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6th USPE European Police Championships Marathon 10th – 13th October 2014 in Graz/Austria

Invitation to Enter

The Austrian Police Sport Federation (Österreichischer Polizeisportverband;ÖPoISV) was entrusted by the Union Sportive des Polices d'Europe (USPE) with the organization of the 6th USPE European Police Championships Marathon from 10th – 13th October 2014 in Graz/Austria

The following invitation to enter is issued for the USPE EPC Marathon 2014.

1. General Organiser

Union Sportive des Polices d'Europe (USPE)

2. Organiser

Austrian Police Sport Federation (Österreichischer Polizeisportverband;ÖPoISV)

3. Date

Arrival: 10.10.2014

Competition: 12.10.2014

Departure: 13.10.2014

4. Venue

Graz/Austria

The start/finish area is at the Opera House (Grazer Oper) in the city centre.

5. Accommodation/Travelling

The accommodation will take place at
Hotel Courtyard Marriott
Hotel Reif – Urdlwirt
Hotel Liebminger.

The organizer will provide the transportation from Airport/Train station Graz to the hotels according the travelling details of all the delegations.

Delegations which need a VISA are requested to contact the host in time.

6. Competition rules

6.1 The provisions of the USPE Competition Rules, paragraph 4.15 shall apply.

4.15 Marathon

4.15.1 The rules and regulations laid down by the IAAF shall apply, unless otherwise stipulated below or provided for in the invitation to enter.

4.15.2 Each member union may enter up to six sportsmen and six sportswomen as well as up to three attendants. However, the number of attendants must not exceed the number of sportsmen/-women.

4.15.3 The team score shall embrace the individual results (exact times) achieved by the first four runners.

4.15.4 The championship may be held within the framework of an official marathon event.

6.2 The USPE marathon championship is to be held within the framework of the Graz official framework event.

7. Provisional timetable

Friday, 10th October 2014

Arrival, Accreditation

Saturday, 11th October 2014

Breakfast in the hotels

After breakfast individual training of the competitors in the environment of Unterpremstätten and the Schwarzl lake

Lunch at the hotels (menu selection)

After lunch Transfer of participants to Graz - track inspection

13:00 h Transfer of delegates and accompanying persons to Graz – sightseeing tour

18:00 h Opening ceremony at the GH Liebminger

Sunday, 12th October 2014

Breakfast in the hotels

Transfer of participants and delegates with buses to the start of the Graz Marathon.

10:00 h	Start of the USPE EPC Marathon 2014
13:00 h	Flower ceremony of the medal winners in the finish area in the city
14:00 h	Bus transfer to the hotels
17:00 h	Award ceremony in the AMS hall in Unterpremstätten
17:30 h	Closing Ceremony in the AMS hall in Unterpremstätten

Gala evening

Monday, 13th October 2014

Breakfast in the hotels, Departure

8. Referees

The organiser is responsible for the referees. They should be at least of the highest national level.

9. Jury of appeal

1. Chairmen	see R 19 Rules and Regulations
2. Commissioners	see R 19 in connection with R 15 Rules and Regulations
3. Commissioners	see R 19 in connection with R 15 Rules and Regulations
4. Paul Moran	Member of the Technical Commission
5. Fred Kusserow	Secretary General of the USPE

All appeals have to be made in writing by the delegate of the member union in question within less than an hour after the end of the fixing or of the publication of the results.

The protest must be written in one of the three official languages of the USPE. The protest fee will be a total of 100,00 EUR, paid in cash.

10. Eligibility to start

The provisions laid down in the Statutes, the Rules and Regulations, the Competition Rules as well as the Anti-Doping Regulations of the USPE shall apply.

Article 23 Statutes: The Competitors

(1) Participation in championships is restricted to athletes, who:

1. meet the starting requirements of their international union,
2. belong to a national sports organisation that is a member of the USPE,
3. are police officers or
4. are police students at a public police academy,
5. have reached the age of 18 at the time of the championships (including preliminary rounds),
6. have signed the Anti-Doping Declaration,
7. and submit the USPE Declaration of Participation signed by the respective President/Secretary General to the competent member of the Technical Commission.

Article R 12/2 of the Rules and Regulations: Competitors

(1) In order to be able to take part in a European championship organised by the USPE, the members of the member unions have to fulfil the following conditions:

1. They have to satisfy the provisions set out in Article 23 of the Statutes.
2. They have to be police officers or students at a public police academy. The police are a set of all bodies and institutions in charge of maintenance of public law and order (administrative police and crime investigation departments).

(2) Military police, members of the military, members of the fire brigades and civil servants that do not belong to the police are excluded from European police championships.

