

STAG European Under 21 Championships

MEDIA GUIDE









EUROPEAN TABLE TENNIS UNION STAG 2017 European Under 21 Championships 2nd - 5th February 2017, Sochi, Russia



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STAG European U21 Championships

At the ETTU Ordinary Congress held in Portugal during the 2014 TMS European Championships in Lisbon, the delegates agreed to introduce the European Championships for players aged Under 21 in order to give opportunity to young players to adjust easily during the transition period.

The Congress accepted the Executive Board proposition about the European Champion-ships that has become fully effective from January 2016.

The European Championships U21 will include men's singles, wom-en's singles, men's doubles and women's doubles events.

Organiser

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Events

Men's singles Women's singles Men's doubles Women's doubles



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Qualifications

The highest ranked 56 man and 56 woman players derived from the November 2016 European Under 21 ranking list are invited with a maximum 3 men and 3 women players per member Association.

Playing system

Doubles events will be played in a direct knockout competition.

In singles events 8 seeded players will be directly placed in stage 2.

Stage 1: the remaining 48 players will play in a qualification, played in 12 groups. The winner and the runner-up from each group will qualify for stage 2.

The players ranked 9- 20 will be placed in descending ranking order respectively at the top of the groups 1 to 12. The remaining players will be drawn into the groups 4 by 4 according to the modified snake system. Players from the same Association will be seeded in different groups.

Stage 2: the 24 qualifiers from stage 1 and the 8 seeded players will be drawn into 8 groups 13-20. The winner and the runner-up from each group will qualify for stage 3.

Stage 3: the 16 qualifiers from stage 2 will play a direct knockout competition.

The winner of group 13 will be placed on position 1, the winner of group 14 will be placed on position 16. The winners of the groups 15 and 16 will be drawn among positions 8 and 9, the winners of the groups 17 to 20 will be drawn among positions 4, 5, 12 and 13 and the runners-up of each group will be drawn among the remaining positions.

Players from the same Association shall be drawn as far as possible from each other.

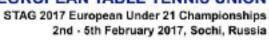
The Draw for singles and doubles events will take place on Wednesday 1st February 2017 at 18.00 at the Sport Complex IUG SPORT.













2017 STAG ECU21 Time Schedule

THURSDAY 2/2/2017

9:30 10:20 WS S1 R1 10:20 11:10 WS S1 R1 11:10 12:00 MS S1 R1 12:00 12:50 MS S1 R1 12:50 13:50 OPENING CEREMONY 13:50 14:40 WS S1 R2 14:40 15:30 WS S1 R2 15:30 16:20 MS S1 R2 15:30 16:20 MS S1 R2 16:20 17:10 MS S1 R2 17:10 18:00 WS S1 R3 18:00 18:50 WS S1 R3 18:50 19:40 MS S1 R3 19:40 20:30 MS S1 R3

SATURDAY 4/2/2017

| 10:00 | 10:35 | WD R16 |
|-------|-------|-------------|
| 10:35 | 11:10 | WD R16 |
| 11:10 | 11:45 | MD R16 |
| 11:45 | 12:20 | MD R16 |
| 12:20 | 13:20 | LUNCH BREAK |
| 13:20 | 14:15 | WS R16 |
| 14:15 | 15:10 | WS R16 |
| 15:10 | 16:05 | MS R16 |
| 16:05 | 17:00 | MS R16 |
| 17:00 | 17:30 | BREAK |
| 17:30 | 18:25 | WS QF |
| 18:25 | 19:20 | MS QF |
| 19:20 | 19:55 | WD QF |
| 19:55 | 20:30 | MD QF |
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FRIDAY 3/2/2017

