



INVITATION

**To the President/General Secretary
of IWF Affiliated National Weightlifting Federation/Association**

Dear Sir, Madam,

On behalf of the Colombian Weightlifting Federation, the Mayor's Office of Bogotá D.C., the District Institute of Recreation and Sport IDR, the Ministry of Sport and the Colombian Olympic Committee we have the great honor to invite you to the 2022 IWF World Championships, during the period from December 5th to 16th in Bogotá D.C., Colombia.

Bogotá D.C., is the capital of the Republic of Colombia, a territorial entity of the first order, with the administrative attributions that the law confers to the departments.

Bogotá D.C., is known as The South American Athens, The City of All, The World Capital of Theater, Very Noble and Very Loyal City.

It has a spectacular equatorial mountain climate and an altitude of 2582 meters.

The Colombian Weightlifting Federation is recognized for its quality in the organization of international weightlifting events, in addition to enjoying an excellent administrative, accounting and financial level, which generates confidence for events of this magnitude.

Colombia has had a permanent presence on the Olympic podium since the Sydney 2000 Games, important figures in the medal table of all the world championships in the different categories, besides being the continental power, results that reflect the technical and administrative work of FEDEPESASCOL.

We hope to see you soon in this paradise called COLOMBIA!

WILLIAM PEÑA RODRIGUEZ
President of the Colombian Weightlifting Federation
Chair of the Organizing Committee



COMPETITION REGULATIONS



**IWF WORLD
CHAMPIONSHIPS
BOGOTÁ 2022**
Paris 2024 Qualification Event



1. DATES & PLACE

05-16 December 2022, Bogotá, Colombia

2. COMPETITION AND TRAINING VENUE

Palace of Sports, Simón Bolívar Metropolitan Park

Parque Metropolitano Simón Bolívar, Av. Calle 63 - Transversal 47, Bogotá, Colombia

3. ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation will be at the following hotels:

- **HILTON Bogotá**
- **WYNDHAM Bogotá**
- **TRYP by Wyndham Bogotá**

A minimum stay of 4 (four) nights is required for all participants.

*** NOTE: Check-in: 14.00 / Check-out: 12.00**

4. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

Accommodation Fee (with full board)

HILTON Bogotá Hotel

Single room \$180 USD / per person / per night
Double room \$160 USD / per person / per night

WYNDHAM Bogotá Hotel / TRYP by Wyndham Bogotá Hotel

Single room \$160 USD / per person / per night
Double/Triple room \$140 USD / per person / per night

Entry fee

Athletes: \$300 USD per person (incl. \$100 USD IWF Special AD Fee)
Delegates & Team Officials: \$200 USD per person

Payment

Check-in: All participants (who did not make payment by bank transfer) must make full payment upon arrival in cash (US Dollars) to the Local Organizing Committee.



All payments must be made in US Dollar currency and any bank charges for transfers or other transactions are the responsibility of the Member Federation.

No accommodations or accreditations will be offered to any delegation member until funds have been received in full to the Local Organizing Committee bank account or paid in cash. **No accommodation is guaranteed until full payment is received.**

Hotel "No-Show" charges: If one or more delegation participants do not arrive on the date specified on the Accommodation & Transportation Form and have not informed the Local Organizing Committee 10 days before the arrival, the delegation must pay to the Local Organizing Committee, previously to the accreditation, the charge of "No-Show" per person. The charge is equal to the Accommodation Fee per person / per day.

If one or more participants are delayed one or more days, the delegation must pay all the days specified in the Accommodation & Transportation Form sent.

After the submission of the Accommodation & Transportation Form on **05/11/2022** should you require any additional hotel rooms, the LOC will try their best to accommodate your additional team members in the same hotel and however, this cannot be guaranteed.

Cancellations will not be accepted after **11/11/2022** and no refunds will be given.

BANK TRANSFER PAYMENTS

Important rules for Bank transactions:

A minimum of 50% of the total payment must be transferred by **05/11/2022** to the Bank Account of Local Organizing Committee. Please ask your bank and consider the time it takes to process the transfer for the payment to arrive by the deadline date and time.

We kindly ask that you send, 15 (fifteen) days before your arrival, the bank document that accredits the funds transfer to wcbogota2022@gmail.com to validate your payment with our bank.

- **BANK / BANCOLOMBIA**
- **ACCOUNT NUMBER / 787-289438-14**
- **BIC / 890480912-1**
- **SWIFT CODE / COLOCOB-M**
- **BENEFICIARY / Colombian Weightlifting Federation**
- **LOCATION / Cali**
- **CURRENCY / USD**



5. PRE-COMPETITION PROCEDURES / ATHLETES' REGISTRATION

Athletes must be registered via the **IWF Online Entry System**:

https://www.iwf.net/e-entry_2022col/

If you have any questions or difficulties, please contact IWF at competition@iwfnet.net

PRELIMINARY ENTRIES

The Preliminaries Entries must be uploaded into the IWF Online Entry System by no later than **05 September 2022**.

