



40TH EUROPEAN SHOTOKAN KARATE-DO CHAMPIONSHIPS

27 – 29 NOVEMBER 2026 | NIŠ, SERBIA





40th European Shotokan Karate-Do Championships.
27-29 November 2026 – Niš, Serbia

Dear Friends,

We are very happy to invite you to the 2026 ESKA championships which represents the 40th anniversary of the foundation of ESKA. This championship will be hosted by JKA Shotokan Federation of Serbia in the city of Niš. This city has a historical significance which puts our heritage of 40 years into perspective. It is believed to have been founded over two thousand years ago and was the birthplace of several Roman Emperors.

We have enjoyed the hospitality of our hosts in Serbia on two previous occasions and the event was based in Niš in 2018. We very much look forward to renewing our appreciation of traditional Serbian Hospitality.

Thank you to Mr Marko Tomic and the organising committee of JKA Shotokan Federation of Serbia for all their hard work in staging these championships.

We look forward to welcoming member delegations along with their competitors, officials and spectators to Niš. On several occasions over the past 40 years we have been privileged to witness some very talented karateka who have become grand champions by winning both individual kata and kumite categories. As part of our 40th Anniversary celebrations we have commissioned a special trophy and cash award for future grand champions.

Every year at these championships we are privileged to witness the most outstanding examples of traditional Shotokan karate from the many countries comprising ESKA. We expect the same in 2026.

Our championships are characterised by the fiercely competitive nature of matches on the tatami and the high value placed on mutual respect and standards of etiquette. Once more we look forward to an exciting event which will bring to Niš the very best of traditional European Shotokan karate.



Richard Poole

President

European Shotokan Karate-do Association





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Dear representatives of the European Shotokan Karate-Do Association,
officials, judges, coaches and athletes,

on behalf of the City of Niš, I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude for the privilege of hosting such
a distinguished event as the ESKA European Championship.

The City of Niš has hosted numerous major international competitions in the past, and we have always
tried to be good hosts and make our guests feel comfortable and welcome. We want everyone to return
home with good impressions. Niš is a city of sports and is always happy to organise important sporting
events.

We owe special gratitude to the JKA Shotokan Federation of Serbia and the Karate Club Bushido NB
from Niš for their contributions to making the Republic of Serbia and the City of Niš the centre of
European karate next year.

Dear officials, judges, coaches and athletes, I wish everyone successful preparations for this important
championship, good health and that your motivation is at the highest possible level so that we can
welcome you in as many numbers as possible next year and that we can all enjoy top-level karate
together!



Dragoslav Pavlović

Mayor

City of Niš





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Dear Members of the ESKA Family,

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

on behalf of the JKA Shotokan Federation of Serbia, it is my great honour and pleasure to invite you to participate in the 40th Anniversary ESKA European Shotokan Karate Championship, which will be held in the beautiful city of Niš, Serbia.

Celebrating four decades of European Shotokan karate excellence, friendship, sportsmanship, and tradition, the 40th edition is a special occasion for all of us who share the values and spirit of our martial art.

As hosts, we are fully committed to organising an event of the highest standard and to providing all participants, officials, coaches, and supporters with a memorable experience. We will do our utmost to ensure excellent competition conditions, warm hospitality, and an atmosphere worthy of this prestigious anniversary championship.

We look forward to welcoming you to Serbia and to sharing together this important celebration of Shotokan karate. Until we meet in Niš, I wish you successful preparations, good health, and every success in your training.

Thank you for being part of the ESKA family.

With sincere respect and best regards,



Marko Tomic

President

JKA Shotokan Federation of Serbia



HOW TO GET TO NIŠ FROM ABROAD

Getting to Niš has never been easier!

If you're traveling to Niš from another country, you have two main airport options:

1. Niš Constantine the Great Airport

For the ESKA European Shotokan Karate-Do Championship 2026, national teams and participants can arrive at Niš Constantine the Great Airport (INI) via direct flights from:

- Dortmund (DTM)
- Cologne / Cologne-Bonn (CGN)
- Frankfurt Hahn (HHN)
- Memmingen (FMM)
- Basel-Mulhouse (MLH)
- Vienna (VIE)
- Bratislava (BTS)
- Ljubljana (LJU)
- Istanbul (IST)
- Malta (MLA)
- Belgrade (BEG)



2. Belgrade Nikola Tesla Airport

Belgrade Airport is about **260 km (161 miles)** away from Niš. The drive takes around **2 hours 30min**. You can also take a train or bus from Belgrade. The company “Srbija Voz” operates trains from Belgrade Centre to Niš (approx. 5-6 hours).



