

GLASGOW 2018 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Road - Track - MTB - BMX

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION

1.1. TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION

Travel and accommodation expenses to and from Glasgow must be covered by the National Federations.

Nearest airports are: Glasgow International Airport,
Edinburgh International Airport, 76 km from Glasgow

All accredited delegations that have booked accommodation through Glasgow 2018 and adhere to the deadlines will be provided with return transfers from Glasgow.

International Airport, which is the specified arrival point for the Championships. Upon request and approval, National Federations may arrive at Edinburgh Airport.

All participants must hold a valid passport or identity card. Visa obligations must be respected.

All riders and attendants must hold insurance valid in Great Britain.

National Federations were invited to do their bookings for the Glasgow 2018 hotels directly on the Event Management System (EMS), using the login credentials sent to each one by Glasgow 2018.

The Accreditation, Arrivals & Departure and rooming list deadlines for the Glasgow 2018 European Cycling Championships are as follows:

- Accreditation requests: 15 June 2018
- Accommodation final payment: 1 July 2018
- Travel information for all delegates: 1 July 2018
- The final rooming list by name: 20 July 2018

By the 15 June 2018, every National Cycling Federation must have applied for accreditation for all potential members of its delegation (including athletes and team officials). Following internal selection procedures, National Federations will reduce the submitted list to the final members of their delegation who will attend the European Championships in Glasgow by the deadline of 20 July 2018. More information on the application process can be found in the 'Glasgow 2018 European Championships Member Federations EMS User Guide – Phase 2' that has been sent to each Federation along with the invitation to access the Event Management System (EMS). For any questions, please contact Glasgow2018Cycling@glasgow.gov.uk.

The National Federations must also register their riders directly on the UEC website (www.uec.ch). The registration will open on Friday 06 July 2018. Deadline for the registrations is Friday 20 July 2018 midnight Central European time.

Visas

Each Federation is responsible for obtaining documents for their delegation appropriate entries.

For all invitation letter requests, please contact the UEC: Glasgow2018Cycling@glasgow.gov.uk

1.2. MEDIA

MEDIA PERMANENCE – UEC PRESS CENTER

The Media Permanence and Press Room are located in dedicated areas across all cycling venues. In order to access the UEC Press Center an accreditation is necessary.

MEDIA ACCREDITATION

To apply for media accreditation, please visit the UEC website <http://www.uec.ch/en/2018-Glasgow>

Applications will close on 1 July.

For any further inquire please contact: Mr Stefano Bertolotti - s.bertolotti@uec.ch

2. OFFICIAL MEETINGS

2.1. CONFIRMATION / LICENCE CHECK / DISTRIBUTION OF RACE NUMBERS

Road and Track races

The confirmation of starters for road and track, the license check, the distribution of race numbers and transponders will be organized at the race permanence, located at:

Sir Chris Hoy Velodrome
Emirates Arena
1000 London Road,
Glasgow G40 3HG

<https://www.glasgow2018.com/venues/venue-map/sir-chris-hoy-velodrome-emirates-arena>

MTB

The confirmation of starters for MTB, the license check, the distribution of race numbers and transponders will be organized at the race permanence, located at:

Cathkin Braes Mountain Bike trails venue
Championship Familylounge area

<https://www.glasgow2018.com/venues/venue-map/cathkin-braes-mountain-bike-trails>

BMX

The confirmation of starters for bmx, the license check, the distribution of race numbers and transponders will be organized at the race permanence, located at:

Knightswood park BMX venue

Athletes lounge area

<https://www.glasgow2018.com/venues/venue-map/knightswood-park>

Riders' numbers will be distributed during those procedures.

