



2nd INVITATION

to the

2015

**Regional Championship
East Asia & South East Asia
and Referee course**

**JJIF Grand Slam
World Ranking Tournament**



Chanthrupeksa Stadium, Bangkok, Thailand

26. Feb. – 2. March. 2015

Referee Course, 27th, 28th February 2015

**Regional Open Championship for East and South East Asia - Jiu-Jitsu (Ne-Waza)
28th February, 01st March 2015**

JJAU and event Responsibilities

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1. Organizing Federation

Responsibility for the event goes to:
Ju-Jitsu Association of Thailand

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Venue:

Chanthrupeksa Stadium - Royal Air Force
Phahonyothin Road Si Kan, Don Mueang
Bangkok, Thailand

Hotel

The organizer is providing official hotel for all delegations, in order to facilitate the meetings, the registration and weigh-in of all athletes. (5 km from venue)

Asia Airport Hotel – Bangkok http://www.asiahotel.co.th/asia_airport.htm
3 Km North of Bangkok Airport (DMK)
99/2 Moo 8 , Phaholyothin Road Lamlukka
Pathumthanee 12130, Thailand

How to reach the locality

Don Muang Airport is close to the venue.

Please try to book flight to Don Muang Airport (DMK) if possible!

International Suvarnabhumi Airport (40 km)

Transport

The OC will arrange transport from International Airport to the official hotel, for all participants who are placed in the official hotel, and also from hotels to the sports hall and, finally back to the airport.

Please, contact the organizers concerning arrivals and provide them with exact information about your arrival and departure (means of transport, time and date of arrival, flight number etc.), so they can organize everything on time.

VISA

Please check the insecurity of Visa application for your nation:

<http://www.thaiembassy.org>

<http://www.thaiembassy.org/abudhabi/en/services/3221>

For Visa request support please contact: office@jjau.org

Right to participate and categories

Athletes must be presented and registered by their National Federation;
All competitors must have a **legal passport of the nation they represent in the championship** and sports passport of their respective nation!
The championship is open to all JJIF members!

Senior competition for Competitors over 18 years!

Four (4) competitors per category, per National Federation are accepted

Categories of **Jiu-Jitsu** (Ne-Waza)

Women: -49kg; -55kg; - 62kg; - 70kg; +70kg

Men: - 56kg; -62kg; -69kg; -77kg; -85kg; -94kg; +94kg

Open weight men and women

The semifinalists are allowed to compete in the Open weight category as well.

Categories of **JJIF Fighting**

Women: -49kg; -55kg; - 62kg; - 70kg; +70kg

Men: - 56kg; -62kg; -69kg; -77kg; -85kg; -94kg; +94kg

Categories of **JJIF Duo-System**

Women; Men; Mixed and additional mixed category for **Show-System!**

Referee course

For the referees will be offered a referee course of two days. This course shall qualify the referees for the competition and further JJAU events.

Referee who had participated in the JJAU course 2014 in Bangkok have the possibility to participate in an examination for JJIF International License for Ne-Waza.

The examination consist of a theoretical test (in English language!!) and a practical exam accomplished during the regional championship.

Financial conditions

NO participation fee for competition and referee seminar.

Travel expenses (Flight ticket from your country to Bangkok airport and back) are the responsibility and costs of the participating countries (National Federation). – your cost

Hotel, Food, local transport: US \$ 80,- per person/ per day (double room)

The sponsor of JJAU will support the Ne-Waza competition and cover costs of accommodation, food and local transport for **one (1) Official; two (2) referees; one (1) coach and the Ne-Waza athletes.**

This coverage is **only** possible for **members** of the countries from **East and South East Asia.**

Ju-Jitsu gi and protectors

All competitors must have and use Jiu-Jitsugi according with the JJIF rules for official competitions.

Please observe the regulations of the JJIF as far as advertising on the Ju-Jitsugi is concerned.

