

CANDIDATURE  
FOR THE  
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS SAILING CUP  
2013



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# CANDIDATURE QUESTIONNAIRE

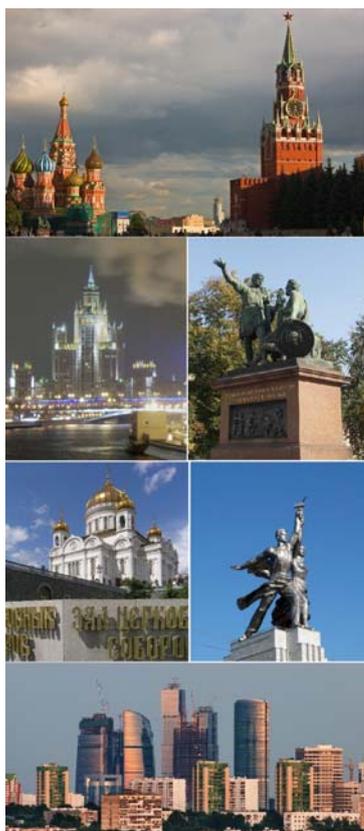
## I. GENERAL CONCEPT

1. For which sports would you like to organize the FISU World University Championships? Which dates do you propose to host the FISU World University Championships?

Russian Students Sports Union, Member Association of FISU, would like to organize The International Students Sailing Cup 2013 in the Olympic Finn-dinghy Class (Finn) in the FISU spirit, and adhere to the FISU regulations of the Championship and follow the minimum specifications. The proposed dates for the championship are May 28-June 02, 2013.

2. Can you give some general information about the candidate city?

- Current population and estimated population during the year of the FISU WUC
- Number of universities and respective number students
- Geographic features (altitude)
- Climate during the proposed dates (temperature, humidity, precipitation, wind etc.)



Moscow is the capital city of The Russian Federation. The largest city of Russia, it lies on the middle stream of the Moscow river, has a plenty of lakes inside and around the city. The Moscow Kremlin, Red Square, Novodevichiy nunnery, Ascension church in Kolomenskoye are World Heritage Sites.

Moscow has more than 60 of museums, more than 100 of theaters.

Population: 11,613 million

Number of universities: 264

Number of students: 1 281 100

Altitude: 150 m – 255 m

## WEATHER CONDITIONS

During the games	Maximum	Minimum	Average
Day temperature	26 °C	17 °C	22 °C
Humidity	76 %	67 %	72 %
Wind	6,9	1,7	4,4

(Source: Russian Hydrometeorological Center, primary data - GSOD)

## II. POLITICAL ASPECTS

3. Can you give a general description of the political structure in your country at a national, regional and local level?

Russian Federation is a federal semi-presidential republic, comprising 83 federal subjects. Moscow is the capital of Russian Federation.

4. Are there any elections planned to be held in your country prior to or in the year during which you intend to organize the FISU World University Championships?

The next presidential elections in Russia will be held in 2018.

5. Which public and sports authorities in your country support your National University Sports Federation in the bid project to organize a FISU World University Championships?

The bid project of the Russian Students Sports Union is supported by the Government of The Moscow, Ministry of Sport, Tourism and Youth Policy of Russia, Russian Yachting Federation, Russian Finn Association and International Finn Association.

## III. LEGAL ASPECTS

6. Do any laws, customs or regulations exist in the candidate city or country which would limit, restrict or interfere with the organization of the FISU World University Championships in any way?

There are not any laws, customs or regulations that would limit, restrict or interfere with the organization of the FISU World University Championships in any way in Moscow or Russian Federation.

7. Are there any current laws in your country specifically related to doping control? Have the appropriate authorities signed any agreement with WADA (World Anti-Doping Agency)?

The Organizing committee is already cooperate with National Anti-doping Organization «RUSADA» and «Anti-doping Center». «Anti-doping Center» is certified to ISO 17025 and is one of 33 anti-doping laboratories around the world accredited by the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA).

8. What legal structure will the Organizing Committee have?

Chairman of the Organizing Committee will be nominated by the President of the Russian Students Sports Union. The Organizing Committee will consist of members from the Government of Moscow, Russian Students Sports Union, Ministry of Sport, Tourism and Youth Policy of Russia, Russian Finn Association and Russian Yachting Federation.

