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 - Proof-reader of the minutes (in French and English)
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1. Welcome words by the President of the Hungarian Wrestling Federation

Mr Szilard NEMETH - President of the Hungaria Wrestling Federation

2. Opening of the Congress by the President of UWW, Mr Nenad Lalovic

Mr Nenad LALOVIC - UWW President, IOC Executive Committee Member

3. Adoption of the Congress Procedure Rules

Congress procedure rules are [available here](#) (Appendix 3).

4. Appointment of the congress working body

(Proposition by the UWW Bureau - For approval by the Congress)

Draft of the minutes:	Mr Dusson, Secretary General
Minutes proofread:	French: Mr Dusson, Secretary General English: Mr Dziedzic, Vice-President
Elections commission	Mrs Pellicone - Bureau member Mrs Yaksi - Bureau member Mr Dusson - Secretary General Mr Tzenov - Vice-President
President of the elections commission	Mr Tzenov - Vice-President

5. Approval of the minutes of the UWW Ordinary Congress in Mâcon (FRA) on 4 September 2016

Minutes are [available here](#) (Appendix 5).

6. Report by the controllers of powers

(No document)

7. Financial report by the statutory auditors OFISA - Adoption of the 2016-2017 financial report

Financial report is [available here](#) (Appendix 7)

8. President's report on the UWW activities during the period between the congress in Mâcon and Budapest

To be presented during Congress.

Reports of the UWW Departments and Continental Councils are [available here](#) (Appendix 8).

9. Projected budget 2019

Budget 2019 [available here](#).

10. Working program for the period 2019 - 2020

To be presented during Congress.

11. Report on Refereeing

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12. Proposal of amendments to the UWW Constitution

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15. Information on the 2020 Olympic Games in Tokyo (JPN)

General overview

The Rio Olympic Games just finished when we started to work on the preparation of the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games. Based on the request of the International Olympic Committee, the involvement of the International Federations for the future Games increased and we can say that we are already working for the Paris 2024 Olympic Games.

For 2020, we already had visits and meetings. Each aspect of the organization of the Olympics was handled and some key points are already finalized.

The main topics are:

- The venue where wrestling will be held
- The plans of the venue and the equipment provided
- The final schedule for our sport and the competition format
- The accommodations for all our people (athletes, officials, Board Members)
- The training facilities
- The Test Event
- The qualification system
- The transports

Competition Venue

The Wrestling event will be organized in the exhibition hall “Makuhari Messe”. We will have the advantage to keep the training facilities close to the competition venue. It will be in the same building. The wrestlers would have a training space in the same hall. It will help the organization of the delegations and their coaches.

The competition venue is 30km away from the Athletes’ Village. There will be 40 km between the venue and the two Tokyo International Airports.

Date and Competition format

The dates for the competition have been fixed and approved by the IOC Executive Commission last July. Our competition will be held in the second week and will take 7 days (one day less than the previous editions). The competition will be organized from the 2nd until the 8th of August 2020. 3 weight categories per day will be organized on 3 mats. The competition format of 2 days per weight category will still be used for Tokyo.

At the moment, discussions are made about the schedule per session and which weight categories will be organized which day.

As a reminder, the Qualification System was already approved at the beginning of this year and can be found in the United World Wrestling website.

Qualification Tournaments

As you can see in the qualification system, we will have Continental Qualification Tournaments and one World Qualifier.

We take this opportunity to encourage your Federation to bid for one of these events as they will be our main competitions in 2019.

Test Event

This competition will be organized from the 20th to the 22nd of September 2019. An international tournament will be certainly organized, and the Organizing Committee will take care of inviting the National Wrestling Federations.

Accommodations

The allocation process for the accommodations (officials, Board Members) is always in progress. A visit will be organized at the end of the year, but the idea is to find accommodations close to the Competition Venue in order to avoid long drive and reduce to cost of the transportation.

Wrestling House

Based on the success of the project in Rio2016, a wrestling house will be open during the Olympic Games in order to allow the Wrestling Family, journalists and members from the IOC to have nice place where they can share good moments all together.

Jean-Daniel Rey
Sports' Director

16. New contractual arrangements for UWW licensed wrestlers. Consequences on the Regulations for Transfers and the organization of competitions and UWW Championships

Information. To be presented during congress.

17. Updates to the UWW Financial Regulations

During its meeting on 5 August 2018 in Rome the UWW Bureau approved some amendments to the Financial Regulations regarding the organization fee of the following competitions. This decision aimed at harmonizing the fees between continents, considering their specificities.

In addition, the Olympic Games Qualifying tournaments are considered as major events and should be organized on higher standards. The UWW Bureau approved that the organization fees for these qualifying tournaments should reflect these high standards requirements.

(proposal: see next page)

Proposal (entry in force 2019):

Competition	Current Fee	Proposal
Senior Pan-American Championships	46'000 Swiss Francs	25'000 Swiss Francs
Junior Pan-American Championships	10'000 Swiss Francs	8'000 Swiss Francs
African Continental Championships (Cadet, Junior, Senior) *	7'000 Swiss Francs	8'000 Swiss Francs
Oceania Continental Championships (Cadet, Junior, Senior) *	6'500 Swiss Francs	8'000 Swiss Francs
Olympic Games Continental Qualifying Tournaments	1'800 Swiss Francs	50'000 Swiss Francs
Olympic Games World Qualifying Tournament	1'800 Swiss Francs	100'000 Swiss Francs

* Not per age categories but for Championships that include the 3 age categories

Recommendation: The President and the Bureau recommend to the Congress to adopt this proposal.

18. New affiliation requests

1. Papua New Guinea - Oceania

All documents set forth in article 6.1 of the UWW Constitution were forwarded to the UWW Secretariat by this federation and comply with the requirements for the affiliation to United World Wrestling.

Recommendation: The Congress should approve the application of Papua New Guinea as an affiliated member.

2. Macao - Asia

All documents set forth in article 6.1 of the UWW Constitution were forwarded to the UWW Secretariat by the applicant and comply with the requirements for the affiliation to United World Wrestling.

Recommendation: The Congress should approve the application of Macao as an affiliated member.

3. Guyana - Americas

All documents set forth in article 6.1 of the UWW Constitution were forwarded to the UWW Secretariat by the applicant, except a support letter from the Guyana Olympic Committee. The documents received comply with the requirements for the affiliation to United World Wrestling.

Recommendation: The Congress should approve the application of Guyana as an affiliated member.

19. Questions from the Affiliated Federations

(No document)

20. Election of the Bureau Members

Candidates for the Bureau elections 2018

List of candidates (classified in present incumbent, then in new candidates, in alphabetical order). All nominations presented here have been received within deadlines and are valid:

Present incumbent:

- AL SHAHRANI, Zamel Sayyaf (QAT)
- DZIEDZIC, Stan (USA)
- KIM, Ik Jong (KOR)
- TOMIYAMA, Hideaki (JPN)
- TURLYKHANOV, Daulet (KAZ)
- YARIGUINA, Nataliya (RUS)

New candidates:

- ABRAHAMIAN, Ara (SWE)
- BACSA, Peter (HUN)
- KANE, Irene (Mrs) (ASA)
- KARSNAK, Jan (SVK)
- MAJYDAU, Kamandar (BLR)
- RYAN, Don (CAN)
- SILVA, Pedro (POR)
- SUPRON, Andrzej (POL)
- ZHANG Xia (Mrs) (CHN)

21. Miscellaneous

(No document)

22. Closing of the Congress