3. GLASGOW 2018 COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Note all times are British Summer time (BST)

Thursday, 2nd August

19:00 – 20:20	Track	Women Team Pursuit Qualifying Round Men Team Pursuit Qualifying Round
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Friday, 3rd August

13:45	Track	Men's Scratch Race Qualifying (If Required)
14:15 – 16:30	Track	Women Team Sprint Qualifying Round Men Team Sprint Qualifying Round Men Team Pursuit 1st round Women Team Pursuit 1st round Women Scratch Race Final Women Team Sprint 1st round Men Team Sprint 1st round Women Scratch Race Medal/Ceremony
18:30 – 20:45	Track	Men Team Pursuit Finals Women Team Pursuit Finals Men Scratch Race Final Men Team Pursuit Medal/Ceremony Women Team Pursuit Medal/Ceremony Men Scratch Race Medal/Ceremony Women Team Sprint Finals Men Team Sprint Finals Women Team Sprint Medal/Ceremony Men Team Sprint Medal/Ceremony

Saturday, 4th August

09:00 – 11:45	Track	Women Individual Pursuit Qualifying Round Men 1km Time Trial Qualifications Women Sprint 200m Qualifying Round Men's Omnium Qualification Points Race (If Required)
14:00 – 17:40	Track	Women Sprint 1/16 Final Men Omnium I Scratch Men 1km Time Trial Final Women Sprint 1/8 Final Men 1km Time Trial Medal/Ceremony Women Points Race Final Men Omnium II Tempo race Women Points Race Medal/Ceremony
19:00 – 21:00	Track	Women Sprint 1/4 Final 1 st heat Men Omnium III Elimination Women Sprint 1/4 Final 2 nd heat Women Individual Pursuit Final Women Sprint 1/4 Final decider Men Omnium IV Points race Women Individual Pursuit Medal/Ceremony Men Omnium Medal/Ceremony

Sunday, 5th August

09:00 – 13:35	Track	Men Sprint 200m Qualifying Round Men Individual Pursuit Qualifying Round Men Sprint 1/16 Final Women Elimination Final Men Sprint 1/8 Final Women Elimination Medal/Ceremony Men's Points Race Qualification (if required)
12:30 – 16:00	Road	Women's Road Race
19:00 – 21:25	Track	Women Sprint 1/2 Final 1 st heat Men Individual Pursuit Finals Women Sprint 1/2 Final 2 nd heat Men Individual Pursuit Medal/Ceremony Women Sprint 1/2 Final decider Men Points Race Final Women Sprint Finals 1 st heat Men Points Race Medal/Ceremony Women Sprint Finals 2 nd heat Pause (If Required) Women Sprint Final decider Women Sprint Medal/Ceremony

Monday, 6th August

11:00 – 12:00	Track	Men's Madison Qualification heats (if required)
13:30 – 16:25	Track	Men Sprint 1/4 Final 1 st heat Women Omnium I Scratch race Men Sprint 1/4 Final 2 nd heat Women 500m Time Trial Qualifications Men Sprint 1/4 Final decider Men Madison Final Men Sprint 1/2 Final 1 st heat Men Madison Medal/Ceremony Men Sprint 1/2 Final 2 nd heat Women Omnium II Tempo race Men Sprint 1/2 Final decider
19:00 – 21:00	Track	Women Omnium III Elimination Men Sprint Finals 1 st heat Women 500m Time Trial Final Men Sprint Finals 2 nd heat Women 500m Time Trial Medal/Ceremony Women Omnium IV Points Men Sprint Finals decider Women Omnium Medal/Ceremony Men Sprint Medal/Ceremony

Tuesday, 7th August

09:30 – 11:15	MTB	Women's Cross Country
11:00 – 14:45	Track	Women Keirin 1st round Men Keirin 1st round Women Keirin 1st Round repechages Men Keirin 1st Round repechages Men Elimination Final Women Keirin 1/2 Final Men Elimination Medal/Ceremony Men Keirin 1/2 Final Women Madison Final Women Keirin Finals Women Madison Medal/Ceremony Men Keirin Finals Women Keirin Medal/Ceremony Men Keirin Medal/Ceremony
14:30 – 16:15	MTB	Men's Cross Country

Wednesday, 8th August

09:00 – 11:15 Road Women's Time Trial
13:00 – 15:30 Road Men's Time Trial

Friday, 10th August

12:00 – 13:10 BMX Qualifications

Saturday, 11th August

10:05 – 12:00 BMX Men's Finals
12:00 – 13:10 BMX Women's Finals

Sunday, 12th August

10:30 – 16:30 Road Men's Road Race

Cycling competition schedule summary (complete schedule attached)