#### **IV. IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS PROCEDURES**

9. What are the immigration procedures currently in place in your country to obtain an entry visa?

Russian visa is an official permission to enter, pass through, stay in or live in Russia during a certain period of time. Ordinary visa has a form of an endorsement, which is put in your passport by a Russian Embassy or Consulate.

10. Can you ensure that the entry visa will be free of charge for the competitors, officials as well as for all the accredited participants who will be on duty during the FISU World University Championships?

Visa for all participants will be granted promptly in accordance with legislation of the Russian Federation.

11. Are any vaccination measures required to enter the country? Please submit a list of the countries concerned by these specific health and vaccination rules.

No vaccination measures are required to enter Russian Federation.

12. Can you guarantee that custom formalities will be facilitated for the event (sports equipment, medical instruments and related products, etc.)?

We can guarantee that custom formalities will be facilitated for the championship.

## **V. FINANCES**

13. Can you briefly explain how the FISU World University Championships will be financed?

International Students Sailing Cup 2013 will be financed from public and private funds.

14. What will be the overall and operational budget foreseen for the organization of the FISU World University Championships (in EUR)?

The Budget of International Students Sailing Cup 2013 will be about 250 000 €.

15. What will be the non-operational budget for financing the construction of the venues and other infrastructure needed for the World University Championship, which will be a long-term legacy (in EUR)?

There will be no non-operational budget for financing the construction of the venues and other infrastructure. Currently existing infrastructure will be used in the course of the championship.

16. What will be the proposed cost of stay for the athletes the officials per day and per person?

The cost of stay for athletes and officials will be 60 EUR per day and per person.

## VI. SPORTS ORGANIZATION AND EXPERIENCE

17. What important international events in the proposed sports have been organized in your candidate city, region and country?

### SPORTS EXPERIENCE

No	Year	Sport	Competition	Location
1	2005	Sailing	World Championship in Olympic Finn class	Moscow
2	2005	Sailing	World Championship in Olympic 49er class	Moscow
3	2007	Sailing	World Championship in Olympic Finn class	Moscow
4	2011	Sailing	World Championship in Olympic Finn class	Moscow

18. Does your country have a sufficient number of experienced officials, international referees and judges to conduct the FISU World University Championships in accordance with the FSI technical rules? If not, how will you provide these officials?

Russian Federation has a sufficient number of experienced officials, international referees and judges. Russian Finn Association, Russian Yachting Federation guarantee to give all technical support to the supervision and the realization of the sports competitions of the International Students Sailing Cup. According to FISU Rule, referees are nominated by the International Finn Association and by ISAF.

19. Can you guarantee that you will provide top-quality sports equipment, sports floorings, timekeeping, scoring system and services in accordance with the Minimum Requirements of FISU and International Sports Federations, as well as with respect to all official FISU partners?

We can guarantee that proper flooring, timekeeping, scoring system and services in accordance with the Minimum Requirements of FISU and International Sports Federations, as well as with respect to all official FISU partners will be used for the tournament.

## VII. SPORTS FACILITIES

20. What are the existing and/or foreseen sports facilities (stadiums, arenas, fields, pools courses, practice venues, etc.) in your candidate city?

The International Students Sailing Cup will be held on the water area of Near-Moscow reservoirs that are for a long time are so called peculiar Mecca for Russian yachtsmen.

Here on the banks there is a chain of yacht-clubs where people of all generations go in for sailing – beginning from young school-children to hoary with age veterans.

A series of reservoirs was formed in the result of construction of the Channel named after Moscow, giving exit from the capital by water to Volga the largest river of Europe. Through a net of channels it is possible to enter the Baltic Sea, the Black See, the Caspian Sea, the White Sea. Yachtsmen of the capital participating in races on large yachts on Ladozhskoye Lake, in Black Sea regatta make use of it.

The International Students Sailing Cup will be held on Klyazminskoye Reservoir surrounded by forest tracts, wide enough to fix the distance with not simple scheme of undercurrents, but without strong changes of the wind. Moderate breeze predominate here, in hot weather there is often calm which creates a lot of difficulties for racers and organizers. The racing area - Pirogovskoye part of Klyasminskoye Reservoir is located aside vessels ways and thus deckers passing to the channel will not create obstacles to the racers.

