

INFORMATION BULLETIN

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FINA WOMEN'S WATER POLO WORLD LEAGUE SUPER FINAL

Athens (Greece)
OLYMPIC ATHLETIC CENTER OF ATHENS (OAKA)
June 14-19, 2021

We are proud to host the FINA WOMEN'S WATER POLO WORLD LEAGUE SUPER FINAL 2021 that will take place in Athens, Greece from 14 to 19 June 2021.

The following information has been designed to assist your National Federation in its attendance to this event.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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ENTRY PROCESS AND PROTOCOL

All entries and forms shall be sent via email to the LOC and FINA. Teams must send high quality photos of all athletes and staff members for sport presentation. If you require any assistance or support do not hesitate to contact:
Ms Katerina Karampetsou (e-mail: pr_wp@koe.org.gr)

IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE:

Registration Deadline (Sports Entries 15 Players): May 31, 2021
Submission of Accommodation Form: May 17, 2021
Submission of Visa Invitation Letter requests: May 17, 2021
Submission of Flight Details: May 17, 2021

Arrival in Athens: June 12, 2021
Referees Workshop: June 13, 2021 – TBC
Technical Meeting: June 13, 2021 – 17.00 hours.
Competition: June 14-19, 2021
Departure from Athens: June 20, 2021

**FINA MESSAGE FOR THE
WOMEN'S WATER POLO WORLD LEAGUE SUPER FINAL 2021
ATHENS (GRE) June 14-19, 2021**



It is my pleasure to welcome all the players, coaches and officials to the **FINA Women's Water Polo World League Super Final 2021** to take place from June 14-19, with the participation of the best eight teams of the preliminary rounds.

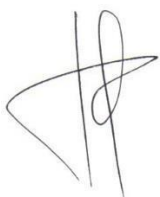
The 2021 edition of the World League Super Final is highlighted by the participation of the Canada, Hungary, Japan, Russia, USA, Spain, Kazakhstan and Greece, demonstrating the universality of this League and the interest of the cities hosting the final stages of the competition.

The coexistence of powerhouses in the sport with emerging nations that are battling to develop the sport in their territory reinforces one of FINA's goals over the last years: attract a new and larger public to ensure a wider TV audience for this historical Olympic discipline (the oldest team sport in the Olympic programme).

On this occasion we express our gratitude to the Hellenic Swimming Federation, the Organizing Committee, National Federations, athletes, coaches and officials participating in the 2021 edition of the FINA Women's Water Polo World League.

Our gratitude also goes to all those involved in the promotion of this event, namely the media representatives, the sponsors. Thanks to the players, coaches and officials, for their hard work and excellent performances which enhance Water Polo's image worldwide.

To all participating teams in the FINA Women's Water Polo World League Super Final, we wish them the luck and the best to win.



Dr. Julio C. Maglione
FINA President

**MESSAGE FROM
DEPUTY MINISTER OF CULTURE AND SPORTS
Mr. ELEFThERIOS AVGENAKIS**



It is a great honor for our country, the birthplace of Sports and Olympic Games, to be hosting the “FINA WOMEN’S WATER POLO WORLD LEAGUE SUPER FINAL 2021”.

Greece has a long tradition in excellent organization of world events, especially in Aquatics with the co-operation of the Hellenic Swimming Federation and FINA. Thank you to everyone who has made this moment possible.

I wish good luck to all participants and organizers and may our guests have a productive and pleasant stay in the historic and beautiful city of Athens.

Eleftherios AVGENAKIS
Deputy Minister of Culture and Sports

**MESSAGE FROM
PRESIDENT OF
THE HELLENIC SWIMMING FEDERATION
Mr. KYRIAKOS GIANNOPOULOS**



On behalf of the Hellenic Swimming Federation, I cordially invite you all in the FINA Women's Water Polo World League Super Final 2021 (June 14-19, 2021) that will be held on June 14th -19th ,2021 in OAKA Sport Complex, the official Aquatics Venue that hosted the "Athens Olympic Games 2004".

First of all, I would like to thank all FINA members for their decision to hold this event in the beautiful city of Athens, the last biggest event before the Olympic Games in Tokyo.

Athens has repeatedly hosted some of the most important and prestigious Aquatic Events with great success. I would like to reassure you that all people involved in this event, our committed employees and volunteers, will do their best to hold another successful competition!

