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Vladyslav Shypynskyi, CJJIF Président

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF CJJIF

Ladies and Gentlemen, Presidents of the delegations, Mr. President of Congolese Combat Ju-Jutsu,

It is my great pleasure to extend a cordial welcome to this important gathering, the African Combat Ju-Jutsu Championship, taking place in Brazzaville. This is also an opportunity for me to warmly say “M’boté, pé boyéi malamumu na Brazzaville” to all the sports delegations coming from all corners of Africa to participate in this championship.

I wish us all a pleasant stay in the Republic of Congo (Brazzaville).

May our time during this championship be beneficial for Combat Ju-Jutsu in general and contribute to the development of sports in Africa in particular.

With these words, I wish great success to our meeting.

Long live the CJJIF! Long live the CJJAF! Long live Combat Ju-Jutsu!



*DINZOLELE NZOLANI Jigo ,
Director of the CJJAFU Office for 2026*

MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR OF CJJAFU

On behalf of the CJJAFU Office,

I am pleased to welcome all national Combat Ju-Jutsu delegations traveling to Brazzaville for the 3rd African Combat Ju-Jutsu Championship.

This major event will be an opportunity to strengthen African unity, promote sporting excellence, and showcase the talent of our athletes.

I strongly encourage each federation to ensure a large participation of their athletes, in order to make this championship a true continental success.

Welcome to Brazzaville, and may the best sporting spirit prevail.

Boyei malamumu na Congo!

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Manasse NGANGOUE NGOUOLI,
Président of Congolese Combat Ju-Jutsu

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF CONGOLESE COMBAT JU-JUTSU

Dear friends,

I am pleased to welcome all delegations, who I am confident will showcase their skills in the three areas of Combat Ju-Jutsu, namely: Full-Combat, Close-Combat, and Ground-Combat.

The Congolese team will be ready to face the best fighters on the continent for the first time in an African Championship.

I sincerely hope that this major sporting event will be conducted with a solemn commitment to fully respecting our core values: discipline, self-control, and sportsmanship.

On behalf of Combat Ju-Jutsu Congo and personally, I wish you all the very best.

Good luck and welcome to Brazzaville!

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2-PROGRAMME

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITIES	VENUE
July 23, 2026		Arrivals	Hôtels
Friday July 24, 2026	10:00 – 16:00	<i>Registration – Accreditation – Full-Contact Registration, Close-Combat and Ground-Combat.</i>	<i>Henri ELENDE Gymnasium</i>
	12:00 – 15:00	<i>False weigh-ins</i>	
	12:00 – 18:00	<i>Referees' meeting / rules briefing / theory & practice course</i>	
	17:00 – 19:00	<i>Official weigh-in: Full-Combat, Close-Combat and Ground-Combat</i>	<i>Henri ELENDE Gymnasium</i>
	19:30-20:30	<i>Draw</i>	<i>Henri ELENDE Gymnasium</i>
		<i>Individual competitions :</i>	
Saturday July 25, 2026	9:00 – 18:00	<i>CLOSE-COMBAT discipline Juniors and Adults GROUND-COMBAT discipline Juniors</i>	<i>Henri ELENDE Gymnasium</i>
Sunday July 26, 2026	9:00 – 18:00	<i>FULL-COMBAT discipline Juniors and Adults GROUND-COMBAT discipline Adults</i>	<i>Henri ELENDE Gymnasium</i>
Monday July, 2026		Departure of delegations	<i>Airport</i>

3-PARTICIPATION CONDITIONS

Eligible participants for CJJIF competitions:

National teams and clubs, athletes holding a CJJIF membership card, athletes who have paid the 2026 CJJIF accreditation, athletes with a valid federation license, or athletes licensed in an independent club if no national federation exists.

Federations and clubs are responsible for ensuring the compliance of athletes' documents.