A modern yacht-club of the Moscow Sailing School “Khlebnikovo” which was renovated in 2004, will be used for the International Students Sailing Cup as the venue for the yachts and sailors. The yacht club has unique sailing center, which combines together sport facilities (including mini-stadiums, offices, yachts and ships parking area, storage and technical support areas, changing rooms, showers, saunas), medical service room, facilities for accommodation of participants and for catering. There is a conference hall for 96 sitting places, museum of sailing sport.

The center has sports grounds on the territory: badminton, table tennis, basketball.

In the premises of the main building there is cinema hall and internet-café.



The Moscow Sailing School has 50 modern yachts of Finn class which were built for World Championship 2005 and can be provided to the participants free of charge. The sailors have to bring their own sails and personal equipment only.



## VIII. ACCOMODATION AND CATERING

21. What kind of accommodations will be provided for athletes and officials? What will be the capacity of the accommodation based on double-room occupancy?

Accommodation:

Participants will be provided with accommodation on the territory of Moscow Sailing School.

Athletes and Officials will be accommodated in single, double and triple rooms and family houses can be provided for the accommodation.

22. Can you indicate the distance from the accommodation areas to the international airport and to the sports facilities?

The accommodation, catering and sport facilities will be at one place – Moscow Sailing School. The distances from the Moscow Sailing School to the different key points you can find in the table below:

DISTANCIES

Type of Venue	Distance from The Moscow Sailing School (km)
International Airport Sheremetievo	15
International Airport Domodedovo	60
International Airport Vnukovo	50
Center of Moscow	25
Nearest Metro station of Moscow (Altufievo)	12

23. What facilities will be available? Where will they be located?

Teams, technical delegates, judges, referees and FISU representatives will be accommodated in Moscow Sailing School.

24. Which hotels will you dedicate to the technical delegates, judges, referees and FISU representatives?

Technical delegates, judges, referees and FISU representatives will be accommodated in the Moscow Sailing School in the rooms with higher service.

25. Can you briefly explain what kind of structure you foresee for catering? Where will this take place?

Restaurant in the Moscow Sailing School will serve as the main restaurant.

Breakfast and dinner will be serviced in the morning and evening time, while lunch-boxes will be provided in order to be taken to the racing area. Every evening there are different kinds of soup, a large choice of Russian and European meals.

As for free time:

Café-bar is open for the participants and the guests of the championship:

- Russian and European meals, dishes on fire, different kinds of shashlik;