21:00 21:30 MD R32

| 9:30 | 10:20 | WS S2 R1 |
|-------|-------|-------------|
| 10:20 | 11:10 | WS S2 R1 |
| 11:10 | 12:00 | MS S2 R1 |
| 12:00 | 12:50 | MS S2 R1 |
| 12:50 | 13:50 | LUNCH BREAK |
| 13:50 | 14:40 | WS S2 R2 |
| 14:40 | 15:30 | WS S2 R2 |
| 15:30 | 16:20 | MS S2 R2 |
| 16:20 | 17:10 | MS S2 R2 |
| 17:10 | 18:00 | WS S2 R3 |
| 18:00 | 18:50 | WS S2 R3 |
| 18:50 | 19:40 | MS S2 R3 |
| 19:40 | 20:30 | MS S2 R3 |

SUNDAY 5/2/2017

| 10:00 | 10:40 | WD SF |
|-------|--------------|--------|
| 10:40 | 11:20 | MD SF |
| 11:20 | 11:30 | BREAK |
| 11:30 | 12:30 | WS SF |
| 12:30 | 13:30 | MS SF |
| 13:40 | 14:20 | WD F |
| 14:20 | 15:00 | MD F |
| 15:00 | 15:10 | BREAK |
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| 16:10 | 17:10 | MS F |
| 17:10 | 17:40 | BREAK |
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European Ranking Men Under 21 **JANUARY**



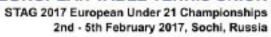
| KALLBERG Anton | SWE | 1 44. GUNDUZ Ibrahim | TUR |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------------------|------|
| PUCAR Tomislav | CRO | 45. BERTRAND Irvin | FRA |
| 3. AKKUZU Can | FRA | 46. VEDRIEL Carlos | ESP |
| 4. JORGIC Darko | SLO | 47. MANOLE Alexandru | ROU |
| 5. RANEFUR Elias | SWE | 48. IVONIN Denis | RUS |
| 6. CASSIN Alexandre | FRA | 49. SHAMRUK Gleb | BLR |
| 7. ORT Kilian | GER | 50. DARCIS Thibaut | BEL |
| 8. LANDRIEU Andrea | FRA | 51. GIVONE Nolan | |
| 9. PLETEA Cristian | ROU | | FRA |
| 10. SZUDI Adam | | 52. ENGEMANN Gerrit | GER |
| | HUN | 53. ABUSEV Artur | RUS |
| 11. POLANSKY Tomas | CZE | 54. MARTINKO Jiri | CZE |
| 12. ALLEGRO Martin | BEL | 55. JARVIS Tom | ENG |
| 13. ISMAILOV Sadi | RUS | 56. KOTOWSKI Tomasz | POL |
| 14. MAJOROS Bence | HUN | 57. KALUZNY Samuel | SVK |
| 15. AHLANDER-J Carl | SWE | 58. KUCERA Stanislav | CZE |
| 16. CHERNOV Konstant | | 59. DILLING Andreas | DEN |
| 17. ZELJKO Filip | CRO | 60. CAPELLO Benjy | FRA |
| 18. CHEN Diogo | POR | 61. WEERASINGHE | ENG |
| 19. QIU Dang | GER | Helshan | |
| 20. SIPOS Rares | ROU | 62. ROLLAND Jules | FRA |
| 21. KLEIN Dennis | GER | 63. VILCHEZ Miguel | ESP |
| 22. REITSPIES David | CZE | 64. FOLWARSKI Jakub | POL |
| 23. KHANIN Aliaksandr | BLR | 65. CHAPLYGIN Maxim | RUS |
| 24. RASMUSSEN Tobias | | 66. ERIKSSON Anders | SWE |
| 25. LEVENKO Andreas | AUT | 67. YIGENLER Abdullah | TUR |
| 26. ZATOWKA Patryk | POL | 68. PINTO Daniele | ITA |
| 27. ECSEKI Nandor | HUN | 69. PUTUNTICA Andrei | MDA |
| 28. GAUZY Paul | FRA | 70. KISELEV Maksim | RUS |
| 29. KOZUL Deni | SLO | 71. KHATCHANOV Martin | NED |
| 30. NIELSEN Claus | DEN | 72. PERMAN Oscar | SWE |
| 31. SCHMID Elia | SUI | 73. ANGELAKIS Konstan- | GRE |
| 32. RUIZ Romain | FRA | tinos | OILL |
| 33. LIND Anders | DEN | 74. MLADENOVIC Luka | LUX |
| 34. SIDORENKO Vladim | | 75. SODERLUND Simon | SWE |
| 35. BADOWSKI Marek | POL | 76. DOSZ Adam | POL |
| 36. SGOUROPOULOS Id | | 77. ULUCAK Batuhan | TUR |
| nis | Jan Gill | 78. DEVOS Laurens | BEL |
| 37. VALUCH Alexander | SVK | 79. CHOBEAU Clement | |
| 38. SEYFRIED Joe | FRA | 80. MUTTI Matteo | FRA |
| 39. CNUDDE Florian | BEL | 81. SIMON Mathan | ITA |
| 40. BERGLUND Simon | SWE | | ISR |
| 41. WEBER Lionel | | 82. PETER Ingemar | SVK |
| | SUI | 83. XU Jannik | GER |
| 42. MOREGARD Truls | SWE | 84. BRUCKNER Mate | HUN |
| 43. HIPPLER Tobias | GER | 85. HOHMEIER Nils | GER |















