

APPLICATIONS FOR FIS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026/2027

CONDITIONS AND PROCEDURE

According to the FIS Statutes, art. 27.2.3, the Council shall elect the Organisers of the following FIS World Championships during the Congress Week in Villamoura (POR):

- the 2026 Ski Flying World Championships
- the 2027 Snowboard, Freestyle Ski and Freeski World Championships
- the 2027 Nordic World Ski Championships
- the 2027 Alpine World Ski Championships

Applications for the organisation of the above-mentioned FIS World Championships according to the respective rules have to be sent to the FIS Director by 1st May 2021 together with the registration fee and guarantee for training days, as follows:

- Alpine World Ski Championships	CHF 400'000.—	+ 200 training days
- Nordic World Ski Championships	CHF 150'000.—	+ 200 training days
- Snowboard, Freestyle Ski & Freeski World Championships	CHF 125'000.—	+ 200 training days
- Ski Flying World Championships	CHF 100'000.—	

For repeat, consecutive candidatures, Candidates will be entitled to a 25 % reduction in the registration fee for the second consecutive candidacy and a 50 % reduction for the third and further consecutive candidacies (Rules for the Organisation of FIS World Championships, art. 5.1.2).

After the election, the elected Organisers of FIS World Championships have to pay the following non-refundable fee and provide the following number of training days:

- Alpine World Ski Championships	CHF 1 million	+ 600 training days
- Nordic World Ski Championships	CHF 400'000.—	+ 600 training days
- Snowboard, Freestyle Ski and Freeski World Championships		400 training days

Furthermore the application shall include the following:

- Written confirmation that the Candidate agrees to conform in all respects with FIS Rules for the Organisation of FIS World Championships per article 1.3 of these rules.
- A statement that the Candidate – to the best of its ability – will not allow any discrimination in regard to affiliated National Associations or their individual members on account of racial, religious, political or other grounds.

The Rules for the Organisation of FIS World Championships can be downloaded from the FIS Website under the following link. Annexe 1 contains the Candidature Regulations and Instructions, which is also available as a separate document:

https://assets.fis-ski.com/image/upload/v1610964370/fis-prod/assets/WSC_Rules_2020_E_Final_2020.pdf

CANDIDACY PHASE AND PROCESS

After closure of the submission for candidacies by 1st May 2021, FIS will simultaneously provide each Candidate and its National Ski Association with a detailed questionnaire for completion at its earliest convenience, latest by 1st September 2021.

The Candidates responses to the questionnaire are to be submitted in a simple text format, and will serve as a working document outlining different areas of the candidacy project, on which the discussions with the members of the FIS Inspection Group will be based.

Members of the FIS Inspection Group will each meet with the Candidate at a mutually convenient opportunity to review the specific area of the project which falls under their responsibility. This should take place in conjunction with another event or a World Cup inspection, in order to save multiple trips and reduce costs.

A working meeting with the FIS Inspection Group members will be organised, in principle during (before or after) the FIS Technical Committee Meetings in the autumn for each Candidate to summarise their project concept for the 2026/27 FIS World Championships.

After the inspections or meetings with the Candidates by the members of the FIS Inspection Group and the joint summary meeting, the Candidate will finalize the documentation relating to its project for the 2026/27 FIS World Championships and the Inspection Group will establish its report.

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