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Speed Skating and Short Track Speed Skating ISU World Cup Series and ISU Four Continents Championships Calendars 2022/23

The ISU recently released the 2022/23 World Cup competitions and Four Continents Championships dates and venues for both the Speed Skating and Short Track Speed Skating disciplines.

Speed Skating

The ISU Council approved the **ISU World Cup Speed Skating** venues and dates for the season 2022/23 as follows:

November 11-13, 2022	World Cup 1	Stavanger (NOR)
November 18-20, 2022	World Cup 2	Heerenveen (NED)
December 9-11, 2022	World Cup 3	Calgary (CAN)
December 16-18, 2022	World Cup 4	Calgary (CAN)
February 10-12, 2023	World Cup 5	Tomaszów Mazowiecki (POL)
February 17-19, 2023	World Cup 6 – Final	Tomaszów Mazowiecki (POL)

In addition, Speed Skating Canada has confirmed its availability to move the dates of the **ISU Four Continents Speed Skating Championships** in Québec City to December 2-4, 2022 (instead of January 13-15, 2023), in order to host this Event the weekend prior World Cup 3.

The ISU Council also approved the **ISU Junior World Cup Speed Skating** venues and dates for the season 2022/23 as follows:

November 26-27, 2022	Junior World Cup 1	Seinäjoki (FIN)
December 3-4, 2022	Junior World Cup 2	Seinäjoki (FIN)
February 3-4, 2023	Junior World Cup 3 – Final	Inzell (GER)

Short Track Speed Skating

The ISU was recently informed by the Chinese Skating Association (CSA), who originally planned to organize two **ISU World Cup Short Track Competitions** as part of the ISU World Cup Short Track series on December 9-11, 2022, and December 16-18, 2022, in Beijing, that due to pandemic related implications, they are unable to hold these events during the season 2022/23. The ISU appreciates the CSA efforts to maintain the events but also understands the difficult circumstances justifying the decision to cancel these events in China.

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Based on the above, the ISU Council has approved the following events and dates:

October 28-30, 2022	World Cup 1	Montreal, CAN
November 4-6, 2022	World Cup 2	Salt Lake City, USA
December 9-11, 2022	World Cup 3	Open for application
December 16-18, 2022	World Cup 4	Open for application
February 3-5, 2023 February 10-12, 2023	World Cup 5 World Cup 6	Open for application Dordrecht, NED

In addition, US Speed Skating confirmed its availability to move the dates of the **ISU Four Continents Short Track Speed Skating Championships** in Salt Lake City to **November 11-13, 2022** (instead of January 13-15, 2023), in order to host this Event the weekend following World Cup 2.

The ISU Council has invited ISU Members interested in hosting any pending ISU World Cup Short Track event to submit an application to the ISU by June 15, 2022.

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