

TEAMS INVITATION



SNOWBOARD URBAN FEST

25 February 2012 | Covilhã | Portugal



The Portuguese Winter Sports Federation and Iberic Project are glad to invite all National Associations to attend the Urban Snowboard Style to be held on 25 February 2012. This is the first FIS Race and Urban Slopestyle Snowboard event in Portugal.

To help with the preparations for the visit of your team and athletes, please find here the following information:

- General Information
- Prize Money
- Event Schedule
- Entry Form
- Accommodation Information

We ask each National Association to fill in the enclosed forms and send them back to us respecting the following deadline: 22 February

For further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to welcoming you in Covilhã, Portugal.

General Information

The Organizing Committee will host the Urban Snowboard Style in accordance with the International Snowboard Competition Rules (ICR) of the International Ski Federation (FIS).

Prize Money

The winner of the Snowboard Urban Fest will win the amount of 3,000 € (three thousand euros), second place will also receive 2,000 € (two thousand euros) and the third place 1,000 € (one thousand euros).





Right of Participation

Only competitors with valid FIS code for season 2011/2012 and regarding the current FIS races quota regulations will be accepted.

Calendar

Morning	- Teams Captains meeting
Afternoon	- National Portuguese Slopestyle Snowboard Open - Training Time for FIS Racers and star of FIS Competition
Night	- FIS Urban Snowboard Style Competition Final

The exact hours will be confirmed by the Organizing Committee closer to the event.

Race Office & Team Captains meetings

The race Office will be located at the Piscina Praia da Covilhã . The team captains meetings will be held at the same place at Biblioteca Municipal da Covilhã at 10:00 a.m.

Bibs

Athletes must wear the official bib during all official training, competition and award ceremonies. The training and competition bibs will be distributed at the Team Captains meetings.

Accident Insurance

Each competitor must have her/his own medical insurance. The Organizing Committee of Urban Snowboard Style as well the sponsors, suppliers, their agents and the FIS decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged or loss of equipment and second and third party claims during the event. All athletes must have previously signed the "FIS Athletes Declaration" form in order to register.

Doping Control

Doping control testing may be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth by FIS.





Transportation

Covilhã is located in the southeast of Serra da Estrela, Castelo Branco, Portugal. The closest airports to Covilhã are Lisbon and Oporto.

For the delegations there will be provided transportation from the airport selected to Covilhã and the way back. In case of the delegations refuse to accept the means of transport provided by the organization, there are easy ways to get to Covilhã. Either from Lisbon or Oporto is possible to catch public transportations (trains\buses). Organization can help the teams finding transportation to Covilhã from the airports.

From Lisbon:	From Porto:
Car	Car
Train	Bus
Bus	

Accommodation

For each athlete the organization will offer accommodation for the nights of the 24th and 25th of February in a specific hotel in Covilhã. For the rest of the staff and accompanying people the organization may help booking accommodations. Note that in these cases the prices paid are the same as the hotel offers. Otherwise there are lots of local hotels to choose. In this case accommodation expenses are responsibility of the delegations.

Hotels in or near Covilhã

Entries Form

Entries will be accepted from National Ski Associations in accordance with the Rules for the organizations Snowboard FIS Races.

Please complete the enclosed "Team Entry Form" and remit them, preferably by e-mail, to the following address:

Federação de Desportos de Inverno de Portugal

Address: Rua Marquês d'Ávila e Bolama, nº 161 - 3º Piso Apartado 25, 6201-909 Covilhã, Portugal

e-mail: competicao@fdiportugal.pt or geral@fdiportugal.pt Phone/Fax: +351 275 314 048





Further Information

Further information can be found at www.fdiportugal.pt, www.facebook.com/fdiportugal or www.ibericsnowboardtour.com

