



中國香港大專體育協會有限公司
The University Sports Federation of Hong Kong, China Limited (USFHK Ltd.)
University Games Committee (UGC)

Circular (1)

“Chengdu FISU World University Games 2023”

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1. Due to COVID-19 pandemic, the **Chengdu FISU World University Games 2021**”〔成都2021世界大學生夏季運動會〕 was postponed to be held from 28 July to 8 August, 2023. The University Sports Federation of Hong Kong, China Limited (USFHK Ltd.) co-ordinates the entry of the Hong Kong, China Delegation in this biennial Games for university students studying in Hong Kong and overseas.
2. The University Games Committee (UGC) of USFHK Ltd. plans **to consider** athletes’ participation in the following events:

Artistic Gymnastics, Archery, Athletics, Badminton, Fencing, Swimming, Table-tennis, Taekwondo, Tennis, Volleyball (Men’s), Volleyball (Women’s) and Wushu
3. Athletes who satisfy the following requirements may be selected to represent Hong Kong, China to take part in the Summer Universiade:
 - A. Must be holding a valid HKSAR passport.
 - B. Be at least 18 and no older than 27 years of age on 31 December of the year of the event, (i.e. born between 1 January 1996 and 31 December 2005).
 - C. Students who are currently officially registered as proceeding towards a degree (postgraduate, undergraduate or associate degree) /higher diploma or equivalent at the university or similar institute, the status of which is recognized by the appropriate national academic authority.
 - D. Former students of the institutions mentioned in 3a) who have obtained their degree (postgraduate, undergraduate or associate degree) /higher diploma in the three calendar years preceding the event (i.e., 2020, 2021 and 2022).
4. Athletes are required to take note and strictly comply with the **Code of Conduct** for athletes as specified by UGC.

5. Athletes must be **physically fit** in training and competition. The USFHK Ltd. has the right to ask for documentary proof as and when necessary.
6. Athletes participate in sports activities organized by USFHK Ltd. are at their **own risk**. The University Sports Federation of Hong Kong, China Limited (USFHK Ltd.) will not hold responsibility or liability of any accident or injury incurred thereon.
7. The selection try-out (as and when necessary) will come up with a ranking order among the athletes of their respective events. The UGC **DOES NOT guarantee** the athlete(s) in highest ranking in the selection try-out will be sent to the Games. The competitiveness, attitude in training and attendance record of the athlete(s) / team as a whole will be a consideration of the UGC in sending athlete(s) to FISU World University Games.
8. Nominations will come in two formats:
 - a. Local current students to be nominated by USFHK member institutions.
 - b. Current Hong Kong National Team members who are eligible to participate can be nominated by respective NSA.The athletes' nomination deadline is on 19 January 2023.
9. Selection Standard / Criteria for all sports will be announced separately to all nominated athletes. Only times / results in recognized competitions (with proof) **Athletics from 1 Jan 2021 to 17 Mar 2023, Swimming from Jan 2022 to 17 Mar 2023, and other sports from 1 Sep 2021 to 17 Mar 2023** would be considered.
10. As a form of support to the Hong Kong, China team, member institutions are requested to **assist in provision of sports facilities** for team try-outs and practices as much as possible.
11. Athletes selected will be **required to make a contribution (non-refundable)** being partial expenses of the trip. (Note: Amount of contribution will be announced in due course.)
12. Athletes selected **must attend at least 80% of the training sessions** in preparation for the Games. Athletes who failed to do so will be disqualified and the paid deposit will be forfeited.
13. **Nominations for athletes are as follows:**
 - a. **Individual sports - one institution could nominate a maximum of two female and two male athletes for each individual sports (except Athletics and Swimming)**
 - b. **Team sports (Men's Volleyball & Women's Volleyball) - one institution could nominate a maximum of four athletes.**

14. For detailed information of the Chengdu FISU World University Games 2023, please feel free to visit: <https://www.2021chengdu.com/cn/>

15. Should you have any queries, please feel free to contact below persons:
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