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**2. Venue:**

**Saalbau Griesheim**  
**Schwarzerlenweg 57**  
**65933 Frankfurt**  
**Germany**

**3. Dates:**

Arrival dates	30 or 31.05.2019
International Classification	31.05.2019
Technical Meeting	31.05.2019
Competition dates	01. - 02.06.2019
Closing Ceremony	02.06.2019
Departures	03.06.2019

**4. Preliminary Program:**

The Provisional timetable and events program is attached to this information package  
The program will be finalised after the final entries revision.

**5. Competition duration:**

The competition duration is 2 days plus 1 additional day for International Classification prior to the start of the competition..

**6. International Classification:**

International Classification will be conducted on 31.05.2019. Detailed classification schedule will follow after the revision of the final entries by World Para Dance Sport Office. All athletes that will be classified must have arrived on time prior the classification process. They must be in the possession of the Para Dance Sport Medical Diagnostic Form (available on the WPDS website <https://www.paralympic.org/dance-sport> on the Downloads and Forms section), wheelchair used during competition and straps, if any.

#### **7. Final Entry Deadline:**

**15 of April:** deadline for Final Entry

#### **8. Liability:**

Insurance - Each National Federation and/or National Paralympic Committee is responsible for the appropriate insurance for accidents, health, property and liability of their team.

#### **9. Eligibility:**

Dance couple must consist of a male and a female partner. All wheelchair users must fulfil minimum disability criteria. Couples entries must be submitted by their National Paralympic Committees or authorized Federation by the NPC.

#### **10. Judging system and Results:**

The "old" judging system will be used for the conventional events.  
Only athletes who have been licensed by WPDS (including partners) will be taken in consideration for inclusion in the World Rankings.  
Licensing process available at <http://ipc-wheelchairdancesport.org/Downloads/>

#### **11. Ranking:**

The minimum number of participating countries per event must be 3.  
In case of not reaching the minimum quota of 3 countries in the event, there are two choices:  
a) The event is cancelled with no competition at all, or  
b) The couple/athlete will be given the option of competing with a higher class (the event will not get specific medals, however in case the athletes reach the podium in the higher class, medals shall be normally awarded). The placement points will be carried to their specific ranking.

#### **12. Entries, Music and Registration Process:**

All entered athletes in the International competition (approved by WPDS) must be registered by World Para Dance Sport by the final entries deadlines. World Para Dance Sport may reject athletes' entries not meeting this criterion.

All athletes must be entered by their respective NPCs or authorised organizations by the NPC and accepted by World Para Dance Sport.

Couples must sign the “Amateur Declaration Statement” in the competition entry form.

Team leaders must bring the music for freestyles on USB key to the team leader meeting on Friday late afternoon (time to be confirmed) in the hotel (31.05.2019). Or music can be submitted via meail upfront to the LOC in mp3 format until 24 May 2019

For World Para Dance Sport approved international competitions there is no limit in the number of couples per NPC per event per class.

**Late entries:** WPDS Office must be informed about every late entry. All respective information must be reviewed on the ‘case by case’ basis and the entry may be accepted/rejected by the WPDS Office.

**Replacements:** WPDS Office must be informed about every replacement. Replacements of athletes may be accepted due to injury or medical reasons. All respective medical information regarding the athlete who is to be replaced must be sent to WPDS Office by the respective NPC for further consideration regarding its acceptance/rejection.

All the registration process for the competition is as follows:

**15.04.2019:** deadline for Final Entry by Name and provisions of details per persons for accreditation.

All Documents must be sent to the two following addresses:

**Organising Committee / Wheelchair Dance Sport Association**

Wheelchair Dance Sport

Rheinstrasse 30

63225 Langen

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E-mail: [mainhattencup@web.de](mailto:mainhattencup@web.de)

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Adenauerallee 212-214, 53113 Bonn, Germany

Fax: +49 228 2097209

E-mail: [Info@WorldParaDanceSport.org](mailto:Info@WorldParaDanceSport.org)

### 13. Entry Fee:

€ 15 per person per day to pay on the day

### 14. Rules and Regulations:

The competition will be conducted under the World Para Dance Sport Rules and Regulations and World Para Dance Sport Classification Rules and Regulations.

### 15. Accommodation:

Premier Best Western Hotel Friedberger Warte  
Homburger Landstraße 4  
60389 Frankfurt  
Germany  
Tel.: 0049 69 768064-500  
Fax.: 0049 69 768064 555  
Email: simon.reckel@ibhotels.de

**Hotel registration only through hotel, see papers attached.**

Any registration is valid only with credit card OR when paying full hotel costs in advance (see separate details from hotel).

For entries after 15 April 2019: the Organizing Committee is not responsible for providing transport or accommodation.

**16. Transport:**

Transport from airport to the hotels will be organised by the LOC for accredited persons only. Also local transport by shuttle service between hotels and competition venue will be available for accredited delegates.

Transfer costs are **60 euro** per person (airport to the hotel, hotel to the venue, venue to the hotel and from the hotel back to the airport).

**18. Entry Forms:**

The Entry Forms for individuals are sent together with this Information Package.

**19. Visas:**

In case your delegation needs to get Visa, please contact the LOC. Please also check passport expiration date. Passport needs to be valid 6 month after the last day of the competition.

**20. Doping**

Doping is forbidden in accordance with the IPC Anti-Doping Code.