Sub-paragraph 1.4 of the Competition Rules

Sportsmen and -women having participated in military championships are not eligible to enter European police championships for 12 months following these military championships.

Sub-paragraph 1.7 of the Competition Rules

Competitors suspended from sports contests by the USPE or by the respective sports association due to having violated the relevant doping regulations are not eligible to enter.

Sub-paragraph 1.8 of the Competition Rules

All teams shall wear uniform sportswear displaying the emblems of their individual member union.

11. Verification of eligibility to enter

For verifying a contestant's eligibility to start, the production of his/her police ID, his/her passport/personal identity card as well the signed Anti-Doping-Declaration will be required.

According to the USPE Statutes all participating countries must present the USPE Declaration of Participation for each athlete who will participate, signed by the respective President or Secretary General.

Without the Declaration the participation at the USPE EPC Triathlon is not possible!

The verification will be effected by the representative of the USPE Technical Commission, Mr. Paul Moran.

12. Anti Doping

Doping tests (urine and/or blood) will be conducted during the championships, with the current WADA list of prohibited substances being applicable. (www.wada-ama.org).

Every Competitor must sign the USPE Anti-Doping-Declaration and hand it over to the USPE Technical Delegate at the accreditation.

13. Expenses/fees

13. 1. Travelling expenses

Each member union will pay its own travelling expenses.

13. 2. Board and lodging

Delegate

The expenses incurred by the delegate (Article R 11 of the Rules and Regulations) of the respective member union will be paid by the organizer.

Team

For all participants 40,00 € per person per night are to be paid to the organizer (Article R 14/3 of the Rules and Regulations). For participants (not the delegates) only double rooms are reserved. If someone needed a single room, a surcharge of 40 euros per night has to be paid.

The costs are to be paid to the organizer (Ö.POL.S.V.).

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Guests

Should a member union intend to take guests with them and should the organiser be able to provide the respective accommodation, each guest shall pay the actual costs incurred by them.

Special offer for guests

The organiser offers a complete package for the guests of 350,- Euro. The whole package includes all three nights, breakfast, lunch dinner, all entrance fees during the tour and the closing ceremony. The offer is only available for double rooms.

If someone needed a single room is a surcharge of 40 euros per night to be paid.

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The respective invoices will be sent to the participating member countries in time by the ÖPolSV.

13. 3. Registration fee

Article R 14/2 of the Rules and Regulations:

Prior to a championship each participating nation has to pay a registration fee to the General Treasurer of the USPE.

This fee has to be paid before the opening of the championships.

Registration fees:

Each start (single/team): 40,00 EUR

The respective invoices will be sent to the participating member countries in time by the USPE.

14. Registration

Each participating member country is requested to send the enclosed forms

You are requested to send enclosed forms to the

ÖPolSV

E-mail: office@oepolsv.at

Office of the USPE Secretary General

E-mail : office@uspe.org

Please meet the following deadlines:

Form 2: Number of Participants

20th June 2014

Form 3: Participants Names.

19th August 2014

Form 4: Travelling Details

19th September 2014

15. Restriction of personality rights

Entrants consent through their entry that their personal data/information shall be recorded for the entire competition and results' lists in a file and shall be published on the Internet or in USPE publications.

They also consent that photographs/film recordings produced prior to, during and after the event may be used for the purpose of USPE public relations work.

16. Disclaimer

The USPE and ÖPolSV shall not assume any liability in the event of accidents, theft and other events of damage or loss.

The participating delegations are responsible for the assurance of their delegation.

The disclaimer shall be recognised upon registration for the event.

17. Notes

One contestant per team has to wear the police uniform of their respective country at the opening ceremony.

All teams shall wear uniform sportswear displaying the emblem of their individual member union.

As to the Final Banquet, you are requested to attend adequately dressed to suit the occasion (no blue Jeans).

Organizer's Homepage: <http://www.lpsv-st.at/epm2014/>

Fred Kusserow
USPE Secretary General

Willibald Liberda
ÖPolSV

Appendix: Track profile
USPE Anti-Doping Declaration
USPE Declaration of Participation



