

TO ALL AFFILIATED AND ASSOCIATED NATIONAL GRAPPLING FEDERATIONS

Corsier-sur-Vevey, January 27, 2023 /ab

2023 Senior European Grappling Champioships

Dear President, dear Secretary General,

Last year United World Wrestling implemented several technical assistance activities for grappling development and its refereeing. We would like to continue our work in this direction, and I'm glad to inform that for the 2023 Senior European Grappling Championships in Bucharest UWW will provide the following support:

1. Assistance for referees. To continue motivating your team to bring referees to the competition, UWW will offer the accommodation fees for your referees attending this championships. Please note that this concerns only the referees who already have an international category in Grappling. The federation still has to cover their flight tickets and licenses, as well as to ensure their arrival on time to take part in Refereeing Seminar prior the championships.

Same as in Pontevedra las year, Grappling Educators will be also invited to officiate on site and deliver educational materials for the referees with and without international categories. Should your referees have any questions or concerns, they can always ask them for help.

2. Assistance for athletes and coaches. For this championships UWW again will provide a technical assistance for the countries who govern Grappling at the developing level. For this championships there will be 4 quotas (1 athles + 1 coach maximum per NF) which will cover the accommodation fees of the participants (3 nights each). To apply your candidature please refer to the application form attached and send it back to sports@uww.org no later than February 8, 2023. Please note that such assistance will not be provided to the federations who has unresolved financial obligations to UWW and for the athletes that hold any record of Anti-Doping violation.

The details on UWW's assistance for the other grappling events of this year will be sent you later after their finalization.

Should you have any questions or concern, please don't hesitate to write to us at sports@uww.org.

We thank you for your attention and looking forward see all of you at the event.

Yours sincerely,

Jean-Daniel Rey UWW Sports Director