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EMERGENCY CONTACTS IN NIŠ

Clinical Centre of Niš (Hospital): +381 18 506 906

Local Police (Niš): +381 18 503 470

Fire station (Niš): +381 18 527 656

WEATHER FORECAST (NOV 28–30, 2025) **ESTIMATED*

Average High Temperature: 13° C to 14° C (55° F to 57° F)

Average Low Temperature: 2° C to 4° C (36° F to 39° F)

Rain probability: ~20% to 33%

Snow: Mixed snow and rain - 3%

Wind: 9 mph

Sunlight: ~6.1 hours per day





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ACCOMODATION

Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

Booking Information

All hotel bookings must be made directly between the nations and the hotels.

Payment for the hotel booking is also made directly between the nation and the hotels.

The RESERVATION DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 16, 2026.

Please mind that after this date the host organisation cannot guarantee availability for the accommodation.

Please mind about the transport. The host organisation only provides transfers to and from the official hotels.



We present to you the official hotel located in the very centre of the city.

HQ HOTEL - NEW CITY HOTEL NIŠ



Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

In the heart of Nis, on the main crossroads of the city, once the Roman military road, Via Militaris, just half a minute walk from the city pedestrian zone, and two-minute walk from the greatest historical and cultural attraction of the city – Nis Fortress, there is New City Hotel.

Respecting the architectural concept of the central city area, showing its authenticity and recognition on the basis of what once used to be hotel Nis, New City hotel gives its guests full comfort of a four-star hotel, which is in 'smart building' system, with central air-conditioned area and high-speed internet connection.

The hotel currently has 85 accommodation units. A modern hotel 'a la carte' restaurant offers the famous local dishes as well as the specialties of international cuisine, and the desserts for all the dessert-lovers. Three moderns, technically equipped, multifunctional conference rooms are available to the guests from Serbia, as well as from abroad, for the organisation of meetings, conferences, seminars, presentations and interviews. Constantine the Great Airport in Niš is located at a distance of only 4 km.

The hotel has:

- Rooms in the following categories: standard, superior, deluxe, premium and apartments
- Modern lobby bar with reception
- Three multifunctional conference rooms
- Parking



❖ HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

PRICE PER ROOM PER NIGHT:

- 1/1 - EUR 102 per room
- 1/2 - EUR 130 per room
- 1/3 - EUR 162 per room

The room price includes:

- overnight stay
- breakfast
- insurance
- city tax

Email: info@newcityhotelnis.com, recepција@newcityhotelnis.com

TAMI RESORT NIŠ



Tami Residence & Constantinus Palace

115 rooms & suites, 2 restaurants, 1 banquet hall, SPA Zone, Outdoor pool, 7 conference rooms, 100 parking spots including garage for BUS.

Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

These 2 hotels and Annex Building are part of Tami Resort. Both hotels blend an old South Serbian charm, classic European elegance, and successful family business, reflecting the ambiance for leisure and business in one place. Located at one of the most beautiful viewpoints, just two and a half kilometers from downtown, both hotels reflect the specific beauty of an old ancient city of Nis and high-quality service



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Hotel Rooms combine comfort, style, elegance, and the latest technology, with king-size beds or separate beds. It spans from 25m² to 35m², suites span 45m². All rooms are equipped with individual air conditioning units, safe, high-speed Wi/fi, work desk, telephone with direct dial, LCD-LED with satellite channels, mini bar, shower cabin, bathroom amenities, non-smoking & smoking rooms. Many rooms have balconies with great city and sunset view. Spa Zone offers you splendid relaxation designed to slow down or speed up wellbeing of modern life. During summer the guests can enjoy a spectacular city view while swimming or just relaxing at The Summer Bar by the poolside. The fine-dining restaurant Sunset, located at Tami Residence Hotel offers an elaborate multi-cuisine menu of Mediterranean, Asian, European Cuisine, and Serbian specialties. Conference facilities offer high-class stylish business environments that cater to all your business needs including state of the art technical equipment and a splendid catering service that will add clout to your business meeting.

