

# INFORMATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF WORLD C.K.A.

The **World C.K.A. Statute** was established on January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024, and defines the present Association as a Unit Sport Based (USB), with a registered office in Via Piccolpasso 9-11 – Perugia (PG) – 06128 – ITALY.

The U.S.B. is a non-profit organization aimed at promoting the development of amateur sports activities and other physical-sport, motor, and recreational activities related to the psycho-physical well-being of individuals.

In this regard, U.S.B. will provide adequate assistance to its members and/or affiliates of the National Organization to which it belongs, as further specified in the social statutory regulations.

The U.S.B. is governed by statutory regulations articulated in twelve points, which are parts of the document "World C.K.A. Statute".

According to the statutory regulations, the representative of U.S.B. is appointed as Mr. Marco Racano, born in Umbertide (PG) on 04/04/1985, with

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The representative is authorized to carry out all necessary procedures to obtain the affiliation and recognition of U.S.B. by C.S.E.N., a Sports Promotion Body recognized by C.O.N.I.

During the years, the present Association has organised various International Tournament Events.

The last one was the 20<sup>th</sup> World Open Championship C.K.A., on May 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>, 2024, in Perugia (Italy). The Tournament was attended by 101 sports teams and over 950 athletes coming from 15 countries.

Our competitions are structured to allow the most correct and appropriate division of athletes into categories, considering the style of kung fu practised, the athlete's age, and gender as discriminating criteria. Efficiency and athlete satisfaction in being evaluated are very important to us; therefore, we seek well-prepared and impartial judges, aligned with the same evaluation criteria.

In the venues where competitions are held, we maximize the space to place a sufficient number of platforms to ensure the smooth flow of performances and thus reduce the waiting time for athletes. We particularly care about finishing the competitions at times that allow athletes and their companions to return home or enjoy the evening in the host location.

We ensure the provision of catering services, pre-competition warm-up areas for athletes, and an adequate number of restrooms and changing rooms both inside and outside the sports halls.

Our ultimate goal is to organize high-level competitions that can satisfy the athletes and engage visitors and the community in these martial arts disciplines. We strongly believe in the value of sport and its ability to create lasting connections and bonds between cultures and people from different -Countries.

Further, the World C.K.A. has organised stages and training courses for national and international Masters, Instructors and Referees.

**Mr. Marco racano**

**President,**

**WCKA**



WORLD CHINESE KUNG FU ASSOCIATION (U.S.B.)

## **APPLICATION FORM**

Please return completed form to:

*World C.K.A. secretariat*

*Head Office Perugia (PG) via Piccolpasso 9-11*

*06128 – ITALY*

*info@worldcka.org*

*Our organization hereby applies for world c.k.a. membership. This is in agreement with the  
WORLD C.K.A. Statutes which we have received and been notified.*

Furthermore, we accept that:

- It is exclusive right of the WORLD C.K.A. Congress to decide at its next meeting on our membership status
- However, the Executive Board can decide on a provisional acceptance of the applicant as an associate member before the final decision of the Congress
- A member organization affiliated to the WORLD C.K.A. should have to pay an entry fee, which the amount shall be decided by the Executive Board



**Application Form for Membership**  
**WORLD CHINESE KUNG FU ASSOCIATION**  
*“Unit sport based”*

*--Development of culture among people--*

<b>Country:</b>			
<b>Organization:</b> <small>(Full name, logo)</small>			
<b>President:</b> <small>(Name, Surname)</small>			Please Insert <b>PHOTO</b>
<b>General Secretary:</b> <small>(Name, Surname)</small>			Please Insert <b>PHOTO</b>
<b>Status:</b> <small>(Full, Associated)</small>			
<b>Activities:</b>			
<b>Address:</b>			
<b>Phone:</b>		<b>Mobile:</b>	
<b>Website:</b>			
<b>E-mail:</b>			
<b>Signature/name</b>			
<b>Date:</b>			

## **STATUTE**

On January 23, 2024, a Unit Sport Based (USB) was established called:

“WORLD CHINESE KUNG FU ASSOCIATION” also abbreviated to “World C.K.A.”

### **Art. 1) CONSTITUTION; HEAD OFFICE; TIME**

The Unit Sport Based (USB) is established, a non-profit organization that will be able to carry out its activities throughout the national territory and at an international level.

The duration of the USB is indefinite.

### **Art. 2) NATURE AND PURPOSES**

USB affiliates itself with a Sports Promotion Body, declaring that it complies with the rules and directives of the IOC, CONI and the affiliating body and may also affiliate with sports and leisure organizations at various levels. The USB's main purpose, therefore, is to encourage the development of amateur sporting activities and teaching, providing adequate assistance to its members and/or members of the National Organization to which it belongs: this is achieved through the promotion, dissemination and exercise of all specific amateur sports activities in all their sectoral peculiarities, even if exercised in competitive methods and including educational activities for starting, updating and perfecting sports activities. The activity may include the management of sports facilities of any nature and technical sports equipment. All the necessary study and research phases on the subject will be taken care of.