Marathon (42,2 km) / Staffel

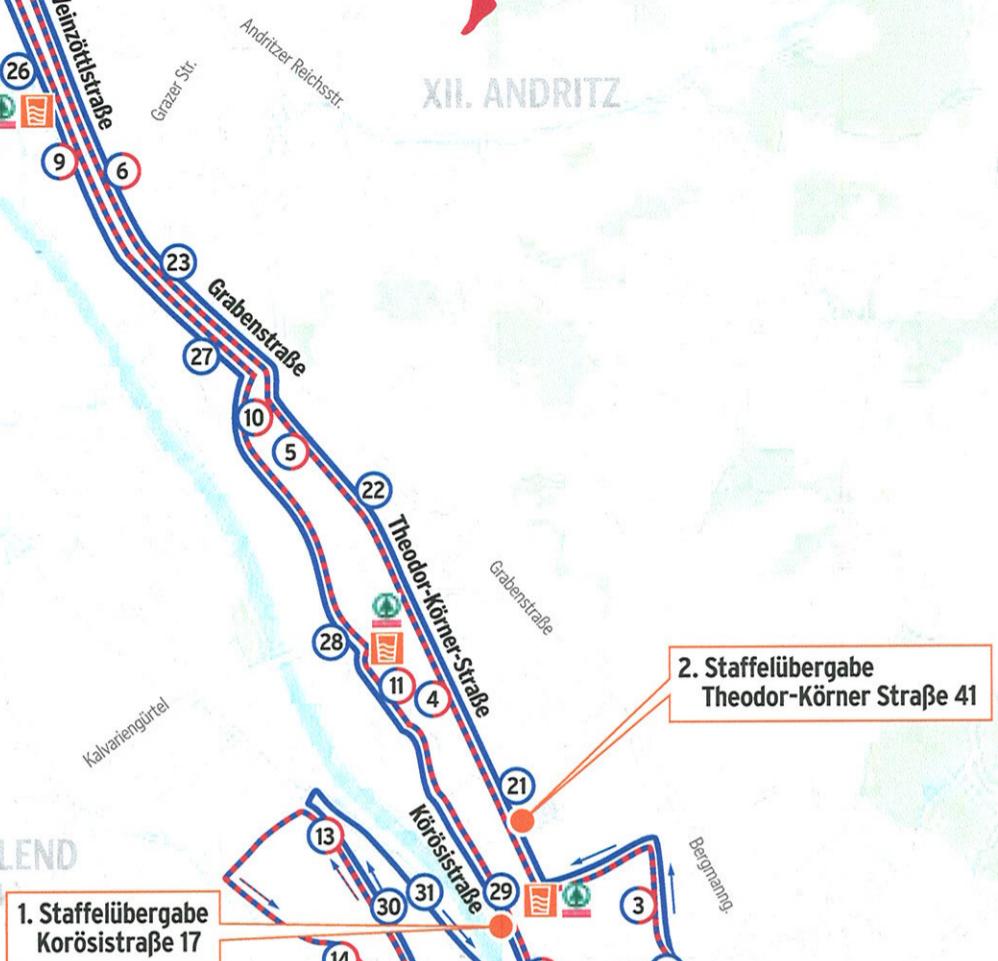
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 2. Schleife Marathon
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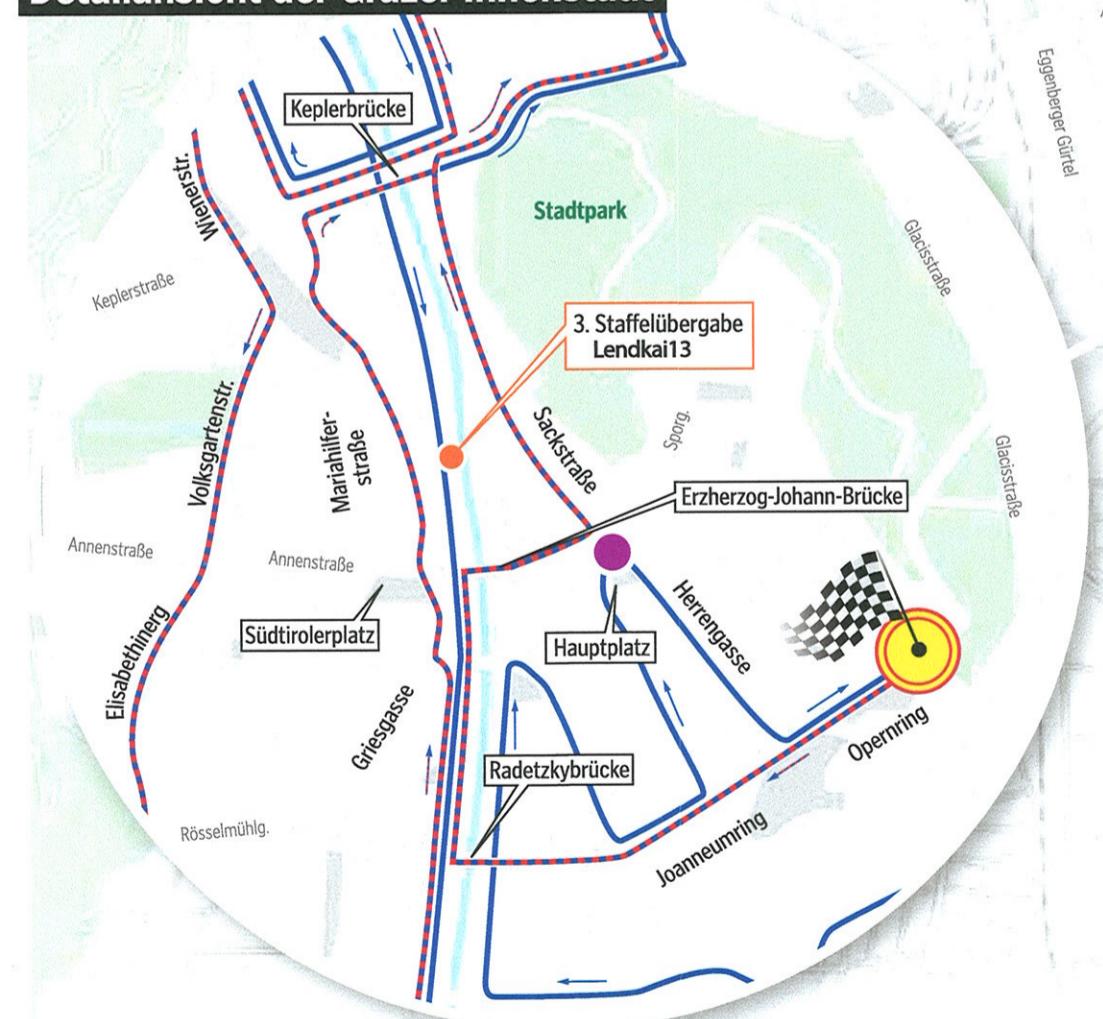
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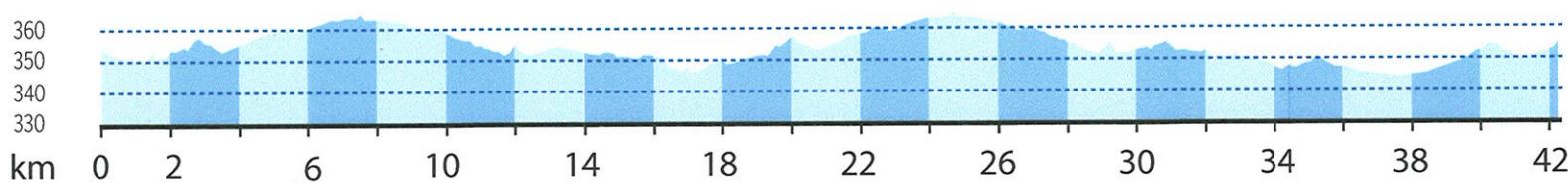
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Detailansicht der Grazer Innenstadt