		Thu, 02 Aug	Fri, 03 Aug	Sat, 04 Aug	Sun, 05 Aug	Mon, 06 Aug	Tue, 07 Aug	Wed, 08 Aug	Thu, 09 Aug	Fri, 10 Aug	Sat, 11 Aug	Sun, 12 Aug
Sir Chris Hoy Velodrome	Track		15:15 18:00	10:00 11:55 15:00 17:54	10:00 13:34	14:30 17:22	12:00 15:29					
Road Arrival Glasgow	Road		20:00 21:20	19:30 21:56	20:00 22:02	20:00 22:02	20:00 22:00			10:00 12:15 14:00 16:30		11:30 17:30
Cathkin Braes Mountain Bike Trails	MTB						10:30 12:15 15:30 17:15					
Knightswood BMX Venue	BMX									13:00 14:10	11:05 13:00 13:00 14:10	

ARTICLE 4. RACE JERSEYS (Road, Track, MTB & BMX)

According to the UCI rules.

National team clothing

1.3.059 The wearing of national team clothing shall be mandatory:

- at world championships*
- at continental championships*
- for the riders of a national team*
- during Olympic and Paralympic Games, in accordance with the IOC and NOC Regulations.*

The continental and national champions must comply with this rule and wear their national team clothing while participating in the events cited here before.

(text modified on 1.01.98; 1.01.04; 1.01.05; 1.01.06; 1.10.10; 26.07.17).

Order of priority

1.3.071 Without prejudice to relevant provisions but applicable for all the disciplines, should various provisions requiring the wearing of different jerseys apply to the same rider, the order of priority shall be as follows:

- 1. the leader's jerseys of the stage race*
- 2. the world champion's jersey*
- 3. the leader's jersey of the cup, series or UCI classification*
- 4. the continental champion's jersey*
- 5. the national champion's jersey*
- 6. the national jersey*

(text modified on 26.08.04; 1.01.05; 1.01.06, 1.02.07; 1.09.08; 1.01.09; 1.10.09; 1.10.10; 1.10.13; 1.01.15; 1.01.17; 26.07.17)

World Champion Jersey

In accordance with the last amendments of the UCI rules the World Champions have to wear their rainbow jersey.

5. ROAD CYCLING SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

ARTICLE 1. GENERAL RULES

The Glasgow 2018 Road European Championships are organized by Glasgow 2018 European Championships Organizing Committee in cooperation with the Union Européenne de Cyclisme (UEC).

The event will be organized in accordance with rules of the Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI) and these rules will be the reference for everything that is not mentioned in the current document.

The European Road Championships consist of time trial races and road races are scheduled **from 5 to 12 of August 2018**.

These Championships may be contested by riders entered by their National Federation as a National Team.

ARTICLE 2. TYPE OF THE EVENT

The event is open to athletes of the Women Elite (WE) and Men Elite (ME) categories.

It is entered on the UCI calendar as a Continental Championships event (UCI CC).

Road Race Circuit 14.4 km

Women's Road Race 9 laps 130km

Men's Road Race 16 laps 230km

Women's Time Trial 32km

Men's Time Trial 45km

ARTICLE 3. PARTICIPATION

National Federations may enter the following riders per Championship:

Road - Time Trial

2 riders per nation / per gender.

Road race - Women Elite

UCI Ranking by Nations (published on the 1st July 2018)

- nations ranked 1 to 5: 8 riders
- nations ranked 6 to 10: 6 riders
- nations ranked 11 to 20: 4 riders
- nations ranked 21 to 40: 2 riders
- nation ranked 41 to 50 or non-ranked nations: 1 rider

Note 1 : Unused quota places will be reallocated to nations ranked 11 to 40 and non-ranked countries

Note 2 : The hosting nation will be allowed to enter the maximum quota.

Note 3 : One quota place will be allocated to non-ranked countries

Road race - Men Elite

Cumulative ranking combining the UCI World Ranking by Nations & UCI Europe Tour ranking by Nation (published on the 1st July 2018)

- nations ranked 1 to 10: 8 riders
- nations ranked 11 to 20: 6 riders
- nations ranked 21 to 30: 4 riders
- nations ranked 31 to 50: 2 riders

Note 1 : Unused quota places will be reallocated to nations ranked 11 to 50 and non-ranked countries

Note 2 : The hosting nation will be allowed to enter the maximum quota.