The association intends as its main institutional purpose:

- The development, promotion, organization and dissemination of Chinese martial arts activities KUNG FU and combat sports in the specialties belonging to them in all its forms and manifestations, in the territory of the Italian State and at an international level;
- Promote educational activities for starting, updating and perfecting the practice of sports and culture as well as organizing technical education and coordination courses of institutional activities;
- Manage plants, own or third party ones, structures and premises of various kinds where to carry out the activity;
- Manage any shop for the exclusive use of members/members for the supply of ready-to-eat foods and drinks which becomes the meeting point and the place where the various initiatives of the association are conceived and organised;
- In a complementary way and in direct implementation of the institutional activity, organize initiatives, collect sponsorships and resell products linked to the above-mentioned activities to members/members only to satisfy the knowledge, entertainment and recreation needs of members/members.

### **Art. 3) ASSETS AND REVENUES**

The assets and income are made up of:

- a) any registration fees and contributions from members and/or adherents
- b) from movable assets that will become the property of the Association;
- c) from contributions from public or private entities;
- d) from income deriving from economic activities.

During the life of the USB, profits, operating surpluses, funds, reserves or capital cannot be distributed, even indirectly.

#### **Art. 4) MEMBERS/MEMBERSHIP; RIGHTS/DUTIES**

They are those who apply for admission to the USB. All Italian citizens, citizens of the European community and other continents who request it and declare that they share its social goals can be admitted to membership; for minors, the consent of a parent is required.

Other national and/or international sports bodies/organizations may also request to be admitted as a member/associates/membership upon written request from their legal representative/contact person; in the application for admission, the sports body/organization concerned declares that it knows, shares and fully accepts this Statute, any regulations and that it abides by the resolutions adopted by the associative bodies.

Admission can be refused only for serious reasons which in any case do not have to be recorded or communicated.

The qualification of associates/members, with the related rights and duties, is acquired with the decision of the contact person and delivery of the ID-card.

#### ***Membership of the USB involves:***

- a) full acceptance of the Articles of Association, its purposes and any regulations;
- b) the right to use the operational headquarters and its infrastructures, making correct use of them;
- c) any payment of the card and periodic membership fees;
- d) maintain respectful relationships with other members and the bodies of the USB.

The member/membership may withdraw from the USB without the right to any compensation, reimbursement or indemnity, by giving written notice to the Contact Person.

The loss of the status of associate\membership can occur due to:

- a) arrears;
- b) non-compliance with statutory and regulatory provisions;
- c) when in any way moral or material damage is caused to USB;
- d) for incorrect behavior.

Expulsions will be decided by the Contact Person without prior notice and with immediate effect.

#### **Art. 5) MEMBERSHIP FEE**

The amounts of the registration fees and contributions due by the members, if applicable, are established by the Contact Person who also provides the terms and methods of payment.

#### **Art. 6) MEETING/REPORT**

The Assembly is sovereign. It is made up of all Associates\Membership. All adults, up to date with their membership fees and/or having a valid annual membership card, have the right to vote at the rate of one vote each (Art. 2538, II paragraph, C.C).

The Assembly, upon convening the USB Representative, ordinarily meets once every four years to renew the corporate offices.

The Assembly meets on an extraordinary basis whenever a third of the members request it. The Assembly, both in ordinary and extraordinary sessions, decides by simple majority and is validly constituted on first call, with the presence of half plus one of those entitled to vote; in second call the meeting is valid regardless of the number of those present; the second call must be set at least one hour after the first.

For the dissolution of the USB, the favorable vote of three-quarters of those present is required. The Assembly is chaired by the Contact Person or, in the event of his/her impediment, by an associate designated by the same.

The resolutions are recorded in signed minutes.

#### **Art. 7) CORPORATE OFFICERS**

The Contact Person has the legal representation and signing powers of the USB and takes care of the execution of the resolutions of the Assembly. The Contact Person can carry out ordinary administrative acts for the normal activities necessary for the proper functioning of the USB and follows the accounting and administrative obligations.

#### **Art. 8) DISSOLUTION**

The dissolution, termination and extinction of the USB is decided by the Extraordinary Assembly.

#### **Art. 9) STATUTE/REGULATIONS**

Amendments to the Statute must be approved by the Assembly. The USB can also adopt internal regulations which must always be approved by the Assembly.

#### **Art. 10) ARBITRATION BOARD**

All possible disputes between the members and between them and the USB or its bodies will be subjected to the judgment of an Arbitration Board made up of three members, which judges without appeal and definitively and without particular procedural requirements.

The members of the Arbitration Board are designated respectively, one by each of the parties in dispute and the third, who assumes the role of President, by the first two arbitrators or, in case of disagreement, by the territorially competent Justice of the Peace. The resolution of the Arbitration Board binds all members and the BAS and its bodies, waiving the contracting parties from now on to any challenge to the arbitration award.

#### **Art. 11) REFERENCES**

For anything not provided for in this statute, reference is made to the regulations in force regarding associations as applicable.

#### **Art. 12) OFFICIAL LANGUAGE**

The Official language of the WORLD CKA is English.

#### **Art. 13) FLAG, SYMBOL**

The WORLD CKA shall have its Symbol, flag and song.

The symbol and Flag are the one made by GM Fulvi Giuliano, the first founder of WORLD CKA, and used since its inauguration congress on 1996.

