



5<sup>th</sup> EJU Kata Tournament  
29° Trofeo Villanova 2012 – Italia



5<sup>th</sup> KATA E.J.U. TOURNAMENT 2012  
and  
NATIONAL GRAND PRIX ITALY  
PORDENONE – ITALIA  
21 – 22<sup>th</sup> April 2012

With cooperation  
Polisportiva Villanova Judo Libertas



COMPETITION RULES



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## 1. Technical Information

### 1.1 PLACE:

Pordenone- ITALIA, Sports Hall, via Fratelli Rosselli

### 1.2 DATE:

The competition will be held from 21 April to 22 April 2012  
21 April 2012 - EJU Kata Competition  
22 April 2012 - National Kata Grand Prix

### 1.3 BACK NUMBERS:

The official EJU/IJF back number is required.

Please order your official EJU/IJF back number on <http://www.mybacknumber.com/>

### 1.4 KATA

The Kata recognised for this tournament, will be five:

- Nage -no - kata;
- Kime - no - kata;
- Katame – no – kata;
- Kodokan – Goshin – jitsu;
- Ju-no-kata
- **Judo Show**

The IJF Kata "Criteria for Kata Evaluation" will be used to judge the Kata with reference also to the official Kodokan edition of video.

### 1.5 PARTECIPATION:

- The competitors can only participate in **ONE** Kata.
- The competitors must be of the same nationality as the country which enters them.
- Competitors who have double nationality can only represent 1 participating country.
- Each federation may enter up to a maximum of 3 couples per Kata, totaling up to a maximum of 15 couples.

### 1.6 REGISTRATION:

The nominal inscriptions must be entered on the attached form and sent to [ejukata.villanova@gmail.com](mailto:ejukata.villanova@gmail.com) Deadline is 15 day before the tournament, **7<sup>th</sup> April 2012**.

#### Entry fee

The inscription fee for **EJU Kata Tournament** is 50 Euro per participating couple and per Kata. Payment must be made **before 7 April 2012** at the:

*ORGANISING COMMITTEE:- Polisportiva Villanova , Via Pirandello 35 – 33170 Pordenone Italia*  
*ACCOUNT:*

*Name of Bank: BCC Pordenonese Fil.Borgomeduna*

*Swift code: ICRAITRR9WO*

*IBAN: IT72Z0835612502000000015305*

*Beneficiary: JUDO POLISPORTIVA VILLANOVA – EJU kata 2012*



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The inscription fee for **Gran Prix Italia** is 10 Euro per participating couple and per Kata and it is free for foreign competitors.

**All payments entered after the inscriptions deadline will be 60 Euro per couple and per kata for EJU Tournament and 20 Euro for Gran Prix Italia.** Once the inscription fee is paid it will not be refundable if the competitors fail to participate in the competition.

Download Registration, Accommodation and Travel forms from the EJU website ([www.eju.net](http://www.eju.net)) using the following link below:-

<http://www.eju.net/calendar/?mode=showEvent&id=1263&q=kata&ageGroupId=&gender=both&typeId=&organiserId=&levelId=&date=2012>

**OR**

from the organizer site [www.palazen.org](http://www.palazen.org)

## 1.7. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FEDERATIONS

Medical certificate

The gender certificate and the medical certificate of the participants are not required. The participants will compete under the full responsibility of their federations.

Insurance.

Each national federation is responsible for insuring its competitors against "injury and third part risk (public liability)" during the period of the tournament and the camp. The FIJLKAM (Italian Judo Federation) and the EJU decline all responsibility.

Attitude of the competitors

The member-federations are responsible vis-à-vis the EJU concerning the general attitude of their competitors.

## 1.8. ANTI-DOPING

No anti-doping tests are done at the Kata Italian Tournament.

## 1.9. CLOTHING

### Uniform

- Strongly made in cotton or similar material, in good condition (without rent or tear).
- The competitions will be held in white judogi.
- The jacket shall be long enough to cover the thighs and shall at a minimum reach to the fists when the arms are fully extended downwards at the sides of the body. The body of the jacket shall be worn with the left side crossed over the right and shall be wide enough to have a minimum overlap of 20cm at the level of the bottom of the rib-cage.
- The sleeves of the jacket must reach to the wrist joint at the maximum and 5 cm above the wrist joint at the minimum. A space of 10-15 cm shall exist between the sleeve and the arm, along the entire length of the sleeve.
- The trousers shall be long enough to cover the legs and shall at the maximum reach the ankle joint and at the minimum 5cm above the ankle joint. A space of 10-15cm



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shall exist between the trouser leg and the leg along the entire length of the trouser leg.

- The belt is black, 4 to 5 cm wide and long enough to go twice around the waist and leave 20 to 30 cm protruding from each side of the knot when tied.
- Female competitors shall wear under the jacket a plain white T-shirt, with short sleeves, rather strong, long enough to be worn inside the trousers.

EJU Kata Championship back number must be applied on the back of the jacket: no old back numbers are allowed.

Zori or mules are part of the uniform.