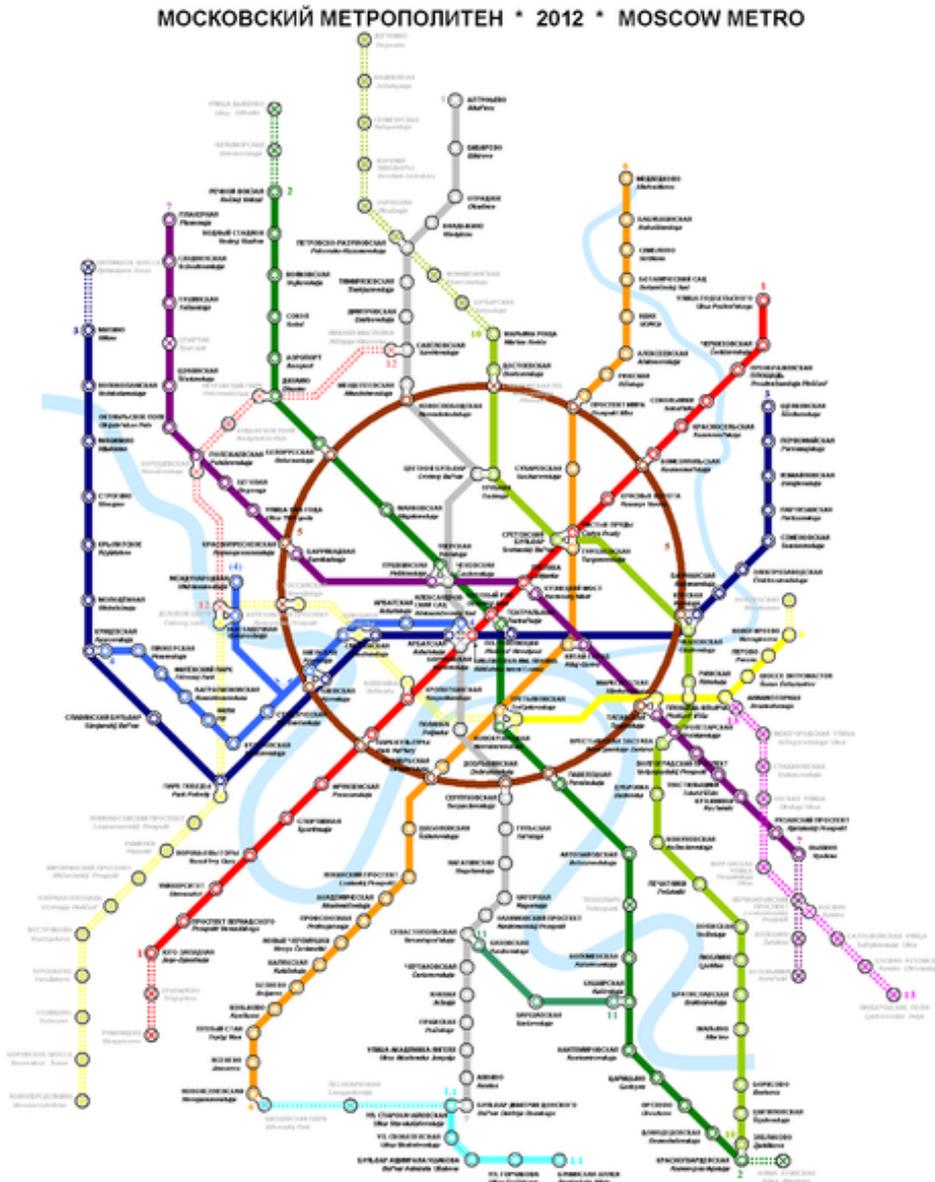
26. What venues will be available for the technical delegates, judges, referees and FISU representatives?

Breakfast, Lunch and dinner for technical delegates, judges, referees and FISU representatives will be served in Moscow Sailing School.

## IX. TRANSPORTATION

27. Can you give a description of the existing transportation infrastructure in your candidate city?

As for local transportation facilities, Moscow is well equipped, with buses, trams, trolleybuses and metro operating the entire city.



28. Does your candidate city have an international airport and train station? Attach a description of the international airway connections. If you intend to use other international airports, please give specific information.

Moscow has 3 International airports («Sheremetievo», «Domodedovo» and «Vnukovo») and 9 Train Station.

29. Can you guarantee that the local transportation for the athletes and officials (the provision of cars and buses) will follow the FISU Minimum Requirements?

We can guarantee that the local transportation for the athletes and officials will follow the FISU Minimum Requirements. Competitors and officials will be transported by shuttle busses.

30. What arrangements can you already foresee in order to reduce the international travel expenses of the delegations as much as possible?

Unfortunately, we can not promise any arrangements to reduce the travel expenses for the delegations for the present moment.

## **X. MEDICAL SERVICES AND DOPING CONTROL**

31. Can you guarantee that you will provide medical care and doping control testing according to the FISU Medical Regulations and FISU Minimum Requirements?

Medical care and doping control testing will be provided according to the FISU Medical Regulations and will respect FISU Minimum Requirements.

32. Can you assure sufficient medical assistance for the entire organization?

The Medical assistance team will be set up for the championship. Members of that team will assist at all sports venues.

33. What services will you provide (first aid, EMT, on-site physicians, hospitals, ambulances, helicopters, etc.)? Which recognized organizations will guarantee this assistance?

We will provide service recommended by the FISU. Medical assistance will be provided by experienced medical personnel, controlled by the City authorities.

34. Will you be able to manage the doping control in accordance with the FISU Regulations and WADA code? Which WADA certified laboratory do you plan on using during the FISU World University Championships? What is the daily test capacity of the laboratory and which minimum test capacity can you guarantee during the period of the Championship?