Note 3 : One quota place will be allocated to non-ranked countries

The National Federations have to register their riders directly on the UEC website (www.uec.ch). **The registration will open on Friday 06/07/2018. Deadline for the registrations is Friday 20/07/2018 midnight Central European time.**

In accordance with the riders' registration the National Federations may add to the above mentioned numbers of riders:

- max 2 reserve riders per category for the Time Trial
- max 4 reserve riders per category for the Road Race

The confirmation of the starters and the distribution of the race numbers will take place at the Race Headquarters located at the:

**Sir Chris Hoy Velodrome
Emirates Arena
1000 London Road
Glasgow
G40 3HG**

as follows :

Women's Road Race Saturday 4th August 11:00-13:00

Women's and Men's Time Trial Tuesday 7th August 11:00-13:00

Men's Road Race Saturday 11th August 11:00-13:00

The riders to contest each Championship shall be confirmed by an official of their Federation, to the Commissaires, during the confirmation procedure, before the start of the Team Managers meeting.

The age of a rider shall be determined by the difference between the year of the event and the year of birth of the rider.

ARTICLE 4. TEAM MANAGERS MEETING – Sir Chirs Hoy Velodrome

The team managers' meetings, organized in accordance with the article 1.2.087 of the UCI regulations in the presence of Members of the Commissaires' Panel, are scheduled as follows:

Women's Road Race Saturday 4th August 18:00

Women's and Men's Time Trial Tuesday 7th August 18:00

Men's Road Race Saturday 12th August 18:00

ARTICLE 5. STARTING ORDER IN TIME TRIALS – START PROCEDURE FOR ROAD RACES

The starting order for the individual time trials will be composed by UEC in cooperation with the Commissaires Panel and will be communicated after the team managers' meeting 18:00 as scheduled.

For road races, before each race, complete National teams must be present on the presentation podium for the signing of the start sheet. The podium will be open 45 minutes before the start and will close 10 minutes before the start. Riders who fail to sign will not take the start.

ARTICLE 6. BICYCLES AND EQUIPMENT CONTROL – TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Time trials

For the time trial races each bicycle will be checked by the UCI commissaires. Each rider must present his/her bicycle for that check and verification **at least 15 minutes prior to their personal start time.**

During time trial races, changing of equipment and technical support is allowed from the team car.

Road Races

During road races changing of equipment and technical support is allowed on every lap passing the boxes, from neutral vehicles and from their team cars.

The use of any radio communication or other remote means (earpieces, etc.) by or with the riders, as well as the possession of any equipment that can be used in this manner is not allowed.

ARTICLE 7. RADIO TOUR

Race radio information will be broadcasted throughout each race. The allocated frequency will be announced during the team managers' meeting.

Radios will be handed out at the Head Quarters Sir Chris Hoy Velodrome

Each team manager must sign the delivery sheet when receiving and returning of the transmitters, as well as pay the security deposit £50. Transmitters must be returned immediately after each race to the Sport Information Desk at Glasgow Green.

ARTICLE 8. TEAM CARS

Team cars are allowed to the race convoy for all age categories. In accordance with article 2.2.032 of UCI regulations, the vehicles involved in the races are limited to the maximum height of 1.66 m. This rule does not apply in time trial races.

For road races the number and the order of cars in the race convoy will be determined by the Commissaires' Panel in accordance with the number of riders at the start and road safety criteria, taking in consideration the most recent UCI rankings available per age category.

Team with a small number of riders will have to share the same car.

A drivers briefing meeting will be held prior to the team managers meeting at the Sir Chris hoy Velodrome. All drivers are required to attend and must present the car to be used in the convoy at the meeting venue for inspection and installation of vehicle accreditation and race radio.

Women's Road Race Saturday 4th August 17:00

Women's and Men's Time Trial Tuesday 7th August 17:00

Men's Road Race Saturday 12th August 17:00

ARTICLE 9. NEUTRAL TECHNICAL SUPPORT

The neutral support will be provided by means of: 3 cars and 1 motorbike

ARTICLE 10. FEEDING

No feeding is allowed during time trial races.

