



# AFRICAN JU-JITSU CHAMPIONSHIP

Adults

Fighting, Duo, Show, Jiu-Jitsu

24/03/2022 To 26/03/2022



*Angola*

Arena city



# Invitation document & Outlines

## African Ju-Jitsu Championship 2022

Luanda, Angola

21st to 27th of March, 2022

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## 1. Welcome From the JJAFU President

Dear Presidents, officials and athletes,  
Dear friends,

As you know, we could not have any continental championship in 2020 after our 2019 edition because of the outbreak of the Covid-19 pandemic. In fact, no event was organised by JJIF in that year. Despite all efforts made by many, we could not hold our continental championship in 2021 as well, the pandemic being still a contributing factor. Sparing no efforts to hold the African Championship as soon as possible, I'm finally relieved and pleased to announce that we are finally being able to schedule it in Angola end of March 2022. I thank earnestly President Luis John and Vice-President Flavio Cardoso of Angolan Ju-Jitsu Federation and their team for having worked on this project, as well as all those who have contributed and are contributing and working tirelessly towards the realisation of our African Championship, 2022, including the JJIF President, Panagiotis Theodoropoulos, the JJIF General Director, Joachim Thumfart, the JJIF Sports Director, Claudia Behnke, JJAFU Sports Director, Seif Houmine, Peter Shouten, JJIF Head of IT, Christophe Lamboley, JJIF IT/Sportdata Co-ordinator, Abu-Dhabi Jiu-Jitsu Pro (AJP) represented by Messrs Tareq Al Bahari and Rodrigo and.



I hope to see you in great numbers and wish the organisers and us all plenty of success for this 2022 edition of our African Championship.

Mr Nuvin Proag

## 2. Welcome notes from the Minister of Youth and Sport of Angola

Dear friends of Ju-Jitsu,

We take immense pleasure in cordially inviting your esteemed presence to participate with the National team and Officials in the upcoming African Ju-Jitsu Championship 2022 held in Luanda, Angola, from the 21<sup>st</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> of March 2022.

Ms Ana Paula da Silva do Sacramento,







### 3. Event Responsibilities

For all information and assistance concerning the event, you should contact:

#### ***a) Organising Federation- Local organisor***

Federação Angolana de Ju-jitsu e Disciplinas Associadas

- President, Luis John: [luisjohn2022@gmail.com](mailto:luisjohn2022@gmail.com)- Mob/WhatsApp : +244 934 075 340
- Vice-President, Flavio Cardoso: [flaviocardoso18@hotmail.com](mailto:flaviocardoso18@hotmail.com): Mob/WhatsApp: +244 923 344 279
- General mail: [africanjujitsu2022@hotmail.com](mailto:africanjujitsu2022@hotmail.com)

#### ***b) JJAFU Responsible***

- Nuvin Proag, JJAFU President  
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- Seif Eddine Houmine, JJAFU Sport Director :  
[houmineaz@hotmail.com](mailto:houmineaz@hotmail.com) Mob/WhatsApp: +33 76 88 31 144

### 4. Competition Venue

Arena do Kilamba

27CM+GCV, Kilamba,  
Luanda Angola

### 5. Registration

Please register for the event using this link:

[https://www.sportdata.org/ju-jitsu/set-online/veranstaltung\\_info\\_main.php?active\\_menu=calendar&vern=317#a\\_eventhead](https://www.sportdata.org/ju-jitsu/set-online/veranstaltung_info_main.php?active_menu=calendar&vern=317#a_eventhead)

The registration will be open till **March 18<sup>th</sup>**

- Late registration from **March 18<sup>th</sup>** till **March 20<sup>th</sup>** costs **\$10 extra per entry**

It will not be possible to add/change competitors after the **20<sup>th</sup> of March**

An active SportsID national federation account is mandatory to register.

For any questions or support, contact Christophe Lamboley, JJIF IT/Sportdata Co-ordinator: [sportdata@jjif.org](mailto:sportdata@jjif.org)

### 6. Fee

The registration fee is **\$60 US Dollars** per participant/duo couple for all competitions an athlete takes part in.

### 7. Right To Participate and Categories

Athletes must be presented and registered by their National Federation-Ju-Jitsu National Organisation (JJNO), which is a JJIF / JJAFU member.

