ANNOUNCEMENT / INVITATION



International Figure Skating Competition for:

Single Skating: Seniors, Juniors & Novice Advanced categories

Ice Dance Skating: Seniors, Juniors, Novice Advanced, Novice Intermediate & Novice Basic categories

GENERAL INFORMATION

The EduSport Trophy will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution 2025, Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the EduSport Trophy is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, and qualify with regard to eligibility according to Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Article 7.2, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Article 9.3.1, and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirement in Article 8 and ISU Communication 2526 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Article 8 and ISU Communication 2526, all Skaters who do not have the nationality of the Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.
All competitors must be entered through their respective ISU Member Federation.

The Organizing Committee has the right to verify athletes' personal identification documents in order to confirm their eligibility to compete and ensure correct category placement. Without the documents, the athlete will be excluded from the competition.

All skaters must submit a copy of their passport at the time of registration. If applicable, the ISU Clearance Certificate must also be provided.

GDPR

By registering for the event, all participants acknowledge and accept that their personal data will be collected by the Organizing Committee (OC). This data will be stored and used by the OC—and, when necessary, shared with third parties—exclusively for purposes related to facilitating participation in the competition. Personal data may include, but is not limited to: full legal name (as stated in national identity documents), address, date of birth, nationality, and gender.

ORGANIZER

EduSport Sport Club Association and **Romanian Skating Federation**
For information, please contact the Organizing Committee:
e-mail OC : edusporttrophy@gmail.com
web: www.edusporttrophy.org, Facebook: @EduSportTrophy, Whatsapp channel: EduSport Trophy
Whatsapp: +4.0723.623.712/+4.0740.348.371

COMMUNICATION

For all communication concerning the competition we use the Whatsapp channel EduSport Trophy

Please allow push notifications for this channel to stay informed about all communication regarding the EduSport Trophy.

ICE RINK

Venue: Allianz-Țiriac Arena
Address: Drumul Gării Odăi, Otopeni 075100, Bucharest, Romania
Location: Near Henri Coandă International Airport
Rink Details: Indoor, heated facility with a standard-size ice surface measuring 60 m x 30 m





ENTRIES

Members of ISU are invited to take part in this competition. Each Member may enter an unlimited number of skaters in each category.

Please note: The OC reserves the right to limit the number of participants in case of overcrowding. If OC has to limit the number of entries, priority will be given to those countries/clubs that have made the Preliminary Entries.

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit or refuse entries**.** Acceptance of additional entries will depend on the total number of participants and the capacity of the event.

For international competitions**, all required documents must be submitted no later than November 20, 2026.** This includes entries of skaters and officials, music, Program Content Sheets, passports of all skaters, ISU Clearance Certificate or any other applicable declaration. All documents must be uploaded via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS): https://fsk-ors.isu.swisstiming.com and will be submitted via the ORS simultaneously to: edusporttrophy@gmail.com

Entries submitted on and after November 21, 2026 will be considered late.

For each skater, the Program Content Sheet must be completed accurately in English, using the official terminology specified in the relevant ISU Communication. Program Content Sheets must not be handed directly to the acting Officials.

Withdrawal from the competition, if applicable, must be communicated no later than November 26, 2026. Starting November 27, 2026, entry fees will not be refunded under any circumstances. If a skater has not been officially withdrawn by this date and the entry fee remains unpaid, the Club or Federation will be held responsible for covering the competition fee**.**

Official entries of Team Leaders, Team Officials, Coaches/Choreographers, Team Medical staff etc. must be made together with the entries for Competitors and Judges.

MUSIC

In accordance with Rule 343 in the ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, the ISU Members are responsible for submitting their Competitor's music, until **November 26, 2025,** as upload using this portal https://portal.edusporttrophy.org

Each submission must be labelled with the name of the ISU Member, name of the category, segment, the name(s) of the competitor and the exact running time of the music (not skating time).
Example:

- ROU_Senior_Men_SP_POPESCU-Andrei-Radu-2min40sec
- ROU_Senior_Men_FS_POPESCU-Andrei-Radu-4min05sec

- SUI_ID_RD_MUSTERMANN-Erika_MUSTERMANN-Max

The music files must be sent only as MP3 file formats. Any other format is not acceptable.