European Ranking Women Under 21 JANUARY











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Top Players



1 Anton KALLBERG (SWE)

Born: 17/8/1997 Gold medal in Junior Boys` Singles Event in 2015 EYCH Bratislava, Bronze medal in Junior Boys' Singles Event in 2014 EYCH Riva del Garda, Junior Boys` Singles runner-up at 2015 Swedish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Orebro, U21 Singles bronze at 2016 ITTF World Tour Zagreb (Croatia) Open (Challenge), U21 Singles bronze at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, Polish Open (Major), Warsaw, U21 Singles runner-up at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, Czech Open (Major), Olomouc, U21 Singles bronze at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, Japan Open (Super), Kobe, U21 Singles bronze at GAC Group 2014 ITTF World Tour, Swedish Open (Major), Stockholm.



2 Tomislav PUCAR

(CRO)

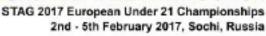
Born: 26/1/1996 Silver medal in Junior Boys Singles Event in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Junior Boys` Singles bronze medal at 2014 Czech Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Hodonin, Junior Boys` Singles runner-up at 2013 Slovak Junior Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Senec, Junior Boys' Singles bronze at 2012 Slovenia Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Velenje, U21 Singles winner at 2016 ITTF World Tour Zagreb (Croatia) Open (Challenge), U21 Singles runner-up at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, ASAREL Bulgaria Open (Challenge), Panagyurishte.













Top Players



3 Darko JORGIC (SLO)

Born: 30/7/1998

Bronze medal in Junior Boys` Singles Event in 2016 EYCH Zagreb, Gold medal in Junior Doubles Event (with Deni KOZUL) in 2015 EYCH Bratislava, Silver medal in Cadet Boys Doubles Event (with Nils HOHMEIER) in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Junior Boys` Singles winner at 2016 Slovenia Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit, Otocec, Junior Boys` Singles winner at 2016 Italian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Lignano, Junior Boys` Singles winner at Aspire 2016 Qatar Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Doha, Junior Boys` Singles runner-up at 2016 Czech Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Hodonin, Junior Boys` Singles winner at 2015 Hungarian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Szombathely, Junior Boys` Singles winner at 2015 Serbian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Vrnjacka Banja, Junior Boys` Singles winner at 2015 Egypt Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Cairo, Junior Boys` Singles bronze at 2015 Czech Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Hodonin.



4 Elias RANEFUR (SWE)

Born: 29/6/1996

Achievements: Gold medal in Junior Boys
Singles at 2014 Tunisian Junior & Cadet Open
- ITTF Junior Circuit in Sidi Bou Said, TUNISIA,
Gold medal in Junior Boys Singles at 2014
Cook Islands Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit in Avarua, COOK ISLANDS, Silver medal in Junior Boys Singles at Halabja 2013
Iraq Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit in Duhok, IRAQ, Bronze medal in Junior Boys
Singles at 2013 Thailand Junior & Cadet Open
- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Bangkok,
THAILAND, Bronze medal in U21 Singles Event at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, Austrian Open (Major) in Wels, AUSTRIA.









