

To : **All National Kempo/Kenpo Federations, Organizations in Europa**  
In attn: President / Secretary General / Masters

## OFFICIAL INVITATION

Dear Masters,

On behalf of the International Kempo Federation and Hungarian Kempo Association, we are pleased and honored to invite you to  
„**The IKF European Kempo Championships**” in the beautiful city of **Budapest-Hungary**, during **02-05. Dec.2015**.

**The IKF European Kempo Championships** will offer good opportunities to your high-class athletes to represent proudly your country. On the other hand, your team will have the best opportunity to prove their skills by competing in Fighting Kempo and Traditional Kempo rules against the finest Kempo/Kenpo athletes in the world.

In the following pages, you can find all the main informations about this up-coming event and how to get there.

Looking forward to see you on the field of contest,



*Gabor Szabo*

**LOVASZ GABOR**

Director of Europa

International Kempo Federation

*Adam Illes*

**LACZA ADAM ILLES**

President

Hungarian Kempo Association



**ERIC LA ROCCA**

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**The IKF EUROPEAN KEMPO CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
**03-05.Dec.2015**  
**Budapest - Hungary**



How to Attend ?

In order to compete in „**The IKF European Kempo Championships 2015**” you must follow and respect strictly the following steps:

**Step 1:**

You must be or become an IKF member by one of the following ways:

**- Full-Member** ( *You are a national Kempo/Kenpo federation recognized by the National Olympic Committee or/and National Sport Authority, or you already received the IKF Full-Membership recognition by attending for 5 years consecutive the IKF events*).

**- Associated Member** ( *You are a national Kempo/Kenpo organization being not recognized by the National Olympic Committee or/and National Sport Authority, but you are legal in front of your country's laws as a sport combat club/association/organization. By having this status you can attend all IKF events but you must note in this case 2 or more teams from your country can participate, of course under only one flag/country* ).

**Step 2:**

All members (Full-Members and Associated Members) who didn't do it until now, must send urgent to IKF, by e-mail and also by post-mail, all the documents legalized/notarized you consider necessary to prove your club/association or federation is legal in front of your country laws ( *Ex: statue, constitution, logo, ID certificate or similar, registration number, official address of organization, e-mail, website, photo of president....* ).

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(Executive-President office)

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**Step 3:**

Please ask from time the hungarian embassy or consulate in your country in order to find if you need entry visa for **Hungary**. The countries who need **visa for Hungary** will receive all official documents they may need in order to get the valid entry visa, just after completing the steps 1 – 3.

For all **visas requirements** and the **hotel booking**, please feel free to contact:

**Mr. Gabor Lovasz**

**shihan@hungariankempo.hu**

**Step 4:**

For the official registration of your athletes please send your lists directly to the IKF Chairman of the Organizing Committee:

**Mr. Razvan Vovenco**

**office@sasory.ro**



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Accommodation - Transfers - Fees

**ACCOMODATION**

**1. Hotel 4\*: HALIDAY INN - BUDAPEST**

Adress: 2040 , Budaors, Agip u.2, Budapest - Hungary.

Website: [www.halidayinn.com](http://www.halidayinn.com)

**Prices:**

- SGL / single room (1 person in room)  
-70 Euro/person/day (breakfast and dinner included)
- 60 Euro/person/day (only breakfast included)
- DBL / double room (2 persons in room)  
-50 Euro/person/day (breakfast and dinner included)
- 40 Euro/person/day (only breakfast included)
- TPL / triple room (3 persons in room)  
-45 Euro/person/day (breakfast and dinner included)
- 35 Euro/person/day (only breakfast included)

**2. Hotel 3\*: OEKOTEL BUDAPEST TOPARK**

Adress: Torokbalint, Topark u.2, Budapest – Hungary.

**Prices :**

- DBL / double room (2 persons in room)  
-40 Euro/person/day (breakfast and dinner included)
- 25 Euro/person/day (only breakfast included)

**Very important!!!**

- Hotel 4\* HALIDAY INN BUDAPEST is the official hotel of the EKC 2015 . All official meetings, registrations will be held just in this hotel.
- In all hotels the prices includes welcome party for team leaders and Executive-Committee members, wi-fi, sauna. All kids under 6 years old is free of charge.
- All teams must be accomodated just in the hotels mentioned by the organizer. The teams who will be not accomodated in these hotels thru the organizer will be not allowed to participate in the EKC 2015. The registration for the hotels will be made just thru the organizer and all payments will be done at the arrival in the hotels.
- Lunch is 5 Euro/person and can be ordered and payed just at the registration.
- It is possible to start int he 14-16 year categories only in the Full Kempo.

**3. LOCAL TRANSFERS: 40 Euro/person**

Local transfers includes the transfer from airopprt to the hotel at arrival and from the hotel back to the airport at departure, the transfers from the hotel to the sporthall and back to the hotel for all 3 days of competition.

**4. Participation fee in the EKC 2015:**

- 25 Euro/person per division. ( each athlet can register just for no more than 3 Traditional divisions and for no more than 3 Fighting divisions).

**5. Annual IKF membership fee: 200 Euro/IKF member**



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## SCHEDULE

### **01.dec.2015**

Teams arrival, official registrations.

10:00-12:00 and 16:00-18:00, registration of competitors and official weight check-in.

18:00-19:30, IKF Organizing Committee meeting (*HOLIDAY INN*)

### **02.dec.2015**

Last teams arrival and final registrations.