- Member Federation must submit the Preliminary Entry (Long List) of a maximum number of athletes:

TWENTY (20) MEN and TWENTY (20) WOMEN

**THIS MEANS THAT THE MEMBER FEDERATION CANNOT
ADD / CHANGE ATHLETES AFTER 05 SEPTEMBER 2022**

- At the same time for administrative purposes the Member Federation must declare the estimated number of athletes and Team officials who will participate in the 2022 IWF World Championships.

FINAL ENTRIES

The Final List of Athletes must be confirmed in the IWF Online Entry System by no later than **05 November 2022**.

Member Federation must select the final list of athletes from the Preliminary Entry (previously submitted by 05 September 2022):

Max. TWELVE ATHLETES (10+2 RESERVES) / GENDER

**THE FINAL LIST OF ATHLETES CAN BE SELECTED ONLY FROM THOSE
INCLUDED IN THE PRELIMINARY ENTRY.**

The following documents must be returned by **05 November 2022** (by email):

- Accommodation & Transportation Form
- Passport Copy & Photos for Accreditation

All forms must be sent to the following address: wcbogota2022@gmail.com



Media:

All media participants must be approved in advance.

Media applications should be submitted via an online platform, using the link below:

<https://iwf.net/mediareg/>

Please note that all Media Accredited personal shall stay in the official hotel(s) of the event, due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, moreover, they shall comply with the COVID-19 related regulations specified for the 2022 IWF World Championships.

In case of any question, please contact IWF at press@iwfnet.net

6. VISA

For visa process is done online by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs via the following link:

- https://www.cancilleria.gov.co/tramites_servicios/visa/requisitos

Please contact the Organizing Committee (wcbogota2022@gmail.com) if you need any assistance.

7. COVID-19 COUNTERMEASURES

Information related to the COVID-19 protocols for entry into the country can be found under the following [LINK](#).

IWF COVID-19 protocols and procedures must be adhered to by all personnel during this competition.

The documentation and all relevant fees will be available soon.

In case there will be additional requirements by Local Government Authorities, Local Organizing Committee, IWF Medical Committee, the IWF will inform you accordingly.

8. ACCREDITATION

Accreditation will take place in the lobby of the hotel where each delegation will be staying.



9. FLAG & ANTHEM

Each Member Federation is responsible for bringing its own national flag (100x150 cm) and anthem (USB) and handing them over to the Local Organizing Committee during accreditation. The LOC / IWF cannot be held responsible for errors relating to the flag and anthem.

10. TRANSPORTATION

The OC will provide a shuttle bus from El Dorado International Airport for all participants.

Accommodation & Transportation Form must be provided by **05 November 2022**.

- Transportation form shall state which airline, flight number and exact time each delegate will be arriving and departing on. Any change in travel schedule must be communicated in time.
- Local shuttle bus will be provided for all participants to get to the venues (accommodation, competition/training venue and any other official program).

11. COMPETITION REGULATION

The 2022 IWF World Championships will follow the IWF Technical and Competition Rules & Regulations (TCRR).

12. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

Accredited Participants – athletes, team officials, technical officials (TO), media, guests, etc. must:

- Acknowledge and fully comply with IWF Constitution & Rules, IWF TCRR, IWF Anti-Doping Rules (ADR) and IWF COVID-19 Protocols;
- Abide by all reasonable directions given by the IWF, the Local Organizing Committee (LOC), TOs;
- Should accept any prize or award given by IWF and/or LOC/Sponsors, and will attend all special award ceremonies where prizes or awards are presented;
- Should attend Press Conference upon request of IWF / LOC;
- Should not participate in, support, or promote illegal betting;
- Should be responsible for all property they bring into the Event – the IWF and/or LOC shall have no responsibility in any loss or damage of this property;
- Should irrevocable release IWF & LOC from liability for any loss, injury, or damage that they may suffer in relation to their participation in the Event;



- Should guarantee that they participate in the Event with the permission of their parent(s) or guardian(s) in case they are minors;
- Should acknowledge that by not following the above-mentioned terms and conditions, sanctions may be imposed;
- Agree that entry is subject to payment of all fees inclusive of entry, anti-doping, accommodation, food and transportation payment prior to use of any LOC or IWF facility, or for airport transfers;
- Should acknowledge that no accommodation or arrangement is guaranteed until full payment is received in advance;
- All participating Federations should undertake full moral and financial responsibility of their registered/accredited delegates with regard to their health and wellness, and in the case of accidents or damages not attributable to the LOC.

13. ELIGIBILITY

Participating athletes must be 15 years of age and over (year of birth 2007 or earlier).

In accordance with article 5.5.16 of the IWF Anti-Doping Rules 2021 whereabouts information of the athletes shall be submitted at minimum three (3) months prior to the event (**by 05 September 2022**).