For road races, feeding is allowed from the entrance to the 3rdth lap (after the completion of the first 2 laps) until the last lap (not included) each time passing the feeding zone boxes, as well as from team cars and neutral cars.

Feeding zone is located at Greendyke Street.

ARTICLE 11. FINISHING TIME LIMITS

There is no time limit for time trial races. On road races all overlapped riders will be eliminated.

In accordance with the UCI regulations, art. 2.3.039, any rider who is dropped behind and lapped by the lead riders before they start their final lap, shall be eliminated and must leave the race. All other riders shall be classified in accordance with their position.

ARTICLE 12. AWARDS CEREMONIES

In accordance with article 1.2.112 of the UCI Regulations, the 3 best riders of each category must attend the official awards ceremony and press conference.

For the time trial events a "hot-seat" zone for the best 3 times will be prepared near the finish line.

For the road races, riders must present themselves at the podium in a maximum of 10 minutes after crossing the finish line.

ARTICLE 13. POINTS SCALE

In accordance with the articles 2.10.008 and 2.10.017 of the UCI ranking, the corresponding points for the WE and ME categories will be awarded.

ARTICLE 14. AWARDS AND PRIZE MONEY

Jersey and medals

Every European Championship will be awarded with:

- The 1st place: Champion(s) jersey and Gold medal**
- The 2nd place: Silver medal**
- The 3rd place: Bronze medal**

Prize money list (Amounts in Euro):

Place	ELITE MEN		ELITE WOMEN	
	Time Trial	Road Race	Time Trial	Road Race
1st	€ 3'000,00	€ 6'000,00	€ 3'000,00	€ 6'000,00
2nd	€ 2'100,00	€ 4'200,00	€ 2'100,00	€ 4'200,00
3rd	€ 1'200,00	€ 2'400,00	€ 1'200,00	€ 2'400,00
Total	€ 6'300,00	€ 12'600,00	€ 6'300,00	€ 12'600,00

ARTICLE 15. ANTIDOPING

The UCI anti-doping regulations are entirely applicable to the event.

The anti-doping tests will take place at the anti-doping station near to the finish line.

IMPORTANT NOTICE – CHARTER FLIGHT

Sunday the 12th of August the 2018 European Road Cycling Championships for the Men Elite will take place in Glasgow – Great Britain. The next day the Binck Bank Tour starts in Heerenveen – Netherlands.

We would like to make it possible for riders to participate in both races and therefore we give the riders the opportunity to fly direct to Amsterdam in a chartered flight Sunday after the race.

The price of each ticket will be € 390,00 and we need at least 40 persons on the flight to make it possible. The UEC will also cover one part of the costs for the chartered flight. It won't be possible to bring any bikes on the plane.

Time schedule (TO BE CONFIRMED):

- 16.45 Finish at the European Road Cycling Championships
- 18.00 Bus transport to Glasgow Airport
- 18.45 Check in – Fast track lane
- 19.30 Depart from Glasgow
- 20.45 Arrive at Groningen Airport (67 km from Heerenveen)

Please return the e-mail (mail@uec.ch) to let us know if your riders will like to use this opportunity.

I would like to have an advance booking before the 15th of June to have an indication of the need of a chartered flight. We would be grateful if you could let us know the number of persons/riders.

6. TRACK CYCLING SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

ARTICLE 1. GENERAL RULES

The European Cycling Union will organize the Track Elite European Championships 2018 for the following disciplines. These championships may be contested by riders entered by their National Federation as a National Team.

MEN	WOMEN
Sprint	Sprint
Keirin	Keirin
Team Sprint	Team Sprint
1 km TT	500 m TT
Team Pursuit 4 km	Team Pursuit 4 km
Individual pursuit 4 km	Individual pursuit 4 km
Scratch	Scratch
Madison	Madison
Omnium	Omnium
Elimination race	Elimination race
Points Race	Points Race

ARTICLE 2. REGISTRATION - ENTRIES

The National Federations have to register their riders directly on the UEC website (www.uec.ch).

