



FISU VOLUNTEER LEADERS' ACADEMY REGULATIONS

1. General provisions

This document regulates the terms and procedures of staging the 2024 FISU Volunteer Leaders Academy (hereinafter – FVLA), in accordance with the decision of the International University Sports Federation (hereinafter – FISU).

2. Aims and objectives

The mission of the FVLA is to position FISU as a unique international organisation uniting university students of the world, and to develop University Sports in cooperation with National and Continental University Sports Federations (hereinafter NUSF/CUSF).

The aim of the FVLA is to create an international platform to educate future FISU Student Ambassadors to promote University Sports values and to assist their respective NUSF/CUSF in the implementation of international, national, and local projects and activities.

FVLA objectives:

- Training FISU Student Ambassadors from applicants made up of participants representing NUSFs/CUSFs.
- Developing intercultural dialogue and international youth cooperation.
- Enhancing the role and status of universities in the development of the International University Sports movement.
- Planning celebrations of the International Day of University Sports (IDUS) worldwide through a common methodology and using best practices.
- Establishing a united platform for volunteers of sport events from around the world.
- Presenting the upcoming FISU events and encouraging university students to participate.
- Applying the ideas of sustainability, inclusion, and gender equality.

All of the above is done in cooperation with respected NUSFs and/or CUSFs.

3. Educational programme

The FVLA educational programme traditionally includes:

- An introduction to FISU: its history, structure, sport and educational events, and other activities.
- Workshops on volunteer management at sport events.

- Development of FISU Student Ambassadors programme (please find regulations for the FISU Student Ambassadors programme in a separate attached document).
- Preparations for IDUS 2024. Participants work on their celebration plans, so they then take part in IDUS activities and their NUSF/CUSF can involve them.
- Studies and workshops on media and communications.
- Sport and cultural events.
- Lectures from representatives of the international organisations responsible for major sport and cultural events.

4. Eligibility

Candidates nominated by a NUSF shall fulfil the following eligibility criteria:

- Be enrolled in a university (or equivalent) located on the territory of the country they represent.
- Be a student at university (or equivalent) at least aged of 18 and under 25 years of age by 31 December 2024 (i.e. born between 1 January 1999 and 31 December 2006).
- Be ready to take part in the full FISU Student Ambassadors programme from September 2024 to September 2025.
- Prove English proficiency level (at least intermediate level) as the programme is entirely conducted in English (the preliminary interview with nominated candidates will be held in English).
- Be actively interacting with NUSF/CUSF.
- Participate in University Sports events and in sport, cultural and social life aspects of his/her university.
- Have knowledge about the history and vision of University Sports and its events on national and international level.
- Be ready to implement an action plan focusing on the promotion of University Sport values.