

Balkan Athletics Indoor Championships



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

BALKAN ATHLETICS INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025 will be organised in Belgrade, Serbia.

The competition will take place in Athletic Indoor Hall, Bulevar Oslobođenja 54, Belgrade.

The competition will take place on 15th February 2025.

GENERAL TIME SCHEDULE:

13. February (Thursday)

Arrivals

14. February (Friday)

Arrivals
Official Training (17h – 19h)

15. February (Saturday)

Competition Day Departures

16. February (Sunday)

Departures

2. **COMPETITION MANAGEMENT**

COMPETITION DIRECTOR / Predrag MOMIROVIĆ
MEETING MANAGER / Bojana KALIČANIN
HEAD OF OFFICIALS / Isidora ĆULIBRK
TECHNICAL MANAGER / Goran MILOSAVLJEVIĆ
COMPETITION SECRETARY / Dragana MACANOVIĆ
TIC MANAGER / Jelena PAUNOVIĆ
ANNOUNCER / Radoslav SIMIĆ
ACCREDITATIONMANAGER / Teodoras PANTOVIĆ
VICTORY CEREMONIES / Aleksandra RADETA

TECHNICAL DELEGATE / Milena ACIĆ ZARIĆ

JURY OF APPEAL*: Predrag MOMIROVIĆ, Chair

MEMBER FEDERATION REPRESENTATIVE, Member MEMBER FEDERATION REPRESENTATIVE, Member

REFEREES:

CALL ROOM REFEREE / Miodrag JELIĆ
TRACK REFEREE / Snežana STANČETIĆ
START REFEREE / Vesna REPIĆ ĆUJIĆ
POLE VAULT REFEREE / Vladimir RONČEVIĆ
HIGH JUMP REFEREE / Duško RANĐELOVIĆ
LONG JUMP REFEREE / Vladimir RONČEVIĆ
TRIPLE JUMP REFEREE / Stanica JANKOVIĆ
SHOT PUT REFEREE / Nebojša ZDRAVKOVIĆ

3. TRANSPORTATION

Upon arrival at the Belgrade "Nikola Tesla" airport official transportation will be provided from the airport to the hotel.

Teams arriving by bus should arrive at the dedicated accommodation.

Teams will be accommodated in Hotel "M" and Hotel "N" which are within walking distance from the competition venue. (Hotel "M" – 10 min, Hotel "N" – 15 min)

Transportation of the vaulting poles will be organized from the airport to the competition venue and back according to the arrivals and buses used for the team will transport the poles as well.

Teams that will transport the poles via bus or car should bring the poles to the Athletic Indoor Hall, Bulevar Oslobođenja 54, Belgrade.

TRANSPORT OFFICIAL TRAINIG (14. February):

HOTEL - COMPETITION VENUE	COMPETITION VENUE - HOTEL
16.30	18.15
16.45	18.30
17.00	18.45
17.15	19.15

TRANSPORT COMPETITION DAY (15. February):

HOTEL - COMPETITION VENUE	COMPETITION VENUE – HOTEL
10.30	14.15
11.00	15.15
12.00	16.15
13.00	17.00
14.00	18.00
15.00	19.45
16.00	

4. ACCOMODATION

Teams will be accommodated in two hotels:

HOTEL "M" – Bulevar oslobođenja 56a, Belgrade (LINK)

Hotel "N" – Bilećka 57, Belgrade (LINK)

Hotel allocation was communicated to the teams previously.

Meals will be served as follows:

13. 2. 2025. (Thursday)

LUNCH - upon arrival DINNER 19 h - 21 h

14. 2. 2025. (Friday)

BREAKFAST (hotel times) LUNCH 12 h – 14 h DINNER 19 h – 21 h

15. 2. 2025. (Saturday)

BREAKFAST (hotel times) LUNCH 12 h – 15 h DINNER 19 h – 22 h

5. ACCREDITATION

Accreditation centre is in Hotel "M".

All team leader shoud go to accreditation center to collect accreditation for the team.

Please contact your Team Attaché to arrange collection of the accreditation cards!

Accreditations must be worn all the time properly around the neck. A person without accreditation will not be able to access the competition venue. In case of the loss of accreditation please notify the Team Attaché.

6. COMPETITION

A. TECHNICAL MEETING

The technical meeting WILL NOT BE STAGED.

Team leaders should use the form "TIC General Inquiries" for any questions and requests. Forms will be available in accreditation Centre and TIC.

FINAL CONFIRMATION AND WITHDRAWALS – Upon arrival, each Team will receive their Entry List when collecting accreditations. All changes (withdrawals, athletes missing from the list) must be submitted at the TIC no later than the end of the Official Training.

B. REGULATIONS

Competition will be conducted in accordance with WA Competition and Technical Rules and BA Regulations.

Only athletes aged at least 16 (sixteen) and not more than 19 (nineteen) years on 31^{st.} December of the year of the competition may participate.

C. TIC

TIC is located at the stands, and it is easily accessible for the teams.