Please note: MP3 files may vary in playback quality. The Organizing Committee cannot be held responsible for any issues related to insufficient audio quality.

Each competitor must bring a USB stick containing a backup copy of each program's music in MP3 format. CDs will not be accepted by the Organizing Committee.

The exact running time of the music (not skating time) must be communicated when submitting the file and will be verified at accreditation.

If music files are not submitted within the official deadline, they must be presented no later than at the time of accreditation, using the format and medium specified above.

ISU Members/Skaters are reminded that, for them to use music to accompany their routines, the following 'Music Accompaniment' rights/licenses are required:

- the right to edit or adapt music into a mix, if more than one song is being used.
- the right to set choreography to the music, often referred to as a 'Grand Right', which is the right to perform musical compositions and recordings within the context of a "dramatic work" or choreography.
- the right to create any copies of the music that may be needed for training and competition purposes, also known as the 'mechanical rights'.

For a music to be fully cleared for these uses, these rights need to be cleared for each and every track used in each mix that contains a license (backed by a warranty and legal indemnity) for appropriate territory(s) that covers both the master rights of the recording artist and the publishing rights of each individual writer and composer of the track.

The titles, composers and orchestras of the music to be used for the Short Program and Free Skating Program for Single, for the Rhythm and Free Dance Program for Ice Dance must all be entered, in detail, by the ISU Member or the Skater(s) on the dedicated ISU platform. If music information is not complete and music not provided, accreditation will not be given.

During accreditation, all submitted music will be played to verify its accuracy. If any issues are identified, the Team Leader or Coach may be permitted to replace the file by providing a valid MP3 version on a USB stick, which will be reviewed by the Organizing Committee's Music Team.

ENTRY FEE			
	Category	Fee	Explication
Single Skating	Novice Advanced, Juniors, Senior	120 eur/650 lei/skater	Payments made until November 26th, 2026
		145 eur/785 lei/skater	Payments made starting from November 27, 2026 and late entries.
Ice dance	Novice Basic ID, Novice Intermediate ID, Novice Advanced ID, Juniors ID, Seniors ID	160 eur/865 lei/couple	Payments made until November 26th, 2026.
		185 eur/1000 lei/couple	Payments made starting from November 27, 2026 and late entries.

To minimize banking fees, the Organizing Committee recommends a single payment per Club or Federation.

Bank Transfer Details:
Please ensure the name/s of skater/s and the Club or Federation is clearly indicated in the transfer reference.
Once the payment is completed, please send the following by email to edusporttrophy@gmail.com:

- Proof of payment
- Invoice details
- Full name(s) of the skater(s) covered by the payment

Important: Entry Fee payments received **on or after November 27, 2026** will incur a **late fee of €25 per skater or couple**. If a skater has not been officially withdrawn until **November 26, 2026** and the entry fee remains unpaid, the **Club or Federation will be held responsible for covering the competition fee**.

All bank charges must be covered by the payer.

Bank Information:
Bank Name*: ING Bank*
IBAN (EUR): RO36 INGB 0000 9999 0591 2025
IBAN (RON): RO89 INGB 0000 9999 0318 6729
BIC: 606410008
SWIFT Code: INGBROBU
Account Holder: Asociația Clubul Sportiv EduSport

Cash payments will be accepted **upon arrival at the accreditation desk**, in **EUR or RON**.

REFUND POLICY

Entry fee refunds will not be granted for cancellations received after 23:59 (local time) on November 26, 2026, or in case of no-show at the competition. Online processing fees are non-refundable under any circumstances.

UNOFFICIAL PRACTICE

Unofficial practice will be available prior to the competition.
Fees for unofficial practice sessions:
- **€25 per skater / 25 minutes** – group practice, without music
- **€40 per couple / 30 minutes** – group practice, without music

The fees for unofficial practice will be paid in cash, at the accreditation office, before practice.

INSURANCE / LIABILITY

In accordance with Article 17, it is the sole responsibility of each participating Member in the EduSport Trophy to ensure that medical and accident insurance is provided for all athletes, officials, and other members of their delegation.

The Organizer assumes no responsibility or liability for any bodily or personal injury, or for property loss or damage incurred by Competitors or Officials in connection with the event.

