



XXXVIII SELL GAMES 2023 TARTU, ESTONIA

GENERAL REGULATIONS

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ABBREVIATIONS:

FISU: International University Sports Federation

NUSF: National University Sports Federation

EUSA: European University Sports Association

ORGANIZERS:

Estonian Academic Sports Federation in co-operation with:

Tartu City and the Estonian Ministry of Culture

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Date: 19 - 21 May 2023

Location: Tartu, Estonia

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1. GENERAL TERMS

1.1. SELL Games (hereinafter referred to as Games) are organized alternately in Estonia, Lithuania, Finland and Latvia.

1.2. The Games shall traditionally take place on the second part of May from Friday to Sunday.

1.3. National University Sports Federation of the organizing country shall present the place, organizer and general information of the next in the previous Games, not later than one year in advance. Advertising material of the next Games (brochures, etc.) shall be handed out to the Council of the SELL Games and the participants of the Games during the previous Games.

1.4. The National University Sports Federation has the main responsibilities of organizing the Games being the coordinating body.

1.5. The regulations of the International Sports Federation are followed in each sport. If there are any exceptions to these regulations, the organizer must inform the participants off those exceptions on the website of the Games and in the SELL Games manual.

1.6. SELL Games 2023 are held under the patronage of FISU, EUSA and the president of the Republic of Estonia Mr. Alar Karis. Sports patron for SELL Games 2023 Tartu is Olympic Games gold medalist (fencing) and two time FISU Summer World University Games participant Julia Beljajeva.

2. PARTICIPANTS OF THE SELL GAMES

2.1. In case of team sports the university teams players must be from the same university.

2.2. In team sports there must be minimum one match per day for all teams during the competition and the team must play all their matches.

2.3. All participants must represent their own university.

2.4. There is no age limit for the participants.

2.5. The SELL Games shall be open for participation for the university students from all over the world given that a valid student ID or other document that can prove his/her student status is presented. Valid student ID is asked in accreditation and if he/she cannot provide proof of student status he/she will not be allowed to take part in the Games.

2.6. Proof of COVID-19 vaccination is not required when arriving to Estonia. This might be subject to change, latest information is available here:

<https://kriis.ee/en/travelling-crossing-state-border/travelling-estonia/travelling-estonia>.

2.7. Only the following may participate as athletes in the SELL Games:

- a) students who are currently officially registered as proceeding towards a degree or diploma at the university or similar institute, the status of which is recognized by the appropriate national academic authority of their country;
- b) former students (students who graduated in 2022) of the institutions mentioned in a), who have obtained their academic degree or diploma in the calendar year preceding the event and can show their academic degree or diploma as proof.

3. THE PRINCIPLES OF THE SELL GAMES

3.1. SELL Games Tartu 2023 will include 16 sports: Judo, Wrestling, Orienteering, Powerlifting, Swimming, Chess, Badminton, Athletics, Table tennis, 3x3 Basketball, Basketball, Mini-Football, Beach Volleyball, Volleyball, Floorball, Disc golf.

3.2. The duration of the SELL Games Tartu 2023 is 3 days (19.-21.05.2023).

3.3. The number of participants per sport may be limited by the head organizers in each sport and is regulated by each sport manual. Because of the insufficient number of participants the organizer reserves the right to cancel particular sport or discipline not later than one (1) month prior to the Games.

3.4. If there are not at least one of each SELL Countries in one discipline one (1) month prior to the Games then the sport will be drawn from the program.

3.5. Organizers are free to arrange a conference/exhibition about students sports within the framework of the Games.

3.6. Opening ceremony shall take place on the first day of the Games and organizing rights are transferred to the next organizer during the closing ceremony.

3.7. The organizer of the Games will provide the results of the Games electronically on the SELL Games 2023 official website (www.sellgames2023.com) constantly during the games. Final results will be posted no later than one (1) month after the end of the Games.

3.8. The organizer of the Games shall provide a selection of photos of the Games to the archive of the Games and shall be expected to forward the photos and video materials to the National University Sports Federations participating in the SELL Games.

3.9. Protests: In case of violation or irregularities the Head of Delegation, team captain or coach may submit a protest. The protest needs to be submitted to the head referee of the particular sport in written form within one (1) hour after the end of a particular sports event or game. When submitting the form, a deposit of 100€ (EUR) must also be provided. The deposit will be returned in the event of a



positive resolution. The protest is reviewed right after it is received and the judge council will make a decision no later than one (1) hour of reviewing the protest.

4. REGISTRATION

4.1. The online registration system can be found on the SELL Games 2023 Tartu official website (www.sellgames2023.com) and is divided into three steps:

STEP 1. Intention of participation by universities - deadline **19.02.2023**

STEP 2. Quantitative entry - deadline **19.03.2023**

- Numeric registration by each sporting event per university
- Accommodation wishes per university
- 50% participation fee invoice

STEP 3. Individual registration - deadline **19.04.2023**

- Personal details about each SELL Games 2023 participant
- Full invoice for participation and accommodation
- After this step registration to team sports is only under exceptional circumstances in coordination with the organizing committee.

4.2. Payment details

ESTONIAN ACADEMIC SPORTS FEDERATION

Registration number: 80030498

Bank account: EE462200221011374025, SWEDBANK HABAEE2X

Address: Ujula 4, Tartu, Estonia, 51008

5. PARTICIPATION FEE

5.1. Entry fees:

When registered **before April 19th**:

SELL countries: **45€/day** per person

Non-SELL countries: **55€/day** per person

When registered **after April 19th**:

SELL countries: **55€/day** per person

Non-SELL countries: **60€/day** per person



The participation fee includes entrance to all competitions, venues, ceremonies, catering three times per day*. The participation fee **does not include** accommodation and travel expenses.

*Only breakfast and lunch on Sunday.

5.2. If the participant wants to take part in multiple sporting events, additional 10€/day per person per sport will be charged.

5.3. All fees must be paid in full by the start of the Games (18th of May). If the invoice has not been paid in full by the start of the Games the participants will not receive accreditation cards.

6. ACCOMMODATION AND TRANSPORTATION

6.1. Accommodation needs need to be submitted in the online registration form. Accommodation is divided to three price categories of 30/35/40 EUR per night. Breakfast is available in some accommodation sites which need to be checked with your according site.

6.2. Transportation by buses will be provided on the route of Tallinn - Tartu - Tallinn before the start of the Games and after the end of closing ceremony. During the games public transport in Tartu city will be free of charge with the presentation of an accreditation card.

7. DOPING CONTROL

All participants must be ready for doping control.

8. PRIVACY POLICY

All participants with their participation in the XXXVIII SELL Student Games Tartu 2023 are informed and agree that audio, video and pictures taken during the SELL Student Games with their face and body can be published by organizers without participants' personal signature and/or other sort of agreement.

9. PROTOCOLS

9.1. Opening ceremony

9.1.1. The opening ceremony shall include at least these elements:

- Welcome speech of the organizing committee representative
- Marching of the participating universities
- Speech of FISU representative
- Speeches of SELL Games 2023 patrons
- Cultural program



- Hoisting of the SELL flag
- University Sports anthem

9.2. Closing ceremony

9.2.1. The closing ceremony shall include at least these elements:

- Closing speech of the organizing committee representative
- Handing over the SELL flag
- Presentation of the next SELL Games

10. INSURANCE AND MEDICAL SERVICE

10.1. All participants are required to have appropriate medical and travel insurance to cover all medical expenses during the Games.

10.2. The organizing committee will ensure that first aid is provided at all competition venues for all SELL Games 2023 participants.