



Application form for the introduction and intermediate level course for Para Dance Sport coaching

World Para Dance Sport would like to thank you for your interest in participating in our education programme. This course provides an introduction to World Para Dance Sport for coaches and dancers, who are eager to develop skills to practice and teach Para Dance Sport.

The participants of the Introductory course offered in 2018 are welcomed to join the intermediate level. The attendance of the introduction part during the first day of the course again is highly recommended.

The course will be conducted by one member of the World Para Dance Sport Technical Committee.

Please submit the below form, fully completed including any necessary attachments, to Info@WorldParaDanceSport.org. Before filling in the form, please carefully read the below programme details:

Programme dates:

- Arrival date: 17 September 2019
- Course: 18, 19 and 20 September 2019
- Departure date: 21* September 2019

*participants of the course are welcome to stay and attend the 2019 Beigang Open on 20 and 21 September.

Programme location: No 238.Minle Rd. Beigang Township
Yunlin County 651
Taiwan (R.O.C.)

Participant fee: 120 Euros

The participation fee includes: attendance, coffee breaks and participation certificate.



Please note that as a participant of the programme it will be your responsibility to arrange flights and ground transport as well as any insurance that you may need (e.g. medical). It will also be your responsibility to arrange accommodation and meals.

The organisers of the Beigang Open can support the participants with accommodation at the Hotel Saint Art HOTEL at 4F No.146, Zhongshan Rd., Beigang Township, Yunlin County 651, Taiwan (R.O.C.).

- 100 EURO for single room one day (including 3 meals and afternoon tea)
- 145 EURO for double room a day (including 3 meals and afternoon tea)
- 150 EURO for transportation 3 days (including airport - high-speed rail - hotel - workshop)

Please contact Mrs. Theresa Tsai - tsaihsiuhui@yahoo.com.tw – and she will arrange it and book the hotel for you.

The nearest airports are: Taoyuan International airport and Kaohsiung International airport.

Candidate profile for the programme:

Candidates must have:

- Completed the free online course: IPC introduction to Para Sport <http://ipc-academy.org/?academy=1&course=47>
- An interest in Paralympic sports and specifically Para Dance Sport;
- Desire to serve as a dance coach;
- Coaching or other relevant background in the sport of World Para Dance Sport or Dance Sport is welcome;
- Dancers are welcome if a rational is provided.

Candidates must send, in addition to this application form, the following documents:

- Curriculum Vitae or Resume with information about education and professional experience in dance (if the case);
- Certificates and other documents validating your qualifications;
- IPC Introduction to Para Sport online course certificate of completion*.

*participants of the Introductory course offered in 2018 do not need to send the IPC Introduction to Para Sport online course certificate.

Learning objectives:

- Understanding of the development of World Para Dance Sport
- Understanding of the World Para Dance Sport Rules and Regulations
 - Wheelchair options that can be used for Para dance Sport
 - The use of space in the wheelchair
 - Different styles (Single dance, Duo dance, Combi dance freestyle/showdance)
 - Technique and practice for single dance
 - Similarities and differences among combi styles and duo styles
 - Judging criteria in approved WPDS competitions
- Understanding of the World Para Dance Sport Classification Rules and Regulations
 - Eligible impairment types for Para Dance Sport
 - Classification, medical information and doping
- Understanding technical aspects of dancing with a wheelchair
- Getting started
 - Partner connection and leadership
 - Working with dancers
 - Aspirations
- The body and wheelchair in one unit
 - Wheelchairs, basic steps, moves and turns (combi)
 - Body coordination and connection of two main elements
 - Difference between sitting female athlete and male athlete with standing female and male standing partner.

Outcomes:

1. Candidates that complete the course will receive a certificate confirming attendance to the introductory course to Para Dance Sport.

Please write down your details:

Last name:		
First name:		
Gender:		
Nationality:		
Date of Birth:		
Full address: (street, city, ZIP code, country)		
Email address:		
Mobile phone number:		
What is your native language?		
Are you fluent in English?	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
What is your profession?		
What are your qualifications (e.g. university degree, professional certifications)?		
Do you have the support of your NPC* to participate in this programme?	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
If yes, which is your NPC?		
If yes, NPC contact person name:		
Documents attached to this form:	<input type="checkbox"/> Any certificates proving qualification as outlined in the candidate profile above (e.g. certificate, coaching certificates)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Any relevant certificates	

* National Paralympic Committee



Have you attended the Introductory course offered in Michigan in June 2018?

If you have experience as a Para Sport Coach, please list your experience below (e.g. competitions officiated, type and number of athletes coached):

If you have any experience with Para sport in roles other than Coach for Dance or Para Dance Sport, please provide a brief description below (e.g. adjudicator, team official):

Signature of the applicant: _____

Below only to be filled out by applicants who are members, volunteers or coaches with their National Paralympic Committee / National Federation:

Name of the NPC / NF: _____

NPC / NF signature: _____

NPC / NF stamp:



Invoicing instructions for participant fee (if different from contact details above):

Name/Organisation:	
Full address: (street, city, ZIP code, country)	
Email:	

Please return your application form no later than 05 August 2019 to:

By email: Info@WorldParaDanceSport.org

The candidates will have their participation confirmed by 10 August. Candidates will receive an invoice for the participant fee and once the fee is paid, the participant has confirmed his/ her attendance and the fee can no longer be refunded.

Invoices to be paid by 15 August.

Please be informed that there are a limited number of participants.