



**ISU WORLD CUP SHORT TRACK**

**DRESDEN, GER**  
**FEBRUARY 7-9, 2020**

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On behalf of Deutsche Eisschnelllauf-Gemeinschaft e. V., 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 EnergieVerbund Arena,**  
**Dresden, Germany**  
**on February 7-9, 2020**

**General Regulations**

The competitions will be held under the 2019 ISU General Regulations and Special Regulations/Technical Rules for Short Track Speed Skating and ISU Communication No. 2276. 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

**Program**

Thursday, February 6	All Day*	Official Practice Welcome Reception
Friday, February 7	TBA*	Qualifying session Individual & Relay
Saturday, February 8	TBA*	Repechage Races 1000 meters, 1500 meters Ladies and Men 13:16 World Cup session 1000 meters, 1500 meters Ladies and Men Finals Relay 2000 meters Mixed Gender Semi Finals Relay 3000 meters Ladies and 5000 meters Men
Sunday, February 9	TBA*	Repechage Races 500 meters, 1500 meters Ladies and Men 13:12 World Cup session 500 meters, 1500 meters Ladies and Men Final Relay 3000 meters Ladies and 5000 meters Men

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

## Track Conditions

The EnergieVerbund Arena 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.

## Entries

a) Entries can only be made using the ISU Online Entry System for World Cup Short Track Speed Skating on [www.isu.org](http://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 **December 27, 2019**: [www.accomodation.worldcup-dresden.de/Account/Login](http://www.accomodation.worldcup-dresden.de/Account/Login)

In addition, please send an ID picture of each Team Member to the Organizing Committee in electronic format, not later than **January 24, 2020**, enabling the OC to prepare all accreditations in advance. 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;
- Access to Closing Banquet (if held);
- 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 reach the Organizing Committee using the Online Entry System must be submitted at the latest by 20:00 hrs (local time) on **February 2, 2020** (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 (up to 6 per gender) and Mixed Gender Relay (up to 4 per gender).

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

d) Competitors must be present in Dresden at the latest at 18:00 hours on Thursday, February 6, 2020 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

\* 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 free ice training on Thursday, February 6 for all participating teams. Extra practices will be provided from February 3, 2020. Each training session (50 minutes) will be charged 180,00 Euro per session. If two or more teams agree to share one training session, both (all) of them can share the cost.

## Liability

In accordance with Rule 119 of the ISU General Regulations, the ISU, Deutsche Eisschnelllauf-Gemeinschaft e. V. 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

All participants should bear their own expenses for accommodation.

The cost of a room and meal at the official hotel is as follows:

Single Room (per person, per night, full board):	109,00 Euro
Double Room* (per person, per night, full board):	89,00 Euro
Twin Room** (per person, per night, full board)	99,00 Euro

\* kingsize bed

\*\* limited availability, reservations on a first come first served basis.

Payment: Cash; in Euro or Credit card: VISA; Mastercard, American Express

All arrangements for accommodations must be made by December 27, 2019 through the official Hotel.

Contact person: Ms. Claudia Wels

email: [groups.nhdresdenneustadt@nh-hotels.com](mailto:groups.nhdresdenneustadt@nh-hotels.com) (keyword: Short Track 2020)

During the competition full board is mandatory. Lunch will be served at the ice rink these days. Different arrangements can be made from Monday until Thursday. All arrangements for accommodation must be made through the Organizing Committee.

## Official Hotels

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

NH Dresden Neustadt, Hansastr. 43, D-01097 Dresden (Germany)

E-Mail: [groups.nhdresdenneustadt@nh-hotels.com](mailto:groups.nhdresdenneustadt@nh-hotels.com), Website: [www.nh-hotels.com](http://www.nh-hotels.com)

Hotel requirements must be communicated to the Organizing Committee as soon as possible, but no later than **December 27, 2019**.

## Transportation

The Organizing Committee will organize and provide one transportation each way, free of charge, for each team between Dresden International Airport and the official hotels, from Sunday, February 2 to Monday, February 10, 2020.

Expenses for team officials, who do not accompany their team members, are to be borne by themselves regardless of their arrival date (15,00 Euro).

The Organizing Committee will also provide transportation between the official hotel and EnergieVerbund Arena during the competition days and the training periods, starting from Monday, February 3, 2020.

The date, airline, flight number, expected time of arrival and the date and time of departure should be communicated to the Organizing Committee as soon as possible, but no later than **December 27, 2019**. Please include the amount of special equipment (e.g. bicycles, massage tables, etc.) that needs to be transported.

## **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:  
[www.worldcup-dresden.de](http://www.worldcup-dresden.de)

Live results will be available on [www.isu.org](http://www.isu.org)

### **ISU “Inside Events” mobile application**

Daily information, 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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