

PAN AMERICAN SAMBO UNION

AMATEUR FEDERATION OF  
SPORT AND COMBAT SAMBO OF  
THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

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## COMPETITION REGULATIONS

### PAN AMERICAN SAMBO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023

SPORT SAMBO (Men and Women)  
COMBAT SAMBO (Men and Women)

SEPTEMBER 6-7, 2023  
SANTO DOMINGO, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

## 1. PROGRAM

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	PLACE
05/09		<b>Delegations arrival</b>	Las Américas International Airport, Santo Domingo
	09:00-16:00	<b>Reception and registration Accreditation</b>	Whala! Boca Chica Hotel
	16:00-18:00	<b>Anti-Doping Seminar and Technical Meeting</b>	Whala! Boca Chica Hotel
	18:00-19:00	<b>Weigh-in:</b> Sport SAMBO Men: 58, 71, 88, +98 kg Sport SAMBO Women: 50, 59, 72, +80 kg Combat SAMBO Men: 64, 79, 98 kg Combat SAMBO Women: 54, 65, 80 kg	Whala! Boca Chica Hotel
	19:30-21:30	<b>Pan American Congress</b>	Whala! Boca Chica Hotel
06/09	11:00-14:00	<b>Preliminaries:</b> Sport SAMBO Men: 58, 71, 88, +98 kg Sport SAMBO Women: 50, 59, 72, +80 kg Combat SAMBO Men: 64, 79, 98 kg Combat SAMBO Women: 54, 65, 80 kg	Pabellón Balonmano (Parque del Este)
	14:00-15:00	<b>Weigh-in:</b> Sport SAMBO Men: 64, 79, 98 kg Sport SAMBO Women: 54, 65, 80 kg Combat SAMBO Men: 58, 71, 88, +98 kg Combat SAMBO Women: 50, 59, 72, +80 kg	
	16:00-18:00	<b>Finals and Awarding Ceremony</b> Sport SAMBO Men: 58, 71, 88, +98 kg Sport SAMBO Women: 50, 59, 72, +80 kg Combat SAMBO Men: 64, 79, 98 kg Combat SAMBO Women: 54, 65, 80 kg	
	15:30-16:00	<b>Opening Ceremony</b>	
07/09	11:00-14:00	<b>Preliminaries:</b> Sport SAMBO Men: 64, 79, 98 kg Sport SAMBO Women: 54, 65, 80 kg Combat SAMBO Men: 58, 71, 88, +98 kg Combat SAMBO Women: 50, 59, 72, +80 kg	Pabellón Balonmano (Parque del Este)
	15:00-17:00	<b>Finals and Awarding Ceremony:</b> Sport SAMBO Men: 64, 79, 98 kg Sport SAMBO Women: 54, 65, 80 kg Combat SAMBO Men: 58, 71, 88, +98 kg Combat SAMBO Women: 50, 59, 72, +80 kg	
	19:00-23:00	Closing party and farewell	Boca Chica
08/09	05:00-12:00	<b>Delegations departure/ Beach SAMBO World Championship accreditation</b>	Las Américas International Airport/ Costa Caribe Hotel

## **2. GENERAL CONDITIONS**

**2.1** The Pan American SAMBO Championships 2023 shall be held in accordance with the FIAS Regulations for Organizing and Holding of the Official FIAS Competitions and the International SAMBO rules.

**2.2** The Pan American Championships will be held to promote and develop SAMBO in the Pan American region and to strengthen international relations.

## **3. FACILITIES**

### **3.1 Pan American Sport SAMBO and Combat SAMBO Championships**

The Pan American Sport SAMBO and Combat SAMBO Championships (male and female) will be held in the **Handball Pavilion** at East Park (Pabellón de Balonmano, Parque del Este).

**Location:** 11708 Boulevard del Faro Ave, Santo Domingo East, Dominican Republic, Mirador del Este Park.

### **3.2 Training venue and warm-up area**

A place for trainings and a warm-up area will be available at the host hotel of the event as well as at the Handball Pavilion (Pabellón Balonmano) to keep every participating athlete active.

### **3.3 Accommodation**

The accommodation for the event participants will be arranged at the **Whala! Boca Chica Hotel**. The all-inclusive hotel has a big pool, free Wi-Fi in the common areas, a buffet restaurant and others facilities. All-inclusive includes breakfast, lunch, dinner, snacks, drinks, recreation, and others.

**Location:** Abraham Núñez st, no. 1, Boca Chica, Dominican Republic.

### 3.4 Whala! Boca Chica Hotel Room Rates

<b>Room Type</b>	<b>Board Type</b>	<b>Rate</b>
Double	All-inclusive	US75.00
Triple	All-inclusive	US70.00
Single	All-inclusive	US100.00

Any members of each delegation that will NOT stay at the official hotel must pay the amount of US\$100 each, and no services will be provided to them. The Organizing Committee is not responsible for any situation that occurs due to this action.

