



# ATHLETE INVITATION

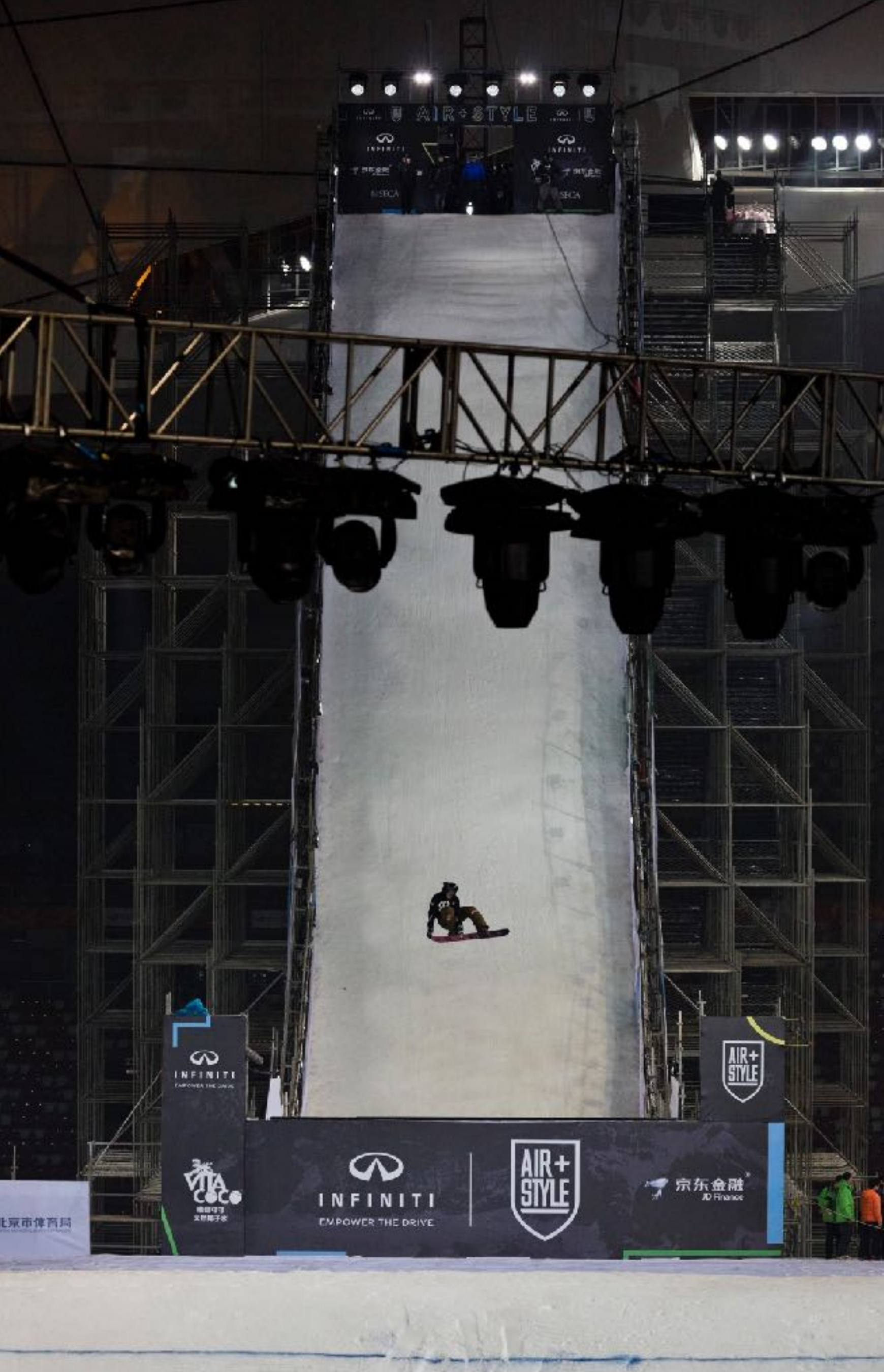
AIR + STYLE

2019 Beijing Air + Style FIS Snowboard and Freeski World Cup

December 10th - 14th, 2019

Beijing, China





Dear Snowboard and Freeski Nations,

On behalf of the organizing committee, we are excited to invite you to the 2019 Air + Style Beijing FIS Snowboard and Freeski World Cup, which will take place from 10th-14th, December at Shougang Park in Beijing, China.