Hotel Highlights:

Insurance and local tourist tax included in room price. Free Wi/fi, parking, SPA Zone (pool & gym). The best sunset and city view.

ACCOMMODATION AND MEAL PRICE LIST

Type of service	Description	Unit price / per day
Single room	Overnight stay with breakfast	78 EUR /per room
Double room	Overnight stay with breakfast	100 EUR /per room
Senior apartment – single use	Overnight stay with breakfast	150 EUR /per app
Senior apartment – double use	Overnight stay with breakfast	180 EUR /per app
Suite – single use	Overnight stay with breakfast	210 EUR /per app
Suite – double use	Overnight stay with breakfast	250 EUR /per app
Late check out	After 14 pm – 19 pm	70% of price /per room
Half board – extra charge (Dinner)	Based on dinner guidelines for buffet, without drinks	25 EUR /per person
Full board – extra charge	Based on lunch guidelines for buffet, without drinks	48 EUR /per person
Lunch package – takeaway	Based on lunch package guidelines	18 EUR /per person

The accommodation price includes:

- Breakfast buffet from 7.00 – 10.00 am
- Check in from 14.00 pm and check out until 12.00 pm
- Complimentary WIFI internet access
- Complimentary parking
- Use of the swimming pool and SPA centre (excluding massages)

The accommodation price does NOT include:

- City tax and guest insurance;
- Restaurant a la carte services not included in the offer;
- Personal guest services and room services;
- Laundry services;





RESERVATION, CONFIRMATION AND CANCELLATION POLICY

Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

All reservations, booking confirmations and cancellations shall be made in written form via email to recepција@tamiresidence.com. Any reservation request submitted through other communication channels shall not be considered valid. All reservation requests must include complete and accurate specifications related to the team, including rooming lists, dates of stay, number of participants, meal requirements and any special requests.

Group Reservation – Cancellation Policy

Group reservations may be cancelled free of charge within seven (7) calendar days from the date of booking confirmation. In the event of cancellation of a group reservation after the above-mentioned deadline, the hotel reserves the right to charge 50% of agreed package price, without any obligation to refund paid amounts.

Individual Reservation – Cancellation Policy

Cancellations of individual reservations, limited to a maximum of 10% of the total confirmed booking, may be made free of charge up to forty-eight (48) hours prior to the commencement of services. In the event of cancellation after this deadline, as well as in the case of no-show, the hotel reserves the right to charge the full price of the reserved services.

Rates and Commission

All offered rates are net, discounted rates and are not subject to any additional commission.

Payment Terms

The use of services shall be considered valid and binding only upon receipt of full (100%) payment made in accordance with the agreed payment terms. Failure to comply with the above payment terms may result in the automatic cancellation of the reservation, without prior notice and without any liability on the part of the hotel.

Prices and Taxes

All prices are stated inclusive of VAT, unless otherwise explicitly noted.

Email: recepција@tamiresidence.com.



HOTEL ZEN



Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

Hotel Zen is a luxury 4* hotel located in a quiet part of the city of Niš, Pantelej municipality.

Hotel Zen offers comfortable and luxuriously furnished rooms divided into single, double, triple and quadruple rooms.

All accommodation units are air-conditioned and include desk, sitting area, safe, mini bar, LCD TV, international cable TV, telephone, hair dryer, bathrobes, slippers.

Room structure	Price per night, per room (EUR)	QUANTITY
Single room	66.00	1
1/2 (twin, double)	83.00	6
1/3	120.00	6
1/4	147.00	4

The room price also includes:

- Breakfast that is buffet-style and includes a variety of international dishes as well as dishes prepared according to special standards (vegetarian, vegan, HALAL...).
- Zen facilities that include wellness (sauna and jacuzzi).
- Parking and WIFI are included in the price. (The hotel has a bus parking slot)

NOTE: Prices include bed and breakfast (N/D) per accommodation unit

**The room price does not include Tourist tax

***Our service is on a bed and breakfast basis with the possibility of organising a service on a half-board basis, the surcharge for the half-board service would be 15 EUR per person, per day.

Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation



Email: office@hotelzen.rs

HOTEL NIŠ CITY VIEW



Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

Hotel Niš City View is located near the city centre, in the quiet part of the town surrounded by greenery. Hotel Niš City View is only one kilometre away from pedestrian zone.

