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ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating 2021/22

The <u>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating</u> series is comprised of six international events plus the ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Final, which will be held on December 9 – 12, 2021 in Osaka (JPN). Listed below are the media accreditation contacts, deadlines and instructions for each ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating event. International media will also have the possibility to apply for media accreditation with remote access. The details will be provided in the Media Information of the relevant event in due course here https://isu.org/media-centre/accreditations/media. Further information is available on the ISU Media Accreditation section of the ISU website.

For further information about the ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating series, including entries and live results, <u>click here</u>.

COVID-19 Measures

During the current Covid-19 pandemic the health and safety of all participants at ISU Events including the athletes, team members, officials, volunteers, service providers, broadcasters, media, and spectators needs to be given additional attention. The <u>Guidelines for ISU Events during the COVID-19 Pandemic</u> and the <u>Sport Specific Annex – Figure Skating</u> describe the minimum sanitary measures that must be put in place to host an ISU Event during the COVID-19 pandemic.

These Guidelines do not, in any case, supersede additional requirements established by the National or Local Public Health Authorities of the hosting country which must be implemented in full, in particular regarding the physical distancing, hereby a minimum of 1,5 meters, but which may vary from country to country and the number of people allowed by square meter. The instructions and sanitary requirements outlined in this document will be continuously updated, as necessary, and every accredited person needs to fully comply with the respective policy and any additional instructions given by the ISU Event Management Team and/or ISU Medical Commission Member onsite.

Pre-conditions on attending an ISU Event for all on-site media

In order for any media accreditation request to be considered members of the media must:

- Read the Guidelines for ISU Events during the COVID-19 pandemic For the Media <u>Guidelines for ISU Events during the COVID-19 Pandemic</u> and the <u>Sport Specific Annex –</u> Figure Skating.
- Sign the Waiver for Attendees of ISU Events during COVID-19 Pandemic.
- 3. Present the necessary documentation and negative tests, as indicated in the Sport Specific Annex Figure Skating.
- 4. Apply for media accreditation via the relevant Organizing Committee below.

Media representatives are responsible for any costs related to PCR tests.

The number of media accreditations issued per event will be restricted and will depend on the venue and the restrictions of the host nation. Priority will be given to media residing in the host nation.

The ISU will not be held responsible for any travel restriction or delay, even if an accreditation request has been approved.

ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating – 2021 Guaranteed Rate Skate America

22 - 24 Oct 2021 Las Vegas USA #GPFigure
Accreditation: M. Michael Terry #SkateAmerica

U.S. Figure Skating

20 First Street Colorado Springs, Colorado, USA

t: +1 719.228.3457

e: mterry@usfigureskating.org

Website: <u>www.usfigureskating.org</u>

Media accreditation: https://www.usfigureskating.org/about/media

Remote Accreditation closing date: October 10, 2021

ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating - Skate Canada International

29 - 31 Oct 2021 Vancouver Canada #GPFigure

Accreditation: Ms. Amanda Speroni

Skate Canada

261-1200, boul. St Laurent Blvd. (Box 15), Ottawa, Ontario K1K 3B8

t.: +1 613 747 1007 ext. 714

or toll free (Canada only) t. +1 888 747 2372 ext. 714

e: asperoni@skatecanada.ca

Website: <u>www.skatecanada.ca</u>

Media accreditation: https://skatecanada.ca/news/media-accreditation/

Remote Accreditation closing date: October 26, 2021

ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating – Gran Premio d'Italia

<u>5 - 7 Nov 2021 Torino Italy</u> #GPFigure

Accreditation: Mr. Davide Marostica

Via Piranesi 46, Milano, 20137 Italy

(+39) 02 70 14 13 30 e: davide.marostica@fisq.it

Website: http://www.fisg.it
Media accreditation: ISU OMAS

Onsite Accreditation closing date: October 15, 2021 Remote Accreditation closing date: November 2, 2021

ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating – NHK Trophy

12 - 14 Nov 2021 Tokyo Japan #GPFigure

Accreditation: Tomoko Doi

Japan Skating Federation

4-2, Kasumigaoka-machi, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo 160-0013,

Japan

t: + 81 3 5843 0413 f: + 81 3 5843 0416 e: doi@skatingjapan.or.jp

Website: www.skatingjapan.or.jp

Media accreditation remote access only for international media: ISU OMAS

Onsite Accreditation closing date(media based in Japan only): October 22, 2021

Remote Accreditation closing date: November 9, 2021

t:+41 21 612 66 66 e:media@isu.ch

ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating – Internationaux de France

19 - 21 Nov 2021 Grenoble France

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Accreditation: Media Officer / Ninon Bardel

Fédération Française des Sports de Glace (FFSG)

t: (+33) 6 58 54 42 42 e: nbardel@ffsg.org

Website: https://ffsg.org/evenement/isu-grand-prix-figure-skating-grenoble-fra/

Media accreditation: ISU OMAS

Onsite Accreditation closing date: October 29, 2021 Remote Accreditation closing date: November 16, 2021

ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating - Rostelecom Cup

26 - 28 Nov 2021 Sochi Russia

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Accreditation: Marina Medvedevskikh

t: + 7 495 695 88 64

e: m.medvedevskikh@fd-sport.ru

Website: http://www.dszm.ru/press/

https://fd-sport.ru/

Media accreditation: ISU OMAS

Visa Application Form

Onsite Accreditation closing date: November 5, 2021 Remote Accreditation closing date: November 23, 2021

ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Final

9 - 12 Dec 2021 Osaka Japan

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Accreditation: All media accreditation requests must go through the ISU Online Media

Accreditation System (OMAS). Further information will be available on the ISU

Media Accreditation section of the ISU website shortly.

For further information please contact:

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