Based on the JJIF OSC 3.1, Paragraph § 3.2. Entries of Competitors: Each JJNO may enter up to **two (2) contestants** in each category for the Continental Championships. However, depending on the number of participants in each category, the

host JJNO, the Angolan Ju-Jitsu Federation may be entitled to enter up to **four (4)** contestants. Final decision of number of additional entrants for each category by the Angolan Federation rests with the JJAFU President after consultation with the JJAFU Sports Director.

### **a) Categories**

The following age divisions<sup>1</sup> will be allowed to participate in this event

Name	Description	Year of birth for this event
<b>Adults (+18)</b>	Older than 18 years	2004 <sup>2</sup> or older

Official JJIF Weight categories will be used<sup>3</sup>

## **8. Arrival/Transport**

The Organizer will appoint the official hotels (see below) and will provide transport from international airport Aeroporto Intenacional 4 de Fevereiro to official hotels, from official hotels to competition venue and from official hotels to airport.

Please book your arrival and departure to and from Aeroporto Intenacional 4 de Fevereiro and inform the local organisers soonest of your arrival and departure days and time, airline, flight no etc.. and time and ask for confirmation that they have well received your information.

### **a) Entry and Visa for Angola**

The Organizer is happy to help any country with obtaining a visa for athletes and officials. Please check with your relevant local authorities eg Ministry of Foreign Affairs of local travel agencies if you need VISA before arriving in Angola.

For nations, that need VISA to enter Angola, please send the Organizer as soon as possible a list of participants with full names, passport numbers, date of birth and positions. (Add Passport Picture, please)

Complete visa applications should be sent to: [luisjohn2015@gmail.com](mailto:luisjohn2015@gmail.com) and [africanjujitsu2022@hotmail.com](mailto:africanjujitsu2022@hotmail.com).

**Deadline for VISA support is March 10<sup>th</sup>**

*- after this date, you must take care of the VISA yourself, or additional costs will apply*

## **9. Accommodation and Meals**

**The official hotels and budget accommodation are:**

- Hotel Victoria Gardens (4\*)
- Hotel Lukweku (3\*)
- State-owned dormitory- can accommodate 70 persons

Participants who wish to stay at the above 2 hotels should **make their own booking directly** with the hotels or through online hotel booking sites and also make their own arrangements for their meal options directly with the hotels. The local organiser will also help you to make your booking. Please contact them for any information you need. Should

<sup>1</sup> OSC §1.3.2 -

<sup>2</sup> Here, the date of birth counts meaning athletes must be 18 on the competition day: No athletes having the age of fewer than 18 years old will be allowed to participate in the Adults' World Championship of the JJIF. (See Paragraph §1.3.2.)

<sup>3</sup> OSC §1.3.4

you find any other hotels but which have to be close to the competition venue, Arena do Kilamba, please contact the local organiser which will help and confirm that they may provide transport to and from these hotels as well.

Participants who wish to stay at the state-owned dormitory must inform the local organiser which will make the necessary arrangements. The State-owned dormitory is available at **US\$ 20 per night including breakfast only**. Payments have to be made to the local organizer. Participants must make their own arrangements for meals other than breakfast.

## 10. Covid-19 Tests

The Local Organizer through the Ministry of Health will provide tests for all Athletes.

- If one athlete has positive test results all his close contacts will be required to be tested (National Team).
- All Covid-19 Positive cases will be placed in quarantine until fully recovered.

## 11. Rules and Brackets

The event will use the competition rules as published under: <https://jjif.sport/downloads/>

The brackets will be made in agreement with the Organisation and Sporting code<sup>4</sup> and published on the Sportdata event page after the draw.

## 12. Coaches, Media & Medical personnel from JJNOs

### a) Coaches

All official coaches should receive their accreditation cards during accreditation. Teams without an official coach will participate without coaching (no athlete or other officials will be allowed to enter the field of play unless they register as coaches). *At least one Coach or Medic per JJNO must prove the participation in the coach seminar of WADA or a similar course<sup>6</sup>.*

### b) Medical personnel

JJNOs may have<sup>5</sup> its own medical personnel. To receive an accreditation card as medical personnel please register via Sportdata.