The Organizing Committee (OC):

- 1) Chinese Ski Association Add: 56 Zhongguancun, South Street, Haidian District, 100044 Beijing, P.R. China, Tel: (86-10) 88318824 883180042)
- 2) Beijing Sports Competition Administration Center XianNingTan Stadium 2#, Xuan Wu District, Beijing 100050, P.R. China
- 3) Air & Style Company GmbH, Templstrasse 6, 6020 Innsbruck, Austria

We are looking forward to seeing you in Beijing!  
Yours Air + Style Team on behalf of the organizing committee.





# 1. DATES & VENUE

## DATES:

2019 Air + Style Beijing FIS Snowboard and Freeski World Cup officially runs from 10th-14th, December 2019. Athlete arrival is 09th, December, departure is 15th, December.

## VENUE:

The Event will be held at Shougang Park in Beijing. The Shougang steel mill in the west of the capital has been idle since being closed before the 2008 Summer Olympics to cut pollution.

Now it is being transformed into a stunning permanent venue for the 2022 Beijing Winter Games, featuring a giant ramp for big air snowboarding that rises against the backdrop of forsaken cooling towers and smokestacks, evoking the capital's industrial past."The project will serve as an anchor for the entire plan to repurpose the industrial compound into a future destination of winter sports and related leisure activities.

ADDRESS: Shijingshan Beijing Shougang factory  
北京石景山区首钢厂东门





## 2. PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Monday 09th, December: Arrival Day  
Registration Office @ Holiday Inn Express Lake View  
08:00-17:00

Tuesday 10th, December & Wednesday 11th, December: Trainings  
08:45-14:25 Training Freeski  
14:55-20:25 Training Snowboard  
(reverse order on 11th)

Thursday 12th, December & Friday 13th, December: Qualifications  
(12th- Freeski, 13th- Snowboard)  
09:30 - 14:40 Inspection, Training and Qualification Men  
15:05 - 17:40 Inspection, Training and Qualification Women

Saturday, 14th, December: Finals  
16:30 - 18:00 Women and Men Freeski Finals  
19:00 - 21:00 Women and Men Snowboard Finals  
21:00 - 21:20 Women and Men Award Ceremony (all disciplines)

Sunday, 15th, December: Departure Day (Check Out 10am)

The Team Captains meetings will be held at the hotel.  
Details for these meetings and will be sent out closer to the event.



### 3. REGISTRATION - ENTRIES

Entries will only be accepted from National Ski & Snowboard Associations, affiliated to the FIS in accordance with the FIS quotas and the rules for Big Air City Events. Entries must be submitted through FIS online registration system within the mentioned deadlines. Athletes need a valid valid FIS license. Entries for the FIS Snowboard and Freeski World Cup are open now throughout the FIS Online System at [www.fis-ski.com](http://www.fis-ski.com) under the member section.



#### Entry Deadlines:

##### **Freeski Big Air**

Preliminary Entries: 02.11.2019

Final Entries: 02.12.2019

##### **Snowboard Big Air:**

Preliminary Entries: 03.11.2019

Final Entries: 03.12.2019

### 4. WORLD CUP RULES

The rules for the FIS Big Air World Cup are available on the FIS website. Please visit the following links for further information:

[https://assets.fis-ski.com/image/upload/v1560771896/fis-prod/assets/SB\\_FIS\\_wcrule\\_20.pdf](https://assets.fis-ski.com/image/upload/v1560771896/fis-prod/assets/SB_FIS_wcrule_20.pdf)

[https://assets.fis-ski.com/image/upload/v1565071387/fis-prod/assets/SBFSEK\\_ICR.pdf](https://assets.fis-ski.com/image/upload/v1565071387/fis-prod/assets/SBFSEK_ICR.pdf)