In case you and/or your Athletes encounter any difficulties related to whereabouts submission, please report it IMMEDIATELY at **iwf@ita.sport**

14. WADA ADEL ONLINE COURSE

All Athletes participating shall successfully complete the WADA ADeL online course for Athletes before competing.

The course can be found at the following link: <https://adel.wada-ama.org/>

Just as in the case of the IWF iLiftClean platform, Athletes and supported personnel (coaches, team doctors) shall register at the site, watch the videos, and successfully complete the quiz at the end to receive the certificate.

In case Athletes and athlete support personnel (coaches, team doctors, etc.) have any problem with the registration process, please contact WADA at adel@wada-ama.org.

15. EVENT CATEGORIES

MEN: 55kg, 61kg, 67kg, 73kg, 81kg, 89kg, 96kg, 102kg, 109kg, +109kg
WOMEN: 45kg, 49kg, 55kg, 59kg, 64kg, 71kg, 76kg, 81kg, 87kg, +87kg



16. AWARDS

Gold, Silver, and Bronze medals will be awarded in the Snatch, the Clean & Jerk, and the Total in each bodyweight category.

Trophies will be awarded to the best male and female athletes, as well as to the top six men's and women's teams, according to the IWF Team Classification.

17. DOPING CONTROL

Doping Control will be carried out by the Sample Collection Authority appointed by ITA on behalf of IWF in accordance with the IWF Anti-Doping Rules.

18. SPORT EQUIPMENT

IWF approved ELEIKO barbells will be used during the competition and training.

19. INSURANCE

According to IWF Regulations, all participants must be under coverage for travel and accident/injury/illness (COVID-19) by their respective Federations before their departure from their hometown.

20. TEMPERATURE

The city of Bogota, located in the eastern mountain range of Colombia, in the Andean zone of the country, has a cold and very dry climate. During the course of the year, the temperature generally varies from 7 °C to 19 °C and rarely drops below 3 °C or rises above 21 °C. Electricity is 110V.



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Local Organizing Committee

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PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE

02 DECEMBER / FRIDAY	10:00	<i>IWF Committee Meetings</i>		
03 DECEMBER / SATURDAY	10:00	<i>IWF Executive Board Meeting</i>		
	12:00	<i>Verification of Final Entries / ONLINE</i>		
04 DECEMBER / SUNDAY	10:00	<i>IWF Special Congress</i>		
	18:00	<i>Technical Officials Meeting</i>		
05 DECEMBER / MONDAY	11:30	Women	45	B
	14:00	Men	55	B
	17:00	<i>OPENING CEREMONY</i>		
	19:00	Women	45	A
	21:30	Women	49	C
06 DECEMBER / TUESDAY	11:30	Men	61	C
	14:00	Women	49	B
	16:30	Women	49	A
	19:00	Men	55	A
	21:30	Women	55	D
07 DECEMBER / WEDNESDAY	9:00	Women	55	C
	11:30	Men	61	B
	14:00	Women	55	B
	16:30	Men	61	A
	19:00	Women	55	A
08 DECEMBER / THURSDAY	21:30	Women	59	D
	9:00	Women	59	C
	11:30	Men	67	C
	14:00	Men	67	B
	16:30	Women	59	B
	19:00	Women	59	A
09 DECEMBER / FRIDAY	21:30	Men	73	D
	9:00	Women	64	D
	11:30	Men	73	C
	14:00	Men	73	B
	16:30	Men	67	A
	19:00	Men	73	A
	21:30	Women	64	C



10 DECEMBER / SATURDAY	11:30	Men	81	D
	14:00	Men	81	C
	16:30	Women	64	B
	19:00	Women	64	A
	21:30	Men	89	C
11 DECEMBER / SUNDAY	9:00	Women	71	C
	11:30	Men	81	B
	14:00	Men	89	B
	16:30	Men	81	A
	19:00	Men	89	A
	21:30	Men	96	D
12 DECEMBER / MONDAY	9:00	Men	96	C
	11:30	Women	71	B
	14:00	Men	96	B
	16:30	Men	96	A
	19:00	Women	71	A
	21:30	Men	102	C
13 DECEMBER / TUESDAY	9:00	Women	76	C
	11:30	Men	102	B
	14:00	Women	76	B
	16:30	Women	76	A
	19:00	Men	102	A
	21:30	Women	81	C
14 DECEMBER / WEDNESDAY	9:00	Women	87	C
	11:30	Women	81	B
	14:00	Women	87	B
	16:30	Women	81	A
	19:00	Women	87	A
	21:30	Men	109	C
15 DECEMBER / THURSDAY	9:00	Women	+87	C
	11:30	Women	+87	B
	14:00	Men	109	B
	16:30	Women	+87	A
	19:00	Men	109	A
16 DECEMBER / FRIDAY	11:30	Men	+109	C
	14:00	Men	+109	B
	16:30	Men	+109	A
	20:00	<i>CLOSING CEREMONY</i>		

The competition schedule is subject to change after the verification of final entries.