Entries (riders, staff and NF Official Delegates) must be submitted by National Federations. **The registration will open on Friday 06/07/2018. Deadline for the registrations is Friday 20/07/2018 midnight Central European time.**

Entrants for European Championships shall hold licences issued by a Federation affiliated to the UEC and have the nationality of the Federation doing the entry.

National Federations may nominate:

Events	entered	start
Sprint	4	2
Keirin	4	2
Team Sprint	5	1 team
500 m. or Kilo	4	2
Individual pursuit	4	2
Team pursuit	6	1 team
Points race	3	1
Scratch race	3	1
Omnium	3	1
Madison	4 riders	1 team
Elimination race	3	1

Where the number of entries for an event exceeds the track limit the UEC Track Commission and /or the UEC Technical Delegate in agreement with the President of the commissaires panel may decide to run qualification heats.

The riders to contest each Championship shall be nominated by an official of the Federation to the commissaires before the Team Managers meeting prior to the commencement of the meeting.

ARTICLE 3. CONFIRMATION OF STARTERS

The confirmation of the starters and the distribution of the race numbers will take place on

- Wednesday 1st August – 11:00 until 13:00

Registration
Check clothing
Licences check

at the Race permanence located at the:

Sir Chris Hoy Velodrome
Emirates Arena
1000 London Road
Glasgow
G40 3HG

ARTICLE 5.

In order for an event to be considered as a European Championship at least 12 riders must start in the event. The UEC Track Commission may in special circumstances agree to reduce this requirement.

ARTICLE 6.

Unless prevented by an act of God, a rider once announced as taking the start and who fails to present, shall be liable to a fine of CHF 500,00 to CHF 5'000,00.

An injury or sickness shall be recognized as an act of God only if the rider is declared incapable of taking the start by the official doctor of the event.

ARTICLE 7.

All events will be conducted in accordance with the UCI World Championships Regulations.

ARTICLE 8. AWARDS AND PRIZE MONEY

Every European Championship will be awarded for:

- 1st place: Champions-jersey and gold medal
- 2nd place: Silver medal
- 3rd place: Bronze medal

MEN

	Individual events	Team Sprint	Team pursuit	Madison
1°	€ 670,00	€ 885,00	€ 1'180,00	€ 885,00
2°	€ 335,00	€ 450,00	€ 580,00	€ 450,00
3°	€ 180,00	€ 225,00	€ 300,00	€ 225,00

WOMEN

	Individual events	Team Sprint	Team pursuit	Madison
1°	€ 670,00	€ 590,00	€ 1'180,00	€ 885,00
2°	€ 335,00	€ 300,00	€ 580,00	€ 450,00
3°	€ 180,00	€ 150,00	€ 300,00	€ 225,00

The prize money will be transferred by the UEC directly to the concerned National Federations.

ARTICLE 9. BODY NUMBERS

The riders are obliged to use the body-numbers which will be supplied by the organization.
No modification and/or changes of those numbers are allowed.

One body number allowed for the following event:

- TT 500 m.
- TT Kilo
- Team Sprint (each rider one number)
- Individual Pursuit
- Team Pursuit (each rider one number)

All other races: two numbers

The Madison riders will receive dedicated numbers.

ARTICLE 10. AWARD CEREMONIES

We kindly ask all the winners the 3 first riders/teams to be in time for the victory ceremony **and remind them that in accordance with the CADF / UCI rules the antidoping controls will be proceeded right after their award ceremony**

Riders must present themselves in race clothing, wearing their national jersey (or World Champion jersey) and shall not wear any helmet, cap and headband or glasses until they leave the podium ceremony area.

ARTICLE 11. PUBLICATION

All results, rankings and communiqués will be published on the notice board.

One copy will be also available in teams' pigeons holes.

Results will also be published on the UEC website: www.uec.ch and on the official website of the event.

ARTICLE 12. COMPETITION SCHEDULE

The competition schedule and the program of the event can be changed on demand of the commissaires panel and the organization.

The competition schedule will be announced daily on the notice-boards.

ARTICLE 13. UNFORESEEN

In those events in which the regulations not supply, the commissaires panel, in conjunction with the organization, will decide.

ARTICLE 14. PRESS

Photographers are allowed on the track only with the UEC media vests.