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5 Kilian ORT (GER)

Born: 27/4/1996 Junior Boy's Singles winner at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, Hungary Open (Challenge), Budapest, Junior Boy's Singles bronze at 2014 Hungarian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Szombathely, Junior Boy's Singles bronze at JOOLA 2013 Hungarian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Szombathely, Junior Boy's Singles bronze at 2013 Brazil Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Rio de Janeiro, Cadet Boy's Singles bronze at 2012 Czech Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Hodonin.



6 Cristian PLETEA (ROU)

Born: 28/5/2000 Bronze in Junior Boy's Singles Event at 2016 Bahrain Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Manama, BAH-RAIN, winner of Cadet Boy's Singles Event at 2015 EYCH in Bratislava (Slovakia), runner-up of Cadet Boy's Doubles Event (with Rares SIPOS) at 2015 EYCH in Bratislava (Slovakia), bronze in Cadet Boy's Singles Event at 2015 French Junior & Cadet Open - ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Metz, FRANCE, winner of Cadet Boy's Singles Event at 2015 Czech Junior & Cadet Open - ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Hodonin, CZECH REPUBLIC, winner of Cadet Boy's Singles Event at 2015 Bahrain Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Manama, BAHRAIN, runner-up of Cadet Boy's Doubles Event (with Rares SIPOS) at 2014 EYCH in Riva del Garda (Italy), runner-up in Cadet Boy's Singles Event at 2014 Italian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Lignano, ITALY.









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7 Adam SZUDI (HUN)

Born: 29/1/1996

Gold in Junior Boys' Doubles in 2014 EYCH Riva del Garda, Gold in Junior Boys' Doubles (with LAKATOS) in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Junior Boy's Singles bronze at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, Belgium Open, De Haan, Junior Boy's Singles bronze at 2014 Spanish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Platja d'Aro, Junior Boy's Singles winner at 2013 Croatia Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Varazdin, Cadet Boy's Singles runner-up at 2012 Funchal Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Cadet Boy's Singles winner at 2012 Slovenia Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Velenje, Junior Boy's Doubles runner-up at GAC Group 2016 ITTF World Tour, Belgium Open, De Haan, Junior Boy's Doubles runner-up at 2015 ITTF World Tour, Belgium Open



8 Tomas POLANSKY (CZE)

Born: 16/7/1998 Achievements: Bronze medal in Junior Boy's Singles Event in 2016 EYCH Zagreb, Bronze in Junior Boys` Doubles Event (with David REITSPIES) in 2014 EYCH Riva del Garda, Gold in Cadet Boys' Singles Event in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Gold in Cadet Boys` Doubles Event (with Aleksandr KHANIN) in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Junior Boy's Singles winner at 2016 Polish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Wladyslawowo, Junior Boy's Singles bronze at 2014 French Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Metz, Junior Boy's Singles bronze at 2013 Funchal (Portugal) Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit.









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9 Martin ALLEGRO (BEL) Born: 29/4/1996

Achievements: Bronze medal in Junior Boys Singles at 2014 Italian Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Lignano, ITALY, Bronze medal in Junior Boys Singles Event at 2013 Serbian Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit in Vrnjacka Banja, SERBIA, Silver medal in Junior Boys Singles Event at 2013 Croatia Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit in Varazdin, CROATIA.



10 Sadi ISMAILOV

(RUS)

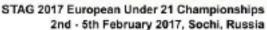
Born: 4/11/1996 Silver medal in Cadet Boys Doubles Event (with Konstantin CHERNOV) in 2011 EYCH Kazan, Men's Singles event winner of 2015 Universiade, Gwangju, Korea Republic, Junior Boys` Singles runner-up at 2014 Cook Islands Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Avarua, Junior Boys` Singles winner at 2013 Serbian Junior & Cadet Open - ITTF Junior Circuit, Vrnjacka Banja, Junior Boys` Singles winner at 2012 Serbian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Vrnjacka Banja, Men's Doubles event runner-up at 2016 ITTF World Tour Belarus Open (Challenge), Minsk.













