



WORLD TRADITIONAL KARATE-DO FEDERATION

World Traditional Karate-Do Federation

Rue Verdaine 9, 1204 Geneva, Switzerland

www.wtkfkarate.org

On behalf of the Organizing Committee and the **World Traditional Karate-Do Federation** I am honored to invite all WTKF members to take part in the:

1st WTKF Pan Am Official Coaches & Judges Course November 3rd 4th & 5th , 2015

For the first time an official Judges and Coaches Course in South America.

The XVII PAN AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP November 6th & 7th, 2015 following the tradition.

The International Cup November 8th, 2015

This Cup is only individual participation, we invite all WTKF Federations to send his athletes and assist as guests to our Pan American Championship.

Sincerely Yours,

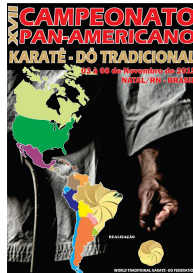
Włodzimierz Kwiecinski, President

Nelson Carrion, General Secretary

World Traditional Karate-Do Federation



XVII PAN AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP



I. GENERAL INFORMATION

- Title :** **The XVII Pan American Traditional Karate Championship.
WTKF Judges & Coaches Course**
- Sanctioned by :** **World Traditional Karate-Do Federation (WTKF)**
- Hosted by :** **Federação de Karate Do Tradicional do Rio Grande do Norte (FKTRN)
Confederação de Karate-Do Tradicional Brasileira (CKTB)**
- Place:** **Natal, Rio Grande do Norte - Brazil**

II. PARTICIPANTS

All athletes that are selected by the respective WTKF National Federations to compete must fulfill the following conditions:

1. Age in agreement with their competition category.
2. They must know, fully understand and be able to compete in accordance with the WTKF competition rules
3. They must be free of any physical or mental handicap that might cause a breach of the WTKF rules
4. All KUMITE, KO-GO and FUKU-GO athletes are obliged to have mouth (tooth). (Breast-protection for women, groin protector for men are optional, but recommended safety equipment)
5. They must have his/her own international traveling insurance and also personal accident insurance issued by their respective National Federations
6. We recommend be a member of a National Federation, which is a full and paid-up member of the WTKF including the year 2015. For new Countries members we suggest to fulfill the membership criteria.
7. They must present Medical Release and International Health Insurance to Medical Emergencies.
8. All countries must bring two national flags & National anthem in CD.



III. COMPETITION RULES

WTKF COMPETITION RULES

IV. CATEGORIES & NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Age and competition categories:

CADET (14-15 years old; born in 2001 and 2000)		
COMPETITION CATEGORIES	Number of Athletes	Remarks
Men's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Women's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Men's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Women's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Men's kumite	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Women's kumite	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
JUNIOR (16-17 years old; born in 1999 and 1998)		
COMPETITION CATEGORIES	Number of Athletes	Remarks
Men's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Women's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Men's Individual Kumite	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite



Women's Individual Kumite	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Men's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite
Women's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Ko-go Kumite

COMBINED COMPETITION**CADET****(14-15 years old; born in 2001 and 2000)****+****JUNIOR****(16-17 years old; born in 1999 and 1998)**

COMPETITION CATEGORIES	Number of Athletes	Remarks
Men's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes	
Women's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes	
Men's En-bu	2 athletes	
Mixed En-bu	2 athletes	

YOUTH**(18-19-20 years old; born in 1997, 1996 1995)**

COMPETITION CATEGORIES	Number of Athletes	Remarks
Men's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Women's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Men's Individual Kumite	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite
Women's Individual Kumite	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite
Men's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite
Women's Fuku-go	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite



SENIOR (age 21 + ; born in 1994 and before)		
COMPETITION CATEGORIES	Number of Athletes	Remarks
Men's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Women's Individual Kata	3 athletes	
Men's Individual Kumite	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite
Women's Individual Kumite	3 athletes	Using Jiyu Kumite
Men's Fuku-go	3 athletes	
Women's Fuku-go	3 athletes	
COMBINED COMPETITION YOUTH (18-19-20 years old; born in 1997, 1996 1995) + SENIOR (age 21 + ; born in 1994 and before)		
Men's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes	
Women's Synchronized Kata	3 athletes	
Men's En-bu	2 athletes	
Mixed En-bu	2 athletes	
Women's Team Kumite	3 athletes + 1	Using Jiyu Kumite
Men's Team Kumite	3 athletes + 1	Using Jiyu Kumite



V. APPLICATIONS & REGISTRATION

A. Applications

For logistical reasons we must receive all applications at least **5 weeks before the Championship.**

Therefore we kindly ask all National Federations to complete all registration of their Officials, Athletes, Coaches and Judges and send them on Application Forms by **October 16th, 2015.**

Note : Any application sent after this deadline will be processed, but will be charged US\$ 10 by participant to be paid to the Tournament Organizing Committee Office when register.