We look forward to sharing with you this event and we trust everyone will have a wonderful experience in our modern, vibrant and exciting city.

Kyriakos GIANNOPOULOS
President Hellenic Swimming Federation

**MESSAGE FROM
DIRECTOR – GENERAL
OLYMPIC ATHLETIC CENTER OF ATHENS
Mr. KONSTANTINOS CHALIORIS**



It will be a great honor and pleasure to host 2021 FINA Women's Water Polo World League - Super Final, at the Olympic Athletic Center of Athens.

The participants will have the opportunity to enjoy a unique experience combining participation in the venues where modern Olympics took place, discover Greek history and the birthplace of the Olympics, great hospitality and Mediterranean climate. The long experience of Greece in mega-events will ensure the success of the Super-Final.

The Olympic Aquatic Center of Athens will proudly host the most important global water polo event before the 2021 Olympic Games in Tokyo.

Looking forward to welcoming you delegations and providing you with a great experience discovering the sport legacy of Athens.

Konstantinos CHALIORIS

Director – General, Olympic Athletic Center of Athens



RULES

The FINA WOMEN'S WATER POLO WORLD LEAGUE SUPER FINAL 2021 will be conducted according to the new FINA Rules.

DOPING

Doping tests will be conducted at this competition in accordance with FINA rules.

MEDICAL SERVICES

Medical Services are provided at the venue.

ENTRY PROCESS

All entries shall be made electronically via the FINA General Management System (GMS) via the link <https://data.fina.org>

A Federation may enter a maximum of 21 players during the registration for this Event. Upon the Sport Entries Deadline only 15 players can remain who will travel. A team delegation can consist of 22 members plus the referee with the team.

VISA ASSISTANCE

European Union Citizens do not need an entry visa to Greece. For all other countries, Visas will be issued. Requests should be submitted until 24/5/2021.

Hellenic Swimming Federation will be sending invitation letters to participating Federations in order to assist them in obtaining their visas upon request.

Please take note that visa procedures may take up to a month and detailed data are requested, such as full names, Passport numbers and exact dates of entry and departure from the country.

Please contact Greek Consulates in your country to check current situation

COVID-19 Guidelines

Please see the attached Guidelines and up-dates will follow related to this specific event. The exact testing protocol and arrival requirements will be provided in due time.

A PCR test must be performed in 48-72 hours prior to their arrival, and the results must be sent/e-mailed to the Federation and handed over to border authorities upon arrival. All participants will be re-tested upon their arrival. The teams will be transported to their Hotel where the first Antigen and PCR Test will be performed. The teams must wait for the Antigen Test results before leaving their room. Upon arrival, during transportation and during testing, it is mandatory for all members of the delegation to wear a face mask. More details in the FINA COVID-19 Guidelines.

The Organizing Committee in cooperation with the Event COVID-19 Head Officer who is aware of the FINA, the WHO and the Greek National Public Health Organization Guidelines, will provide a detailed information package covering the



required protocol for the “Bubble to Bubble” System and the COVID-19 Testing Procedure for the Event.

TECHNICAL MEETING

Technical Meeting will take place on June 13th, 2021 at 18.00 hours. Location TBD

TRANSPORTATION

Official airport is Athens International Airport Eleftherios Venizelos (Website: <http://www.aia.gr/>)

The OC will provide local transportation between the official airport and the host Hotels, as well as between the host Hotels and the Competition Venue. Local transportation will be provided to all team members, Delegates and Referees.

The Organizing Committee will provide transportation services between the Airport, the official Hotels and the Competition/Training Venue as per FINA COVID-19 Guidelines and Regulations. Upon arrival, departure and all local transportations, all team members, Delegates and Referees must wear a face mask.

Transportation schedule will be provided upon arrival.

TRAINING AND COMPETITION

During the training and competition period, transportation (shuttle bus) between the Competition Venue / Training Site and the official Hotels will be organized for this event. The principle to be applied is “one team per bus” at all times. Training sessions will be available from Saturday, June 12th 2021

Training before games: For inquiries please contact Ms Katerina Karampetsou (mail: pr_wp@koe.org.gr)

DEPARTURES

Departure information will be published at the Hotel Information Desk, the day before departure.

