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On behalf of US Speedskating, the Organizing Committee has the honor and pleasure to invite you to a competition in the

# ISU World Cup Short Track 2019/20 which will be held at the Utah Olympic Oval Salt Lake City, UT/USA on November 1-3, 2019

# **General Regulations**

The competitions will be held under the 2018 ISU General Regulations and Special Regulations/Technical Rules for Short Track Speed Skating and ISU Communication No. 2275.

Participation is open to all ISU Members. This competition is part of the ISU World Cup Short Track 2019/20.

#### **Distances**

Individual 500, 1000, 1500 meters Ladies and Men

Relay 3000 meters Ladies, 5000 meters Men, 2000 meters Mixed Gender Relay

# **Program**

Thursday, October 31	TBA*	Official Practice
	15:00	Medical Meeting - Utah Olympic Oval
	19:30	Team Leader Meeting - Hotel RL
Friday, November 1	TBA*	Qualifying session Individual & Relay
Saturday, November 2	TBA*	Repechage Races
		500 (1) & 1500 meters Ladies and Men
	14:02	World Cup session
		500 (1) & 1500 meters Ladies and Men
		Finals 2000 meters Mixed Gender Relay
		Semi Finals 3000 meters Relay Ladies & 5000 meters Relay Men
Sunday, November 3	TBA*	Repechage Races
		500 (2) & 1000 meters Ladies and Men
	14:02	World Cup session
		500 (2) & 1000 meters Ladies and Men
		Finals Relay 3000 meters Ladies and 5000 meters Men

<sup>\*</sup> Final starting times to be decided upon receipt of the number of final entries.

#### **Track Conditions**

The Utah Olympic Oval has an artificially refrigerated indoor ice surface of 60 x 30 meters. Protective padding covers the boards in accordance with Rule 280, paragraph 5 and ISU Communication No. 2128 (or any further update). The standard track will be laid out 111.12 meters to the lap. 7 tracks will be marked.

#### **Entries**

- a) Entries can only be made using the ISU Online Entry System for World Cup Short Track Speed Skating on www.isu.org, section Short Track Speed Skating.
- b) Entries with the number of Competitors, substitutes, coaches & Team leader and requirements of accommodation must be submitted by **Thursday**, **19 September 2019**.
- ISU Members failing to comply in time with these requirements will receive no support from the Organizing Member for:
- Hotel booking;
- Travel arrangements between airport and hotel;
- Travel arrangements between hotel and ice rink;
- Preferred times for additional training sessions.

All these costs and any additional costs incurred will be for the full account of the ISU Members concerned.

- c) Final Entries must be submitted to the Organizing Committee using the Online Entry System at the latest by 20:00 hours (local time) on **Sunday, 27 October 2019** (see ISU Communication No. 2275, paragraph 5), and the following information must be communicated to the Organizing Committee:
  - Names of the Competitors and substitutes per category with their International Registration Numbers;
  - Names of the Competitors for each of the respective individual distances;
  - Confirmation of participation in the Relay.

Final Entries that do not comply with these requirements are considered Post Entries. See Rule 115.

- d) Competitors must be present in Salt Lake City at the latest at 18:00 hours on Thursday, 31 October 2019 or the Organizing Committee must receive documented proof that the competitors are in transit and will arrive in due time for the World Cup Competition. Competitors who do not comply with these requirements will be excluded.
- e) Please note that for all persons entered by the Members, the procedures regarding the Declaration for Competitors and Officials (all team Officials requiring an accreditation) entering ISU Events (Rule 131) as outlined in ISU Communication No. 1628 need to be strictly observed.

For more details, please refer to Rules 115, 131 and ISU Communication Nos. 1628 and 1797 or any update of this Communication.

### **Team Officials Accreditations**

### For Teams entering 1 up to 6 Skaters

#	Function	Price	Accreditation Access
1	Team Leader	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
1	Coach	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
1	Doctor	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
1	Physio	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
1	Equipment Technician	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area

#### Additional Team Officials

#	Function	Price	Accreditation Access	
	Same as above	EUR (€) 50*	Blue – 2 – Dressing Rooms & Team Seats	

# For Teams entering 7 up to 12 Skaters

#	Function	Price	Accreditation Access
1	Team Leader	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
2	Coaches	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
1	Doctor	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
2	Physios	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
2	Equipment Technicians	Free	Blue – 1 – Field of Play & Full Access Athletes Area
1	Team Video Specialist	Free	Blue – 2 – Athletes Lounge, Dressing Rooms & Team Seats

#### Additional Team Officials

#	Function	Price	Accreditation Access
	Same as above	EUR (€) 50*	Blue – 2 – Dressing Rooms & Team Seats

<sup>\*</sup> or equivalent in any other currency. One-time fee per ISU Event, per person.

#### Citizenships/Residence Requirements and Clearance Procedure

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU Regulations and ISU Communication No. 2030, all Skaters who do not have the nationality of the ISU Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another ISU Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate.

### **World Cup points**

The points scoring at the World Cup Competition is made in accordance with ISU Communication No. 2275, paragraph 12.

### **Anti-Doping**

Anti-Doping tests will be carried out according to the ISU Anti-Doping Rules and ISU Anti-Doping Procedures, as given in the applicable ISU Communications (ISU Communications Nos. 2213 & 2243 or later updates).