Höhenprofil der Marathonstrecke



Anti-Doping Declaration

Update: 26.06.2013

I, Forename Name:

herewith confirm that I know and acknowledge the USPE Anti-Doping Regulations, the WADA World Anti-Doping Code, the International Standard for Testing, the International Standard for TUE, the Prohibited List and the International Standard for the Protection of Privacy.

Doping constitutes a violation of the USPE Anti-Doping Regulations.

Violations of Anti-Doping Regulations are:

1. Presence of a Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers in an Athlete's Sample

- It is each Athlete's personal duty to ensure that no Prohibited Substance enters his or her body. Athletes are responsible for any Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers found to be present in their Samples. Accordingly, it is not necessary that intent, fault, negligence or knowing Use on the Athlete's part be demonstrated in order to establish an anti-doping violation.
- presence of a Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers in the Athlete's A Sample where the Athlete waives analysis of the B Sample and the B Sample is not analyzed; or, where the Athlete's B Sample is analyzed and the analysis of the Athlete's B Sample confirms the presence of the Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers found in the Athlete's A Sample.
- Excepting those substances for which a quantitative threshold is specifically identified in the Prohibited List, the presence of any quantity of a Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers in an Athlete's Sample shall constitute an anti-doping rule violation.
- As an exception to the general rule of Article 2.1, the Prohibited List or International Standards may establish special criteria for the evaluation of Prohibited Substances that can also be produced endogenously.
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2. Use or attempted use of a prohibited substance or a prohibited method.