Other members of the press (photographers and journalists) are not allowed on the track but only in the infield zone of the track.

The presence of photographers on the track will be under the responsibility of the UEC Press Officer together with the PCP and UEC Technical Delegate.

ARTICLE 15. SCALE OF PENALTIES

The UCI scale of penalties will solely apply.

7. MOUNTAIN BIKE SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

ARTICLE 1. General rules

The 2018 UEC MTB European Championships are organized by the Union Européenne de Cyclisme (UEC) in cooperation with Glasgow 2018 Organizing committee.

The event will be organized in accordance with rules of the Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI) and these rules will be the reference for everything that is not mentioned in the current document.

The European MTB Championships consist of Men's and Women's Elite Cross Country Olympic format (XCO). They are scheduled **Tuesday 7th August 2018**.

These Championships may be contested by riders entered by their National Federation as a National Team.

ARTICLE 2. Type of event

The event is open to athletes of the Women Elite (WE) and Men Elite (ME) categories. It is entered on the UCI calendar as a Continental Championships event (UCI CC).

ARTICLE 3. Participation

National Federations may enter the following riders per Championship:

Cross Country Olympic (XCO)

Men Elite and Women Elite events.

Total riders that may be registered: 12 riders

Maximum 8 riders to start per category/per nation

Riders' registration

The National Federations have to register their riders directly on the UEC website (www.uec.ch). **The registration will open on Friday 06/07/2018. Deadline for the registrations is Friday 20/07/2018 midnight Central European time.**

In accordance with the riders' registration, the National Federations may add a maximum of 4 reserve riders per category to the above mentioned numbers.

The initial and final confirmation of the starters and the distribution of the race numbers will take place at the Race Headquarters located at the:

Cathkin Braes Mountain Bike trails venue

Championship Familylounge area

<https://www.glasgow2018.com/venues/venue-map/cathkin-braes-mountain-bike-trails>

Riders ages shall be defined according to the UCI Regulations.

The age of a rider shall be determined by the difference between the year of the event and the year of birth of the rider.

ARTICLE 4. Team managers' meeting - race office

The team managers' meeting, organised in accordance with the UCI regulations in the presence of Members of the Commissaries' Panel, is scheduled for **Monday 6 August, 18:00** at:

**Cathkin Braes Mountain Bike trails venue
Championship Family lounge area**

<https://www.glasgow2018.com/venues/venue-map/cathkin-braes-mountain-bike-trails>

ARTICLE 5. Race procedures

All race procedures, such as staging, calling up to the start, start procedure will be organized, following the UCI regulations.

ARTICLE 6. TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

The UCI Regulations for XCO races will be applicable

During the European Championships, technical assistance is only authorized between riders of the same national team.

ARTICLE 7. Technical assistance/feeding zones

One double technical assistance/feeding zone will be organized.

Technical assistance/feed zone passes will be distributed during the team managers meeting.

ARTICLE 8. Awards ceremonies

In accordance with articles 1.2.112 and 1.2.113 of the UCI Regulations, the 3 best riders of each category must attend the official awards ceremony, any interviews organized and the press conference.

Unless otherwise stated, riders shall appear at official ceremonies wearing competition clothing.

Riders must present themselves at the podium within a maximum of 10 minutes after crossing the finish line.

ARTICLE 9. Points scale

In accordance with the UCI MTB regulations, Annex 2, the corresponding points for the WE and ME categories will be awarded.

ARTICLE 10. AWARDS AND PRIZE MONEY

Jersey and medals

Every European Championship will be awarded with:

The 1st place: Champion(s) jersey and Gold medal

The 2nd place: Silver medal

The 3rd place: Bronze medal

10.2 Prize money list (Amounts in Euro):

Place	XCO - Cross Country ELITE	
	Elite Men	Elite Women
1st	€ 625,00	€ 625,00
2nd	€ 375,00	€ 375,00
3rd	€ 250,00	€ 250,00
4th		
Total	€ 1'250,00	€ 1'250,00

ARTICLE 11. ANTIDOPING

The UCI anti-doping regulations are entirely applicable to the event.
The anti-doping tests will take place at the doping control station on venue

ARTICLE 12. PENALTIES

The UCI penalty scale is the only one applicable.