THE CONTENT OF THE HOTEL:

- 53 accommodation units that contains rooms and apartments.
- Capacity to accommodate approx. 190 persons
- Conference room
- Free WIFI
- Free parking space which is under the surveillance
- Bar which works 24/7
- Gym
- Massage room
- Pet friendly hotel
- Parking place for buses



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- Reception which is available 24/7
- Breakfast and dinner which are served in the
- restaurant area
- SPA Center (10-22h)

Accommodation units:

- single room 47 EUR
- double room 64 EUR
- triple room 76 EUR
- apartment 1/2 74 EUR
- apartment 1/3 86 EUR
- apartment 1/4 98 EUR
- apartment 1/5 110 EUR
(two separate bedrooms + living room, kitchen, bathroom and terrace)
- apartment 1/6 122 EUR
(two separate bedrooms + living room, kitchen, bathroom and terrace)

Indicated prices for rooms are per room per night.

Breakfast: 7 EUR per person per day – buffet

Dinner: 10 EUR per person per day – buffet

Wellness & Spa: Our newly opened spa centre includes a saltwater pool, jacuzzi, Finnish and infrared saunas, and a salt room. As a valued group, you will receive a special discount for spa access.

Spa: 10-22h every day

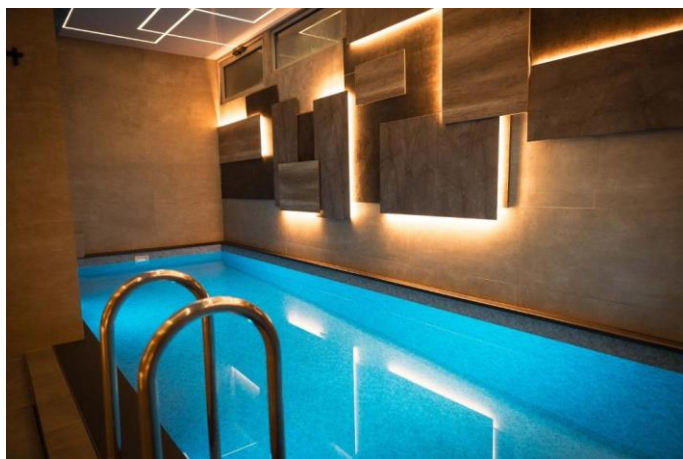
10 EUR per person for 1h30min time in spa.

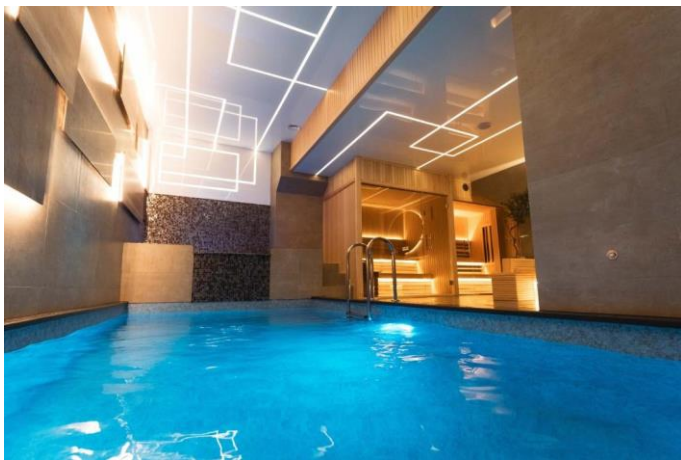
Gym: Complimentary use for all guests 24/7

Parking for cars and buses: free

City tax: included in the price of room

Reception & Bar: Open 24/7 for your convenience





Reservation and cancellation information:

- To confirm your reservation, it is necessary to pay a deposit via bank transfer (you bear bank commission).
- In case of cancellation, the deposit is nonrefundable.
- The rest of the amount can be paid in cash at reception.
- You can increase/decrease the number of people or rooms till 5 days before arrival.

Email: niscityview@gmail.com

HOTEL "018IN"



Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

The Hotel "018 in" uses its naturally provided location by the city of Nis as a traditional intersection between Europe and the Balkans.

It is situated in a nearby vicinity of highway Belgrade-Sofija-Nis and it is just a couple of minutes away from the airport "Constantin the Great" and the main bus station.

The hotel provides its guests with peace and quiet and it is a perfect refuge after a long journey or a hard day at work.