B. Registration

All registration has to be sent on the Application Forms to e-mail:

The registration must include:

1. Details of all Officials, Coaches and Judges
2. Details of all Athletes including respective competing categories
3. All to be done **October 16th, 2015 deadline !!!**

Please help us run this complex operation smoothly by observing the deadline.

C. Participation Fees

Pan American Championship:

50 US Dollars for athlete (only one fee, and athlete can participate in all competitions)

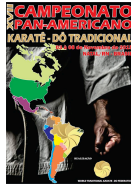
50 US Dollars for each coach

Children until 13 years old:

40 US Dollars for athlete (only one fee, and athlete can participate in all competitions)

40 US Dollars for each coach/accompanying person.

Registration fees for all Athletes paid to the T.O.C. at the Tournament Office at latest one day before competition (until Thursday November 5th, 2015)



VI. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

*FOR BOTH EVENTS THE TRANSPORT IS ORGANIZED IN THE CASE THE PARTICIPANTS ARE HOSTED IN OUR OFFICIAL HOTELS.

WTKF CAMP:

November 2nd, 2015 ----- Arrival. *Shuttle bus from Airport to Official Hotels

From November 2nd 2015 ----- Arrival (Officials, Judges, Athletes)



November 3 4 & 5 ----- WTKF Coaches & Judges Course

PARTICIPATION FEE US\$ 100.00

(T-SHIRT INCLUDED. PLEASE SEND YOUR SIZE AND SEX TO PREPARE)

November 6th 2015 Friday – 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM WTKF Board of Directors Meeting

November 6th 2015 Friday 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM WTKF General Assembly

(2 representatives by Country).

November 6th 2015 Friday Dinner Board and Official Countries representatives.

Place: Will be confirmed .

Participation R\$: 60.00

November 8th SAYONARA PARTY WITH BRAZILIAN MUSIC, DINNER & DANCE

Participation: R\$ 40.00

November 5th 2015 Thursday Drawing (8:00 PM – 10:00 PM)

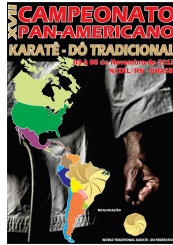


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PAN AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITION SCHEDULE

November 6th 2015 Friday (from 9.00 AM)

ELIMINATIONS:

Categories: CADETS – JUNIORS –YOUTH & SENIORS

ONLY TEAMS: KATA - ENBU & KUMITE

November 7th, 2015 –Saturday

Pan American Championship for Children (from 9.00 AM)

Ages 8-9 // 10-11 // 12-13

Categories: CADETS – JUNIORS –YOUTH & SENIORS

November 7th, 2015 –Saturday

Open Ceremony 5:00 PM

Pan American Championship Finals.

Categories: CADETS – JUNIORS –YOUTH & SENIORS

Place: GINÁSIO -GINÁSIO DA I F R N

LOCAL -I F R N -CAMPOS NATAL - CENTRAL

Adress - AV. SENADOR SALGADO FILHO Nº 1559

BAIRRO TIRÓL NATAL -RN -CEP - 59015 -000

In front of: SHOPPING MIDWAY MALL



November 8th, 2015-Sunday- 9.00 AM International Cup CKTB (only individual Kumite & Kata)

Ages 8-9 // 10-11 // 12-13// 14-15 // 16-17 // 18-20 //After 21

Fee: R\$ 50.00 per athlete.

Place:

November 9th, 2015 (Monday) Departure

VII. TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION AND ACCREDITATION

A. DATES:

November 4th Wednesday 2.00 pm to 8.00 pm

November 5th Thursday 10.00 am to 12.00 pm & 2.00 pm to 8.00pm

PLACE : Tournament Registration Office **MONZA PALACE**

Avenida Senador Salgado Filho, n° 3490, bairro Candelária, CEP 59.066-800, Natal-RN/Brasil

VIII. PLACEMENT OF THE DRAWING

A. DATE AND TIME :

November 5th 2015 Thursday Drawing (8:00 PM – 10:00 PM)

B. PLACE :

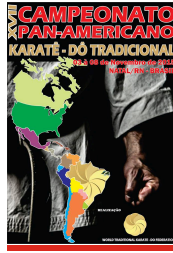
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PLACEMENT DRAWING NOTE :

All Coaches are required to attend the Draw to confirm that the names and categories of their Athletes are correctly placed before the Draw begins.

No changes or additional inclusion of competitors will be accepted after the drawing.



