

WORLD SHOTOKAN KARATE-DO FEDERATION



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## ***OFFICIAL INVITATION***

***March, 2018***

To the Members of the World Shotokan Karate-Do Federation

It is a great pleasure and honour for us to invite you and your members to participate in the WSKF WORLD CUP 2018 and International Training Seminar which will be hosted by WSKF Ireland and held in Dublin, Ireland from the 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> of October, 2018.

We hope that you will make every effort to participate in this tournament.

If You require clarification or further information please contact us by September 3rd 2018 as registration is only accepted through Sportdata.

We look forward to answering any queries you may have and look forward to welcoming you in Dublin.

*Yours sincerely,*

***Mark Sheridan***  
*Chief Instructor WSKF Ireland*

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**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> - Thursday 4<sup>th</sup>**

## **INTERNATIONAL GASSHUKU & DAN GRADING**

*Dan Grading will follow Gasshuku on Thursday*

Times: 13:00 - 16:00 Gasshuku | | 16:00 – 18:00 Dan Grading

Venue: The Crown Plaza, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15

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**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2018**

## **INSTRUCTOR AND REFEREE MEETING**

Times: 13:00 – 15:00

Venue: The Crowne Plaza, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15

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**Saturday 6 October, 2018 – Sunday 7 October, 2018**

## **CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Times: 09:00 – 18:00

Venue: National Indoor Sports Campus, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15

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**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2018**

## **SAYONARA PARTY**

Times: 20:00 – 23:00

Venue: The Crown Plaza, Blanchardstown, Dublin 15

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TOURNAMENT	Kumite by Ippon Shobu	Men -65kg, -74kg, +75kg Women -62kg, +62kg
SYSTEM	<p>Kumite by Jiyu-Kumite (Two minute no stop)</p> <p>Kata by W.S.K.F. Standard</p>	<p>Men -74kg, +75kgs Women Open only</p> <p>Preliminary on designated form Bassai-dai, Kanku-dai, Jion, Enpi (Junior from Heian 1-5)</p>
PARTICIPANTS	<p>Team Kumite (by Ippon Shobu)</p> <p>Men &amp; Women Individual Kumite Ippon Shobu</p> <p>Jiyu-Kumite</p> <p>Team Kata</p> <p>Mix Team Kata</p> <p>Individual Kata</p>	<p>Senior, Junior, Youth+Cadet Three (3) team per country or zone.</p> <p>No limit per country.</p> <p>Men and Women Maximum of five (5) Per country or zone</p> <p>Senior, Junior, Youth+Cadet Three (3) team per country or zone. Three (3) members.</p> <p>Three(3)members, Men and Women Mixed. No limit per country</p>
TOURNAMENT SEGMENTS	<p>1. Men and Women Team Kumite and Kata. Mix Team Kata.</p> <p>2. Men and Women Individual Kumite and Kata.</p> <p>3. Junior and Youth (Boys and Girls) Team and Individual, Kumite and Kata.</p> <p>4. Veteran: Individual Kumite(Ippon Shobu) and Kata, Jiyu-Kumite</p> <p>5. Veteran Team Kata</p>	<p>Junior an age of Under 10 years old. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 years old. Youth an age of 16-17 years old. Cadet an age of 18-20 years old</p> <p>Men and Women over 35 years old. 35-39 years old, 40-44 years old. 45-49 Years old 50-54 Years old +55 Years old</p> <p>Men, Women, or Mixed</p>

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## Rules for Tournament Days

- **License**: All competitors must produce a valid WSKF license with proof of age and grade.
- **Kumite weigh in**: We will operate weight checks. Any competitor found not to be the correct weight for the category they have entered will not be allowed to compete. We cannot move competitions to another weight category if they fail the weight checks
- **Belts and Mitts**: Mouth guards and mits(WKF approved) are compulsory, chest guards for female competitors 12+ are compulsory.
- Referees Briefing: 8.00 a.m.
- The event will start at 09:00 am promptly both days with kata/kumite
- Kumite will have staggered start times through the day.
- A full event schedule confirming start times will be published on Sportsdata prior to the event.
- Competitors in the first categories should be in the arena and ready to start at 8.30 am prompt. All other competitors should be in the arena a minimum of 1 hour prior to category scheduled start time. Should the event run ahead of schedule category start times may be brought forward. Competitor check in will be carried out prior to each category starting.
- Competitors are ONLY allowed to compete in their own age group

SENSEI HITOSHI KASUYA 8<sup>TH</sup> DAN  
WSKF CHIEF INSTRUCTOR

MARK SHERIDAN  
WSKF Ireland Chief Instructor



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## ENTRY

All championship entries to be made through each respective WSKF National Association who will also be required to register their entries by using SportsData.