Highly decorated rooms and elegantly designed apartments, as well as a spacious parking place with camera surveillance, can satisfy the need of every person.

All the rooms and apartments have an individual bathroom, while the apartments possess a kitchen. Within the hotel one can also find a restaurant and a bar.

All the rooms in the "018 in" hotel are equipped with an air conditioning and heating systems with individual settings, a telephone, cable TV, LCD television set, a safe, a noiseless mini-bar and a wireless internet connection.

In the restaurant of the "018 in" hotel, there is an open buffet arranged for breakfast, open between the hours of 06:30 and 09:30.

The "018 in" has the capacity of eight bedrooms rooms and two apartments. The hotel has are of 660 m². The maximum capacity of the hotel is 25 people.



***Prices and structure of the rooms is:**

- -1 x single room is 50 EUR
- -6 x twin rooms with price of 80 EUR
- -2 x apartments with price of 100 EUR

Breakfast is included in price!

Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

Email: info@018in.rs

AKVARIUS ACCOMMODATION



Located in Niš, 1.8 km from the city centre, Aquarius offers accommodation with free Wi-Fi and free private parking. There are 14 rooms with a total of 32 beds. All rooms have a flat-screen TV with cable channels and a private bathroom. Amenities at this property include a shared kitchen. Nearby attractions include Niš Fortress and Cele Kula, 2.3 km away or Nis Liberation Monument 1.8 km from the property.

All accommodations provide air conditioning, heating and a wardrobe

Price per night / bed / person is 27 EUR.

Additional food, full board price is 20 EUR per day / person, in our restaurant "Zlatković 96", 4 minutes from hotel by car, and 5 minutes from sport hall by walk.

Use the code "ESKA2026NIS" to make your reservation

Reservation for this competition you can do by our official e-mail, akvariusnis@gmail.com.



TRANSFERS

The host organisation provide transfers for all the teams by de conditions bellow:

- From **Nikola Tesla Airport** to **Official Hotels** and back to Nikola Tesla Airport;
- From **Official Hotels** to **Čair Sport Hall** and back from Friday (Noon) to Sunday for the competition venue.
- From **Čair Sport Hall** to **Official Hotels** and to **Officers' House** after the end of the championships on Sunday for the Sayonara Party.
- From **Officers' House** to **Official Hotels**, on Sunday after the Sayonara Party

Transport Schedules will be communicated to the delegation later via email.

TRANSFERS TO AND FROM OTHER AIRPORTS WILL NOT BE HELD BY HOST ORGANISATION

TRANSFERS TO AND FROM NON-OFFICIAL HOTELS WILL NOT BE HELD BY HOST ORGANISATION

Reservation Email: eskanis2026transfers@gmail.com

Price:

- **100 EUR/Person** – From Belgrade (Nikola Tesla Airport) to the Official Hotels, transport in Nis and back to the airport
- **35 EUR/Person** – From Niš Constantin the Great Airport to the Official Hotels, transport in Niš and back to the airport

If there are changes in fuel prices, the organiser can change the prices in proportion to the increase or decrease!

Deadline for reservation/payment: October 16, 2026.





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BOOKING INFORMATION (FOR ACCOMMODATION AND TRANSFERS)

Please mind that the booking is only completed once you have made the payment. If not, your reservation will be cancelled.

Deadline for reservation/payment: OCTOBER 16, 2026.

After this date the host organisation cannot guarantee your accommodation or transfer!

TRANSFERS TO AND FROM OTHER AIRPORTS WILL NOT BE HELD BY ORGANISATION

TRANSFERS TO AND FROM NON-OFFICIAL HOTELS WILL NOT BE HELD BY ORGANISATION

For a correct reservation you should send the Reservation Forms, attached to this document to the host organisation email!

Reservation Email: eskanis2026transfers@gmail.com





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Bank Transfer Information for transport and Sayonara Party: Euro €

JKA-SOTOKAN SAVEZ SRBIJE

HILANDARSKA 5
KRUSEVAC, REPUBLIKA SRBIJA

SWIFT (BIC) CODE: **DBDBRSBG**

IBAN: **RS35160005280000061019**

Once you complete those steps you will receive a confirmation email!

If you didn't receive a confirmation email, please contact the host organisation by the email address
jkashotokanserbia@gmail.com.