*At least one Coach or Medic per JJNO must prove the participation in the coach seminar of WADA or a similar course<sup>6</sup>*

## 13. Referees

Qualified referees are very welcome at the event. A referee course and examination will be held for those who wish to undergo same.

If you are interested to be a referee please contact Seif Eddine Houmine, JJAFU Sport Director: [houmineaz@hotmail.com](mailto:houmineaz@hotmail.com) Mob/WhatsApp: +33 76 88 31 144

<sup>4</sup> OSC § 4 Drawing [https://stg.jjif.sport/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Organization\\_and\\_sporting\\_code\\_2020.pdf](https://stg.jjif.sport/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Organization_and_sporting_code_2020.pdf)

<sup>5</sup> OSC § 3.1.1 Medical Personnel [https://stg.jjif.sport/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Organization\\_and\\_sporting\\_code\\_2020.pdf](https://stg.jjif.sport/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Organization_and_sporting_code_2020.pdf)

<sup>6</sup> <https://adel.wada-ama.org/>

## 14. Anti-Doping Test

All members should make their competitors aware that there could be doping control for several athletes. If you have entered 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 Prohibited List: (<https://www.wada-ama.org/en/content/what-is-prohibited>)

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 NADO if you need a TUE and do not already have one. If you have any difficulty in applying for a TUE through your NADO or there is no NADO in your country, please contact [jjif@ita.sport](mailto:jjif@ita.sport).

## 15. 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 losses or damages to any property arising out of participations and travelling in connection with this championship.

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

## 16. Schedule

### a) Referee course and examination schedule

Day 2022	Time	Event
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	Full day	Arrival of referees at official hotel
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> March 2022	09 00 hrs to 18 00 hrs	Referee seminar
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2022	09 00 hrs to 18 00 hrs	Referee seminar
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2022	09 00 hrs to 18 00 hrs	Referee examination

### b) Competition schedule

Day	Time	Event
Wednesday, March 23rd 2022	Full day	Arrival of delegations to the official hotel
	12:00 - 18:30	Accreditation of delegations, payment of outstanding amounts. Only one representative per JJNO must be present.
Thursday, March 24th 2022	Full day	Arrival of delegations to the official hotels
	09:00 - 14:00	Accreditation of delegations, payment of outstanding amounts.
	14:00 - 17:00	Fighting & Jiu-Jitsu Referee meeting and wrap up of the rules. Only one representative per JJNO must be present.
	17:00	Draw for all days
	18:00 - 20:30	Official <b>weigh-in</b> for Fighting & Jiu-Jitsu competitors for Friday (at competition venue)
Friday, March 25th 2022	7:00 - 9:00	Transport to Sports Hall
	8:15 - 8:45	Referee meeting in the sports hall



	09:00 ~ 17:00	<p>Jiu-Jitsu</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adults Women: -63kg; -70kg; +70kg</li> <li>Adults Men: -56kg; -62kg; -69kg; -77kg</li> </ul> <p>Fighting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adults Women: -45kg; -48kg; -52kg; -57kg</li> <li>Adults Men: -85kg; -94kg; +94kg</li> </ul> <p>Duo</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adults Men &amp; Women</li> </ul>
	~17:00 - 19:00	Bronze Medal Contests and Final.
	15:00 - 17:00	Official <b>weigh-in</b> for Fighting & Jiu-Jitsu competitors for Saturday (in the sports hall)
Saturday, March 26th 2022	7:00 - 9:00	Transports to Sports Hall
	8:15 - 8:45	Referee meeting in the sports hall
	09:00 ~ 17:00	<p>Jiu-Jitsu</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adults Women: -45kg; -48kg; -52kg; -57kg</li> <li>Adults Men: -85kg; -94kg; +94kg</li> </ul> <p>Fighting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adults Women: -63kg; -70kg; +70kg</li> <li>Adults Men: -56kg; -62kg; -69kg; -77kg</li> </ul> <p>Duo</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adults Mixed</li> </ul>
	17:00 - 19:00	Bronze Medal Contests and Final.
Sunday March 27 <sup>th</sup> 2022	09:00 - 12:00	JJAFU board meeting, JJAFU General Assembly, election athletes commission
	Afternoon	Return of delegations
Monday March 28 <sup>th</sup> 2022	Full day	Return of Delegations

## 17. Miscellaneous

Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/events/1019162628698584/?ref=newsfeed>