Top Players





1 Adina DIACONU (ROU)

Born: 14/10/1999

Gold medal in Junior Girls Singles Event in 2016 EYCH Zagreb, Gold medal in Junior Girls Singles Event in 2015 EYCH Bratislava, Silver medal in Junior Girls Doubles Event (with Andrea DRAGOMAN) in 2016 EYCH Zagreb, Gold medal in Cadet Girls Singles Event in 2014 EYCH Riva del Garda, Gold medal in Cadet Girls Doubles Event (with Lisa LUNG) in 2014 EYCH Riva del Garda, Gold medal in Cadet Girls Singles Event in 2013 EYCH Ostrava Gold medal in Cadet Girls Doubles Event (with Andrea CLAPA) in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Gold medal in Cadet Girls Doubles Event (with Mihaela LUPU) in 2012 EYCH Schwechat, Junior Girls` Singles runner-up at 2016 Polish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Wladyslawowo, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2016 Czech Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Hodonin, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 11even Sports 2016 ITTF World Junior Circuit Finals, Indore, INDIA, Junior Girls' Singles winner at 2015 Hungarian Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Szombathely, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2015 Polish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Wladyslawowo, Junior Girls` Singles runner-up at 2015 French Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Metz, Junior Girls` Singles winner at 2015 Bahrain Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Manama, Junior Girls' Singles runner-up at 2014 Hungarian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Szombathely, Junior Girls` Singles winner at 2013 Serbian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, won Top 10 CG in 2013.



2 Nina MITTELHAM (GER)

Born: 23/11/1996

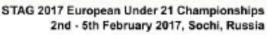
Gold medal in Junior Girls Singles Event in 2013 EYCH in Ostrava, Silver medal in Junior Girls Singles Event in 2014 EYCH Riva del Garda, Gold medal in Junior Girls Doubles Event (with Theresa KRAFT) in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Gold medal in Cadet Girls Singles Event in 2011 EYCH Kazan, Gold medal in Cadet Girls Doubles Event (with Nicole TROSMAN) in 2011 EYCH Kazan, Junior Girls` Singles winner at 2013 Brazil Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Rio de Janeiro, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2013 French Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Metz, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at JOOLA 2012 Hungarian Junior Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Tata, U21 Women's Singles event bronze at 2016 ITTF World Tour Belgium Open (Challenge), De Haan, U21 Women's Singles event bronze at GAC Group 2015 ITTF World Tour, Zagreb (Croatia) Open (Challenge), Zagreb.













Top Players



3 Chantal MANTZ

(GER) Born: 26/6/1996

Gold medal in Junior Girls Singles Event in 2014 EYCH, Silver medal in Cadet Girls Singles Event in 2011 EYCH Kazan, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2014 Hungarian Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Szombathely, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2014 French Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Metz, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at JOOLA 2013 Hungarian Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2013 Brazil Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Rio de Janeiro.



4 Natalia BAJOR (POL)

Born: 7/3/1997

Silver medal in Junior Girls` Doubles Event (with Lea RAKOVAC) in 2014 EYCH Riva del Garda.









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5 Andreea DRAGOMAN (ROU)

Born: 18/8/2000 Silver medal in Junior Girls` Doubles Event (with Adina DIACONU) in 2016 EYCH Zagreb, Bronze medal in Cadet Singles` Event in 2015 EYCH Bratislava, Bronze in Cadet Girls` Doubles Event (with Mihaela PLEASU) in 2013 EYCH Ostrava, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2016 Polish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Wladyslawowo, Junior Girls` Singles winner at 2016 Bahrain Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Manama, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 11even Sports 2016 ITTF World Junior Circuit Finals Indore, India, Junior Girls` Singles winner at 2015 Serbian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Vrnjacka Banja, Junior Girls` Singles runner-up at 2015 Croatia Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Varazdin, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2015 Bahrain Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Manama.



Born: 17/17/1999

Bronze in Junior Girls Singles Event at 2016 Polish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Wladyslawowo, POLAND.