Rules and draw

- JJIF Competition Rules, JJIF Competition Organization and Planning. We make an appeal to all participants to respect fair-play and JJIF Book of Ethics! *(actual competition rules are provided also on the official web site of JJIF www.jjif.org;*
- Computer program, approved by JJIF;
- Draw will be made by Sport Director and responsible official from the National Federation, together with the IT specialist – the approved program will be used for the draw;
- The draw will be done for all competition days and it is final!
- If a competitor will not have the correct weight at weighing – or the birth dates are not correct - he/she will stay in a pool/table but will automatically lose the match

Anti-doping Control

All members should make their competitors aware that there could be a doping control for several athletes.

If you have entered in the Championship and are taking any medication or plan to take any medication, please check with your doctor whether your medication contains any substances on WADA's 2014 Prohibited List (http://www.wada-ama.org/Documents/World_Anti-Doping_Program/WADP-Prohibited-list/2014/WADA-Prohibited-List-2014-EN.pdf).

You will need a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE), if it does. JJIF automatically recognizes all TUEs issued by National Anti-Doping Agency (NADAs), so please contact your NADA if you need a TUE and do not already have one.

If you have any difficulty in applying for a TUE through your NADA or there is no NADO in your country, please contact the JJIF TUE Committee Director, Mr. Paco Luis Gomez (pacoluisgomez@gmail.com)

Liability

Neither the organizers of the event, nor the National Federation (or any of its officials or members) will be liable or responsible for any personal injury nor for any loss or damage to any property arising out of participations and travelling in connection with this championship.

Coaches and team leaders are responsible to make sure that all participants are physically fit, prepared and capable to cope with the championship.

Dress code

Coaches accompanying the athletes to the tatami will wear the **national team track suit** with **sports shoes (closed)**. For the **finals**, **formal clothes (with jacket)** are recommended.

Athletes on the **podium** will wear the white **competition gi**, **without any additional materials** on their persons (flags, religious symbols, bottles of water, slippers etc.), according to SportAccord guidelines.

Flags and Anthems

Don't forget to check the flag and anthem of your country with the organizer when you arrive. We suggest that you bring with you your national anthem (short version) to avoid any possible problem.

Registration to the event

Only in writing up to **February 18th** to: office@jjau.org

Please help us to organize and register as soon as possible!

Please use the forms in attachments and indicate last name, first name, year of birth, weight category, address and telephone, referees send by the organization, officials and if you would like to use provided transport.

Please provide exact time of arrival/departure in order to organize suitable transport and prepare accommodation for your team.

Appendix 1: Schedule

26th February 2015

Arrival Delegations

21:00 h Welcome and Information meeting

27th February 2015

09:00 – 12:00 h Referee Seminar

14:00 – 18:00 h Referee Seminar

16:00 – 18:00 h Registration Competitors and Weight in (categories for 28th)

20:00 – 21:00 h Theoretical Exam

21:00 h Draw

28th February 2015

09:00 – 12:00 h Referee Seminar

14:00 – 19:00 h Competition (+Practical Exam Referee)

16:00 – 17:30 h Weight in (categories for 01stMarch)

01st March 2015

09:00 – 15:00 h Competition (+Practical Exam Referee)

15:00 – 17:00 h Competition (Open weight)

2nd March 2015

Departure of delegations

After the registration deadline we will publish the competition days for the different categories!

Appendix 2: Statement about liability

NATION/TEAM: _____

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL (capital letters please):

STATEMENT

Of accepting general conditions for participating at the event as defined in Invitation to the event, accepting JJIF Competition Organizing and Planning and fair-play in general, and accepting responsibilities and liabilities as follows:

Legality and right to participate. We are fully aware that all competitors must have a legal passport and sports passport of their respective nation! Medical certificate is needed, not older than 12 months, certifying their fitness for competition. Competitors that will reach the proper age in the present year (from 1.1 to 31.12) have the right of participation in designate category.

Responsibility. We hereby attest the responsibility that coaches and team leader are responsible to make sure that all participants are physically fit, prepared and capable to cope with championship.

Liability. We understand and recognize the right to the O.C., JJIF and National Federation not to accept any liability what so ever. Neither the organizers of the event, nor the Lebanese Ju-Jitsu & Judo Federation, JJAU or JJIF (or any of its officials or members) will be liable or responsible for any personal injury nor for any loss or damage to any property arising out of participations and travelling in connection with this championship.

Anti-doping. We are aware that there could be a doping control for several athletes in ne-waza systems.

Place and date: _____

Signature: