



KRAKÓW ICF CANOE SLALOM WORLD CUP 2022 INFORMATION FOR OFFICIALS

WHEN YOU ARE EXPECTED TO COME

ITOs should plan to arrive in Krakow on Thursday, June 16th as the first official ITOs meeting will take place at 2:45 PM on Thursday.

In general, all ITOs are asked to attend all their meetings, demonstration runs and rehearsal starting on Thursday, June 9 and to be prepared to work at the races approximately from 7-8 AM to 4-7 PM during the other three competition days. There will be a short debriefing after the end of every competition day.

Please be prepared to play any ITO role as we expect some last-minute reassignments if someone cannot travel or be available.

VISA AND ENTRY TO THE POLAND

Poland is a member state of the EU since 2003 and a signatory of the Schengen Agreement treaty since 2007. Travelling between Schengen countries is seamless, but you always need to carry you ID document (passport or ID). When entering the Schengen zone from outside different rules may apply and you have to check the requirements that are specific to your country of origin. For more information see: http://www.msz.gov.pl/en/travel to poland/entering poland/entering poland

COVID-19 Protective Measures

As of April 2022, the protective measures regarding the conditions of entry into Poland in relation to the epidemic of COVID-19 have been suspended. Entry into Poland is no longer subject to any special epidemiological conditions to prevent the spread of the disease. The entry-ban for foreigners from third countries and the obligation to prove infection-free status have been lifted.

Current rules available at: <u>https://reopen.europa.eu/en/map/POL/7001</u>

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The organiser can provide transportation from/to the airport in Krakow (or train or bus station in Krakow). If you need this kind of transportation, please let us know your travel details, so we can arrange the shuttle from/to the airport.

Please fill in a short **questionnaire** concerning your arrival and departure and your clothes size. The link is: <u>https://forms.gle/S5HJzo5PuhjXGddJ8</u> Please, write down *your* expected arrival/departure day and hour, flight numbers (even if you do not need transportation) plus if you require transport from/to the airport and other relevant information you may find important.

Upon your arrival to the airport please look for someone with the logo of the ICF CSL World Cup. Just in case you will not be able to find anybody waiting for you, call PIOTR PACHEL – the transport coordinator – who will arrange what is needed. His phone number is +48 500 021 732.

ACCOMMODATION AND BOARD

Accommodation for all nominated ITOs will be provided by the organising committee at the FERO EXPRESS Hotel (address: Bolesława Śmiałego 60, 30-398 Kraków, phone number +48 12 3 900 900), which is nearby the course, from Thursday, June 16th to Sunday, June 19th. A full description of the hotel and its amenities can be found at https://fero.krakow.pl/en.

Organiser pays your stay in the hotel for 4 nights, however if you need to come one day before or leave one day later it is possible (e.g., from Wednesday to Sunday or from Thursday to Monday). If you wish to stay other extra nights before or after the above-mentioned period, it will be at your expenses. If you would like to bring someone else with you to the competition, please let us know so that we can arrange their accreditation, the cost for their accommodation will again be 100 PLN a night.

Meals for the ITOs will be provided starting with dinner on Thursday, June 16th and finishing with dinner on Sunday June 19th. A buffet breakfast will be provided at the hotel each morning. Lunch and beverages throughout the day will be provided at the event venue.

ACCREDITATION

All officials will get their accreditation at the first meeting on Thursday, June 16th. If you think that your photo in the ICF SDP is wrong or missing, please send an electronic version to biuro@kolna.pl; otherwise, you have to arrange your accreditation upon your arrival at the accreditation centre.

ICF CARBON FOOTPRINTING

Please complete this simple google form at

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfKwlwyMNotNNWDLFfiSQe03tFs7JrEubPTNCyK6OH9230Ov w/viewform to log again all travel details for yourself. If you do not fill this out ahead of time you will be asked to complete it before receiving the accreditation. To save time, please complete this beforehand. Why we are asking for this information: Events release high levels of carbon dioxide emissions into the atmosphere. This imbalance of greenhouse gases <u>contributes to the warming</u> of the planet, causes drastic changes to our weather patterns and changes the way many of us live.

As Environmental Action partners, ICF and <u>Starboard</u> work together to make the travel emissions of every ICF World Championship or World Cup climate neutral by planting 1 mangrove tree for every 1 tonne identified in calculations. This action grows bigger for each SUP World Championship event, where 10 mangroves will be planted for every 1 tonne emitted. Over the next 20-25 years, mangroves will absorb the amount emitted from these events. Thank you for helping us in our mission!

TRANSPORTATION TO THE COMPETITION VENUE

The transportation will be provided by minivans. On Thursday, June 16th there will be a shuttle service for the ITOs from the hotel to the competition venue to take part in the first ITOs meeting, demos and rehearsal. There will be a shuttle back to the hotel after all the demonstration runs are concluded.

Further transportation will be provided from the hotel to the competition venue in the mornings and back in the evenings from Friday to Sunday (see the event schedule). Departure times will be provided at the

daily meetings.

The hotel is also in a walking distance from the course. It is about 1.5 km/20 min. By car it takes about 5 min to get to the venue.

If you come by car, you can park your car at the competition venue since the parking places at the hotel are limited.

COVID 19 - HEALTH AND SANITARY MEASURES

We are strongly committed to deliver competitions with good health and sanitary conditions. The health and safety of all participants is our top priority.

COVID-19 number of cases in Poland continue to decrease and all restrictions were already lifted.

Competitions will be run according to **ICF COVID19 Protocol** which is posted on the ICF event website https://www.canoeicf.com/sites/default/files/covid_protocol_icf_april_2022_v1.5.pdf.

Please, have sufficient number of masks with you. Masks will be required at indoor areas of the venue. Download the Personal Health Check Form here:

https://www.canoeicf.com/sites/default/files/personal_health_check_information_form_2022.pdfand have it ready when you enter the venue for the first time.

The situation can change very quickly, in that case, we will communicate all measures which will apply immediately.

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

A version of the unofficial competition schedule can be found on ICF event website -

https://www.canoeicf.com/canoe-slalom-world-cup/krakow-2022/schedule.

The updated schedule for ITOs will be also provided at their first ITOs meeting and will be updated every day if necessary.

Important contacts

PIOTR PACHEL – Transport Coordinator: +48 500 021 732 Competition Office: biuro@kolna.pl Official website: https://www.canoeicf.com/canoe-slalom-world-cup/krakow-2022

Check list

- Fill in the **short questionnaire** concerning your arrival and departure <u>https://forms.gle/S5HJzo5PuhjXGddJ8</u>
- Fill in the Carbon Footprint form

 https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfKwIwyMNotNNWDLFfiSQe03tFs7JrEubPTNCyK6OH9230Ovw/

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- Download and prepare your **Personal Health Check Form** https://www.canoeicf.com/sites/default/files/personal_health_check_information_form_2022.pdf