ČAIR SPORTS HALL

Čair Sports Hall in Niš, Serbia, is a premier multi-functional venue, located on IX Brigade 10, featuring a 4,800-5,000 seat indoor arena frequently used for handball, basketball, volleyball, and concerts (6,500 capacity). It should be noted, however, that the acoustics of the hall do not always meet expectations, as the sound can disperse, which may affect the perception of concerts. Despite this, the hall remains a popular choice for holding various events.

It was fully reconstructed in 2011 to meet international standards and acts as a major sports hub for the region.

Key Features:

Seating capacity: 4,800 to 5,000 seats for sports (basketball/volleyball/handball) and up to 6,500 for concerts.

Modular and adaptable spaces for various event types of **VIP and media zones**

Complex Facilities: The wider complex includes indoor and outdoor swimming pools, a martial arts hall, an ice rink, a bowling alley, and a fitness centre.

Backstage facilities, dressing rooms, and support area

Strategically located close to the city centre and main roads, **Čair Sport Hall** combines functionality, size, and flexibility, making it the **perfect venue for high-profile events** in the Niš.





Spectator Entry:

The entrance for public is free.

Meals during the competition:

The host organisation will create a meal area where there will be a snack-bar open throughout the championships with light meals and drinks.

During lunchtime there will be a self-service space with various types of meals, including vegetarian options.



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Training Facilities:

The host organisation will provide all the facilities for training at the venue for every country that requires.

To book the trainings, teams must send by email to the host organisation the document attached named "Training Booking".

WEDNESDAY - TRAINING SCHEDULE						
TRAINING SLOT	TATAMI 1	TATAMI 2	TATAMI 3	TATAMI 4	TATAMI 5	WARMUP AREA
09:00 - 10:30	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
10:30 - 12:00	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
12:00 - 13:30	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
13:30 - 15:00	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
15:00 - 17:00	Not Available					Available
17:00 - 18:30	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
18:30 - 20:00	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available
20:00 - 21:30	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available

THURSDAY - TRAINING SCHEDULE							
TRAINING SLOT	TATAMI 1	TATAMI 2	TATAMI 3	TATAMI 4	TATAMI 5	TRAINING SLOT	WARMUP AREA
09:00 - 10:30	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	09:00 - 10:30	Available
10:30 - 12:00	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	10:30 - 12:00	Available
12:00 - 13:30	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	12:00 - 13:30	Available
13:30 - 19:30	Not Available					13:30 - 15:00	Available
						15:00 - 16:30	Available
						16:30 - 18:00	Available
						18:30 - 20:00	Available
19:30 - 21:00	Available	Available	Available	Available	Available	20:00 - 21:30	Available

Host organisation Email: eskanis2026trainings@gmail.com

Deadline for training booking: OCTOBER 16, 2026.

The venue will have a large Warmup area, completely inaccessible by the public.





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SAYONARA PARTY

On Sunday, after the competition, the sayonara party will be held in Officers' Home.

A DJ will be responsible for a good atmosphere.

Entrance to Sayonara will be **FREE**. Participants should pay for their drinks.

Sayonara party should be booked previously by sending the "Sayonara Booking Form" to the host organisation email.

NOTE: FOR THOSE WHO HAVE BOOKED THE TRANSFER PACKAGE, we have included transportation, at the end of the Championships, to the official hotels and back to the Officers' Home for the Sayonara party. **THE PACKAGE** also includes the transfers back to the hotel at the end of the party.

THIS IS ONLY PROVIDED TO THOSE WHO BUY THE TRANSFER PACKAGE. If the package hasn't been booked, transportation will not be provided by the host organisation.

Host organisation Email: eskanis2026sayonara@gmail.com

Deadline for Sayonara Party booking: OCTOBER 16, 2026.





CHAMPIONSHIP / ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

ESKA European Championship

Niš, Serbia 27 - 29th November 2025 Overview of key activities.