PCR test could be carried out, if it is mandatory in the destination country. COVID-19 Rules and Regulations will be applied.

ACCREDITATION DESK

Accreditation will be provided to the team members entered to the final entry form, according to FINA quotas.

Upon your first arrival to the Hotel you will receive all your individual team accreditations.

Throughout the competition, all information distributed through the Sport Information Desk at the entrance of the Competition/Training Venue will be

presented to the team Officials. An information desk will be available at the Hotel as well.

TICKETS

At the current state no Spectators are allowed. You will be informed should this restriction is not more valid.

ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

PARTICIPATING TEAMS

CIVITEL Attik

Address: 11 Olimpias Str., 151 24 Maroussi, Greece (website: www.civitelattik.gr)



CIVITEL ATTIK ACCOMMODATION

- Superior rooms
- Junior suites
- Family rooms
- Penthouse

ROOM AMENITIES

- Free Wi-Fi
- Free mini bar
- Private balcony
- Satellite TV
- Signature bathroom amenities
- Hairdryer
- Pool towels
- Soundproof windows
- Daily maid service
- Writing desk
- Electronic safe deposit box
- Wake-up call service



The hotel is located at close distance from the Competition/Training venue (6 minutes by bus)

Room Rates (full board and lodging): **120 Euros per person per night**

FINA Delegates, Neutral Referees and Referees with Teams

CIVITEL Olympic

Address: 2a Kifissias Ave., 151 25 Maroussi, Greece (website: www.civitel.gr)



The hotel is located at close distance from the Competition/Training venue (6 minutes by bus)

Room Rates (full board and lodging): **120 Euros per person per night**

ACCOMMODATION PROCEDURES

All reservations must be performed through the Hellenic Swimming Federation only, not directly with the hotels.

Official transportation will be given to all teams booking through the Organizing Committee.

Reservations are to be considered on first come first served basis. All prices are full board, breakfast and two meals per day, per person.

The costs of extra services (phone, mini bar, pay TV, Internet, extra consumption at the restaurant) should be paid at the reception before departure.

Deposit of 20% of your reservation, including reservation for the referee must be sent by May 15th, 2021 to the following account:

ACCOUNT HOLDER:	GREEK SWIMMING FEDERATION
ADDRESS OF ACCOUNT HOLDER:	137 SYNGROU AVENUE, 171 21 NEA SMYRNI, ATHENS, GREECE
NAME OF BANK:	NATIONAL BANK OF GREECE
BANK ADDRESS:	38 STADIOU STR., ATHENS BRANCH NR 080
Account No:	08048100401
IBAN:	GR420 110 080 00000 080 481 004 01
Swift code: ETHNGRAA	

The remaining 80% to be paid before the arrival

VENUE INFORMATION

Olympic Aquatic Center (37 Kifissias Ave., 151 23 Marousi, Athens, Greece)
<https://www.oaka.com.gr/>

COMPETITION POOL

OLYMPIC INDOOR POOL OF ATHENS - OAKA



TRAINING & WARM UP POOL (OAKA)

Training Sessions will take place at the competition pool and warm up at the Indoor Diving Pool.



FINA Delegates

Mr. Manuel IBERN (ESP) – TWPC Chairman

Mr. Mark KOGANOV (AZE) – TWPC Vice Chairman

Mr. Wim KEMAN (CUR) – TWPC Honorary Secretary

Mr. Milivoj BEBIC (CRO) – TWPC Member

Mr. Bill SHAW (CAN) – TWPC Member

Mr. Don CAMERON (AUS) – TWPC Member

- FINA Media Delegate TBD
- FINA Medical Delegate TBD

Neutral Referees

Michael ZWART (NED)

Dejan PERIS (CRO)

Frank OHME (GER)

Dion WILLIS (RSA)

Referees with the Team

CAN – Ms. Marie-Claude DESLIERES

HUN – Mr. Gyorgy KUN

JPN – Mr. Asumi TZUZAKI

RUS – Mr. Arkadii VOEVODIN

USA – Mr. Darren SPIRITOSANTO

ESP – Mr. Xevi BUCH

KAZ – Mr. Viktor SALNICHENKO

GRE – Mr. George STAVRIDIS

PARTICIPATING TEAMS

GROUP A

A1 – CAN – Canada



A2 – HUN – Hungary



A3 – JPN – Japan



A4 – RUS – Russia



GROUP B

B1 – USA – United States of America



B2 – ESP – Spain



B3 – KAZ – Kazakhstan



B4 – GRE – Greece



FINA Women's Water Polo World League Super Final 2021

Athens Olympic Aquatic Centre, 14-19/6/2021

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

(V03)

