



# FISU WORLD UNIVERSITY CHAMPIONSHIP MIND SPORTS

Entebbe - UGANDA



ENTEBBE 2024

FISU CHAMPIONSHIP





## Welcome Message

Mr. Vicent Kisenyi  
Chairperson - LOC

Dear Participants,

It is with great pleasure and joy that I extend a warm welcome to all participants of the 2024 FISU World University Championship Mind Sports! On behalf of the Local Organizing Committee, I am honored to welcome you to our beautiful city of Entebbe, Uganda.

As the Chairman of the Local Organizing Committee, I am thrilled to host this prestigious event in our vibrant and culturally rich country. Entebbe, with its stunning natural beauty and warm hospitality, provides the perfect backdrop for a memorable championship experience.

Over the coming days, you will have the opportunity to compete against some of the finest minds from universities around the world. The 2024 FISU World University Championship Mind Sports promises to be an exhilarating showcase of intellectual prowess, strategic thinking, and friendly competition.

As hosts, it is our commitment to ensure that your time here is both enjoyable and rewarding. Our dedicated team has worked tirelessly to create a welcoming environment, provide top-notch facilities, and offer a memorable experience for all participants and guests.

Beyond the competition, I encourage you to take some time to explore the wonders of Entebbe and Uganda. From the shores of Lake Victoria to the lush greenery of our national parks, there is so much to see and experience in our beautiful country. Immerse yourself in our rich culture, sample our delicious cuisine, and create unforgettable memories with fellow participants.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the International University Sports Federation (FISU) for entrusting us with the privilege of hosting this esteemed championship. I have no doubt that the 2024 FISU World University Championship Mind Sports will be once again another successful event in the FISU History.

Welcome to Entebbe, Uganda - the host city of the 2024 FISU World University Championship Mind Sports!

## EVENT INFORMATION

### Organisers:

Association of the Uganda University Sports (AUUS)

### Host city:

Entebbe, Uganda

### Dates

June 25 – 30, 2024

### Website:

<https://mindsport2024.fisu-events.com/>

## CONFIRMED COUNTRIES



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## EVENT REGISTRATION

<https://accreditation.fisu.net/Pages/Home.aspx>

**Quantitative Entries:** 3 months prior to the event – 24 April 2024

**Individual Entries:** 1 month prior to the event – 25 May 2024

Registration is only possible through the National University Sports Federation (NUSF).

### Eligibility

All athletes must satisfy the following conditions:

- Be a national/citizen of the country/region they represent
- Be at least 18 and no older than 25 years of age on the 31 December 2024
- Athletes must be born between 1st January 1999 and 31st December 2006.
- Athletes must be bonafide university students

## Important dates to note

Arrivals and Accreditation	Opening Ceremony	Competition Dates	Closing Ceremony	Departures
June 23rd, 2024	June 24th, 2024	June 25th – 30th	June 30th, 2024	July 1st, 2024



## PAYMENT

### Fees

- A FISU Fee of €20 per person is due to FISU by invoice.
- A Participation Fee of €70 per person per night is due to the Organizing Committee.

### Payment deadlines

- On 25/05/2024, 50% of the total Participation Fee is due by bank transaction to the FISU WUC: Mind Sports 2024 Organizing Committee.
- The rest of the payment will be invoiced and is due 14 days before the start date of the event.

### Bank details

**Bank Name:** Stanbic Bank Uganda Limited  
**SWIFT Code:** SBICUGKX  
**Beneficiary Account Name:** Association of Uganda University Sports  
**Account number:** 9030008200474  
**Branch Number:** 031016  
**Beneficiary Address:** P.O.Box 7088 Kampala  
Stanbic Bank (U) Limited Address P.O.Box 7131 Kampala

## TRANSPORTATION

**Arrival Airport:** Entebbe International Airport, Entebbe. Transfers to the Imperial Botanical Beach Hotel will be organized in accordance with team arrival details from the airport.

Road connection points include the following borders: Mutukula, Katuna, Malaba and Busia

## IMMIGRATION

Delegations requiring visas should submit their applications at least 4 weeks prior to their intended travel dates.

The Organizing Committee's protocol team will provide assistance to those in need via the official OC email, facilitated through the respective head of delegations.

### Ugandan Visa Application:

To apply for a Ugandan visa, please visit: <https://visas.immigration.go.ug/#/apply>.

**Visa Exemption:** Certain countries are exempt from visa requirements. To check if your country is on the list of exempted nations, please visit: <https://immigration.go.ug/services/visa-exempt-countries>.

### Visa Fees

- \$50 for ordinary passport holders.
- Free for official/service or diplomatic passport holders.

### Requirements for entering Uganda

- Valid passport (minimum 6 months).
- Yellow fever certificate.
- Return ticket.
- Invitation letter for the championship with your name.
- Passport-size photo white background.

