

**NOTICE OF INVITATION**

**Meeting to discuss options for the establishment of an international governing body for Adventure Racing**  
**14h00 CET, Saturday 18 February 2023**

- For:** All athletes, clubs, associations, race directors, event producers, and other parties of interest in establishing the sport of adventure racing
- From:** Fédération Internationale de Sports d'Obstacles (FISO) Secretariat
- What:** Presentation of options for the establishment of an International Federation and formation of a volunteer working group "Technical Committee" to codify the sport of adventure racing worldwide. Application / nomination form attached.
- When:** Saturday, 18 February 2023  
 07.00 Americas (Chicago)  
 15.00 W Africa (Johannesburg)  
 18.30 Central Asia (Delhi)  
 21.00 East Asia (Manila/Beijing)  
 23.00 Oceania (Brisbane)
- Where:** Zoom on-line video conference

**Agenda:**

- 1) Call to order by FISO Deputy Secretary General, Mr. Michel Cutait
- 2) Introduction and overview: Mr. Ian Adamson, FISO President
  - a) Should adventure racing have an international governing body?
  - b) What is an International Federation and what does it do?
  - c) Who does it benefit?
  - d) Who runs an IF?
  - e) How does and IF work?
  - f) IF structural options: independent, collaborative, sport discipline
- 3) Q&A
- 4) Nomination / confirmations for Technical Committee members. *Positions shown on the World Obstacle website are not confirmed. This can only be done with consensus of the adventure racing community.*
  - a) Chair
  - b) Deputy Chair
  - c) Directors
  - d) Continental representatives
  - e) Sub Committees
    - i) Race Directors
    - ii) Athletes
- 5) Other Matters
- 6) End of official proceedings of the meeting
- 7) General discussion
- 8) Adjournment

- The meeting will be held via Zoom. Please ensure you have high speed phone / internet and test your connection 30 minutes prior to the start of the Congress. Waiting room will open 15 minutes before the opening.
- **ATTENDANCE AT THE MEETING IS OPEN TO ALL PARTIES OF INTEREST.** Please share this letter with anyone who has a genuine desire to contribute to the sport of Adventure Racing.
- The meeting will be moderated to ensure professionalism, ethical behavior, and productive contribution. Proceedings will be held under the principals of the FISO [Code of Ethics](#).
- Sports governance is complex. [Read this](#) for an introduction and overview to sports governance.

**Confirm your attendance and / or expressions of interest for technical committee positions** (please complete attached form) to [deputy.sg@worldobstacle.org](mailto:deputy.sg@worldobstacle.org)

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**Expression of Interest to Join and Form an Adventure Racing Technical Committee**

The technical committee is a volunteer working group to examine the feasibility and technical aspects of establishing an International Federation to codify the sport of adventure racing worldwide.

Position(s) of Interest (please mark all that apply):

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chair                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Race Directors Sub Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deputy Chair               | <input type="checkbox"/> Athletes Sub Committee       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Director                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Continental representative |   |

Applicant Information

Last (Family) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First (Fore) Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for joining the committee: \_\_\_\_\_

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Qualifications (e.g., sports governance, committee member of a recognized/Olympic sport):

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Do you have an interest, or are you involved in a commercial organization in adventure racing or related service, discipline, or event?  Yes  No

If yes, please provide details: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Applications will be presented at the founding meeting. Confirmed members will be subject to international standards regarding conflict of interest, ethics, and conduct. World Obstacle, the *Fédération Internationale de Sports d'Obstacles (FISO)*, is facilitating the meeting but the formation of an organization to govern adventure racing can only be done by the adventure racing community itself.