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Dear President, Dear Colleagues,

The IJF Academy was established in 2013, on the wish of our President Mr Marius Vizer, to serve as the teaching arm of the IJF. To ensure the highest standard, we partnered with one of the best Universities to certify our academic courses, the University of Budapest's Physical Education. Today we have 1,700 Alumni of the IJF Academy, qualifying from 126 countries, members of the IJF.

We have paid all our attention to ensure that our product is always the best on offer. We also paid attention to keep upgrading our products and services.

On the 27th August 2018, the IJF Academy Foundation was granted a Higher Education Teaching License by the (NCFHE) National Commission for Further and Higher Education. NCFHE is an affiliate member of ENQA, the European Association for Quality Assurance in Higher Education. The Qualifications Recognition Information Centre (QRIC) within NCFHE also forms part of the European Network of Information Centres in the European Region (ENIC) and the National Recognition Information Centres in the European Union (NARIC). The Commission also acts as the National Contact Point for the European Qualifications Framework.

All these coaches and administrators involved in these projects require professional academic qualification to interact with third party organisations, Schools, Government Entities, Local Councils, Sports Centres, and other authorities. Today's Judo Professional is not enough to qualify for his National Federation; they require a professional qualification.

IJF Academy will launch the following courses starting on 1st March 2021 (Note: these listed courses will only start if the minimum number of 10 students applied.)

1. Undergraduate Diploma in Judo Management (UDJM - 60 credits).

2. Undergraduate Certificate Judo Instructor (UCJI – 30 credits).

All the previous qualification (Instructor – Level 1) obtained by graduated students will remain valid, but those students who want to upgrade to the newly accredited courses can apply for the online-phase-only courses and obtain the Undergraduate Certificate Judo Instructor (UCJI - 30 credits).

New applicants without any previous qualifications (Instructor – Level 1) need to apply for both the online and practical. The UCJI course will be available in English, French, Russian and Spanish languages.

Application deadline:

We will receive applications for these courses up to 12th February 2021. Please use the enclosed applications. Please send them to info@ijf.edu.mt in WORD FORMAT ONLY!.

Course fees:

- 1. **USD 550 UPGRADE** students to the Undergraduate Certificate Judo Instructor course 30 credits (only online).
- 2. USD 900 NEW students to Undergraduate Certificate Judo Instructor 30 credits. This fee does not include the participation cost of the practical session! Flights and cost of board and accommodation are to be covered by the students or Federation. As these are accredited courses, we suggest you seek support from your Sports Ministry, Sports Councils and National Olympic Committees. <u>Practical sessions for the UCJI courses will be organised in the second half of 2021, depending on this pandemic's evolution</u>.

Payment schedule (mandatory) for the UCJI course:

UCJI - SEMESTER STARTED IN MARCH 2021						
	UPGRADE	NEW STUDENT	DEADLINE	DEADLINE - 2021 CALENDAR		
PAYMENT 1	USD 169	USD 285	Before week 6 of UCJI course	Week 14		
PAYMENT 2	USD 212	USD 330	Before week 13 of UCJI course	Week 20		
PAYMENT 3	USD 169	USD 285	Before the last day of UCJI semester	Week 26		
TOTAL	USD 550	USD 900				

3. Undergraduate Diploma in Judo Management course fee structure:

Unit	Week - credit	Modules	Fee ¹
Semester 1	16 weeks	(1) Twelve online modules and examinations	USD 600
	30 credits	(2) Submission of Diploma Project of 5,000 words	USD 250
Semester 2	8 weeks 30 credits	(3) Submission of 10 assignments during Judo Work Placement	USD 500
		Total	USD 1,350



¹ Fee can be paid by modules, but students must complete the payment full before entering into the next module.

