



# RULES FOR THE FIS SKI JUMPING INTER-CONTINENTAL CUP (WOMEN)

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## **RULES FIS INTER-CONTINENTAL CUP SKI JUMPING (WOMEN) 2023-2024**

Legend: I-COCJ-W = Inter-Continental Cup Ski Jumping (Women)

### **1. Calendar Planning as well as Entry and Appointment of the Competitions**

#### **1.1 Inter-Continental Cup Ski Jumping (Women)**

- 1.1.1 Each National Ski Association is entitled to apply to the Sub-Committee for Calendar Planning for I-COCJ-W competitions (individual competition) by the pre-established deadline.
- 1.1.2 The application has to be made two years in advance and on the official FIS entry form.
- 1.1.3 Only one I-COCJ-W competitions can be carried out on the same date.
- 1.1.4 The last I-COCJ-W event in a competition season is carried out as the I-COCJ-W final. In connection with the I-COCJ-W final the overall I-COCJ-W prize-giving ceremony will take place.

#### **1.2 Appointment of the I-COCJ-W-events**

- 1.2.1 The Sub-Committee for Calendar Planning examines:
  - the suitability of the hill in question for I-COCJ-W-competitions by means of the valid hill certificate;
  - the accommodation capacity and the spectator appeal of the competition site;
  - the standard of the race organization.
  - ~~maximum hill size being used for I-COCJ-W competitions is Normal Hill size.~~
- 1.2.2 According to the result of this evaluation and the proposed dates the Sub-Committee for Calendar Planning establishes a provisional I-COCJ-W-competition schedule for the upcoming two years. The final I-COCJ-W-competition calendar for the current season requires the approval of the FIS Council.

### **2. Participation Right for I-COCJ-W Competitions**

#### **2.1 Allowed to start are:**

- a) Competitors, who are born in 2008 or earlier
  - b) Only competitors with a FIS Code are allowed to be entered
  - c) Each National Ski Association has full responsibility for the qualification of its competitors for I-COCJ-W competitions and for their ability to handle the jumping hills being used.
- 2.2 Each National Ski Association can enter, for a I-COCJ-W event, a maximum of six (6) jumpers.  
The host nation has the right to enter an additional National Group of six (6) athletes (group I).
  - 2.3 If more than two (2) I-COCJ-W-competitions are planned to be carried out in one country, the host nation is only entitled to enter a National Group in a maximum of two (2) events per series (summer or winter I-COCJ-W series), however, all in all

not more than four (4) times. This limit will not be applied for competitions taken over by one NSA from another NSA.

### **3. I-COCJ-W Evaluation**

#### **3.1 Individual competitions**

1st place = 100 points	16th place = 15 points
2nd place = 80 points	17th place = 14 points
3rd place = 60 points	18th place = 13 points
4th place = 50 points	19th place = 12 points
5th place = 45 points	20th place = 11 points
6th place = 40 points	21st place = 10 points
7th place = 36 points	22nd place = 9 points
8th place = 32 points	23rd place = 8 points
9th place = 29 points	24th place = 7 points
10th place = 26 points	25th place = 6 points
11th place = 24 points	26th place = 5 points
12th place = 22 points	27th place = 4 points
13th place = 20 points	28th place = 3 points
14th place = 18 points	29th place = 2 points
15th place = 16 points	30th place = 1 point

3.1.1 In case of equality in points between competitors each jumper receives the points corresponding to the rank (the following place is omitted).

3.1.2 A minimum of five (5) National Ski Associations must participate if a I-COCJ-W competition is to count for the I-COCJ-W evaluation.

#### **3.1.3 Inter-Continental Cup Standing**

The I-COCJ-W points of all individual competitions of the current season, separated in summer I-COCJ-W and I-COCJ-W will be counted for the I-COCJ-W overall winner.

In case of an equality of points in the I-COCJ-W standing the better ranking order of the different competitions will be used to decide the ranking.

If the competitors are still equal, the starting order will be drawn.

#### **3.1.4 I-COCJ Nations' Cup**

The sum of the points of all competitors from one nation of all I-COCJ competitions (Women) of the current season – including the points of the team and share of Mixed team competitions – will be taken into consideration for the I-COCJ evaluation per nation.

In case of a tie in the I-COCJ nations evaluation, the better ranking order of the different competitions (individual as well as team competitions) will determine the winner.

### **4. Competition Mode and Starting Order**

The I-COCJ-W competitions have to be carried out according to ICR art. 452 (individual and team competitions) with the following supplements:

4.1 For individual competitions the competitors will be divided into three groups. The number sequence of the groups is as follows:

- Group I of the organising country
- Group II (athletes without I-COCJ-W points)
- Group III (athletes with I-COCJ-W points)

The starting order within the group will be determined as follows:

- Group I: draw or seeding
- Group II: draw
- Group III: reverse order of the actual I-COCJ-W standings. As soon as athletes appear in the I-COCJ-W standings they are seeded in the group III according to their ranking. For the first I-COCJ-W competition of the season, the final I-COCJ-W standings of the past season is decisive.