African Championship 2026 Entry Fees:

- CJJIF Membership Card: **15 USD**
- CJJIF Annual Accreditation: **15 USD**
- African Championship Registration: **20 USD** for all disciplines.

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4-HOTELS



Marina Residence Hotel – Brazzaville

3.5 stars

Avenue Charles Foucault, Brazzaville, Congo

A 3.5-star hotel in Brazzaville with an outdoor pool and a restaurant

Free continental breakfast, free Wi-Fi, and free parking



GHS Hotel - Brazzaville

4 stars

Boulevard Denis Sassou Nguesso, Brazzaville,

A luxury hotel in Brazzaville with a restaurant

Congo Free Wi-Fi and free parking



Mikhael's Hotel - Brazzaville

4 stars

67 Nelson Mandela Avenue, Brazzaville, 14507, Congo

A 4-star hotel in Brazzaville with an outdoor pool and a restaurant

Free Wi-Fi and free parking

Note: The organization can guarantee hotel arrangements starting from 20 USD per night, provided that half of the total payment is made 5 days before the delegation's arrival.

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5- AGE AND WEIGHT CATEGORIES:

ADULTS, over 18 years (2008 & older)							
MALE	57	63	70	77	85	93	over 93
FEMALE	50	56	62	68	84	80	over 80
JUNIORS, 16-17 years (2010-2009)							
MALE	55	60	65	70	75	80	over 80
FEMALE	47	53	59	65	71	77	over 77

6-TRANSPORT :



The organization does not provide transportation for delegations.

The price of a taxi ride (up to 4 people) between **Maya-Maya International Airport** and the hotel is estimated at a maximum of 4 USD.

From the hotel to the Sports Hall, the taxi fare ranges from 1.80 USD to 2.80 USD.

7- INSURANCE

Each national delegation is required to insure its fighters.

Each delegation is responsible for any damage caused to third parties.

Equipment checks are the responsibility of the national delegations.

The organizer of the AFRICAN CHAMPIONSHIP and the CJJAFU officials will conduct a preliminary verification of each delegation's insurance policies in Brazzaville.

The organizer of the AFRICAN CHAMPIONSHIP and the CJJAFU officials disclaim all liability for any damage.

Officials already registered; fighters can only be replaced in case of injury and/or during accreditation.



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8- REGISTRATION DEADLINE

Registration start: **February 25, 2026**

Visa applications and registrations must be submitted with copies of passports. The organization commits to assisting delegations in their visa application process for the Republic of Congo.

Final registration: July 10, 2026

No registrations will be accepted after the closing date. Any late registrations will be rejected. **NOTE:** Replacements for coaches will be allowed.

9- ENTRY AND ACCREDITATION CONTROL

Athletes must be presented and registered by their national delegation. The verification of registrations and the issuance of accreditation cards will take place:

Friday, July 24, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.: Registration – Accreditation Location:

Henri ELENDE Sports Hall

At least one team official must be present to confirm the entries of all athletes and officials with their signature.

Any issues related to delays or unexpected arrivals fall under the exclusive responsibility of the organizer and the CJJAFU officials. An accreditation card will be issued to athletes, officials, and media representatives. Wearing this accreditation card is mandatory for the entire duration of the championship.

The passports of all athletes must be available at the time of registration.

Number of accreditations for Officials:

A) 1 to 4 athletes = 4 officials

B) 5 to 9 athletes = 6 officials

C) More than 10 athletes = 7 officials

SPORTS REGISTRATION

Each athlete must pay **20 USD** to participate in the tournament and **30 USD** for CJJIF membership fee with CJJIF membership card. This payment will be made in cash on-site during accreditation.



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10 – NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

Each combat system is allowed a maximum of 3 athletes per category in both senior and junior divisions.