GROUP A	GROUP B
CAN	USA
HUN	ESP
JPN	KAZ
RUS	GRE

PRELIMINARY ROUND - Day 1, Monday 14th of June			
Game	TIME	GROUP	TEAMS
1	15:00	B2 - B3	ESP-KAZ
2	16:45	A2 - A3	HUN-JPN
4	18:30	A1 - A4	CAN-RUS
3	20:15	B1 - B4	USA-GRE
PRELIMINARY ROUND - Day 2, Tuesday 15th of June			
Game	TIME	GROUP	TEAMS
6	15:00	A1 - A3	CAN-JPN
7	16:45	A4 - A2	RUS-HUN
8	18:30	B1 - B3	USA-KAZ
5	20:15	B4 - B2	GRE-ESP
PRELIMINARY ROUND - Day 3, Wednesday 16th of June			
Game	TIME	GROUP	TEAMS
9	15:00	A2 - A1	HUN-CAN
10	16:45	B2 - B1	ESP-USA
12	18:30	A3 - A4	JPN-RUS
11	20:15	B3 - B4	KAZ-GRE
QUATERFINAL ROUND - Day 4, Thursday 17th of June			
Game	TIME	GROUP	TEAMS
13	15:00	2A-3B	
14	16:45	3A-2B	
15	18:30	1A-4B	
16	20:15	4A-1B	
SEMIFINAL ROUND - Day 5, Friday 18th of June			
Game	TIME	GROUP	TEAMS
17	15:00	LG13-LG16	
18	16:45	LG14-LG15	
19	18:30	WG13-WG16	
20	20:15	WG14-WG15	
FINAL ROUND - Day 6, Saturday 19th of June			
Game	TIME	GROUP	TEAMS
21	15:00	LG17-LG18	7th-8th
22	16:45	WG17-WG18	5th-6th
23	18:30	LG19-LG20	Bronze Medal
24	20:15	WG19-WG20	Gold Medal

* The Competition Schedule is subject to change upon request of the Host Broadcaster.

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Athens Olympic Aquatic Centre, 14-19/6/2021

TRAINING SCHEDULE

(V03)

Saturday 12th of June

TIME	Teams
15:00-16:00	HUN RUS
16:30-17:30	ESP CAN
18:00-19:00	GRE JPN
19:30-20:30	KAZ USA

Sunday 13th of June

TIME	Teams
08:30-09:30	RUS CAN
10:00-11:00	GRE KAZ
11:30-12:30	USA JPN
13:00-14:00	ESP HUN
15:00-16:00	RUS CAN
16:30-17:30	GRE KAZ
18:00-19:00	USA JPN
19:30-20:30	ESP HUN

Monday 14th of June

TIME	Teams
08:30-09:30	ESP KAZ
10:00-11:00	HUN JPN
11:30-12:30	CAN RUS
13:00-14:00	USA GRE

Tuesday 15th of June

TIME	Teams
08:30-09:30	CAN JPN
10:00-11:00	RUS HUN
11:30-12:30	USA KAZ
13:00-14:00	GRE ESP

Wednesday 16th of June

TIME	Teams
08:30-09:30	HUN CAN
10:00-11:00	ESP USA
11:30-12:30	JPN RUS
13:00-14:00	KAZ GRE

Thursday 17th of June

TIME	Teams
08:30-09:30	2A 3B
10:00-11:00	3A 2B
11:30-12:30	1A 4B
13:00-14:00	4A 1B

Friday 18th of June

TIME	Teams
08:30-09:30	LG13 LG16
10:00-11:00	LG14 LG15
11:30-12:30	WG13 WG16
13:00-14:00	WG14 WG15

Saturday 19th of June

TIME	Teams
08:30-09:30	LG17 LG18
10:00-11:00	WG17 WG18
11:30-12:30	LG19 LG20
13:00-14:00	WG19 WG20

**The training schedule is subject to change.*