

\* Please note that the regulations may be amended when a sport becomes part of the optional programme of the Universiade.

## 24. ROWING

### 24.1 GENERAL TERMS

The rowing competitions shall be organised in accordance with the most recent technical regulations of the "Fédération internationale des sociétés d'aviron" (FISA). In any dispute the French text shall be regarded as authoritative, except for the regulation concerning the coxswains, who may be of either gender for the FISU World University Championships.

The programme and duration of competitions are fixed by the Executive Committee in agreement with the Organising Committee and the CTI. The competitions shall last two (2) days and include the following events, following the *Avis de régates*:

#### Men

Single sculls (M1x)  
Double sculls (M2x)  
Pair (M2-)  
Four (M4-)  
Eight (M8+)

Lightweight                      Single Sculls (LM1x)  
   Double sculls (LM2x)  
   Four (LM4-)

#### Women

Single sculls (W1x)  
Double sculls (W2x)  
Four (W4-)

Lightweight                      Single sculls (LW1x)  
   Double sculls (LW2x)

Each country is authorised to present a maximum of one (1) crew per event.

The delegation may include officials in proportion to the number of participants entered as follows:

- up to nine (9) participants                      two (2) officials
- up to twenty (20) participants                      four (4) officials
- over twenty (20) participants                      five (5) officials

At the first General Technical Meeting, the Head of Delegation or his/her representative shall confirm and sign the official list of competitors accredited by the CIC.

The Organising Committee guarantees that it will provide the necessary boats to participants coming from a continent other than the one of the host country.

### 24.2 PRE-COMPETITION PROCEDURE

Three (3) months before the Championship, the Organising Committee has the right to collect 25% of the total cost of stay per athlete and official from participating countries.

Should the number of crews taking part in an event exceed the number of available starting positions, a progression system or time trials shall be applied.

In each event, there shall be a two-hour interval between two rounds.

The progression systems to be used during the regattas of the World University Rowing Championship shall be prescribed in the FISA Rules of Racing (the Bye-Laws to Rule 62 and Appendix 3).

The draw for the first round of heats shall take place during the General Technical Meeting to be held, in principle, on the day before the first heat. The draw shall be random.

If an event has less than seven (7) entries at the time of the draw, there shall be a preliminary race to determine the lanes for the final.

The draw shall be carried out using the software used by the official timing provider of the event.

If a crew withdraws after the draw up until one (1) hour before the start of the first heat and if the number of crews remaining in the event involves another variant of the heats and repêchages, or if such withdrawal results in an avoidable imbalance between the number of crews in each heat, FISU Technical Delegates shall hold a new draw.

In all other aspects not regulated above, the FISA Rules of Racing should be referred to.

### **24.3 TECHNICAL OFFICIALS**

#### **24.3.1 Nomination:**

The jury shall be appointed by the FISA Umpiring Commission in agreement with the FISU Technical Delegates. The jury members shall hold an international umpire's licence.

#### **24.3.2 Costs**

The cost of board and lodging for jury members (ITOs) should be borne by the Organising Committee from two (2) days prior to the first race until one (1) day after the last race.

The Organising Committee shall provide a travel subsidy to all jury members as determined by FISA. The total amount of the travel costs will be covered by the participating countries at the prorata of athletes registered.

#### **24.3.3 Number of technical officials needed and qualification**

The jury shall consist of one (1) President of the jury and eighteen (18) members. The President of the jury shall be an umpire nominated by the host country and hold an international umpire's licence.