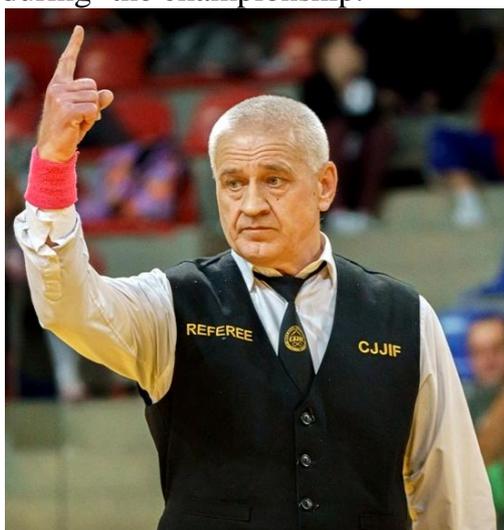
11 – COMPETITION RULES

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest CJJIF Arbitration Rules.

Link for the rules: https://cjjif.org/eng/Rules/cjjif-combat_ju-jutsu_rules_2025.pdf

12 – REFEREES

Referees are appointed by each nation, with a minimum of one (1) referee per country. Zone 4 arbitration officials are automatically responsible for the referees during the championship.

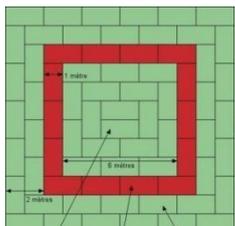


13 – WEIGHT

The official weigh-in of the athlete is scheduled the day before the competition (See preventive program).

14 – DRAW

The draw will take place on Friday, July 24, 2026, from 7:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Each national federation must send at least one delegate to participate in the draw. A maximum of three (3) delegates per national federation will be allowed.



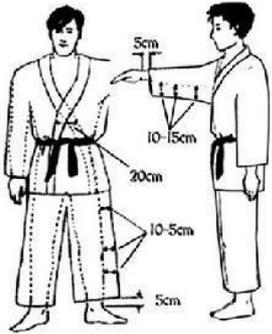
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15 – COMBAT JU-JUTSU GI CONTROL

Athletes must wear a blue or white COMBAT JU-JUTSU GI approved by the CJJIF.



16 – SPECIAL RULES FOR WOMEN

Female competitors must also wear a CJJIF-regulated garment under their jacket (see the rules). All other regulations must be observed.

17 – COACHES

The coaches' code of conduct, as defined in the CJJIF rules, must be strictly observed, including the dress code.

Coaches, like athletes, who are qualified for the final stages (3rd place matches and finals), must wear appropriate attire (dress code).

Coaches must wear the official tracksuit of their respective country.

18 – ANTI-DOPING CONTROL

Anti-doping control may take place at any time and in any location during the entire stay and competition period.



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19- VISA



The organization is happy to assist any country in obtaining visas for athletes and officials. For countries that require a visa to enter Congo, please send the complete file to the organizing committee as soon as possible (deadline: July 15) including the list of participants with names, passport numbers, dates of birth, and positions. Complete visa applications must be sent to the registration committee at the following email address: (cjjcongo@cjjafu.com / <mailto:cjjcongo@cjjafu.com>)

20 - FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE



All national delegations, officials, coaches, and athletes participating in the AFRICAN JU- JUTSU COMBAT CHAMPIONSHIP must respect and accept the authority of CJJAFU and CJJIF officials, the statutes, sports and organizational rules, CJJIF Arbitration Rules, as well as the regulations of the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA).

21 – VERY IMPORTANT NOTICE



Each athlete who has won a medal must attend the ceremony to personally receive their medal.

Any religious, political, personal, or commercial demonstration is strictly prohibited.

Wearing a head covering (veil) during matches is prohibited. However, on this matter, the CJJIF Office will make a decision on whether its use will be allowed or not.

National delegations must bring **two flags** of their respective countries.

Approved: - COMBAT JU-JUTSU INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION – Vladyslav Shypynskyi (President CJJIF)

This Provision is an official invitation to participate to the III CJJIF African Championship!