



## INVITATION

### FIS Mogul World Cup Bakuriani, Georgia

December 20 – 21, 2024

On behalf of the Georgian Ski Federation and the Mountain Trails Agency, we are pleased to invite all Freestyle Nations to attend the FIS MOGUL WORLD CUP at Bakuriani, Georgia, December 20 – 21, 2024.

The Organizing Committee will host the event in accordance with the competition rules of the International Ski Federation (FIS) and the World Cup Rules 2024/2025. All national Ski Associations affiliated with FIS are invited to compete.

In order to help you plan your stay we have enclosed some information regarding the event and contact information in case of questions.

Bakuriani and the Organizing Committee are looking forward to hosting you at Bakuriani during the FIS Mogul World Cup.

Welcome to Bakuriani, Georgia

Yours sincerely,



**Irakli Burchuladze**

Head of Organizing Committee FIS Mogul WC Bakuriani 2024



## Entries

Entries will be accepted from National Ski Associations following FIS quotas and rules. The online registration system is accessed on the FIS Homepage <http://www.fis-ski.com> in the Member Section.

All quotas and entries are according to the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Rules 2024/2025. Only those competitors who are entered by National Associations are eligible and the number of participants is limited under current World Cup quotas.

Provisional Entries: Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Each National Association must inform the Organizers about the expected total number of team members (Names, FIS Codes, Gender, team officials) arrival and departure dates, and rooming needs (competitors, coaches, accompanying persons, and service personnel). This needs to be done using the "Competition Online Entry System" and respecting the deadlines fixed and announced by the OC (40 days before the first competition day).

Confirmation of Final Entries: Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024

No later than 10 days before the first competition day the NSA must inform the OC of its final entries (Names, FIS Code, and Gender) with their arrival and departure dates. The NSA must also inform the OC about the arrival and departure dates of the team officials. Please note! For any changes after the final deadline, the Organizing Committee may invoice the costs incurred for canceled accommodation to the National Ski Association concerned. Teams or persons who register after the deadline will not be eligible for FIS rates.

## Accommodation and meals

Teams will pay the fee for accommodation according to the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Rules 2024/2025 from Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup> until Sunday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>. Athletes, Coaches, and Team Officials will be hosted in the Hotels at Bakuriani. The OC will charge 80 CHF each for accommodation including half-board. For the first 10 athletes (both genders) in the World Cup ranking, accommodation will be free of charge.

The half-board package at Bakuriani includes breakfast and dinner.

Each team will pay all of their accommodation expenses upon arrival (major credit cards only). Each team will be held responsible for any damage incurred during their stay. Extra expenses such as phone, pay-tv or bar bills are to be paid by the teams or athletes. Please enter the team accommodation requirements in the Competition Online Entry System including a provisional list regarding room sharing by November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

## Ski Waxing Rooms

Ski waxing and storage facilities will be located at the hotels in Bakuriani. Teams will be informed of the location of waxing cabins upon arrival.



## TRANSFER

Participants are responsible for their own transportation fees. Bakuriani ski resort is located 190 km away from Tbilisi International Airport, The OC offers transfers between the airport of Tbilisi and the resort (busses, minivans for teams, and trucks for equipment). Transfer requests are to be sent to office [trifectasportstours@gmail.com](mailto:trifectasportstours@gmail.com) and should include the following information:

- Arrival/departure date, time, flight numbers, destination (from/to) Amount of passengers and all names of participants in a group
- Amount of luggage in pieces and its approximate total weight.
- Transportation on site will be provided by the OC and will be free of charge.
- The accommodation and transfer request should be sent no later than the 18th of November.

## Team Captains Meeting

This year all Team Captains Meetings will be held **online**.

## Accreditation

Accreditation is received at the Race Office. The Race Office will open on Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

Your accreditation works as your Ski Pass!

## Regulations

The Organizing Committee will follow all qualifications as outlined in the current rules and formula for the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Rules 2024/2025 and any precision and/or amendments to these rules.

## Bibs

The competitors must wear bibs during training, the race, and award ceremonies.

## Prize Money and Prize Money Taxes

Prize money will be transferred to the athletes' accounts. A withholding tax will be retained as per Georgian Income Tax Law. See the Prize money breakdown below:



| Place                  | Amount CHF | % of Total |
|------------------------|------------|------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> place  | 13,500     | 45.00 %    |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> place  | 7,050      | 23,50%     |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> place  | 3,750      | 12.50%     |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> place  | 1,800      | 6.00%      |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> place  | 900        | 3.00%      |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> place  | 750        | 2.50%      |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> place  | 675        | 2.25%      |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> place  | 600        | 2.00%      |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> place  | 525        | 1.75%      |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> place | 450        | 1.50%      |
| Total                  | 30.000     | 100.00%    |

Please note: NSAs must manage all information required for prize money using the FIS Athlete Registration module in the FIS member section. All bank information MUST be uploaded to the FIS database prior to the Finals. The organizing Committee might need to ask for a copy of the athlete's passport due to Georgian laws, the athletes will be contacted by the address they have listed in the FIS Prize money system.

### Insurance and Liability

Each competitor must have his/her own medical insurance. The Organizing Committee sponsors, suppliers, their agents, the FIS, and the Georgian Ski Federation do not take any responsibility for accidents, or damaged and lost equipment during the event. All athletes, officials, and members of the National Associations who attend and participate in the event, shall do so at their own risk. The OC, sponsors and suppliers, their agents, employees, and volunteers shall not be held responsible for any losses or injuries incurred or suffered by any athlete, team official, or other person in conjunction with the Organizing or staging of the event.

### Anti-Doping

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

### Program

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to modify the schedule, depending on snow conditions or/and the decision of the competition jury.

The program will be sent out separately!

### General information

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Race Office at [raceoffice@gsf.ge](mailto:raceoffice@gsf.ge)