Competitors must be pre-entered.

Registration is **via [www.sportdata.org](http://www.sportdata.org)**

**SportData allows for online registration. You will see all the entries for the contest as well as the draw sheets once they have been generated. THIS IS THE ONLY METHOD for registration.**

**For registration please visit: [www.sportdata.org](http://www.sportdata.org)**

It is the responsibility of coaches to ensure that all competitors are registered and are in the correct categories. Competitors are only permitted to compete in their own age/weight category. Entries will only be accepted via association.

Should certain categories fail to meet an acceptable number of entries, or indeed an excess of entries, the event team reserve the right to alter/merge these categories to maintain the integrity of the competition.

**Coach Registration:** All coaches must register on line via Sportdata before the closing date. Coach passes will only be issued to coaches who are registered via SportData.

**Closing date for entries is :** Monday 3rd of September, 2018

No late entries permitted. All payments must be made at time of entry. If entry fees are not received by the closing date, entries will be withdrawn from the event.

### **Payments:**

All payments should be made using the PayPal link via Sportdata.

### FEES

<b><u>Gassuku:</u></b>	2 Day Gasshuku	€50.00
<b><u>Competition Fees</u></b>	Individual Entry	€25.00
	Team Entry	€70.00
<b><u>Insurance:</u></b>	Gasshuku	€10.00
	Competition	€10.00

**Changes:** The organisers reserves the right to alter the list of events, the rules of this competition and to amalgamate categories as may arise.

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## GASSHUKU AND DAN GRADE VENUE

### Official Hotel:

The Crowne Plaza Dublin Blanchardstown

[www.cpireland.ie](http://www.cpireland.ie)



Gasshuku and Dan Grade will take place in the Official Hotel, The Crowne Plaza Dublin Blanchardstown. Dan grading will take place following the Gasshuku on Thursday the 4<sup>th</sup> of October, 2018.



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## TOURNAMENT VENUE

National Sports Campus,  
Snugborough Road,  
Blanchardstown,  
Dublin 15



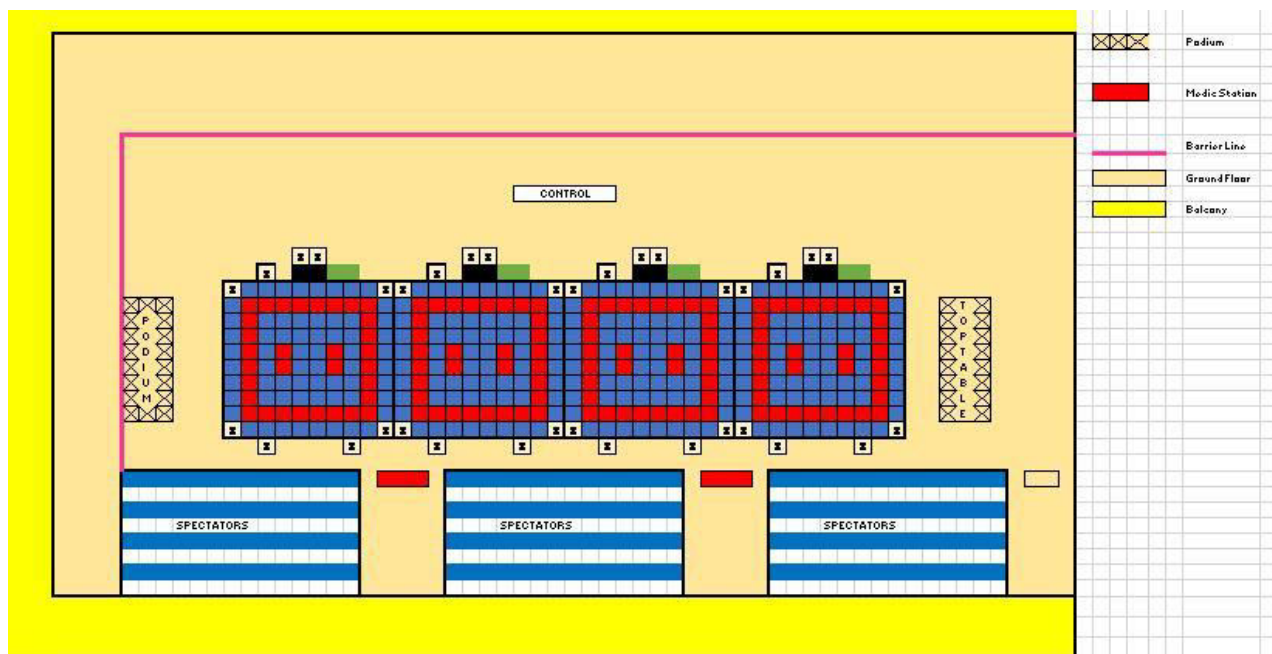
The Sport Ireland National Sports Campus is providing state-of-the-art sports facilities in Ireland. The Campus boasts an impressive array of facilities including the National Aquatic Centre, Irish Institute of Sport- providing sports science and medical facilities, a National Modern Pentathlon Centre, Horse Sports Arena, the National Aquatic Centre, National Diving Centre, and outdoor synthetic playing pitches, complete with floodlights and pavilion.

