

INVITATION LETTER

Dear Friends,

The Spanish Modern Pentathlon Federation, has the pleasure of inviting a delegation of your country to participate at the UIPM Pentathlon Challenger Spain to be held in Madrid, from 27th September to 01st October 2023

The competition will be organized for senior men and women pentathlon athletes according to the following planned program:

	Arrival of delegations				
26 th September	Technical Meeting for Women's Qualification 21.00h				
27 th September Women's Qualification	Qualification Group A: Fencing 9h. Swimming 12.30h. Laser Run 14.30h				
	Qualification Group B: Fencing 12h. Swimming 15.30h. Laser Run 17.30h				
	Technical Meeting for Men's Qualification & Women's Semi-final 21.00h				
28 th September Men's Qualification	Qualification Group A: Fencing 9.00h. Swimming 12.30h. Laser Run 14.30h				
	Qualification Group B: Fencing 12h. Swimming 15.30h. Laser Run 17.30h				
	Fencing Women Ranking Round 15.30h				
	Technical Meeting for Men's Semi-final 21.00h				
29 th September Women's Semi-finals	Fencing Men Ranking Round 13.30h				
	Semi-final "A"		Semi-final "B"		
	9.50h	Warm up	15.50h	Warm up	
	11.00h	Fencing BR	17.00h	Fencing BR	
	11.30h	Swimming	17.30h	Swimming	
12.00h	Laser Run	18.00h	Laser Run		
Technical Meeting for Men's Semi-final 21.00h					
30 th September	Jumping Test 13.00h				
	Technical Meeting for Finals 21.00h				
30 th September Men's Semi-finals	Semi-final "A"		Semi-final "B"		
	9.50h	Warm up	15.50h	Warm up	
	11.00h	Fencing BR	17.00h	Fencing BR	
	11.30h	Swimming	17.30h	Swimming	
	12.00h	Laser Run	18.00h	Laser Run	
01 st October FINALS	WOMEN		MEN		
	08:50h	Horse Drawing	13.40h	Horse Drawing	
	8.55h	Warm up	13:45h	Warm Up	
	10.00h	Riding	14.50h	Riding	
	10.40h	Fencing BR	15.30h	Fencing BR	
	11.10h	Swimming	16.00h	Swimming	
	11.40h	Laser Run	16.30h	Laser Run	
	13.00h	Awards Ceremony	17.00h	Awards Ceremony	

Note: Detailed time schedules are to be confirmed.



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Competition Rules:

- Swimming: 25m Swimming Pool 6 lanes
- Fencing: 10 pistes indoor / 1 piste outdoor.
- Riding: Riding Hall. Dehesa Military Center (Madrid).
- Laser Run: 36+2 precision laser targets (Pentashot Hit Miss Conect).
- Running course: concrete and plastic carpet.

Competition Venue:

Centro Deportivo y Sociocultural del E.T. "La Dehesa" [LINK](#)

The invitation is for maximum 4 men and 4 women athletes per nation and an unlimited number of officials. The start of additional competitors depends on the number of entries received.

In both genders we organize two qualifying groups. Entries will be accepted on a first-come first serve basis.

Athletes are only allowed to participate in this event if they have a valid UIPM Athletes License. Registration is not possible without a UIPM License Number. If an athlete does not have a license, they will not be allowed to take part in the competition.

The actual preliminary entry list will be available on the website of the Spanish Modern Pentathlon Federation from 1st September 2023 (www.pentathlon.info).

Accommodation:

All participants will be accommodated at:

Hotel NH Alcorcón ****

Hotel NH Sercotel La Princesa***

The price includes full board accommodation, local transportation from/to the event and a shuttle from/to Adolfo Suárez Madrid Barajas (MAD).

Please note that the Technical Meeting, Accreditation Office and LOC Office will be located in the Hotel.

Transport:

Transportation from the airport to the official hotel and the return journey is only guaranteed if arrival information is provided in the registration system in good time and before the deadline.

