

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

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Decisions of the ISU Council

The ISU Council met on October 14-16 in Milano, Italy. The following were among the decisions taken by the Council during the meeting:

1. Membership Serbia – Speed Skating Branch

The Council agreed to grant provisional membership for the Speed Skating Branch to the Serbian Skating Federation. The Serbian Skating Federation is therefore now a provisional Member for both Branches, Figure Skating and Speed Skating.

2. Provisional Allotments ISU Championships 2013 and 2014

In accordance with Rule 127 of the ISU Regulations the Council has provisionally allotted the following 2013 and 2014 Championships:

Speed Skating

Essent ISU World Sprint Speed Skating Championships, January 18-19, 2014
Japan Skating Federation: Nagano/Japan

Single & Pair Skating/Ice Dance

ISU European Figure Skating Championships, January 13-19, 2014
Hungarian National Skating Federation: Budapest/Hungary.

Synchronized Skating

ISU World Junior Synchronized Skating Championships 2012:
Not held for organizational reasons

ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships, April 2-6, 2013
United States Figure Skating Association: Boston/USA

ISU World Junior Synchronized Skating Championships, March 8-9, 2013
Finnish Figure Skating Association: Helsinki/Finland

ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships, April 4-5, 2014
Italian Ice Sports Federation: Courmayeur/Italy.

3. ISU Championships – change of dates

The Council decided to change the dates of the ISU World Single Distances Speed Skating Championships 2013 in Sochi, Russia to be held on March 21-24, 2013 (instead of March 14-17, 2011).

4. ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating – Calendar Season 2012/13

The Council approved the following calendar for the season 2012/13. The sites/venues remain to be confirmed:

October 19-21, 2012	USA
October 26-28, 2012	Canada
November 2-4, 2012	China
November 9-11, 2012	Russia
November 16-18, 2012	France
November 23-25, 2012	Japan
December 6-9, 2012	ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Final (junior & senior) Sochi/Russia

5. ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating – Calendar Season 2012/13

The Council approved the following calendar for the season 2012/13:

August 22-26, 2012	Courchevel/France
August 29-September 2, 2012 (including Pairs)	Lake Placid/USA
September 12-16, 2012 (including Pairs)	Linz/Austria
September 19-23, 2012	Istanbul/Turkey
September 26-30, 2012	Bled/Slovenia
October 3-7, 2012 (including Pairs)	Zagreb/Croatia
October 10-14, 2012 (including Pairs)	Dresden/Germany
December 6-9, 2012	ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Final (junior & senior) Sochi/Russia

6. ISU World Cup Short Track season 2011/12 – change of location

The Council accepted a request from the Dutch Member Federation (KNSB) to hold the World Cup Short Track on February 10-12, 2012 in Dordrecht (instead of Heerenveen).

7. ISU Council meeting

The Council agreed to meet again on November 13, 2011 in Geneva/Switzerland.

Milan,

October 21, 2011

Lausanne,

Ottavio Cinquanta, President

Fredi Schmid, Director General