<https://www.nationalsportscampus.ie/contact>

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## *Things to Remember*

- WSKF** All seminar participants and competitors are expected to carry their WSKF passport.
- Gold Passport** Book for stamping/authorisation.
- Karate Gi** WSKF Badges should be affixed to karate gi.
- Passport** Please ensure that your passports will be in date for the duration of your stay for non EU passport holders. If in any doubt please make enquiries to your embassy or national authority.
- Travel Insurance** You should ensure to have purchased/arranged for travel insurance.

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## *Useful Contacts:*

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## *Useful Information*

1.4 km	Between official hotel - The Crowne Plaza Blanchardstown to Tournament Venue - National Indoor Sports Arena
10.3 kms	Official hotel and tournament venue to Dublin City Centre.
8.6 kms	Dublin Airport to Dublin City Centre.
14.5 kms	Dublin Airport to the Official Hotel.



In the direct vicinity of the official hotel is one of Ireland's largest shopping centres and a premier destination for shopping and leisure in Dublin. With 180 shops, 4 department stores, 3 retail parks and a 9 screen cinema.

<https://www.dublinbus.ie/>

<http://www.aircoach.ie/>

<http://www.blanchardstowncentre.ie/leisure/dining>

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## ACCOMMODATION

### **Official Hotel:**

The Crown Plaza Dublin Blanchardstown

[www.cpireland.ie](http://www.cpireland.ie)

(A special rate has been negotiated with the official hotel and should be mentioned when booking)

### **Other Hotels:** (within 4km)

Carlton Hotel, Dublin Airport

[www.carltondublinairport.com](http://www.carltondublinairport.com)

Castleknock Hotel, Castleknock

[www.castleknockhotel.com](http://www.castleknockhotel.com)

Travelodge, Phoenix Park.

[www.travelodge.ie/dublin/phoenix-park](http://www.travelodge.ie/dublin/phoenix-park)

Clayton Hotel Liffey Valley

[www.claytonhotelliffeyvalley.com](http://www.claytonhotelliffeyvalley.com)

### **Other accommodation:**

#### **B&Bs**

Sycamore House B&B (6.4 km away)

[www.sycamorehouse.ie](http://www.sycamorehouse.ie)

Avoca House B&B (8km away)

[www.avohouse.ie](http://www.avohouse.ie)

Almanii B&B (9 km away)

[www.almanii.com](http://www.almanii.com)

Annandale B&B (9 km away)

[www.annandalebnb.com](http://www.annandalebnb.com)

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## IMPORTANT NOTES

**Insurance:** It is the responsibility of each individual, or parent/guardian of a competitor if under 18 years of age, to have their own insurance cover for the event. Instructors, Coaches and Competitors are reminded to have appropriate insurance cover in place and it is the responsibility of the clubs/coaches to ensure that all competitors are aware of this and have been advised of adequate cover. Association/club parental consent to compete is also required. This is the responsibility of the association.

Health and safety issues are of paramount importance and we try to plan for every eventuality. However, this is a busy tournament and due care and attention is required in all areas by those attending the Gassuku and tournament venues.

**Disclaimer:** Karate is a marital art and contact sport. People can and do get injured and we cannot accept responsibility for any such injury, loss or accident arising from your participation in our training, competitions or associated activities and ask that you are aware, agree and accept this by entering or giving permission to enter and participate in the tournament activities. Competing and participation is done at the competitor's own risk. The organisers do not accept liability for any injury or loss. By participating in this event all competitors accept this waiver and understand the risks of injury in competing and training. Competitors hereby release the organisers, its agents, and volunteers from any and all liabilities arising out of or connected with any loss, damage, injury or expense suffered or sustained by any competitor as a consequence or in connection with the competitor participation in the competition, training or any related activity.

**Photography and recording:** By participating in this event all participants and guardians agree to allow, without compensation, the unrestricted use of any photographs, films and videotapes at this tournament.