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67th CISM World Military Pentathlon Championship



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"Friendship through Sport"



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The Swedish Armed Forces will host the

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Sweden has the great honor of inviting a mission representing the Armed Forces of Your country to participate in the 67th CISM World Military Pentathlon Championship, which will be held in the Garrison of Halmstad from 20th to 27th of August 2023. The organizing committee will put great energy to create the best possible conditions for participants and we wish You a warm welcome to the Garrison of Halmstad.

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All CISM member nations are warmly invited and strongly encouraged to participate in this World Championship.

- 1. President of CISM.
- 2. Official CISM Representative.
- 3. The Vice-President of Europe.
- 4. CISM Secretary General.
- 5. Chief of European Liaison Office.
- 6. President and Members of CISM Sport Committee.
- 7. Representatives of the CISM Partners and Sponsors.
- 8. To the Chiefs of Delegation of CISM Members Countries:

A. Right to participate in the 67th CISM World Military Pentathlon

Only CISM active member nations have the right to participate in the 67th CISM World Military Pentathlon Championship.

An inactive nation, intending to take part in the event must pay its annual fee before the deadline established by the Organizing Committee of the World Military championship for sending the final entry. If this is not done, the delegation will not be able to take part in the event.

Championship

B. General Program of the Championship

| DATE | ACTIVITY |
|----------------------------|---|
| Sunday 20 th | Arrival of the Participants |
| Monday 21 th | TrainingPreliminary meetingOpening ceremony |
| Tuesday 22 th | – Shooting |
| Wednesday 23 th | Obstacle RunCSC Enlarged meeting |
| Thursday 24 th | Obstacle swimmingThrowing |
| Friday 25 th | Cross-country Training obstacle relay CSC restricted meeting long |
| Saturday 26 th | Obstacle relayClosing ceremonyBanquet |



Sunday 27th – Departure of missions

C. Composition of the Mission

A mission for obligatory disciplines will include a total of 14 persons divided as follows:

- 1 Chief of mission
- 1 Team captain
- 2 Coaches (male, female)
- 1 medical staff/physiotherapist
- 4 female competitors
- 5 male competitors
- CSC members are not counted in maximum number of persons

According to the CISM Regulations Edition 2021, competitors must be military personnel on active duty within the Armed Forces of their respective country with an up to date military identity card (CISM Regulations, Art. 7.23, item A).

D. Access to the Location of the Competition

The Championships are hosted by the Swedish Armed Forces. The Swedish Air Defence regiment, located at the Swedish west coast 130 km south of Gothenburg, is responsible for the practical arrangements.

Participating missions are responsible for their own travel expenses to and from Sweden and are requested to arrive at Halmstad railway station, Halmstad city airport (domestic flight), Landvetter airport/Gothenburg or Sturup airport/Malmö. Arrivals by bus or car are possible directly to the Garrison. The organizer is responsible for local transportation in Sweden.

E. Conditions of Stay

During their stay in Sweden, the missions will be the guests of the Swedish Armed Forces from 20th to 27th of August 2023. Organizer cannot host earlier arrivals or late departures. Normal board and lodging is at the expense of the organizer. Observers from coming organizers are welcome after request. Special requirements and additional drinks are to be paid by the participants.

Menus are varied, special diets and religion related requirements can be arranged on demand. Please, indicate these in the Final Entry form.

Team captain, coaches, physiotherapists and competitors will be accommodated in barracks of the garrison area. Chief of Mission and CISM representatives will be accommodated in apartments at the garrison area or Hotel in Halmstad city.

The organizers will take care of medical support (first aid) on site. Further costs incurred for medical support are to be borne by the participants. To cover risk, the participants must arrange sufficient insurance in their home countries.

The organizer is not responsible for:

- Hospitalizations and dental,
- Surgical operations or special treatments,
- Repatriation in case of decease by illness or accident,
- Other expenses on account of illness/accident such as compensations, loss of income, etc.



In Sweden, tap water is fully fit for drinking. The use of bottled water is not necessary.

F. Regulations of the Championship

The competitions will be governed by CISM regulations:

- CISM Regulations Edition December 2021.
- CISM Military Pentathlon Regulations edition 2020.
- CISM Anti-doping Regulations 2020.

Competition arenas

- Obstacle swimming located 5 km from Halmstad Garrison. Outdoor arena with 2 competition lanes, 50 meter.
- Shooting arena, 200 meters range with 20 lanes. Shooting direction South-West.
- Obstacle run course, built in 2020 with asphalt surface and 4 curves.
- Throwing arena, 6 competition ranges and 3 practise ranges. Throwing direction north.
- Cross country, 4 km course on gravel and hard packed soil with a total elevation of approximately 25 m.

All the competition arenas except obstacle swimming are located inside Halmstad Garrison on walking distance from the barracks.

G. Anti-doping

Anti-Doping tests will be conducted in accordance with the CISM Anti-Doping Symbol Regulations – Chapter IX, the CISM Anti-Doping Rules, CISM Military Pentathlon Regulations

The number and type of tests and which athletes to be tested shall be determined by the CISM Anti-Doping Commission.

In case an athlete has a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE), the athlete's Delegation should send this TUE to the CISM General Secretariat, with a copy to the Organizing Committee, <u>until 30 days</u> before the Opening Ceremony in order to get an approval to this athlete participate of the event.

The test are to be conducted by: https://antidoping.se

The tests will be sent to the following laboratory for analyzing: <u>https://www.karolinska.se/for-vardgivare/karolinska-universitetslaboratoriet/klinisk-farmakologi/dopinglaboratoriet/the-swedish-doping-control-laboratory/</u>

H. Uniforms

Uniforms are mandatory. The participating missions are permitted and obliged to be in uniform (summer dress) during the stay on the scheduled occasions like the opening and closing ceremony.





I. Customs and Visa Procedures

Information concerning request for visit and procedures for customs and visa is normally obtained by the participating nations' embassies respectively in Sweden. The Swedish embassies in the participating nations can present information as well concerning these issues. **Request For Visit (RFV)** download at: <u>https://www.mil.se/wmpc23</u>

Regarding temporary import for weapons and ammunition to Sweden, nations within EU or NATO has to fill in EU/Nato customs form 302 according to national instructions. For non EU/Nato nations – a complete Final entry form will be sufficient.

J. Weather Conditions

Average weather conditions in August in Halmstad:

- Temperature: +15 to +25 C

K. General information

All official information will be provided at the Championship Website: <u>https://www.mil.se/wmpc23</u>

Each person must bring:

- Passport, visa, and be aware of the Swedish customs regulations
- Military identity card
- Service uniform is required for official events
- 2 Padlocks
- Ammunition and rifle

Each participating nation should bring 1 flag (120x200cm) and the chief of delegation is responsible to check that their national anthem is available on CISM Extranet.

Each country is responsible for uploading a digital passport photo on <u>www.military-pentathlon.info</u>. This includes all attending personnel.

The organizers will not provide rifles or ammunition.



L. Registration Forms Deadlines

Registration forms to send back to

| Preliminary Agreement (Annex 1): | Before 19 th of May 2023. |
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| Final Entry (Annex 2 a, b and c): | Before 19 th of July 2023. |
| Final Entry Travel data (Annex 3) | Before 4 th of August 2023. |
| Request For Visit , Download at <u>https://www.mil.se/wmpc23</u> | Before 19 th of July 2023. |

Shall have been addressed to Swedish Armed Forces Headquarters INSS J3 via Participating nation's embassies in Sweden.

M. Correspondence

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