Financial conditions:

- 160 € per person per day in a twin room.
- 175 € per person per day in a single room.
- Minimum participation fee is: 300 € / person (if someone stays only 1 or 2 nights in a single or twin room in the hotel and she/he is not a member of a delegation with a minimum number of 5 people).
- Entry
- Accreditation fee is 300 € per person (without accommodation, transfers and meal)

Only the EURO currency is accepted. The cost of the conversion shall be borne by the payer.

After deadline 1st September 2023 will have an extra payment:

Single room – 185€

Twin room – 175€





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Bank Account Details:

Account Name: Federación Española de Pentatlón Moderno

IBAN: ES2600496975802110040835

Bank Name: Banco Santander S.A.

Swift Code: BSCHEM33

As a reminder, if on arrival at the competition, teams arrive with fewer athletes, coaches and/or officials than submitted in the registration system and without informing the Organizing Nation/LOC at least 7 days before their arrival, the NF will have to pay a fine to the Organizing Nation/LOC of 200 € for each person not attending.

The participation fee includes the following:

Full board accommodation (breakfast, lunch packet and dinner), transportation to and from the Airport or railway station.

Only one transfer service per delegation is included in the participation fee. Extra airport shuttle is 65 € /one-way.

Local transport to/from the competition venues. We would kindly like to ask all delegations to arrive and depart together and at the same time.

Traveling is at your cost to and from Madrid.

Deadlines:

The registration of participation will be open from **27th July 2023**. Link to online registration system - <https://forms.office.com/e/4k7a0tgRPH>

All information must be submitted, including flight information and pistol serial numbers before **10th of September**. Any changes after this must be sent by email to the organizer madrid0023@pentatlon.info

Any failure to take part having sent their final entries will pay a fine of 400€ to the LOC.

- Participation Confirmation: 26th August 2023 (Form "A").
All entries will be confirmed until 26th of August.
- Closure of Registration: 8th September 2023 (Form "B" and "C")
- Deadline to transfer total amount: **1st September 2023**

If we do not receive complete information about your delegation before the closure of the registration or we don't receive your delegation's payment, confirmation then we will consider your delegation as non-participating.

Please strictly adhere to the deadlines. Entries received after the deadline will be considered case by case individually.

Attention!

After 08th September 2023, we will not be able to refund any changes.



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Athletes' licenses/riding ability:

Athletes are only allowed to participate in UIPM sanctioned events if they have a valid Athletes License. Registration is not possible without a License Number. If an athlete does not have a license, they will not be allowed to take part in the competition. You are reminded of the Rule 1.12.1 ii) Pentathletes without riding ability listed on their Licence uploaded to the UIPM portal by the competition registration deadline:

b) may compete at World Cup competitions in the qualification for the Semi-final, but if they qualify for the Semi-Final, must relinquish their place to the next pentathlete not yet qualified with the highest score in all groups.

Such letter/certificate must be sent to upload on the UIPM portal before registration.

Note: Riders can be stopped at any time during warm-up and competition if displaying nonsufficient riding ability or dangerous riding.

Insurance:

According to UIPM Rules, all members of attending delegations should insure themselves in case of accidental injury or illness. We highly recommend insurance covering COVID -19 cases as well. The organizer will not accept any financial liability or loss, injury or illness that occurred to any participant and or member of the delegation.

Laser Pistols:

Firearms licenses are not a legal requirement when bringing air and CO2 pistols (cylinders for laser pistols) into Spain for competition purposes. But we strongly suggest that delegations should have an official letter with them that states their purpose of visit and pistol serial numbers.

Vaccinations

The LOC can provide specific letters of invitation or invitation by name or communicate with your embassies if needed. For information, if you need a vaccination, please contact your nearest Embassy or Consulate. For contacting LOC use madrid0Q23@pentathlon.info

President of the Spanish Modern Pentathlon Federation