ARTICLE 13. RESPONSIBILITIES

The organisers and UEC will not, under any circumstances, be liable for any accidents or damage that occur during training and competitions.

The organisers and UEC decline all responsibilities towards the riders and others in case of an accident.

For all cases not covered by these specific regulations, the UCI rules will apply. Any problems will be solved between the organisers, the Commissaires Panel and UEC officials.

8. BMX BIKE SPECIFIC REGULATIONS

Race information - Rider registration

The National Federations have to register their riders directly on the UEC website (www.uec.ch).

Entries (riders, staff and NF Official Delegates) must be submitted by National Federations. **The registration will open on Friday 06/07/2018. Deadline for the registrations is Friday 20/07/2018 midnight Central European time.**

Entrants for European Championships shall hold licences issued by a Federation affiliated to the UEC and have the nationality of the Federation doing the entry. The moto's are seeded in accordance with the 2017 European Championships results.

In accordance with the UCI rules, only European riders can participate in the Continental Championship race.

All riders must hold a national license issued by an UCI affiliated Federation.

When collecting riders' packages at the Sport Information Desk, Chefs d'Equipe should bring a copy of the bank statement (provided by their Federation), showing when the payment was made by bank transfer on the UEC usual account

Participation – Championship classes

Each country is allowed to enter a maximum number of 16 riders in each Championship class.

The Federations can add riders after the deadline but they will have to pay double the entry fee. Only on the Thursday 9th August from 9:00 to 11:00)

All riders must compete in their national jersey.

Registration fees: € 90,00 – late entry € 180,00

Deadline for payment : 20 July 2018

**UEC bank account:
Union Européenne de Cyclisme (UEC)
BIC / Adresse SWIFT : UBSWCHZH80A
UBS Switzerland AG / Place St François 16
CH – 1002 LAUSANNE
Account EURO Iban: CH70 0026 9269 9200 65M9 K**

Riders' categories - BMX European Championships (CC)
(Only European riders allowed)

Championship classes:	Age
Men - Elite	19 years and over
Women - Elite	19 years and older

Provisional Schedule

Thursday 9th August

09:00 – 09:30	Team Managers meeting
09:30 – 11:00	Confirmation of starters
10:00 – 11:30	BMX Track open for riders to walk
12:30 – 17:00	Official training 12:30 – 14:00 ME training group B 14:00 – 15:30 WE training 15:30 – 17:00 ME training group A

Friday 10th August

09:30 – 11:25	Official training (before the start of the qualifications).
12:00 – 13:10	BMX Qualifications

Saturday, 11th August

10:05 – 12:00	BMX Men's Finals
12:00 – 13:10	BMX Women's Finals

Team managers' meeting

The team managers' meeting, organised in accordance with the UCI regulations in the presence of Members of the Commissaries' Panel, at the follow location

**Glasgow BMX Centre
Championship Family lounge area**

Rider Confirmation will follow the team managers meeting at 0930-1100 in the same location.

RIDERS EQUIPMENT

Front and side plate will be provided by the UEC

It is the responsibility of the rider to check they have the correct number on their plate

An incorrect number or no correct plate means no authorisation to start and then relegation.

All Championship riders, who possess a national jersey with career number must wear it. The world, continental and national champions must comply with this rule.

Trophies and prize money

Prize money will be awarded according to the schedule below.

The UEC will make payment by the end of October 2018 through the riders' National Cycling Federation.

	ELITE MEN	ELITE WOMEN
1	€ 1,000.00	€ 1,000.00
2	€ 650.00	€ 650.00
3	€ 350.00	€ 350.00
4	€ 300.00	€ 300.00
5	€ 250.00	€ 250.00
6	€ 200.00	€ 20000
7	€ 175.00	€ 175.00
8	€ 160.00	€ 160.00

In accordance with articles 1.2.112 and 1.2.113 of the UCI Regulations, the 3 best riders of each category must attend the official awards ceremony, any interviews organized and the press conference.

Unless otherwise stated, riders shall appear at official ceremonies wearing competition clothing.

Riders must present themselves at the podium within a maximum of 10 minutes after crossing the finish line.

Lausanne, 7 June 2018