We will cooperate with National Anti-doping Organization «RUSADA» and «Anti-doping Center», which is WADA certified laboratory. The

doping control will be held in accordance with the regulations of FISU and WADA. We can guarantee 20 tests.

## **XI. SECURITY**

35. What security system will you install to ensure the safety of the participants at the competition and accommodation sites? How will you control the different entrances?

The Moscow Sailing School has employees of private security establishments. The security staff will check the identity cards of the participants to assure the security of the participants at the competitions and the accommodation sites. In addition, security will provide police and employees of private security establishments.

36. What collaboration will you undertake with the city police services and the country police?

We will inform the city and State police department about the event.

## **XII. PROMOTION OF THE FISU WORLD UNIVERSITY CHAMPIONSHIP**

37. What kind of promotional strategies and programmes will you initiate for the inhabitants of your city and region in order to ensure the visibility of the FISU World University Championship in the venues and within the city?

Our intention is to cooperate with public institutions, mass media and volunteers to promote the championship.

38. What kind of communication strategies and programmes will you initiate in order to promote the World University Championship and FISU to the students before and during the World University Championship?

We will advertise in the media and inform all students of Moscow, Russia and young people about the championship. In addition we will promote the Cup through media facilities of the International Finn Association (magazine, web-site), Russian Finn Association (web-site), Russian Yachting Federation (web-site, mass-media pool).

### **XIII. MEDIA: PRESS, RADIO AND TELEVISION**

39. What arrangements do you plan for guaranteeing the best television and radio broadcasting and for the written, electronic and photographic coverage of the FISU World University Championships?

If there will be interest of television or radio broadcasting stations, proper arrangements will be made. Daily results, interviews, reports and photos will be published on the regatta websites during the whole regatta.

40. What television company is interested in guaranteeing the broadcasting and the production of the international signal as stipulated in the FISU Regulations and in the attribution contract?

TV broadcast companies probably will be interested in broadcasting this championship, however official negotiations with TV broadcasting stations have not yet taken place in this stage.

### **XIV. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & COMMUNICATION**

41. Can you guarantee to the local and foreign journalists as well as to the television companies that facilities and available services will be according with the FISU IT Minimum Requirements?

We can guarantee that facilities and available services will be according with the FISU IT Minimum Requirements. We will set up a press room with relevant equipment for the written, electronic and photographic coverage of the Championship.

42. Can you guarantee that you will use the certified accreditation System in accordance with the FISU Minimum Requirements?

We can guarantee that certified accreditation system in accordance with the FISU Minimum Requirements will be used.

### **XV. CULTURAL PROGRAMMES**

43. What kind of cultural programme do you foresee during the FISU World University Championships?

Cultural program will be organized in the middle of regatta (during the spare day). A sightseeing tour around the Moscow including many historical places will be organized for participants. The program will be adopted in accordance to their request. At the close of the championship

there will be organized a meeting of all championship participants with dinner and concert.

## **XVI. PUBLIC OPINION AND LEGACY**

44. Can you describe the general opinion of the candidate city regarding the project of hosting the FISU World University Championships?

Moscow disposes of a quality background and fulfils perfectly the needs for organization of the World University Championships.

45. What would be the impact and legacy for your candidate city during the post-FISU World University Championships phase?

We will make everything that the students of participating countries will get a lot of sport and cultural experience from Moscow and would like to come back to Moscow. We are expecting that the general public will be very interested in FISU World University Shooting Championship. Moscow citizens will have occasion to visit this top world sporting event. In addition, the students will have possibility to participate directly in organizing this event, which certainly will be a benefit for the whole academic environment. Also we are expecting increasing of interest to the sailing sport among students.

## **XVII. VISION OF THE FISU WORLD UNIVERSITY CHAMPIONSHIPS**

46. Can you describe the concept and vision of the FISU World University Championships and reasons to support its candidature?

Our objective is that the International Students Sailing Cup 2013 in Moscow will contribute to further development and increase of prestige and interest in university sport among students, young people and general public. Organization and holding of International Students Sailing Cup 2013 in Moscow will be good experience for the Russian sailing sport and Russian university sport in cooperation at such high level and in the horizon of other top university events organization.