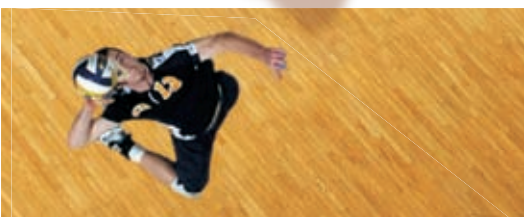


Dear colleagues,

The students and teachers of the University of Rijeka are happy and proud to host you and to open our doors to participants of the 7th European University Championship in Volleyball. The University of Rijeka being an open University for foreign students, teachers and researchers would also like to be a venue of sporting events and competitions for young generations. We enthusiastically work to create a student-friendly University and hope you will join us and enjoy in this cosmopolitan atmosphere.

The Rector, all the teaching and administrative staff and above all your colleagues students welcome you at the University of Rijeka.

Daniel Rukavina, Rector



The City of Rijeka invests large amounts of both funds and efforts in order to become a recognizable university city. This is why we have joyfully accepted the role of a main partner of European University Championship Volleyball. All participants of this Championship may expect a heartfull welcome and a couple of pleasant summer days in Rijeka.

Let the better one win, but let them all have fun!

Vojko Obersnel, the Mayor.

General information

Organisers:

1. Rijeka university sports association
2. Croatian university sports federation
3. University of Rijeka
4. City of Rijeka
5. Student Council University of Rijeka

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Competition dates: 17th July 2007 – 23rd July 2007

Other links:

www.rijeka.hr
www.tz-rijeka.hr
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www.uniri.hr



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RIJEKA

Rijeka is a Middle European city with Mediterranean soul.

With its 150,000 inhabitants, located on an area of only 44m² (250.000 in Metropolitan area) Rijeka is the third city in Croatia, second in economic power. On the basis of its turbulent history and rich cultural heritage, Rijeka created its recognisable identity as an open city, a multinational and multicultural centre, in which tolerance, understanding and coexistence have a special meaning and value.

Rijeka has a convenient geographical and traffic location, on the spot where the Adriatic went deep into the European continent.

The geographical position of Rijeka is crucial for its tourist image. This is where a visitor in transit meets the sea for the first time, regardless of whether coming by road or rail. The access to Rijeka is extremely attractive - both from the west and from the east - and the access from the sea offers the most charming view on Rijeka.

The area around Rijeka represents the most developed tourist region in Croatia, with a tradition dating back to the 19th century.

ARRIVAL / DEPARTURE POINTS

By train: The main train routes into Rijeka come from Salzburg (9 hrs away), Trieste (4 hrs), Vienna (6 hrs) and Zagreb (2-3 hrs). Trains between Amsterdam and Rijeka take up to 21 hours. Central railway and bus station is located 1km from the Students Hostel.

By air: Zagreb International Airport is situated 160 km from Rijeka. Trieste International Airport is 75 km from Rijeka. Krk International Airport is 30 km from Rijeka. Transport will be organised from all three airports, railway and bus station to the accommodation facilities in Rijeka by the organising committee.

ACCOMMODATION

All players will have the same standard of accommodation. They will be accommodated in the Students Hostel, a part of Students Campus, which is located 700m from City Centre.

COMPETITION

Men and women tournament.

1st Phase

16 Teams, 4 pools of 4 Teams each (A, B, C, D).

The draw will be held on arrival.

POOL A	POOL B	POOL C	POOL D
1A	1B	1C	1D
2A	2B	2C	2D
3A	3B	3C	3D
4A	4B	4C	4D

2nd Phase

Quarter Final Games

- (a) Winner 2 vs. Runner Up 3
- (b) Winner 3 vs. Runner Up 2
- (c) Winner 1 vs. Runner Up 4
- (d) Winner 4 vs. Runner Up 1

Semi-final Games

- (i) Winner (a) vs. Winner (c)
- (ii) Winner (b) vs. Winner (d)

Final Games

- (A) Third Place: Loser (i) vs. Loser (ii)
- (B) First Place: Winner (i) vs. Winner (ii)

The losers of quarter finals (a) to (d) will play for placing 5 to 8 according to a similar formula. The remaining teams will play according to a similar formula to determine placing 9 to 16.



Programme

16/07/2007 – Monday

- Arrivals
- Accreditations
- Technical Meeting
- Draw
- Opening Ceremony
- Welcome Party

17/07/2007 – Tuesday

- Competition and Training (1st Phase)
- Social Program

18/07/2007 – Wednesday

- Competition and Training (1st Phase)
- Gala dinner (reception with the Rector of University of Rijeka and Mayor of City of Rijeka)
- Social Program

19/07/2007 – Thursday

- Competition and Training (1st Phase)
- Social Program

20/07/2007 – Friday

- Free day
- Excursion to Adriatic islands
- Social Program

21/07/2007 – Saturday

- Competition and Training (2nd Phase)
- Social Program

22/07/2007 – Sunday

- Competition and Training (2nd Phase)
- Social Program

23/07/2007 – Monday

- Competition and Training (2nd Phase)
- Closing Ceremony
- Closing Party

24/07/2007 – Tuesday

- Departure