### 5. TEAM REGISTRATION

Team registration will take place the registration office at the Holiday Inn Express Lake View from Monday, 09th, December





## 6. ACCOMMODATION & CATERING

The official hotel is Holiday Inn Express Lake View Hotel  
Address: 68, Shijingshan Road, Shijingshan District, Beijing  
Hotel address in Chinese: 北京首钢秀池智选假日酒店, 北京石景山区石景山路68号

Half board accommodation will be provided starting Tuesday, 10th, December  
The rate is CHF 80 per person per night including Halfboard. Breakfast is provided at the hotel, the location of the dinner will be confirmed shortly.  
The fee needs to be paid to the hotel directly. A deposit is required upon arrival.  
Please note, that the special rate for the only applies for the days above. Early arrivals and late departure are subject to availability and may be subject to charges.

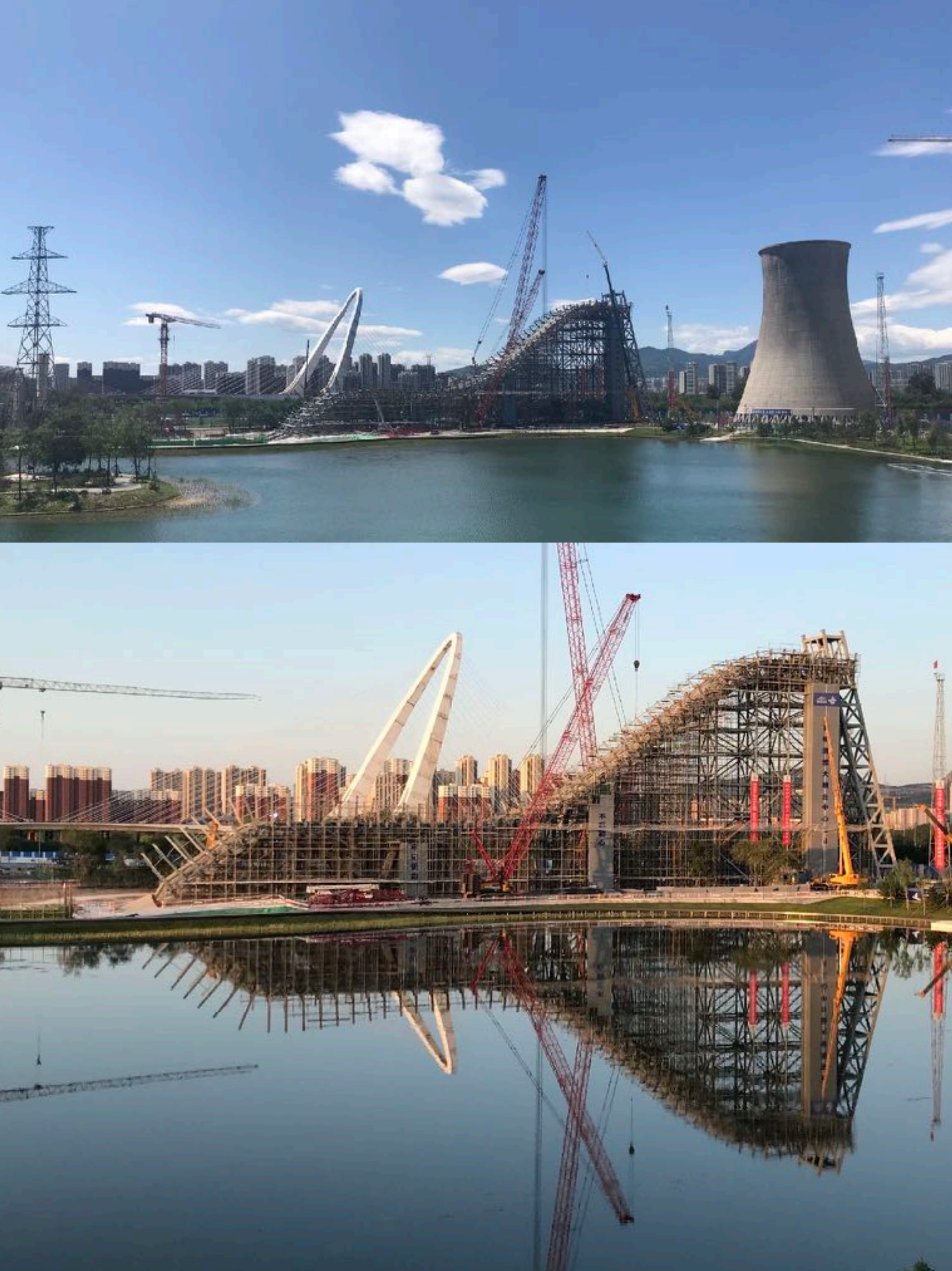
Please do not book through booking agent or hotel platforms as these will not include halfboard and extra fees will be charged for that on arrival.