IX. JUDGES

1. **Selection of the Judges will be made by the WTKF Technical Committee Members during the WTKF Judges´ Refresher Course held right before the Pan American Championship on Friday November 6th.**
2. Judges participating in this event have to be WTKF Registered Qualified Judges (class A, B, C) who have participated in the Judges' Refresher Course held before the tournament and completed the WTKF Judges´ Refresher Course held in 2015.
3. Each judge candidate must submit the application form, fee for the Judges´ Refresher Course by **October 16th, 2015.**
4. All Judges must bring their own HAKAMA (black), whistle and clean KARATEGI including navy blue KEIKOGI top.

The organization IN BRAZIL can provide KEIKOGI AT 160 REAIS WITH WTKF LOGO EMBROIDERY, Please send us your size to order.

The T-Shirts of the Championship will be available during the event. If you want to order for souvenir let us know by e mail (panamerican2015brazil@gmail.com) sizes and quantity and we will prepare for you. Price: US\$ 10.00 children size & US\$ 15.00 adults.

X. ACCOMMODATION and TRANSPORT

The Tournament Organizing Committee will provide shuttles from/to international Airport of Natal and shuttles to sport hall and back to the hotel, national teams training facilities for all delegations, who will use official hotels only.

The Tournament Organizing Committee is planning to organize the **Sayonara Party**. The complete information and full details concerning this sayonara party will be sent to all federations and also will be available on our website.

Participation R\$: 40.00



HOTEL INFORMATION

We have 3 official Hotels (MONZA , AQUÁRIOS & Villa PARK)

MAKE THE CHOISE OF YOUR HOTEL AND WE BOOK FOR YOU

Send the list of the people and accomodation preference

For Hotel reservations please send transfer to: BANCO ITAÚ

Adress - AV, CORONEL ESTEVAM Nº 1622

CEP 59037-000 NATAL - RN

AGENCIA -8380

Account:FKTRN Bank Account -08435-3

IBAN- BR9660701190083800000084353C1 - SWIFT -ITAÚBRSP

Please book your reservation to this e mails:

FKTRN-POTIGUAR@HOTMAIL.COM

PANAMERICAN2015BRASIL@GMAIL.COM

NILTONASTS@GMAIL.COM

Pan American Office & Headquarters

MONZA PALACE

Avenida Senador Salgado Filho, nº 3490, bairro Candelária, CEP 59.066-800, Natal-RN/Brasil.

<http://monzapalace.com.br/hotel/>

PRICES:

Double room: R\$ 88,00 by person

Triple room: R\$ 77,00 by person

4 people: R\$ 77,00 by person taxes included with breakfast

Hotel Aquaria ****

In front of the Ocean, Ponta Negra

Av. Erivan Franca, 152, Praia de Ponta Negra, Natal, CEP 59090-100, Brasil

Prices by person

Apartamento single standard	R\$ 262,00 *
Apartamento double standard	R\$ 131,00 *
Apartamento triplo Familia	R\$ 132,66 *
Apartamento quadruplo Family	R\$ 109,45 *
Extra BED	R\$ 120,00 *



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* Breakfast included

Villa Park Hotel ***

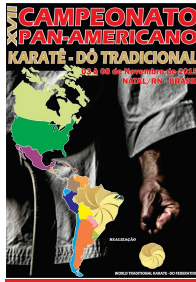
Avenida Senador Salgado Filho, 1525, Natal, CEP 59015-000, Brasi

Close to the Gym IFRN

Prices by person

Apartamento single	R\$ 165,00
Apartamento double	R\$ 99,00
Apartamento triple	R\$ 88,00

* Breakfast included



XI. VISA

Please contact your local embassy for visa procedure.

In case of you need invitation, please contact our T.O.C.

XII. CONTACT INFORMATION

All communication between National Federations and the T.O.C. until 16th October 2015 should be done through:

- **our websites :** www.wtkfkarate.org
- **our e-mails :** secretary@wtkfkarate.org
panamerican2015brazil@gmail.com
- **our cell phone :** +33 618510718 From 9 to 12 and 14 to 17 (EU time)
- **contact person: Wanderley Da Silva CKTB General Secretary**
panamerican2015brazil@gmail.com
Phone: +5584996171818 +5584999780288



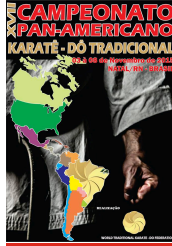
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If we can be of any further assistance or if you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact us by e-mail. Update information regarding the Championship can be also found on this website.



XIII. CONFIRMATION OF PARTICIPATION

All countries planning to participate in the XVII WTKF Pan American Championship are requested to send the confirmation of participation by September 30th 2015 by e-mail:

Please write only general confirmation without details as regards number of participants etc..

Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

Welcome to Natal,

Nilton Aurimar CKTB President (Organizing Committee)

Nelson Carrion WTKF General Secretary (Organizing Committee)

Alexandro Jobson FKTRN President (Organizing Committee)