MEETINGS, KATA TRAINING AND CONGRESS

Tuesday 24th November:

Activity	Time Schedule	Local
Meeting ESKA president, competition director, & host organising committee	19:00	New City Hotel Niš

Wednesday 25th November:

Activity	Time Schedule	Local
Referee commission Meeting	09:00 – 10:30	New City Hotel Niš
Technical Committee Meeting	18:00 – 19:00	New City Hotel Niš

Thursday 26th November:

Activity	Time Schedule	Local
Executive Board Meeting	11:00 – 13:00	New City Hotel Niš
Area Manager training	12:00 – 13:30	New City Hotel Niš
Coaches Meeting	14:00 – 15:00	New City Hotel Niš
Kata training for everybody (for all: referees/judges coaches and athletes)	17:45 – 19:15	Čair Sport Hall

Friday 27th November:

Activity	Time Schedule	Local
Registration for Congress	08:30 – 09:00	Officers' Home
Congress	09:00 – 11:30	Officers' Home
Referee alignment meeting	12:00 – 12:30	New City Hotel Niš

Schedule / program REFEREE COURSE:

Wednesday 25th November:

TIME	CONTENT	Local
12:00 - 13:30	Theory	New City Hotel Niš
13:30 - 14:00	Signals + gestures	New City Hotel Niš
14:00 - 14:30	Communication on the Shiai-jo	New City Hotel Niš
15:00 - 17:00	Practical examination – Kata (candidates)	Čair Sport Hall

Thursday 26th November:

TIME	CONTENT	Local
09:00 - 11:00	Theory examination (Kata and Kumite)	New City Hotel Niš
12:00 - 13:30	Area manager workshop	New City Hotel Niš
13:45 - 15:45	Practical training with local athletes (Kata and Kumite)	Čair Sport Hall ??
16:00 - 17:30	Practical examinations in Kata and Kumite.	Čair Sport Hall

Friday 27th November:

TIME	CONTENT	Local
08:00 - 09:00	Feedback on the first part of the examination	New City Hotel Niš

Sunday 29th November:

TIME	CONTENT	Local
By the end of the competition	Debriefing, final examination results and diplomas.	New City Hotel Niš

CHAMPIONSHIPS:

Day	Events	Start Time
Friday 27 th November	Cadet Events	13:30
Saturday 28 th November	Youth & Junior Events	09:00
	Opening Ceremony	16:00 (Approximate)
Sunday 29 th November	Senior & Veterans Events	09:00
	Flag Ceremony	17:00 (Approximate)

CATEGORIES

AGE CATEGORIES - Female and Male: (age on day of competition)

	age	participation options
YOUTH	14 to 15 years	Youth can participate in Juniors Kata Team
CADETS	16 to 17 years	Youth can participate in Cadet kata categories Cadets can participate in Senior Kata Team
JUNIORS	18 to 20 years	Cadets can participate in Junior categories
SENIORS	from 21 years	Juniors can participate in Senior categories
VETERANS	from 40 years	

KATA team categories – Female and Male: (age on day of competition)

	age	participation options
JUNIORS	14 up to 20 years	1 per country, 3 x competitors
SENIORS	from 16 years	1 per country, 3 x competitors

List of Categories:

Youth Female Individual Kata (4 per country)	Youth Male Individual Kata (4 per country)
Youth Female Individual Kumite (4 per country)	Youth Male Individual Kumite (4 per country)

Cadet Female Individual Kata (4 per country)	Cadet Male Individual Kata (4 per country)
Cadet Female Individual Kumite (4 per country)	Cadet Male Individual Kumite (4 per country)
Cadet Female Team Kumite (1 per country, 3 x competitors)	Cadet Male Team Kumite (1 per country, 3 x competitors)

Junior Female Individual Kata (4 per country)	Junior Male Individual Kata (4 per country)
Junior Female Individual Kumite (4 per country)	Junior Male Individual Kumite (4 per country)
Junior Female Team Kumite (1 per country, 3 x competitors)	Junior Male Team Kumite (1 per country, 3 x competitors)
Junior Female Team Kata (1 per country, 3 x competitors)	Junior Male Team Kata (1 per country, 3 x competitors)

Senior Female Individual Kata (4 per country)	Senior Male Individual Kata (4 per country)
Senior Female Individual Kumite (4 per country)	Senior Male Individual Kumite (6 per country)
Senior Female Team Kumite (1 per country, 3 x competitors)	Senior Male Team Kumite (1 per country, 5 x competitors)
Senior Female Team Kata (1 per country, 3 x competitors)	Senior Male Team Kata (1 per country, 3 x competitors)

Veterans Female Individual Kata (4 per country)	Veterans Male Individual Kata (4 per country)
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