Food requirements: Please inform the organizing committee timely if you have any food allergies or vegetarian/vegan diet at least one week before the event. After that we cannot guarantee that the needs can be fulfilled.



## 7. TRANSPORTATION

Teams are responsible for their own transportation from the airport.  
Shuttle service can be booked through OC at a rate of 440 RMB for 5 seater or 590 RMB for 7 seater (prices are one way). Travel time is approx. 1.5 hours (55km)  
Please communicate any shuttle wishes at least one week before the event in order to guarantee your shuttle service.  
Transport from/to the venue and hotel will be provided at dedicated times.



## 8. PARTICIPATION FEE

According to the World Cup Rules a mandatory Participation Fee of total CHF 90,00 for training and competition day for each competitor has to be paid to the organizing committee before the first training. The Participation Fee will have to be paid in cash (RMB or Euro)

## 9. PRIZE MONEY

The total prize purse is 75.0000 Euro per discipline (total for men and women). The winners will receive the prize money via bank transfer. Prize money is subject to tax withholdings.

## 10. INSURANCE

All competitors must have their own insurance. The Organizing Committee, Air + Style Company GmbH, Beijing Sports Competitions Administration Center, their agents, employees and volunteers, sponsors, suppliers, the FIS and CSA decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged or lost equipment and second and third party claims during the event.

## 11. LIABILITY

All athletes, officials and other representatives of National Associations will attend at their own risk. The organizer, Air + Style Company GmbH and their partners decline any liability for damages or injuries of athletes, officials or any other persons. The competitors need to provide evidence of medical and insurance cover before attending the first training.



## 12. MEDICAL AND ANTI-DOPING:

Anti-Doping control testing maybe conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth by FIS.

## 13. TRAVEL INFORMATION

**VISA:** All traveling parties will need to have a valid Chinese Visa. The organizing committee will provide a specific visa invitation to the competitors. Please fill in Visa form attached, include pictures of all team members (for access passes) and send to [athlete@airandstyle.com](mailto:athlete@airandstyle.com) to obtain necessary documents.

**TAXI:** Please print out the hotel address in Chinese letters or save it on your phone! Taxi drivers will ONLY be able to read Chinese characters.

**ROAMING:** Roaming fees are high in China so please make sure you have a plan that includes China. The international country calling code for China is +86. WIFI is available at the hotel and in the Race office.

**CURRENCY:** Exchange bureaus are located at baggage claim. You will also find an ATM of a Chinese bank in the outside arrival hall. Getting cash at the ATM is really easy. The Currency is Renminbi (RMB).







## FURTHER INFORMATION

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More information can be found at [www.airandstyle.com](http://www.airandstyle.com) / [www.facebook.com/airandstyle](https://www.facebook.com/airandstyle) / [www.instagram.com/airandstyle](https://www.instagram.com/airandstyle)  
For any specific event questions & Visa invites please contact: Benny Wetscher: [athlete@airandstyle.com](mailto:athlete@airandstyle.com) or [saskia@airandstyle.com](mailto:saskia@airandstyle.com)  
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