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INFORMATION BULLETIN 3

2025 FAI F1D EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR INDOOR MODEL AIRCRAFT, SENIORS and JUNIORS

November 24th-27th, 2025

(Opening Ceremony to Closing Ceremony)

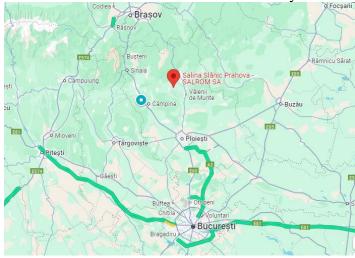
Slanic Prahova, România

WEBSITE https://frmd.ro/international-competitions-in-romania/

CONTEST DIRECTOR: Istvan Kiss, Romania **ORGANISER AND LOCATION**

- Romanian Modelling Federation in cooperation with the City Council of Slanic Prahova and the SALROM Company.
- The underground hall will be the same one that was used for all the F1D International Championships held in the UNIREA Salt Mine in Slănic. The underground hall is very well known among F1D enthusiasts and is located 104 km from Bucharest.
- The coordinates for contest site are: 45° 14′ 0″ N, 25° 56′ 21″ E.
- The underground "UNIREA" Hall is situated 70 m below "Mihai" Hall; Height: 56 m (Category IV); Length: 100 m; Width: 33 m; Average temperature: 11 degrees Celsius.

Access to the "Unirea" hall will be by minibuses, provided by the salt mining company.



RULES

The championship will run according to:

- FAI Sporting Code Section 4
- Aeromodelling CIAM General Rules 2020 Edition FAI
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- Aeromodelling Volume F1 Free Flight Model Aircraft 2020
- FAI Sporting Code General Section and FAI Code of Ethics 2020 Edition.

Anti-Doping Statement:

If a competitor has to take, by a medical condition, any of the substances listed on the WADA Prohibited List then he must have a Therapeutic Use Exemption from the FAI. On the website www.wada-ama.org you can find a quote from the FAI anti-doping regulations: "If you regularly take medication prescribed by your doctor and this medication is on the WADA prohibited list, you need to get a form called a TUE (therapeutic use exemption) filled out by your doctor. International level athletes must send the form to the FAI Secretariat, national level athletes send it to their National Air Sport Control".

FAI Sporting License: each competitor and team manager must possess a FAI Sporting License valid for the year of the championship. This license must be registered in the FAI licenses database.

NOTE: The holder of a FAI Sporting License may be required to produce an official document bearing his photograph and signature as proof of identity.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES English and Romanian.

FAI JURY: Ree Andras (HUN), Antonis Papadopoulos (GRE), Szilard Szijjarto (ROU)

EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Nr. Crt.	Country	Flag	тм	АТМ	F1D		European	Halpp	Sun	TV	Total
					Sen	Jun	Champion 2023	Helpp.	oup.	IK	Total
1	FRA		1		3						3
2	CRO		1		1						1
3	GBR		1		3						3
4	GER		1		1						1
5	ISR	\$	1		3	1					4
6	LTU		1		4						4
7	ROU		1	1	3			1		20	25
8	SUI	+	1		1						1
9	UKR		1		3						3
	Total		9	1	22		0	1	0	20	53
			TM	ATM	F1D		European Champion 2023	Helpp.	Sup.	тк	Total

COMPOSITION OF A NATIONAL TEAM

Each National Aero-club/National Federation, member of the FAI-CIAM may enter a team consisting of:

- team manager, team manager assistant
- senior competitors: maximum 3 competitors or a maximum of 4 competitors if at least one competitor is female
- junior competitors (age limit 18 years in the year 2025): maximum 3 competitors or a maximum of 4 competitors if at least one competitor is female
- according to the FAI Sporting Code, the reigning senior European Champion
- according to the FAI Sporting Code, the reigning junior European Champion (referring to the CIAM General Rule 2020; sections C.5.1 and C.5.3. d)
- official helpers, supporters

CLASSIFICATION AND AWARDS

Individual classification FAI medals and FAI diplomas will be awarded to the competitors seniors and juniors placed first, second and third.

The championships winner earns the title of European Champion irrespective of the number of nations.

The reigning European Champion 2023 (subject to the approval of his NAC) to participate in the championship(s) in that class regardless of whether or not he qualifies for the national team. If he is not a member of the national team, his score or place will not be considered in the team results.

Individual classification

FAI medals and FAI diplomas will be awarded to the competitors seniors and juniors placed first, second and third. All senior Females will compete for the overall senior individual classification. Additionally, there is a senior Female classification both with FAI medals and diplomas.

All Junior Females will compete for the overall junior individual classification. Additionally, there is a junior Female classification both with FAI medals and diplomas.

FAI medals and diplomas will be awarded to the first, second and third overall juniors. If only one or two overall juniors, compete in the class, they shall be awarded an FAI medal and diploma.

FAI medals and diplomas will be awarded to the first, second and third placed females, junior or senior. If only one or two females, junior or senior, compete in the class, they shall be awarded an FAI medal and diploma.

In order to award the title of Junior European Champion, junior competitors from at least four nations must participate. In order to award the title of Senior Female European Champion, senior female competitors from at least four nations must participate.

In order to award the title of Junior Female European Champion, junior female competitors from at least four nations must participate.

The reigning European Champion 2023 (subject to the approval of his NAC) to participate in the championship in that class regardless of whether or not he qualifies for the national team. If he is not a member of the national team, his score or place will not be considered in the team results.

Team classification

FAI medals and FAI diplomas will be awarded to each member (including three competitors with the best results and the team manager) of the teams placed first, second and third.

Other awards

The Organizer will offer trophies to all the competitors in the team and the team manager.

SCHEDULE

November 21: Arrival Day

19.00-21.00 Registration OTTO HINTS Memorial – Roberto Hotel

November 22, OTTO HINTS Memorial Competition Day

07.00-08.00 Breakfast

08.00-08.30 Access to the "Unirea" Hall

09.00-16.00 OTTO HINTS Memorial Competition, rounds 1-3

16.00- 16.30 Salt Mine departure

November 23: OTTO HINTS Memorial Competition Day, CE Technical Meeting

07.00-08.00 Breakfast

08.00-08.30 Access to the "Unirea" Hall

09.00-16.00 OTTO HINTS Memorial Competition, rounds 4-6

16.00- 16.30 Awarding Ceremony for OTTO HINTS Memorial

16.30- 17.00 Salt Mine departure

20.00-22.00 Final registration for European Championship, Roberto Hotel

November 24: Practice Day, Opening Ceremony, Final Registration

07.00-08.00 Breakfast

08.00-08.30 Access to the "Unirea" Hall

09.00-15.00 Official Practice

15.00-15.45 Opening Ceremony

16.00-16.30 Salt Mine departure

19.00-20.00 Technical Meeting, Roberto Hotel

November 25: First Competition Day

07.00-08.00 Breakfast

08.00-08.30 Access to the "Unirea" Hall

09.00-12.00 Round 1

12.00-13.00 Lunch time

13.00-16.00 Round 2

16.00-16.30 Salt Mine departure

November 26: Second Competition Day

07.00-08.00 Breakfast

08.00-08.30 Access to the "Unirea" Hall

09.00-12.00 Round 3

12.00-13.00 Lunch time

13.00-16.00 Round 4

16.00-16.30 Salt Mine departure

November 27: Third Competition Day, Awarding Ceremony, Closing Ceremony

07.00-08.00 Breakfast

08.00-08.30 Access to the "Unirea" Hall

09.00-12.00 Round 5

12.00-12.30 Lunch time

12.30-15.30 Round 6

15.30- 16.30 Awarding Ceremony, Closing Ceremony

16.30-17.00 Salt Mine departure

20.00 Banquet

November 28: Departure Day

07.00-08.00 Breakfast

08.00- 11.00 Departure

PROTESTS:

All protests must be presented in writing to the Contest Director at the competition site and must be accompanied by a deposit of 50 Euro. The deposit is to be returned if the protest is upheld only.

ENTRY FEES

1. OTTO HINTS Memorial

€ 150 / Senior Competitor

€ 100 / Junior Competitor

2. European Championship

€ 300 + 11/ Senior Competitor, Team Manager (€ 11 is equivalent for 10 CHF FAI taxes)

€ 250 + 11 / Junior Competitor, As. Team Manager (€ 11 is equivalent for 10 CHF FAI taxes)

€ 60 / Supporter, Helper

3. Transport to and access in Salt Mine for both competition

€ 10/day/ Person

Helium Included

ACCOMMODATION

Hotel Roberto - because of limited number of rooms first come, first served

Location

Address: Strada 23 August, Slănic 106200

Phone: +40787 764 952

Prices

€ 75/day/ person – single room, breakfast included

€ 45/ day/ person – double room or apartment (for 3 persons), breakfast included

€ 15/ day/ person – Lunch in the Salt Mine (can choose from three menus)

€ 20/ day/ person – Dinner (can choose from three menus)

€ 50/ adult person - Banquet

€ 40/ junior person -Banquet

DEADLINES

Preliminary Entry Form should be sent to the Organizers no later than the 10th of September 2025. Final Entry Form (to be sent after Bulletin 2) and the Entry Fees should be sent no later than the 1st of October 2025.

Payments sent after October 1, 2025 will include a 10% surcharge.

Payments sent after October 15th, 2025, will include a 15% surcharge.

Payments sent after November 1st, 2025, will include a 20% surcharge.

NOTE: Bank fees are the responsibility of the sender.

THE ACCOUNT TO WHICH YOU MUST TRANSFER THE AMOUNTS

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COD SWIFT: BRDE ROBU

IN BEHALF OF: FEDERATIA ROMANA DE MODELISM

ACCOUNT IBAN: RO42BRDE410SV18443524100

TITLE: ECH F1D ENTRY FEES

INSURANCE

The organizer will provide a limited third-party liability insurance covering all competitors for model accidents involving injury to others and damage to property. It is recommended that individual health and travel insurance is purchased before travelling. For EU citizens, health care is covered under Social Health Care on presentation of an EU 11 form available in the country of residence. Citizens from outside of EU should provide their own health insurance to cover illness and travel insurance. The Organizers are not responsible for any kind of PERSONAL injury, loss, theft or damage to people or property OUTSIDE OF THE COMPETITION. The Organizers will cover third party damage during the contest.

Visa requirements

For those countries where the Romanian Entry Visa is asked for, it can be obtained from The Romanian Embassies/Consulates.

For more information, please consult the Romanian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. (www.mae.ro/en/node/2040)

Citizens belonging to the countries members of EU do not need an Entry Visa.

Registration of the national teams

On registration, the Team Manager must present the FAI licenses, an updated entry form (if any changes), a national flag (1m x 1,5m), national anthem on memory stick, and the payment order only if paid late.

Romania is a Schengen Member Country.

Transportation

The organizer will provide free transportation for the members of the FAI jury. Transportation from the Roberto Hotel to Unirea Salt Mine is 10 euros/day/person.

ORGANISER CONTACT DETAILS:

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We are looking forward to welcome you all in Slanic Prahova!

National Air sports Control NAC: Romanian Modelling Federation