Such insurance must guarantee full medical coverage and repatriation of the ill or injured person to their home country by air or other expeditious means.

It is the internal responsibility of each ISU Member to determine who will cover the cost of this insurance.
The Organizing Committee will provide on-site medical emergency aid during the competition.

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Each Team Manager should be able to give important medical information for each skater for use in case of an emergency or accident. Such information should include but is not limited to the following, and will greatly help local medical and emergency personnel:

- Allergies
- Existing medical conditions (eg. asthma)
- Current medications
- Immunisations
- Blood type
- Use of glasses, contact lenses, dental appliances, medical braces, etc.

ACCREDITATION

Accreditation will begin on December 7, 2026, at the Allianz-Țiriac Arena Rink.

In accordance with Article 8 and ISU Communication 2526, all Skaters who do not have the nationality of the Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

The Organizing Committee has both the right and obligation to verify the passports of all athletes to confirm eligibility to compete and the correct category assignment. Athletes without valid identification documents will be excluded from the competition**.**

Passports of all skaters, as well as the **ISU Clearance Certificate** (if applicable), must be submitted during registration, **no later than November 20, 2026**, for verification.

DRAW & JUDGES MEETINGS:

- For all the Ice Dance categories the opening draw of the starting order of skating will be held one day prior to the start of each category.

- For Advanced Novice, Junior, and Senior, the draw for the short program starting order will be held one day prior to the start of each category.

The exact place and time will be published in the official detailed schedule. It is possible that the draw will be done only by Referee, Technical controller and a representative from the organizer, without any competitors. Starting order for the free skating/free dance will be in reverse order of the results of the short program.

The starting order will be available on www.edusporttrophy.org, on the whatsapp channel and at the ice rink.

Initial Judges Meeting – will be announced in the detailed schedule.

AWARDING CEREMONIES

- Medals and diplomas will be awarded to the winners of each category.
- All competitors will receive diplomas for participation.

The exact time of the Awarding Ceremonies will be announced in the Whatsapp channel: EduSport Trophy. Please ensure that all skaters are present and represented during the Ceremony.

JUDGES

Each ISU Member participating in the competition may enter 1(one) International or ISU Judge.
- Judge entries must be submitted via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS)
- Deadline for submission: November 20, 2026

After the closing of entries, the Panels will be drawn, and the concerned Members will be notified of the results. The Panel of Judges for Novice, Junior, and Senior categories (singles and ice dance) will be composed in accordance with the relevant ISU Communications.

The Organizer will cover accommodation expenses with full board (meals included), from lunch on December 7 until lunch on December 14, 2026, only for the following confirmed officials: Referees, Judges, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists, Data and Replay Operators.

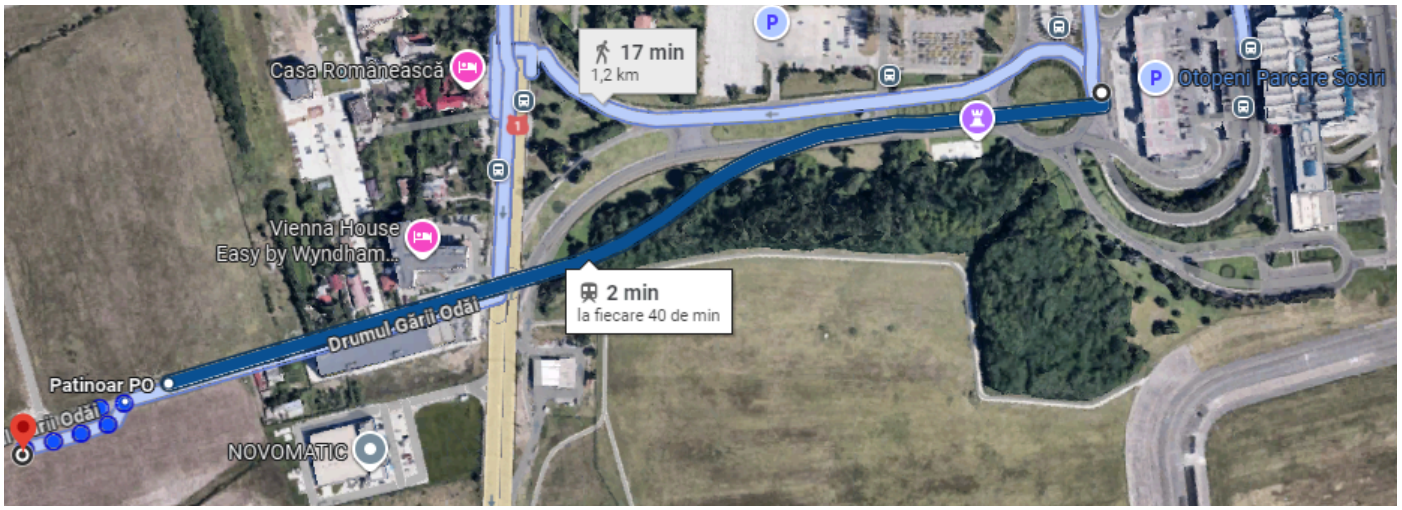
Travel expenses (economy fare) will be covered only for: Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists, Data and Replay Operators, Invited Judges.