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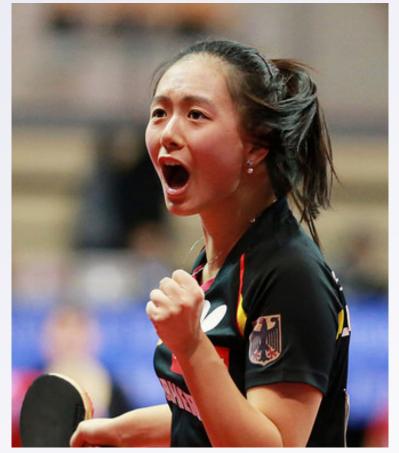
Top Players



7 Mariia TAILAKOVA (RUS)

Born: 12/3/2001

Quarter-finalist in Junior Girls Singles at 2016 ITTF World Tour- Asarel Bulgaria Open (Major) in Panagyurishte, BULGARIA, Quarter-finalist in Junior Girls Singles Event at 2016 Spanish Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit in Platja d'Aro, SPAIN, Quarter-finalist in Junior Girls Singles Event at 2015 Spanish Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit in Platja d'Aro, SPAIN



8 WAN Yuan (GER)

Born: 23/5/1997

Silver medal in Cadet Girls` Doubles
Event (with Alena LEMMER) in 2012
EYCH Schwechat, Junior Girls` Singles
bronze at 2015 French Junior & Cadet
Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit,
Metz, Junior Girls` Singles winner at
2014 French Junior & Cadet Open
- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Metz,
Cadet Girls` Singles runner-up at 2013
Serbian Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF
Junior Circuit, Vrnjacka Banja, U21
Women's Singles Event bronze at GAC
Group 2014 ITTF World Tour, Croatia
(Zagreb) Open (Challenge).









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9 Maria MALANINA (RUS)

Born: 13/2/1998 Gold medal in Junior Girl Double Event (with Daria CHERNORAY) in 2015 EYCH Bratislava, Junior Girls` Singles runner-up at 2015 Spanish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit, Platja d'Aro, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2014 Italian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit, Lignano, Cadet Girls` Singles bronze at 2013 ITTF World Cadet Challenge, Otocec, Slovenia, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2013 Funchal (Portugal) Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Junior Circuit, Junior Girls` Singles bronze at 2012 Funchal (Portugal) Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit.



10 Ekaterina GUSEVA (RUS)

Born: 29/1/1996

Bronze medal in Junior Girls Singles at 2014 ITTF Global Junior Circuit Finals in Asuncion, PARAGUAY, Bronze medal in Junior Girls Singles at 2014 Tunisian Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Junior Circuit in TUNISIA, Gold medal in Junior Girls Singles at 2014 Italian Junior & Cadet Open in Lignano, ITALY, Silver medal in Junior Girls Singles at 2014 Czech Junior & Cadet Open- ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Hodonin, CZECH REPUBLIC, Gold medal in Junior Girls Singles at 2014 ITTF World Tour, Hungary Open in Szombathely, HUNGARY, Bronze medal at 2012 ITTF EURO AFRICA CIRCUIT, Belarus Open in Minsk, BELARUS, Bronze medal in Junior Girls Singles at 2012 Swedish Junior & Cadet Open-ITTF Premium Junior Circuit in Orebro, SWEDEN, Bronze medal in Junior Girls Doubles at 2015 ITTF World Tour, Belarus Open in Minsk, BELARUS, Silver medal in Cadet Girls Doubles in 2011 EYCH Kazan.









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The IUG-SPORT

Complex in the city cluster of Sochi, which includes –
Stadium for track & field athletics
Football fields with natural and artificial covering
Cross-point circuit – 1200 meters



Bobsleigh track
Nordic walking trails
Federal center of martial arts
Sailing center
Sport playing fields
Hotel complex
Medical-recreational center
Hydrothermal complex
Coastal recreational area.



This Center was built in 2015 under support of the Russian Ministry of Sport.















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General Info

Visas

All Associations requiring a visa for entering Russia are kindly requested to contact the Table Tennis Federation of Russia.