- It is each Athlete's personal duty to ensure that no Prohibited Substance enters his or her body. Accordingly, it is not necessary that intent, fault, negligence or knowing Use on the Athlete's part be demonstrated in order to establish an anti-doping rule violation for Use of a Prohibited Substance or a Prohibited Method.
- The success or failure of the USE or ATTEMPTED USE of a Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method is not material. It is sufficient that the Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method was USED or ATTEMPTED to be USED for an anti-doping rule violation to be committed.

3. Refusing or failing without compelling justification to submit to Sample collection after notification as authorized in applicable anti-doping rules, or otherwise evading Sample collection

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Signature Athlete, Attendant, Delegate

4. Violation of applicable requirements regarding Athlete availability for Out-of-Competition Testing, including failure to file required whereabouts information and missed tests which are declared based on rules which comply with the International Standard for Testing. Any combination of three missed tests and/or filing failures within an eighteen-month period as determined by Anti-Doping Organizations with jurisdiction over the Athlete shall constitute an anti-doping rule violation

5. Tampering or Attempted Tampering with any part of Doping Control

6. Possession of Prohibited Substances and Prohibited Methods

- Possession by an Athlete In-Competition of any Prohibited Method or any Prohibited Substance, or Possession by an Athlete Out-of Competition of any Prohibited Method or any Prohibited Substance which is prohibited Out of-Competition unless the Athlete establishes that the Possession is pursuant to a therapeutic use exemption granted in accordance with Article 4.4 (Therapeutic Use) or other acceptable justification.
- Possession by an Athlete Support Personnel In-Competition of any Prohibited Method or any Prohibited Substance, or Possession by an Athlete Support Personnel Out-of-Competition of any Prohibited Method or any Prohibited Substance which is prohibited Out-of Competition in connection with an Athlete, Competition or training, unless the Athlete Support Personnel establishes that the
- Possession is pursuant to a therapeutic use exemption granted to an Athlete in accordance with Article 4.4 (Therapeutic Use) or other acceptable justification

7. Trafficking or Attempted Trafficking in any Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method

8. Administration or Attempted administration to any Athlete In-Competition of any Prohibited Method or Prohibited Substance, or administration or Attempted administration to any Athlete Out-of-Competition of any Prohibited Method or any Prohibited Substance that is prohibited Out-of-Competition, or assisting, encouraging, aiding, abetting, covering up or any other type of complicity involving an anti-doping rule

9. Participation or attempted participation in European Police Championships during a period of suspension or ineligibility imposed by the USPE or any other international or national sports federations.

I will not use a substance or a method from the Prohibited List in order to treat a medical disease unless I have been granted a TUE.

In case I possess such a TUE, I undertake the obligation to present it before the beginning of the sport event and to declare the prohibited substance or method on the Doping Control Form.

The undersigned accepts full personal responsibility for compliance with the above set of rules. He/she accepts that any violation of these regulations will give rise to sanctions, in particular with regard to cost of proceedings and the respective measures governed by the applicable national provisions of the member countries.

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Venue, date

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Signature Athlete, Attendant, Delegate



Declaration of participation at USPE European Police Championships

In application of the decision adopted by the USPE Congress in Antwerp (Belgium) on 23rd October 2010 and of the provisions contained in the USPE Statutes as well as the USPE Rules and Regulations,

I, the undersigned,

First name: _____ Last name: _____

President

Secretary General

of the following association (federation):

⇒ hereby declare that the following competitor,

First name: _____ Last name: _____

Date of birth: _____ Gender: M F Nationality: _____

complies with the following conditions of participation in a European Police Championship (EPC); he/she

1. satisfies the relevant entry conditions established by the International Federation,
2. belongs to a national organization that is a member of the USPE,
3. is a member of the police profession and works actively in law enforcement to ensure the security of property and persons or the maintenance of public order, or, failing that, is a trainee at a police school and in line to become a member of the police profession,
4. will be at least 18 years old by the first day of the European Police Championship in question,
5. must sign the USPE anti-doping declaration,
6. will be able to present to the USPE technical delegate a police ID as well as a further identification document, both of which are valid,
7. is not a member of a military police unit, a military unit, or a firefighting unit,
8. is not a member of a civilian profession,
9. has not participated in a military competition in the 12 months preceding the European Police Championship,
10. is not under disciplinary sanctions for violation of anti-doping rules;

⇒ the competitor is aware that these conditions apply to the final phase just as much as they do to the preliminary phase of the European Police Championship;

⇒ I undertake to deliver this declaration of participation or to have it delivered to the USPE technical delegate or USPE official observer during accreditation at the European Police Championship or Preliminary Round of an EPC.

Place: _____ Date: _____

Seal and signature: