





NATIONAL MEMBER BODY OF THE WORLD DANCESPORT FEDERATION · RECOGNIZED SPORT ORGANIZATION OF THE US OLYMPIC & PARALYMPIC COMMITTEE
DEDICATED TO GROWING THE QUALITY AND QUANTITY OF DANCE IN THE USA

To all WDSF National Member Bodies

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to inform you that the WDSF Presidium granted the following Open WDSF title event to the United States. The event will be held at the 2022 Gumbo DanceSport Championships, hosted by Louisiana DanceSport.

• WDSF Open World Championship Senior II Ten Dance on November 26, 2022

Host city: New Orleans, Louisiana, United States

Venue: Sheraton New Orleans Hotel

Address: 500 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA 70130

Organizer: Louisiana DanceSport

Contact Email: registrar@louisianadancesport.org

Event website: <u>louisianadancesport.org</u>

Eligible participants:

As this is an Open World Championship, all couples of the competitive category of a WDSF Member Body are eligible to participate. All couples need to be registered through their own WDSF Member Body.

Entry:

Please send your completed entries on the attached entry form to: registrar@louisianadancesport.org no later than **Thursday, November 10, 2022**. Entries received later than this date will not be accepted.

Travel expenses and hotel accommodations will be paid by the couples.

The Senior II Ten Dance Open World Championship is part of the Gumbo DanceSport Championships. We will also hold 9 Open WDSF events in Senior I, II, and III Standard, Latin, and Smooth as well as USA Dance Amateur events. The <u>full schedule of events</u> is available on the

website. To enter other events besides the World Championship, competitors should complete the registration process on the Registration page of the website louisianadancesport.org.

Travel Information:

The nearest airport is **Louis Armstrong International Airport (MSY)** in New Orleans, LA. Taxi and Airport Shuttle are available as transportation to the venue. More <u>travel information</u> is available on the website.

Hotel Reservations:

The host hotel is the <u>Sheraton New Orleans Hotel</u> and a discounted rate to available to competitors. Make your reservations.

National Coaches:

We welcome one national coach from each WDSF Member Body. The coach will have free entry on the day of the competition. Please send the name of the National Coach to registrar@louisianadancesport.org.

Visa:

If you will need a Visa to enter the United States, please complete <u>the Visa Application form</u> on the website <u>louisianadancesport.org</u>.

Thank you for sharing this information with all your couples wishing to compete in the Senior II Ten Dance Open World Championship. We look forward to hosting your couples in New Orleans.

Best Regards,

Ken Richards

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