## DINING FACILITIES

All meals will be served at the dedicated Dining hall. (Buffet)

### Meal times:

- Breakfast 6:30am - 8:00am
- Lunch 12:00pm - 2:00pm
- Dinner 7:30pm - 9:00pm





## DRAFT PROGRAM

SUNDAY 23RD JUNE 2024

ALL DELEGATIONS CHESS AND BRIDGE

Arrivals all Day

13:00 - 14:30 | Lunch

Accreditations All Day Till 10:00pm

19:30 - 21:00 | Dinner

MONDAY 24 JUNE 2024

Chess program

Bridge program

Arrivals

13:00 - 14:30 | Lunch

9:30 - 16:00 | Accreditations (on appointment)

16:00 - 17:00 | General Technical Meeting Bridge

17:00 - 18:00 | General Technical Meeting Chess

18:30 - 19:30 | Opening Ceremony

19:30 - 20:30 | Welcome Dinner for all Delegations

TUESDAY 25 JUNE 2024

Chess program

Bridge program

09:30 - 11:30 | Round 1

12:30 - 14:30 | Lunch

15:30 - 16:30 | round 2

09:00 - 11:00 | Round 1

11:30 - 13:30 | Round 2

13:30 - 14:30 | Lunch

16:00 - 18:00 | Round 3

19:00 - 21:30 | HOD RECEPTION

**WEDNESDAY 26 JUNE 2024**

Chess program	Bridge program
09:30 - 11:30   Round 3	09:00 - 11:00   Round 4
12:30 - 14:30   Lunch	11:30 - 13:30   Round 5
15:30 - 16:30   round 4	13:30 - 14:30   Lunch
	16:00 - 18:00   Round 6

**THURSDAY 27 JUNE 2024**

Chess program	Bridge program
09:30 - 11:30   Round 5	09:00 - 11:00   Round 7
12:30 - 14:30   Lunch	11:30 - 13:30   Round 8
15:30 - 16:30   round 6	13:30 - 14:30   Lunch
	16:00 - 18:00   Round 9

**FRIDAY 28 JUNE 2024**

Chess program	Bridge program
09:30 - 11:30   Round 7	09:00 - 11:00   Round 10
12:30 - 14:30   Lunch	13:30 - 14:30   Lunch
AFTER LUNCH   RESTING	AFTER LUNCH   RESTING

**SATURDAY 29 JUNE 2024**

Chess program	Bridge program
09:30 - 11:30   Round 8	09:00 - 11:00   Round 11
12:30 - 14:30   Lunch	13:30 - 14:30   Lunch
AFTER LUNCH   RESTING	AFTER LUNCH   RESTING

**SUNDAY 30 JUNE 2024**

Chess program	Bridge program
09:30 - 11:30   Round 9	09:00 - 11:00   Round 12
12:30 - 14:30   Lunch	12:30 - 14:30   Lunch
15:00 - 16:00   Awarding Ceremony Chess	
16:00 - 17:00   Awarding Ceremony Bridge	
16:30 - 17:30   Closing Ceremony	
19:00 - 20:30   Dinner	
20:30 - 22:30   Fare well Party all Delegations	

**MONDAY 1 JULY 2024**

All delegations

06:00 | Breakfast

10:00 | Departures

13:00 Village Closes



# ACCOMMODATION BOOKING & CANCELLATION POLICY

## Reservation Process

1. All participants will be required to confirm their accommodation one month to the event in any case not later than 24th May 2024.
2. The games village will be open from the 24th June 2024 and will be closed on the 1st July 2024. (These are arrival and departure dates)
3. All participants that wish to arrive earlier than 24th June 2024 will be required to inform LOC at least (1) month to arrival and confirm their reservation with full payment.

## Cancellation policy

1. Cancellation must be made at least 1 month to the event.
2. Late cancellation or no show may result in;

Period	Charge
One month before the event	Free of charge
Two weeks to the event	30% of the total amount paid
One week to the event	50% of the total amount paid
Less than one week to the event	No refund

### Note:

In case such as injuries, visa denied, flight cancellation or delays, the participant will only be charged no show fees for that particular day they were expected to arrive.

## Check-In and Check-Out info:

Particulars	Time	Charge
Check-in time	10:00am	Free
Check-out time	10:00am	Free
Early check in	07:00am	On request
Late check in	12:00pm	On request
Late check-out	03:00am	20% on request

### Note:

Early and late check-out requests will be subject to availability and may incur additional charges as per the table above.

## Payment and Billing

LOC will on be responsible for breakfast, Lunch and dinner for accredited participants. Delegations will be responsible for their individual orders with the hotel.

## Occupancy and Guest Policy

Accommodation shall be at double occupancy for athletes and officials. Each delegation shall be entitled to a single room for their Head of Delegation. In the event that a delegation has an unequal distribution of



male and female participants, a single shall be provided to that effect. Where a delegation prefers an extra single room, they will be expected to pay euro 160 per night.

### Smoking and Pets

All rooms are non-smoking. Smoking will only be allowed in designated smoking areas.

### Damages and liabilities

Delegations will be responsible for any damages caused to the room or hotel property during their stay.

### Noise and behavior

Delegations will be expected to respect the quiet enjoyment of other residents at the hotel property during their stay.

Excessive noise or disruptive behavior may result in eviction without a refund.

### Safety and Security

Delegations should adhere to all safety and security guidelines that the hotel provides.

The hotel is not responsible for any loss or theft of personal belongings accidents, injuries that occur on its premises as a result of individual negligence

Please note that all cancellations or changes must be communicated in writing to [fisumindsportschampionship2024@gmail.com](mailto:fisumindsportschampionship2024@gmail.com)





## Get In Touch

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