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Climate

Sochi has a humid subtropical climate at the lower elevations. Its average annual temperature is $18.4\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ (65.1 °F) during the day and $11\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ (52 °F) at night. In the coldest months—January and February—the average temperature is about $10\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ (50 °F) during the day, above $3\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ (37 °F) at night and the average sea temperature is about $9\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ (48 °F).

December, January, February and March are the coldest months, with average temperature (of these four months) 11 °C (52 °F) during the day and 4 °C (39 °F) at night. Average annual precipitation is about 1,700 millimeters (67 in).

Sochi is situated on the same latitude as Nice but strong cold winds from Asia make winters less warm. In fact, temperatures drop below freezing every winter. The highest temperature recorded was 39.4 °C (102.9 °F), on July 30, 2000, and the lowest temperature recorded was -13.4 °C (7.9 °F) on January 25, 1892.

Russian currency

Russian ruble or rouble (code: RUB)

100 Euro = approx. 7000 rubles

Time in Sochi

Moscow Standard Time (MSK), UTC +3









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Official hotels available for media







Complex Parus Bzugu 6, 354002 Sochi, Russia

This hotel is located in a 5-minute walk from the Park Arboretum and Sochi Yacht Club. The Black Sea Beach is a 5-minute walk away. Also in walking distance from the hotel are circus, summer and winter theaters, the city health-trail — a walking trail 5 km long.

Rooms and suites

144 rooms, including single, double, triple and quadruple rooms and suits of standard and "luxury" category.

Transport

Proximity to the airport – near (> 20 to 40 km)

Proximity to the railway station – near (less than 5 km)

Proximity to the sports center – walking distance (300 m)









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Official hotels available for media







Zolotoy Kolos Health Resort 86, Kurortniy Prospekt, Sochi, 354019, Russia

Zolotoy Kolos Health Resort is located in the centre of Sochi, a 10-minute walk from the private beach on the Black Sea coast and a 10-minute drive from the city center, the Park Arboretum, circus, winter and summer theaters, exhibition hall, stadium and sailing center.

Rooms and suites

300 modern rooms in different price categories, including single and double rooms, "luxury" category rooms and 6 cottages with luxury apartments.

Transport

Proximity to the airport – near (> 20 to 40 km)

Proximity to the railway station – near (less than 5 km)

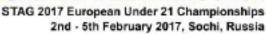
Proximity to the sports center – near (less then 1 km)













ETTU EVENTS IN 2017

January

24 European Championships Qualification (5th match) 26-27 European Champions League Men European Champions League Women- QF1 27-29 Men's ETTU Cup- QF1 Women's ETTU Cup- QF1

February

- 2- 5 European U21 Championships Socchi (RUS)
- 3- 5 ITTF Europe Top 16 Cup Juan-Les-Pins, Antibes (FRA)
- 8-10 European Champions League Men (QF2) 10-12 European Champions League Women (QF2)

Men's ETTU Cup (QF2) Women's ETTU Cup (QF2)

March

- 7 European Championships Qualification (6th match)
- 9-10 European Champions League Men (SF1) 10-12 Women's ETTU Cup (SF1) Men's ETTU Cup (SF1) European Champions League Women (SF1)

April

7- 9 European Champions League Women (SF2) Men's ETTU Cup (SF2) Women's ETTU Cup (SF2) 11 European Championships Qualification (play off match 1)
15-16 European Championships Qualification
Challenge (final group)

18 European Championships Qualification (play off match 2)

May

5- 7 European Champions League Women-Final 1

> Men's ETTU Cup- Final 1 Women's ETTU Cup- Final 1

11-14 European Champions League Men-Final 2

12-14 European Champions League Women
- Final 2
Men's ETTU Cup- Final 2

Women's ETTU Cup- Final 2

June

26 European Veterans Championships Helsingborg (SWE)

July

14-23 European Youth Championships Gondomar (POR)

September

8-10 Youth Top-10 Worcester (ENG) 13-17 ITTF European Championships Luxembourg (LUX)