## 4. TRANSPORTATION

### 4.1 Airport-Hotel/Hotel-Airport Transfer

A support staff will meet and greet each delegation on arrival at the airport. In the same way a transfer program will be done according to the flight itinerary for each delegation. Every single person must pay USD 20.00 for the transfer.

### 4.2 Internal Transportation

The internal transportation will be provided by the Organizing Committee according to the scheduled activities of the event.

## 5. FIAS LICENSE AND INSURANCE

Each athlete and coach is required to register in the FIAS Database and hold a FIAS license with payment of the current year's membership fee. The cost of the FIAS license is US \$60 per person, which also includes international sports insurance for the selected competitions on the FIAS calendar. The terms and conditions of the Insurance are available upon request at [info@sambo-fias.com](mailto:info@sambo-fias.com). It is the responsibility of the National SAMBO Federation to inform athletes and officials of the Insurance Regulations in advance. According to the regulations of the insurance program, it's not prohibited to have any other insurance, but the cost of the license will remain US \$60.

The Organizing Committee assumes no responsibility for any case of injury, disease, death or possible infection of COVID-19 that may arise during the participation or travel to the Pan American SAMBO Championships.

## 6. COMPETITION RULES

The Competitions will be held according to the Regulations for Organizing and Holding Official FIAS Competitions.

### 6.1 Competition Disciplines

- **Sport SAMBO:** Men & Women
- **Combat SAMBO:** Men & Women

### 6.2 Weight Categories

- **Sport SAMBO Men:** 58kg, 64kg, 71kg, 79kg, 88kg, 98kg, +98kg
- **Sport SAMBO Women:** 50kg, 54kg, 59kg, 65kg, 72kg, 80kg, +80kg
- **Combat SAMBO Men:** 58kg, 64kg, 71kg, 79kg, 88kg, 98kg, +98kg
- **Combat SAMBO Women:** 50kg, 54kg, 59kg, 65kg, 72kg, 80kg, +80kg

### 6.3 Number of Athletes and Team Officials of the delegation

**Athletes.** Each National Federation can enroll only one athlete per weight category in the event. An athlete can participate in more than one discipline, but always in the same weight category and according to the FIAS Rules. According to the disciplines and weight categories, the delegation may be composed as follows:

- **Sport SAMBO Men:** Seven (7) athletes
- **Sport SAMBO Women:** Seven (7) athletes
- **Combat SAMBO Men:** Seven (7) athletes
- **Combat SAMBO Women:** Seven (7) athletes

The total number of athletes for one delegation is twenty-eight (28), in case there is one athlete for each discipline; fourteen (14) men and fourteen (14) women.

**Officials.** Also, the delegation of each National Federation may accredit team officials as follows:

- Delegates: 2
- Coaches: 4
- Referees: 4
- Medical staff: 2
- Media: 1

In total the National Federation of each country will be able to officially accredit 41 participants in the delegation according to the previously specified.

## **7. ACCREDITATION AND OFFICIAL REGISTRATION**

The registration of athletes and coaches shall be made by means of the FIAS Electronic System (FIAS Database) at <https://fms.sambo.sport/login>. Each National SAMBO Federation should have a login ID and a password. Admission of the athletes and coaches to the competitions will be carried out through the Database. All questions related to the registration in FIAS Database should be addressed directly to FIAS at [info@sambo-fias.com](mailto:info@sambo-fias.com) and [o.artemyuk@sambo-fias.com](mailto:o.artemyuk@sambo-fias.com).

**The deadline for the registration of athletes and coaches in the Database is August 15, 2023.**

The Accreditation will be held at the Whala! Boca Chica Hotel, on September 5, 2023. A space will be set up for the Official Registration and Accreditation. A team official of each National Federation shall be attentive and come on time to complete the enrollment, because it is a mandatory process. During this Accreditation and Registration process the corresponding revisions of information of each participant and their role in the event will be made. A person, who is not been duly accredited, will not be able to participate in the event. An Accreditation Card will be issued and will contain the holder's information, its function and its photo. This accreditation card shall be carried all the time by the holder, except during the time when an athlete is competing. Heads of National Teams participating in the Competition shall submit documents confirming the payment of the FIAS annual membership fee by the National Federations (receipt of payment or bank transfer slip). The membership fee can be paid during the accreditation to the FIAS authorized representative.

## **8. WEIGH-IN**

The weigh-in will be held according to the current FIAS Regulations). One athlete can compete only in one weight category, which corresponds to its actual weight and which is displayed on the official scale. Time and place of the weigh-in is indicated in the program. There will be scales for athletes to control their weight at the host hotel and at the competition venue.