13:00-15:00 Last registration (*After this hour no competitor will be registered*)

16:00 –17:00, IKF Traditional Kempo Referee Course (chairman: Mr. Edwarth Hartman)

17:00 –18:00, IKF Fighting Kempo Referee Course (chairman: Mr. Razvan Vovcenco)

*Note: No referee or judge will be included in EKC 2015 without attending this course.*

### **03.dec.2015**

07:00 – 08:00, Breakfast

08:00 – 09:00, Start to the sporthall

10:00 – 10:30, Opening ceremony (*presence is mandatory for all teams including athletes, coaches and officials. All athletes must wear their Kempo Kimonos.*)

10:30 – 19:00, Traditional Kempo, Submission and Semi-Kempo Kempo championships

19:00 – 20:00 Awarding Ceremony (Traditional Kempo, Submission and Semi)

20:00 – Start back to the hotel (athletes and supporters)

21:00 – 22:00, VIP program in the Hotel Inn (for all team leaders, coaches and officials)

### **04.dec.2015**

07:00 – 08:00, Breakfast

08:00 – 09:00, Departure to the sporthall

10:00 – 17:00, Knockdown and Full-Kempo championships.

17:00 – 18:00 Awarding Ceremony (Knockdown and Full-Kempo)

18:00 – Start back to the hotel

21:00 – 24:00, Sayonara Party in Max City (available for all participants)

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### **05.dec.2015**

Departure of all teams.

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**GENERAL RULES OF ORGANIZING**  
( just for competitors “**under 16**” years old )

**AGE CATEGORIES**

**10 – 12 years old** (10 and 11 years old)

**12 – 14 years old** (12 and 13 years old)

**14 – 16 years old** (14 and 15 years old)

*Note: The registration will be made by computer coming from the date of birth.*

**WEIGHT CATEGORIES:**

-30 Kg, -35 Kg, -40 Kg, -45 Kg , -50 kg , -55 kg , -60 kg , -65 kg , -70 kg , -75 kg, -80kg, +80 Kg

*Note: The weight check-in will be made as in the schedule.*

**DIVISIONS / RULES:**

**TRADITIONAL KEMPO :**

\* **Kata** ( individual - Female divisions, Male divisions)

\* **Weapon Kata** (individual - Female divisions, Male divisions)

\* **Self-Defense Combat** (1 against 1, open teams – the gender it doesn't matter )

*Note : In each division organized in the **IKF European Traditional Kempo Championship 2015** a country can register any number of competitors or teams per division. In Self-Defense Combat, one name can appear just once, just in one team.*

**FIGHTING KEMPO :**

\* **Semi-Kempo** ( stand-up fighting / touchpointed system )

\* **Full-Kempo** (14-16 years only, full-contact stand-up fighting mixed with groundfighting no strikes,  
wearing boxing gloves)

\* **Kempo-Submission** ( throws, immobilizations, locks. No strikes is allowed )

**Note**

*- In each division organized in the **IKF European Fighting Kempo Championship 2015** a country can register any number of competitors or teams per division.*

*- A category must have competitors from at least 3 countries in order to be organized.*

*The category who will have competitors or teams from less than 3 countries will be merged with the next one without the aproval of the team leader or coach, but the difference between the athletes must be no more than 10 Kg.*

*It is possible to start in the 14-16 year categories only in Full Kempo. This the competition may not be attended under a year age!*

GENERAL RULES OF ORGANIZING  
(Juniors, Seniors and Senior Masters)



**AGE & WEIGHT CATEGORIES:**

- **Juniors U18** ( athletes who have 16 and 17 y.o.)

Weight categories female: -50 kg , -55 kg , -60 kg , +60 Kg

Weight categories male: - 55 Kg, -60 kg , -65 kg , -70 kg , -75 kg , -80 kg , +80 kg

- **Seniors** (18 y.o. until 38 y.o.)

Weight categories female: -50 kg , -55 kg , -60 kg , -60 Kg, +65 Kg

Weight categories male: -60 kg , -65 kg , -70 kg , -75 kg , -80 kg , -85 kg, -90 Kg, -95Kg, +95 Kg

- **Senior Masters** (+38 years old / over 38 y.o.)

Weight categories female: -57.5 Kg, - 62.5 Kg, +62.5 Kg

Weight categories male: -72.5 Kg, -77.5 Kg, -82.5 Kg, -92.5 Kg, +92.5 Kg

*Note 1: the registration will be made by computer coming from the date of birth.*

*Note 2: the weight check-in will be made as in the schedule.*

**DIVISIONS / RULES:**

In the **IKF European Kempo Championships 2015** will be organized Traditional Kempo and Fighting Kempo divisions, as follows:

**TRADITIONAL KEMPO :**

\* **Kata** (individual-Femaledivisions, Male divisions)

\* **Weapon Kata** (individual - Female divisions, Male divisions )

\* **Self-Defense Combat** (1 against 1 - Female teams, Male teams, Mixed teams)

*Note: In each Traditional Kempo division just 3 competitors will be allowed .*

**FIGHTING KEMPO :**

\* **Semi-Kempo** ( stand-up fighting / touchpointed system )

\* **Full -Kempo** (full-contact stand-up fighting mixed with groundfighting no strikes, wearing boxing gloves)

\* **Knockdown** ( full-contact stand-up fighting and groundfighting/ empty hands / is not allowed punches to the head , but is allowed punches/knees/elbows to the body in the groundfighting)

\* **Kempo Submission** ( throws,immobilizations, locks. No strikes is allowed )

*Note: In each weight category just 3 competitors/country will be allowed . One fighter can compete only in 3 fighting kempo divisions from 4, and only in one fighting division per day (Ex: In 04.dec.2015, athletes must be registered only in one division and they must choose between Full-Kempo and Knockdown).*

**Attention !!!:**

*- The weight category who will have competitors from less than 3 countries will be merged in the next one without the approval of their team leaders.*