Important: Expenses related to transport, accommodation, and meals for Competitors, Coaches, and other Team Officials will not be covered by the Organizer**.**

VENUE ACCESSIBILITY

The Allianz-Țiriac Arena Ice Rink is located directly across the road from Henri Coandă International Airport.

Transportation options:
- By train: Direct connection from the airport to the rink (1 station only, approx. 2 minutes)
- On foot: Approx. 15–17 minutes walking distance, crossing DN1 via pedestrian overpass or crosswalk



Transfers: Each ISU Member or Club is responsible for arranging their own transportation to and from the airport**.** The Organizing Committee will not provide airport transfers for competitors, coaches, Team Leaders, or other delegation members.

ACCOMMODATION

All participants, except the confirmed Officials **(**Referees, Judges, Technical Controller, Technical Specialists, Data and Replay Operators), are responsible for covering their own accommodation expenses.

Official hotel of the event: **Vienna House Easy by Wyndham Bucharest Airport ******

- Calea Bucureștilor 283, Otopeni 075100.
- Distance from the ice-rink: 0,5 km.
- Distance from airport: 0.6 km

Accommodation reservations must be made directly with the Hotel using the following contact details:
Phone: +40 21 203 6500
E-mail: bucharest@viennahouse.ro
When making the reservation, participants are kindly requested to mention the booking code "**EDUSPORT2026VHE**".

Accommodation rates:
- Comfort Single Room: 88 Euro/Room/Night
- Comfort Double Room: 104 Euro/Room/Night
- Triple Room: 150 Euro/Room/Night (Double bed + sofa bed)

The rates include breakfast and all taxes.

LIVESTREAM

Livestream video and photography will be provided during the event.

By entering the competition, each participant automatically agrees to the recording and/or transmission of their performance, appearance, image, voice, or other personal characteristics in connection with the event. These

recordings may be distributed via internet, television, or other media platforms, to an unrestricted audience, without temporal or geographical limitations.

The Organizers reserve the right to use any photo or video content from the competition for commercial purposes.

ETHICS

All skaters, coaches, judges, and chaperones must comply with the provisions of ISU Communication 2641, or any updated version of this Communication.
Violation of this rule will result in the automatic disqualification of the skater.

RESULTS

All results will be calculated using the ISU Judging System

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No exhibition is planned at this event.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

Please be informed that changes in the event schedule may occur depending on the final number of entries. For organizational efficiency, some categories may be rescheduled to a different day.

The detailed schedule will be published after the closing of entries, on whatsapp channel. We kindly ask all participants to remain flexible and to consult the updated schedule once available.

The provisional schedule will be available on Whatsapp group as soon as possible
WhatsApp channel: https://whatsapp.com/channel/0029Va8O6bu6buMSpay4VF2l

TIMETABLE AND SCHEDULE FLEXIBILITY

The timetable, results, and other official information will be published on the competition website: www.edusporttrophy.org, whatsapp channel and displayed on the information board at the ice rink.
Please note:

- Only the daily starting times are fixed.
- After the morning start, the event schedule remains flexible.
- In case of cancellations or changes, certain categories may begin earlier than indicated in the Preliminary or Final Schedule.