4.2 For the second competitive round (final), only the top 30 of the first competition round are qualified (plus jumpers tied at the last qualified place). They start with the same start number but in reverse order of the collective points score from the first competitive round. A jumper, who has reached 95 % of the maximum length of the longest jump by the jumpers who have to qualify but has a fall, has the right to participate in the competition in addition to the top 30 (If the wind/gate compensation is used, the compensated distance is the basis).

4.3 The final round must start 20 minutes after the end of the first competition round. The jumpers who are not at the start on time are disqualified.

## 5. I-COCJ-W-Prizes

5.1 The I-COCJ-W overall winner, separated in summer I-COCJ-W and I-COCJ-W, receives the Inter-Continental Cup trophy.  
The first three competitors receive a FIS medal.  
The trophy and the medals will be provided by the FIS.  
The Inter-Continental Cup trophy and the medals shall only be awarded at the final.

## 6. Payment of I-COCJ-W Expenses

6.1 Every I-COCJ-W organiser must take over at least the costs for the accommodation **for a maximum of four persons (3 athletes + 1 official) from each participating National Ski Association.**

### 6.1.1 Accommodation

Room and full pension in a good hotel in the competition resort for the duration of the event, beginning one night before the first official training resp. the following night after the last competition. The organiser must send an invitation and information packet to each National Ski Association. Participating teams must enter their competitors prior to the published entry deadline. By doing so, they secure their required number of booked room reservation.

For booked room reservations not used, the organiser has the right to demand a cancellation fee from the resp. National Ski Association:

- Until 14 days before the Team Captains' meeting: Teams and SRS can change their bookings by adapting the preliminary entry. Cancellation (entire team or only some rooms) is free of charge for 25% of the rooms booked.
- Between 13 until 8 days before the Team Captains' meeting: Teams and SRS have to provide their final entry to the LOC latest 8 days before the Team Captain's meeting of the event. The LOC has the right to charge a

cancellation fee with a size tolerance of 10% (cancellation free of charge for 10% of the rooms booked).

- Between 7 days and until the end of the events (departure date chosen by the team): The LOC has the right to charge a cancellation fee. The amount of cancellation fees should be announced for each venue in the event program on the FIS website.

By no means is the organiser or the hotel manager allowed, without agreement of the team captain, to demand the vacating of the rooms on the day of the competition.

#### 6.1.2 **Transportation**

The organiser has to provide and take over a shuttle service between the accommodation and the competition site.

6.2 The reimbursement of expenses for travel and accommodation for the TD, the TD-Assistant and the foreign Jumping Judge have to be paid according to ICR art. 405.4.

### 7. **I-COCJ-W Sponsor**

7.1 The FIS can sign an agreement between FIS and the sponsor company/agency for sponsorship as Continental Cup sponsor.

### 8. **I-COCJ-W Control and Reports**

8.1 Each I-COCJ-W organiser must get in touch with his national "press agency" before the competition season and make sure that, immediately after the I-COCJ-W competition, the I-COCJ-W result list or at least the I-COCJ-W ranks will be distributed by this agency.

8.2 The press-/media service has to be organised and performed according to the recommendations and guidelines of the International Ski Federation as well as the International Association of Ski Journalists (AIPS).

8.3 The TD is responsible for the control and the report on the I-COCJ-W event. The report must be done on FIS official electronic platform within 5 days after the competition.

8.4 After each I-COCJ-W competition the I-COCJ-W Coordinator is responsible for the calculation of the new standing of the I-COCJ-W overall evaluation and must send it immediately after the competition, to the next I-COCJ-W organiser and to the FIS Office.

#### 8.5 **Control**

The FIS nominates a I-COCJ-W Coordinator who must possess a TD-license for Ski Jumping (see ICR Art. 403.5). The I-COCJ-W Coordinator reports to the Race

Director Ski Jumping. The respective organiser has to pay for accommodation, board and travel expenses of the I-COCJ-W Coordinator.

**Prize-money: CHF 1'500 – divided by the first 6 athletes**

1 <sup>st</sup> place =	CHF 500	4 <sup>th</sup> place =	CHF 150
2 <sup>nd</sup> place =	CHF 400	5 <sup>th</sup> place =	CHF 100
3 <sup>rd</sup> place =	CHF 300	6 <sup>th</sup> place =	CHF 50

NSAs are responsible for entering the personal bank information for each athlete using the Athlete Registration module in the FIS Member Section.