TIC working hours:

Friday, 14th February 16:30 h – 19:30 h

Saturday 15th February 10:00 h – 20:00 h

Procedures at the TIC:

- Distribution of Technical information
- Submission of personal implements
- Submission of Relay Conformation Form (30 minutes before the start of the event, but all changes can be made up until the Call Room time)
- Submission of the Appeals
- Return of the confiscated items and personal implement
- Communication with the Teams

D. CALL ROOM

The Call Room Is located near the second bend.

All athletes must report to the Call Room before the events according to the Call Room Timetable.

If an athlete participates in more than one event simultaneously, they must mention that to the officials in the Call Room.

In the Call Room officials will check athletes' BAGS, CLOTHING, SHOES, and BIBs.

CLOTHING - all athletes must wear official Team Vests

SHOES – athletes' shoes will be checked – heal/sole, spikes, and model. Note that athletes must use spikes up to **9 mm** in length.

If officials notice that the shoe is not complying with Rule 5 of WA Technical Rules such shoes may be confiscated and sent to the WA for further inspection.

All items not complying with WA Competition and Technical Rules will be confiscated and returned to athletes after the event at the TIC.

Athletes will not be allowed to exit the call room with the following items: mobile phones, video recorders, radios, CDs, radio transmitters, or similar devices.

Please note that chalk is not allowed for marking the runway or throwing circle and that may be confiscated by officials.

All athletes will be escorted to the field of play by an official. No athlete can leave the call room on their own.

Athletes will leave the call room as per the Call Room Timetable.

E. OFFICIAL TRAINING

Official training will be organized on Friday (14^h February) from 17:00 – 19:00.

Official training with starters will be organized from 17:30 – 18:30 on the same day.

F. WARM-UP AREA

The warm-up area is located outside arena in the covered part of the outdoor track. Athletes must leave the tent to reach the entrance of the Athletic Indoor Hall (10m from the warmup).

Additional warmup area is in the hallway with the dressing rooms.

Warmup around the track and on the field of play is permitted without officials' approval.

G. RESULTS

For all track events results will be measured by FinishLynx system. FinishLynx False start system will be in place as well. Serbian Athletic Federation provides official timing.

For the Shot Put, Long Jump, and Triple Jump results will be measured by EDM.

All results will be published on:

- Info Board near the TIC / CALL ROOM
- Serbian Athletics Federation website https://sas.org.rs/
- BA website –
 https://balkanathletics.org/results/
- LIVE results will be available on OPENTRACK platform Start Lists / Results | BAICH

Live coverage of the competition from 16:00 – 19:00 will be available on Channel Arena Sport.

H. JUMPING EVENTS:

Triple jump board:

MEN: 13 m WOMEN: 11 m

High Jump Heights:

MEN: 2.05, 2.10, 2.14, 2.17, 2.20, 2.22 + 2cm WOMEN: 1.70, 1.74, 1.77, 1.80, 1.83, 1.82 + 2cm

Pole Vault:

MEN: 4.80, 4.95, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.35 + 5cm WOMEN: 3.80, 3.95, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.35 + 5cm

I. PERSONAL IMPLEMENTS

Personal implements must be submitted at the TIC no latter that 2 hours before the start of the event, ideally immediately after the official training session.

J. PROTESTS AND APPEALS

Protest and Appeals will be processed in accordance with Rule 8 of WA Technical Rules.

Protests during the competitions shall be made by athletes or their representative orally to the Referee no later than 30 min after publishing of the results.

Appeal must be submitted in the written form to the Jury of Appeal through the TIC no later than 30 min after the decision of the Referee upon a protest. Appeal must be written on English language.

When submitting the appeal, a deposit of **100** € must be paid. If decision of Jury of Appeal is in the favour of the athlete/team deposit will be returned.

K. BIBs

BIBs will be given to the Team Officials at the TIC during the Official Training. Athletes will receive and they must wear 1 BIB at the chest except in jumping events where athletes may wear one BIB on the back or the chest.

For Relay events, all athletes must wear their BIB on the back and Country Code BIB on the chest. Country Code BIB will be distributed in the Call Room.

L. MEDAL CEREMONIES

A medal ceremony will be conducted for the first three athletes in each event.

The first three athletes must report to the Medal Ceremony no later than 30 min after the publishing of the results.

The representatives of the winning athletes' team should report to the Medal Ceremony manager for the medal presentation.

Athletes must appear for their Medal Ceremony, and they must wear their official clothing. Medal ceremony is located at the end of the second bend.

M. OTHER PROCEDURES

STARTER'S COMMANDS will be given in English.

Before the start of the Event, the official announcer will present all athletes. For Field Events they will be presented 3 min before the start of the event and for Track events 1 min prior. All athletes must participate in the presentation if requested.

Relay Confirmation Form must be submitted at the TIC no later than 30 min prior to the start of the event, but all subsequent changes can be made up to the call room time for the relay event.

During the competition, only flags of REPUBLIC OF SERBIA, BA, and SERBIAN ATHLETICS FEDERATION will be visible.

7. MEDICAL

During official training and competition, medical services will be provided at the competition site.

Physiotherapists will be available at the warmup area on the competition day.

All athletes compete under the responsibility of the Federations that entered them.

We wish you good luck at the competition!!!