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**2nd Asian University Cheerleading Championship**

**Seoul, South Korea; 24th -25th August, 2019**

Bulletin 1

The Executive Committee (EC) of the Asian University Sports Federation (AUSF) has attributed the organizing of the 2ndAsian University Cheerleading Championship (AUCC) to the Korean University Sports Board and it will be taking place in Seoul, Korea.

## Invitation

We are now inviting all university sport organizations to participate in this Championship.

## Rules for participation

* 1. Eligibility

All competitors must satisfy the following conditions in order to participate in this AUCC :

* + 1. be full-time students who are currently officially registered as proceeding towards a degree or diploma at the university or similar institute whose status is recognized by the appropriate national academic authority of their country or regions;
		2. be former students who have obtained their academic degree or diploma in the preceding year (i.e. 2018);
		3. be at least 17 and less than 28 years of age on January 1st in the year of the event, i.e. the athlete should be born between January 1, 1992 and December 31, 2001; must hold valid passport of the country or region he/she represents.
	1. Each NUSF can register up to two (2) university teams or one (1) combined team for each division of the championship. There will be a total of 11 divisions across the two (2) categories of Team Cheer and Team Performance Cheer (please refer to para 8.1). For officials, each NUSF can register the following five (5):
* One (1) team leader
* Up to three (3) coaches
* One (1) Medical personnel or interpreter

## Provisional Program

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| **Date** | **Activity** |
| 23/8 (FRI) | Arrival |
| 24/8 (SAT) | Technical Meeting /Opening Ceremony/Competition |
| 25/8 (SUN) | Competition / Awards & Closing Ceremony |
| 26/8 (MON) | Departure |  |  |

##  Entry Forms

Entry form notifying intention of participation complete with official stamp and signature must be submitted to the Organizing Committee on time. All required forms must be sent back no later than

-General Entry form due on **May20, 2019**

-Quantitative Entry and Dress size form due on **June30, 2019**

-Individual, Nominative, Travel Enrty Form and Academic Eligibility due on **June30, 2019**

 **\**Passport****s and* ***the original Individual Entry Form*** *and* ***Academic Eligibility*** *should be brought to Seoul for accreditation purpose.*

1. **Travel**
	1. Travel to Incheon International Airport need to be arranged and financed by each participating team.
	2. The Organizing Committee will finance and be responsible for transfer of delegations between Incheon International Airport and accommodation venue on arrival (23thAugust) and departure (26thAugust) and similarly for all transport in connection with the official program.

## Finances andInsurance

* 1. The participation fee is US$60 per person per day. Additional/extra persons in excess of the permitted five (5) - as highlighted under para 2.2 will have to pay a fee of US$120 per person per day.

6.2 AUSF registration fee of US$10 per person (US$ 20 per person for non-AUSF member) will be paid by each delegation and collected by AUSF CIC in ***cash*** at the time of accreditation.

6.3 The organization of any extended stay for the delegation (before or after the event) is the responsibility of the delegation concerned. It shall not be the responsibility of the Organizing Committee.

6.4 Each delegation is required to provide insurance for each member of its delegation. At a minimum the insurance is to cover civil liability, material damage, injury and medical costs. Any cost resulting from the hospital visits and treatment should be covered by the insurance of the athletes and officials themselves.

## Commitments to be honored by delegations

* 1. Each participant is required to be present throughout the duration of the event.
	2. Each participant is obliged to take part also in all of the non-sport activities.

## Competition

* 1. Competition events (11 events):

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| Category | Division |
| Team cheer | University Premier Large CoedUniversity Elite Large CoedUniversity Premier Small CoedUniversity Elite Small CoedUniversity Premier All FemaleUniversity Elite All Female |
| Team PerformanceCheer | University PomUniversity Hip HopUniversity JazzUniversity Pom DoublesUniversity Hip Hop Doubles |

* 1. Competition Rules:

Competitions for the 2nd Asian University Cheerleading Championship 2019 will be held in accordance with the current International Cheer Union (ICU)Competition Rules and Regulations.

A copy of the current ICU Competition Rules can be downloaded with the link:<http://cheerunion.org.ismmedia.com/ISM3/std-content/repos/Top/Championships/WCC/ICU_WCC_Rules_2019.pdf>

In case of any disagreement or dispute of the rules and regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen cases not covered by the regulations and rules shall be resolved as follows:

* General issues, to be resolved in accordance with the Asian University Sport Federation (AUSF) Constitution and Regulations.
* Technical issues, to be resolved in accordance with the ICU Rules and Regulations.

8.3 Awards:

* One gold, one silver and one bronze medal will be awarded in each division events.

## Doping

Dope testing will take place during the competition according to current AUSF Anti-Doping Rules.

The organisating committee will follow the ICU Anti-Doping Rules and Regulations- Guidelines and Operations Procedures The ICU is committed to doping free sport, and strictly follows the enclosed guidelines and procedures of the ICU WADA approved Anti-Doping guidelines and procedures for the safety of our athletes and fairness of play for our sport.

<http://cheerunion.org.ismmedia.com/ISM3/std-content/repos/Top/2013_Website/WADA/ICU_2015_WADA-Code.pdf>

1. **Help Program**

The AUSF Help Program is formulated to provide financial support to AUSF m embers representing countries/regions with per capita US$3,500 or less according to the latest figures provided by World Bank (<https://data.worldbank.org/indicator/NY.GDP.PCAP.CD?locations=Z4-8S-Z7>)

 to enable them to send their student-athletes and/or officials to participate in the AUC. For 2nd AUCC, AUSF members/NUSFs who qualify for the Help Program should pay attention to the following timelines

-The application form should be submitted before May 20th , 2019;

-All forms will be evaluated from May 20th June 10th, 2019

-NUSFs selected for the Help Program should submit personal information of athletes (passport copies, pictures, academic eligibility forms, declarations, together with sports event participation proof) by June 30th , 2019

- Help Programme report from the participants/NUSFs must be submitted within 1 month after the event

1. **Contact of Organizing Committee**

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## *Looking forward to meeting you in Seoul, Korea in August 24*