – 16:	8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 points

In relay events:

Places 1 – 8:	36, 32, 30, 28, 26, 24, 22, 20 points
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11. Referees

The provisions of the USPE Competition Rules, item 2.4, shall apply.

The organiser is in charge of ensuring that there are a sufficiently number of referees. The minimum standard for the referees is the highest national level. Exceptions to this must be approved by the competent member of the Technical Commission in charge for the respective sport and the USPE Secretary General.

12. Provisional Timetable

Monday, 15th November 2021

During the day	Arrival, Accreditation, Training until 10:00 p.m. at the Sports complex «Dynamo Vodny stadium» (depends on the arrival of the teams)
18:00 – 20:30	Dinner
20:30	Technical Meeting

Tuesday, 16th November 2021

09:30	Opening Ceremoy
10:15 – 11:00	Start warm-up «Dynamo Vodny stadium»
11:15 – 13:30	Preliminary heats:
50m	Freestyle women
50m	Freestyle men
100m	Breaststroke women
100m	Breaststroke men
100m	Butterfly women
100m	Butterfly men
4 x 100m	Freestyle women
4 x 100m	Freestyle men
16:00 – 16:45	Start warm-up «Dynamo Vodny stadium»
17:00	Finals Medal Ceremonies
During the day	Excursion program under a separate plan Reception at the Chairman of the Association "Dynamo" Russia



Wednesday, 17th November 2021

08:00 - 08:45 Start warm-up «Dynamo Vodny stadium»

09:00 - 12:00 Preliminary heats:

200m	Individual medley	women
200m	Individual medley	men
50m	Butterfly	women
50m	Butterfly	men
100m	Backstroke	women
100m	Backstroke	men
100m	Freestyle	women
100m	Freestyle	men
4 x 100m	Medley relay	women/men

15:30 - 16:15 Start warm-up «Dynamo Vodny stadium»

16:30 Finals

Medal Ceremonies

During the day Excursion program under a separate plan

Reception at the Chairman of the Association "Dynamo"
Moscow

Thursday, 18th November 2021

08:00 - 08:45 Start warm-up «Dynamo Vodny stadium»

09:00 - 12:00 Preliminary heats:

50m	Breaststroke	women
50m	Breaststroke	men
50m	Backstroke	women
50m	Backstroke	men
400m	Freestyle	women
400m	Freestyle	men
4 x 50m	Freestyle mixed relay	2 women/2 men

15:00 - 15:45 Start warm-up «Dynamo Vodny stadium»

16:00 Finals

Medal Ceremonies

20:00 – 23:00 Summary of the competition results and final banquet at the DoubleTree by Hilton hotel



Friday, 19th November 2021

Until 12:00 Departure

13. Jury of Appeal

The provisions of the USPE Rules and Regulations, Article R 19, shall apply.

The appeal jury is installed at each European Police Championship.

It is responsible for all appeals concerning the organisation and the regular course of events of the championship in question.

It is comprised of:

1. the USPE Secretary General, Mr. Andreas Röhner, or his appointed deputy as chairperson,
2. the competent member of the USPE Technical Commission, Mr. Massimo Re,
3. Director of Department Association «Dynamo», Mr. Andrei Danilov, or his appointed deputy ,
4. Mr. Anatoli Dolgushev, Deputy of the Chairman of Moscow region organisation «Dynamo».

In case of a hung decision the vote of the chairperson shall be final.

All appeals have to be made in writing by the delegate or one of the attendants of the member union in question within less than an hour after the end of the fixing or publication of the results unless the respective international sport rules specify different.

The delegate or one of the attendants of the member union has to enclose an appeal fee with the appeal in order for the appeal to be valid. The deposited sum will be refunded to its owner if the appeal proves to be justified. If the appeal is rejected the sum deposited is retained by the USPE. The appeal fee will be a total of 100,00 €, paid in cash.

14. Eligibility to start

The provisions of the Statutes, the Rules and Regulations, the Competition Rules as well as the Anti-Doping Regulations of the USPE shall apply. They have to satisfy the provisions set out in Article 23 of the USPE Statutes.

The participation in USPE Championships and Preliminary Rounds is restricted to athletes, who

1. meet the starting requirements of their international union,
2. belong to a national sports organisation that is a member of the USPE,
3. actually is a member of police organisation/force at the time of the championship or
4. are police students at a public police academy,



5. have reached the age of 18 at the time of the Championships or the Preliminary Rounds,
6. have signed the Anti-Doping Declaration and
7. submit the USPE Declaration of Participation signed by the respective President/Secretary General to the competent member of the Technical Commission.

The police are a set of all bodies and institutions in charge of maintenance of public law and order (administrative police and crime investigation departments).

Military police, members of the military, members of the fire brigades and civil servants that do not belong to the police are excluded from the European Police Championships and the Preliminary Rounds.

Competitors suspended from sports contests by the USPE or by the respective sports association due to having violated the relevant doping regulations are not eligible to enter.

15. Accreditation/Verification of eligibility to enter

For verification of a person's eligibility, the police ID and passport or national ID-card (including a photo) must be presented to the Delegate of the USPE. In case of a document deficiency, the permission to start may be refused.

According to the USPE Statutes, all participating countries must present the USPE Declaration of Participation for each athlete who will participate, signed by the respective President or Secretary General.

Without the Declaration the participation in the Final Round is not possible!

The competent member of the USPE Technical Commission, Mr. Massimo Re, will supervise the verification during the accreditation.

To ensure an effortless procedure, the teams must complete the Declaration of Participation Form prior to accreditation.

16. Anti-Doping

Doping tests (urine and/or blood, total: 6 doping test) will be conducted during the USPE EPC Swimming with the current WADA list of prohibited substances being applicable (www.wada-ama.org).

According to the USPE Statutes, all participating countries must present the USPE Anti-Doping Declaration for each athlete who will participate, signed by the respective President or Secretary General.

Without this Declaration the participation in the Final Round is not possible!

Please note the data protection notices for the Anti-Doping Declaration:

https://www.uspe.org/AntidopingDokumente/Data_protection_notices_USPE_Anti_Doping_Declaration.pdf

Each athlete can apply for TUE, i.e. permission to use, for therapeutic purposes, substances or methods contained in the list of prohibited substances or methods where use would otherwise be prohibited.

Please note the data protection notices for the TUE Application Form:

https://www.uspe.org/AntidopingDokumente/Template_USPE_TUE_Application_Form.pdf

More information are available on the USPE website under: www.uspe.org.

17. Financial provisions

17.1 Travelling expenses

Each member union will pay for its own travelling expenses.

17.2 Board and lodging

- Delegate

The organiser will pay for the expenses incurred by the delegate (Article R 11 of the USPE Rules and Regulations) of the participating member union.

- Team

For every other participant (athlete/attendant) 50,00 € per person / per night must be paid directly to the hotel. Bank details will be sent in time.

Note: In deviation to Article R 14/3 of the USPE Rules and Regulations the participation fee will not be paid to the organiser.

- Guests

In case a member country intends to be accompanied by guests and the organiser is able to provide the respective accommodation, each guest has to pay the actual costs incurred by themselves. The amount for the accommodation for the guests will be 100€ / 160€ per person / per night (single / double standard with three meals a day). The hotel will send the respective invoices in time.

Each Team and guest is obligated to indicate a billing address (e-mail) to the organiser of this USPE EPC. According to Form 4 invoice and the bank details will be sent by the host. This fee has to be paid by 5th November 2021.

17.3 Registration fee

Prior to a championship, each participating country has to pay a registration fee to the General Treasurer of the USPE. This fee has to be paid before the opening of the championship.

Registration fees:

For each start (singles/relay) 40.00 €. The USPE will send the respective invoices in time.

18. Registration

Each participating member country is requested to send the enclosed forms by e-mail to:

1. Russian Public and State Police Sports Association «Dynamo»
sportpolicedynamo@gmail.com
2. Office of the USPE Secretary General
office@uspe.org
3. USPE Technical Delegate Massimo Re
massimo.re@comune.torino.it

- Please meet the following deadlines:

Form 1	Registration of participation	14 th June 2021
Form 2	Number of participants	1 st July 2021
Form 3	Names of the participants	15 th September 2021
Form 4	Travelling details	1 st November 2021
Form 5	Announcement starts	15 th November 2021

Data protection notice:

The member countries are responsible for the data protection of their participants' data. Sending these forms by unencrypted e-mail is not a secure way of transmission. It is recommended to send the forms by post, fax or encrypted e-mail.

19. Restriction of personality rights

The corresponding agreement (art. 6, par. 1 lit, and art. 7 European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR)) of all participants (athletes, delegates, attendants) allowing the use of personal data during the competition, during the preparation for the competition, as well as after the competition and

follow-up documentation of the competition in pictures and video sequences as PR procedures, for example by the USPE, has been obtained by the participating member country and is at hand in the original.

All needed documents referring to Data protection are available to download on the USPE website:

https://www.uspe.org/data_protection.php.

It is the responsibility of the participating member country to ensure that every participant from their member country has consented to the GDPR agreement and the original consent document should be held by the member country.

20. Downloads

All needed documents are available to download on the USPE website under:

<https://www.uspe.org/downloadcenter.php>.

It is in the responsibility of all participating countries to present all needed documents to the USPE Technical Delegate, Mr. Massimo Re, during the accreditation.

21. Disclaimer

The USPE and the hosts shall not assume any liability in the event of accidents, theft and other events of damage or loss.

The disclaimer shall be recognised upon registration for the event.

22. Corona measures

With regard to the Covid-19 pandemic, the organiser will draw up an appropriate hygiene concept for the implementation of the 16th USPE EPC Swimming, adapted to the current situation and the applicable regulations of the Federal Government of Russia, and the City of Moscow.

The participants will be informed about the corresponding measures in due time.

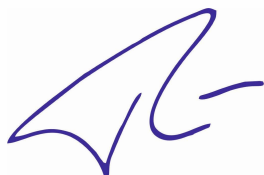
23. Notes

One contestant per team has to wear **the police uniform** of their respective country at the opening ceremony.

As to the Final Banquet all participants are requested to attend adequately dressed to suit the occasion (no blue jeans).

All teams shall wear uniform sportswear displaying the emblem of their individual member union.

Andreas Röhner
USPE Secretary General



Anatolii Gulevskii
Chairman of the Russian Public
and State Police Sports
Association "Dynamo"