### Ice Training

The Organizing Committee will arrange complimentary ice training on Thursday, 31 October 2019 for all participating teams. Additional practices will be available starting Tuesday, 29 October 2019. Each training session (50 minutes) will be charged \$20 USD per person per session. Requests for training preferences (times and teams) will be accepted until Tuesday, 8 October 2019. The Organizing Committee will try to accommodate those requests if possible. The South Sheet (boarded with pads) is available upon request only.

On Monday, 28 October 2019 training is available upon request ONLY. Training times starting at 10:00 to 16:00. No transportation and medical personnel will be on site on Monday.

### Liability

In accordance with Rule 119 of the ISU General Regulations, the ISU, US Speedskating and The Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection with the ISU World Cup Short Track Speed Skating Competition. Each Member is solely responsible for providing insurance coverage thereto.

#### **Accommodation**

Participating ISU Members will have to bear expenses for accommodation for all participating skaters and team officials. A credit card is required at time of booking to hold hotel rooms. The host hotel will not confirm rooms without a valid credit card on file. Alternatively, teams may request a deposit invoice be sent in order to generate a wire transfer of funds to hold the rooms.

The cost of a room including ALL MEALS (breakfast, lunch, dinner) at the official hotel is as follows:

Single Room (per night)

US \$210.97 USD (tax included)\*

Double Room (per night) US \$273.97 (tax included)\*

Triple Room (per night)

US \$336.97 (tax included)\*

\*In case of state or federal tax rate changes before start of event, rates will be subject to change

Full board includes meals during competition days served at the competition site.

Accommodation and meal plan are available and will start on Monday, October 28 with Dinner and end Monday,

November 4 with Lunch. Earlier accommodation can be secured at the hotel without meals.

Payment can be made: Cash in USD or credit card

Accommodation requests can only be made using the ISU Online Entry System for ST Speed Skating Events. The Organizing Committee must be informed about the accommodation requests of the competitors and team officials as soon as possible, but no later than **Monday**, **7 October 2019**. A limited number of hotel rooms is available on a first come first serve basis. Unused World Cup block rooms will be released back to the hotel as of Tuesday, 8 October 2019. Rates and availability cannot be guaranteed after this date. Teams who do not arrive on their schedule date will be charged for unused reserved rooms.

Wire Transfer Information:

Financial Institution Name: Wells Fargo Bank Financial Institution Address: 420 Montgomery St

City: San Francisco State: California Zip code: 94104

Account Number: 446 2111 758 Routing Number: 121 000 248

Swift Code: WFBIUS6S

Account Title: RL Salt Lake LLC #1520

Contact for questions: ana.soto@hotel-rl.com

#### **Official Hotels**

The Organizing Committee will arrange hotel reservations for teams at the following official hotel:

Hotel RL by Red Lion

161 West 600 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 USA

Tel: (+1) 801.521.7373 Fax: (+1) 801.524.0354

Web: http://www.redlion.com/salt-lake

Deadline for any hotel reservations is Monday, 7 October 2019. Hotel room block will be released after that

date.

Hotel for all ISU assigned Officials and ISU Representatives:

DoubleTree by Hilton

110 West 600 South, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 USA

Tel: (+1) 801.359.7800 Web: DoubleTree SLC

#### **Transportation**

The Organizing Committee will organize and provide one transportation each way, free of charge, for each team between Salt Lake City Airport and the official hotel, on Sunday, 27 October 2019 and Monday, 4 November 2019.

No airport transportation can be provided for teams arriving before or after 27 October 2019.

The date, airline, flight number, expected time of arrival and the date and time of departure must be communicated to the Organizing Committee via online arrival and departure form no later than Monday, 21 October 2019. Please include the amount of special equipment (e.g. bicycles, massage tables, etc.) that needs to be transported.

Arrivals outside of Sunday, 27 October 2019 can be arranged via the complimentary Hotel RL Shuttle. Please contact +1 801 521 7373, choose option 3 to schedule pick up. Capacity is limited. Taxi service between airport and Hotel RL is around \$25.

The Organizing Committee will also provide transportation between the official hotel and Utah Olympic Oval during the competition days and the training periods, starting on Tuesday, 29 October 2019.

### Organizing Committee – Entries and Inquiries

All entries, hotel reservations and other inquiries should be addressed to the Organizing Committee at the addresses below. For Media accreditation, please contact the below address as soon as possible.

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#### Website

All information concerning the competition will be available at the following Event website:

http://utaholympiclegacy.org/oval/

www.isu.org

Live results will be available at the following website on www.isu.org

### ISU "Inside Events" mobile application

Daily information, link to results and changes in schedules (race, training, transportation, etc.) will be communicated to the teams on the board of the Team Hotel as well as on the ISU "Inside Events" mobile application.

This mobile application makes the information delivery faster, contains all relevant information for participants, reduce paper needs and notify participants in case of any changes or urgencies through push notification possibilities.

The "Inside Events" app is available free of charge on Android and Apple systems and is compatible with both tablets and smartphones. It can be downloaded with the below QR codes or directly on the app stores.

Each ISU Event will have its own unique password that will be provided on site to participating Athletes, Officials, and Team Delegations.







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