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Media Accreditations: ISU World Cup Speed Skating Series 2023/24

The <u>ISU World Cup Speed Skating Series</u> consists of six international Speed Skating competitions – including the ISU World Cup Speed Skating Final – taking place annually across North America, Europe and Asia.

Below are the media accreditation contacts, deadlines and instructions for each ISU World Cup Speed Skating event. Further details will be provided in the **Media Information documents** to be found on the ISU <u>Event section</u> in due course (filter with the relevant Event Series). The same documents will also be made available on the ISU <u>Media Accreditation</u> section of the ISU website (at the bottom end of the page).

/!\ Note that <u>no remote accreditations</u> will be delivered for the 2023/24 ISU World Cup Speed Skating events.

The ISU World Cup Speed Skating will be live streamed on the official <u>ISU YouTube Channel</u> in some countries. You can also follow the ISU World Cup Speed Skating action on <u>X (Twitter)</u>, <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Tik Tok</u> and with the <u>#SpeedSkating</u>.

For further information about the World Cup Speed Skating Series, including entries and results, please <u>visit</u> the event page.

Pre-conditions on attending an ISU Event for all on-site media

In order for any media accreditation application to be considered, the following requirements need to be observed:

- 1. Apply for media accreditation via the relevant Organizing Committee (OC) below or through the ISU OMAS system.
- 2. Present the <u>necessary and up-to-date</u> documentation as requested by the OC or on the ISU OMAS platform.
- 3. If you need help to apply for a Visa, please contact the OC directly.

The ISU will not be held responsible for any travel restrictions, visa applications or delays, even if an accreditation request has been approved.

Organizing Committees Contact Details

ISU World Cup Speed Skating Nov 10 - 12 2023 Obihiro /JPN

Contact: Japanese Skating Federation

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Accreditation: ISU OMAS

VISA: View here

Closing date: October 27, 2023

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Nov 17 - 19 2023 Beijing /CHN #SpeedSkating

Contact: Ms. Kun Zhang

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Website: https://tyj.beijing.gov.cn/ (in Chinese only)

Accreditation: <u>ISU OMAS</u> (*International press*)

https://tyj.beijing.gov.cn/ (local press)

Visa form: View here

Closing date: October 31, 2023

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Dec 1 - 3, 2023 Stavanger /NOR #SpeedSkating

Contact: Vetle Stangeland t: +47 406 45 940

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Website: <u>View here</u> Accreditation: <u>ISU OMAS</u>

Closing date: November 17, 2023

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Dec 8 - 10, 2023 Tomaszów Mazowiecki /POL #SpeedSkating

Contact: Polish Speed Skating Association

Paweł Tworek t: +48 692 912 073 e: media@pzls.pl

Website: https://pzls.pl/wc4_2023/

Accreditation: ISU OMAS

Closing date: November 24, 2023

ISU World Cup Speed Skating

Jan 26 - 28, 2024 Salt Lake City /USA #SpeedSkating

Accreditation: US Speed Skating

Brennan Smith t: (+1) 801-493-5605 e: BSmith@uolf.org

Website: <u>View here</u> Accreditation: ISU OMAS

Closing date: January 12, 2024

ISU World Cup Speed Skating

Feb 2 – Feb 4, 2024 Québec /CAN #SpeedSkating

Accreditation: Speed Skating Canada

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Accreditation: ISU OMAS

Closing date: January 19, 2024

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About International Skating Union

The International Skating Union (ISU), founded in 1892, is the oldest governing international winter sport federation and the exclusive international sport federation recognized by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) administering the sports of Figure Skating (Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance), Synchronized Skating, Speed Skating and Short Track Speed Skating worldwide. The objectives of the ISU are to regulate, govern, promote and develop its sports on the basis of friendship and mutual understanding between athletes. Currently three ISU disciplines are included in the Olympic Winter Games program (Figure Skating, Speed Skating and Short Track Speed Skating). For further information please visit isu.org.