## **9. UNIFORMS AND EQUIPMENT CONTROL**

All competitors shall wear uniforms and equipment approved by the International SAMBO Federation (FIAS). At all times athletes shall comply with the regulations and rules of the FIAS events. Before each bout, the corresponding review and control will be done by the referees and technicians designated for that purpose. Failure to comply with the rules and regulations pertaining to the control of uniforms and equipment entails penalties for the coach or athlete in the event.

In accordance with the Regulations for Organizing and Holding Official FIAS Competitions (Annex 13), all participants of the official FIAS competitions must wear a patch (back number) on the back of their SAMBO jackets (red and blue) indicating their name as well as the national code endorsed by the IOC (International Olympic Committee).

**Athletes who do not have a back number on their SAMBO jackets will not be allowed to compete.**

## **10. ANTI-DOPING CONTROL**

Doping controls shall be carried out by Anti-Doping Organization accredited by WADA. The athletes will be selected in accordance with the requirements of the FIAS Anti-Doping Rules 2021 which are based on the 2021 WADA Code. From the time of notification until an arrival to the Doping Control Station, the selected athletes will be accompanied by chaperone trained by the Anti-Doping Organization responsible for sample collection at the event. The selected athlete may also be accompanied by one (1) representative to assist him or her with translation. The official language to be used during the doping control procedure shall be English. If the Organizing Committee does not provide accreditation with photo of the athlete, the selected athlete will be required to present a valid passport or other identification document at the Doping Control Station. All athletes are required to plan the date and time of their departure in consideration they may be selected for doping control.

## **11. VISA**

The Organizing Committee is pleased to provide all possible support so that the Nationals Federations of each country can obtain the corresponding visa in order to enter the Dominican Republic. The Organizing Committee will provide the necessary visa support subject to prior notification **before July 21, 2023**.

## **12. AWARDING**

### **12.1 Athletes Awarding**

The awarding protocol indicates that athletes must wear their red uniform at the time of the Awarding Ceremony.

The athletes will be awarded in the following way:

- **First Place:** Gold medal
- **Second Place:** Silver medal
- **Third Place:** bronze medal
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### **12.2 Team Awards**

The winning teams will be awarded in different disciplines, as established:

- **First Place:** Trophy
- **Second Place:** Trophy
- **Third Place:** Trophy

The Organizing Committee has some special prizes for some athletes, combats, categories and modalities that stand out in the event.

### **13. REFEREES**

The referees for the event will be appointed by the FIAS Technical Commission in accordance with the current procedure and regulations. The referees must be authorized by their National SAMBO Federations.

#### **13.1 Referees Seminar**

The Referees Seminar will be held in the city of Boca Chica, Dominican Republic, on September 4 and 5, 2023; the continental certificate exam will be held on September 5. The seminar will be held in the host hotel. Any changes and details of the seminars and workshops will be informed in a timely manner, as well as the place or the venue.

#### **13.2 Coaches Seminar**

The Coaches Seminar will be held in the city of Boca Chica, Dominican Republic, on September 3 and 4, 2023; the continental certificate exam will be held on September 4.

### **14. CODE OF CONDUCT**

All National Federations, officials, coaches and athletes that will participate in the Pan American Championships must respect and accept the FIAS authority, FIAS officials, FIAS Statutes, Regulations for Organizing and Holding Official FIAS Competitions, FIAS Refereeing Rules, FIAS Anti-Doping Rules, FIAS Disciplinary Code, FIAS Bylaws, FIAS Code of Ethics and FIAS Referees Code of Conduct.

Each head of delegation is responsible for ensuring the good conduct and actions of their athletes and officials.

### **15. RESERVATIONS AND PAYMENTS**

- Each delegation must comply with the required payments for accommodation and transportation.
- Each National Federation is responsible for the charges or commissions generated by the transfers made.
- Copy of the receipt of each transaction must be sent to the Organizing Committee.
- Payments will be made in US dollars.



- FIAS license and insurance payments, as well as annual membership fee payments will be made according to the FIAS procedure and to the previously authorized personnel.

The bank account for international transfers:

### **15.1 Option 1**

#### **Correspondent Bank**

- BANK OF AMERICA
- MIAMI, FL.
- ABA NO.: **026009593**
- SWIFT: **BOFAUS3M**

### **15.2 Option 2**

#### **Correspondent Bank**

- CITIBANK
- NEW YORK.
- SWIFT: **CITIUS33XXX**

IN FAVOR OF:

- BANK: **BANCO BHD LEON, S. A.**
- BIC: **BCBHDOSDXXX**
- ACCOUNT: **36070828**
- IBAN: **DO13BCBH00000002000192003764**
- ADDRESS: PLAZA BHD, EDIFICIO SUR, AV. WINSTON CHURCHILL, ESQUINA 27 FEBRERO, 21721, SANTO DOMINGO, REPUBLICA DOMINICANA.

**FOR CREDIT TO:**

AMATEUR FEDERATION OF SPORT AND COMBAT SAMBO, INC.

ACCOUNT: **14392240018**

## **16. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE CONTACTS**

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