Real-time schedule updates will be posted on the competition's official WhatsApp channel:
https://whatsapp.com/channel/0029Va8O6bu6buMSpay4VF2l

We recommend all participants to regularly check updates and remain available near the rink throughout the day.

CATEGORIES and TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS	
WOMEN & MEN	Short Program: Duration 2 minutes 40 seconds (± 10 seconds) Required elements as per Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 Rule 611 Free Skating: Duration 4 minutes (± 10 seconds) Well balanced program as per Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 Rule 612
SENIOR ICE DANCE	Rhythm Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

	Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.
JUNIOR WOMEN & MEN	Short Program: Required elements as per Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 Rule 611 Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec. Free Skating: Well balanced program as per Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 Rule 612 Duration: 3 min. 30 sec. +/- 10 sec
JUNIOR ICE DANCE	Rhythm Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.
ADVANCED NOVICE WOMEN & MEN	Required elements as per ISU Communication 2770 and subsequent updates. Short Program Duration: 2 min., 20 sec. +/- 10 sec. Free Skating Duration: 3 min. +/- 10 sec.
ADVANCED NOVICE ICE DANCE	Pattern Dances: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 711. Pattern required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2794 and subsequent updates. **The following two (2) Pattern Dances are to be skated - Season 2026/27: Paso Doble and Blues.** Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances. Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communications 2794 and subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min., +/- 10 sec
INTERMEDIATE NOVICE ICE DANCE	Pattern Dances: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 711. Pattern required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2794 and subsequent updates. **Two (2) Pattern Dances are to be skated from the following - Season 2026/27: Fourteen Step, Foxtrot, American Waltz.** The two Pattern Dances will be drawn before the first practice on site. Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances. Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communications 2794 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min. 30 sec., +/-10 sec
BASIC NOVICE ICE DANCE	Pattern Dances: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 711. Pattern required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2794 and subsequent updates. **Two (2) Pattern Dances are to be skated from the following - Season 2026/27: Willow Waltz, Hickory Hoedown and Tango Fiesta.** The two Pattern Dances will be drawn before the first practice on site. Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances. Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2026, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communications 2794 and subsequent updates.

IMPORTANT!

The Organizers reserve the right to change the date, cancel/postponed the competition, change the location, and program of the competition.

When submitting an entry all competitors acknowledge that the Organizers can only host the competition in accordance with the effective medical and government regulations and that in case the situation requires the OC has the right to cancel the competition at any time or to host it between closed doors with a limited number of competitors and no spectators. The competitors also acknowledge that in case laws forbid it the Organizers are unable to hold the competition.

Furthermore, in case the competition cannot take place due to any legal restrictions or public health issues the Organizers bear no responsibility for any damage resulting from the cancellation and thus no claims can be made towards the Organizers.

The competition may also be cancelled in case of an insufficient number of competitors, or due to any other unforeseen circumstance that prevents the proper organization of the event.

Notice of cancellation or program changes will be published at least 7 days before the start of the competition. Please, be informed that changes in the event schedule may occur due to the final number of entries and some categories can be moved to another day for proper organization. We advise all delegations to take those above into consideration for any travel arrangements.

The Organizers shall not be held liable for any financial losses, including but not limited to travel, accommodation, visa fees, or other expenses incurred by participants, coaches, or accompanying persons due to cancellation, postponement, or modification of the event.

All participants and delegations are strongly advised to arrange flexible travel plans and consider travel insurance that covers event cancellation, medical emergencies, and other unforeseen circumstances.

By submitting an entry, all participants confirm their understanding and acceptance of the above conditions, including the possibility of cancellation without compensation, and acknowledge that participation is at their own risk.

The Organizers shall not be liable for any failure or delay in performance due to force majeure events, including but not limited to pandemics, natural disasters, strikes, civil unrest, or any other circumstances beyond reasonable control.

In case of cancellation or major changes, the Organizers will make reasonable efforts to notify all registered delegations via official communication channels. However, failure to receive such notification shall not constitute grounds for claims.

At the moment of publication there are no restrictions enforced by Romanian authorities. Latest information for international travelers can be found on the official website of Ministry of Foreign Affairs (https://www.mae.ro/en)