### **Acceptable markings:**

- National emblem on left breast of jacket maximum size 100 cm<sup>2</sup>
- Manufacturer's trade mark on bottom-front of the jacket, on bottom front of the left leg of the trousers and on the belt. Maximum size 20 cm<sup>2</sup>
- Shoulder markings from collar, across shoulder down the arm on both sides of the jacket with the same advertising or national colours on both sides. Maximum length = 25 cm – Maximum width 5 cm.

### **Hygiene:**

- The Judogi shall be clean, dry and without unpleasant odour.
- The nails of the feet and hands shall be cut short.
- The personal hygiene of the athletes shall be of a high standard
- Long hair has to be bound with an elastic band.
- Spectacles & jewellery pieces are prohibited.

### **1.10. COMPETITION FORMULA**

**FINAL:-**

Up to 9 participants direct final.

10 participants and over:- 2 preliminary and 3 best results of each go to final.

For each Kata the pair with the maximum points will be awarded the gold medal, the couple with the second best points will be awarded the Silver medal; and the third, the Bronze medal.



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## 2. Judges

### 2.1 LEVEL OF THE JUDGES

The contest will be judged by IJF/EJU or National qualified Kata Judges. Kata Rules to be followed as published by the EJU. The Judge will evaluate these Kata on the basis of the official Kodokan Kata standard, according and with reference to the official KDK edition of video.

### 2.2 POINT SYSTEM

The Judges are five and will award points on the official EJU scoring sheet. The total score of three Judges will be totaled to produce the final score: the maximum score and the minimum score will be cancelled.

Each technique and opening and closing ceremonies are evaluated with a maximum positive score of 10 points. The positive score is decreased by mistakes. The evaluation of every technique of the Kata has to consider the principle and the opportunity of execution; the evaluation (including the opening and closing ceremony) has to be global.

#### Definition of mistakes:

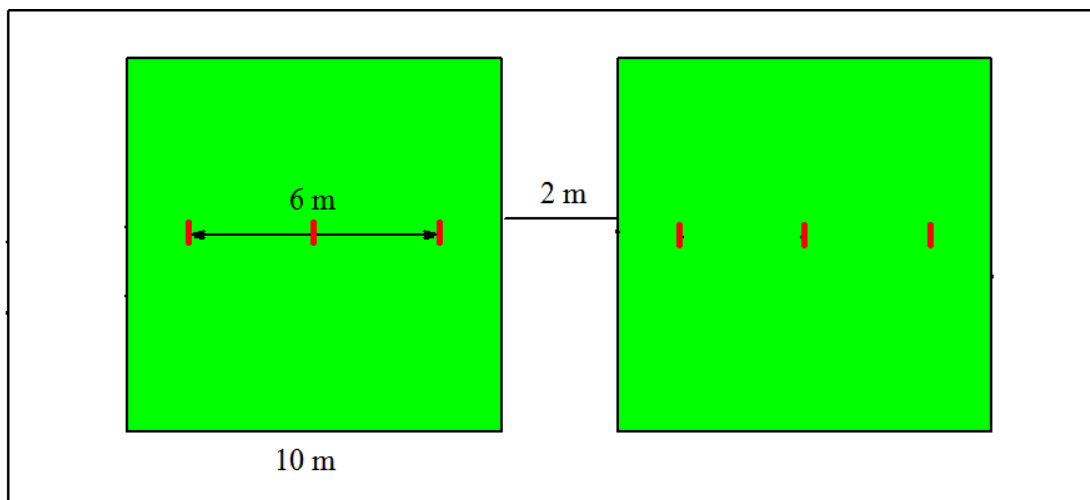
- **Forgotten technique** – score is Zero and the total score of the Kata is halved. If the forgotten technique is more than one, zero score will be given to the technique but the total score will not be halved again. If the halved total value is not a whole number, the score will be rounded up.
- **Big mistake:** when the execution of the principle is incorrect (5 points are deducted and the maximum number of crosses is 1)
- **Medium Mistake:** when one or more elements of the principle are not applied in the correct way (3 points are deducted and the maximum number of crosses is 1).
- **Small mistake:** imperfection in the application of the technique (1 point is deducted and the maximum number of crosses is 2).

For every technique without a big mistake, the minimum score has to be 5. The evaluation of fluidity, course and rhythm represents the global vision of the whole Kata (including the rei):

- If there is no big mistake in the Kata, the minimum result will be 5 and the maximum 10.
- If there is a big mistake in the Kata (including the rei), the score must not be more than 5.
- In case of a forgotten technique, the score of fluidity, course and rhythm is zero.
- In the Nage no Kata, right and left techniques will be evaluated globally (only one score).
- In case of equal score between pairs, the following criteria will be applied:
  - Total value of big mistakes - who makes less mistakes wins;
  - If still equal, total value of medium mistakes will be considered. - the pair who makes less mistakes wins;
  - If still equal, total value of small mistakes will be considered - the pair who makes less mistakes wins;
  - If still equal, the score of fluidity will decide. The pair with the better score wins
  - If two pairs are both placing 3rd after the above mentioned criteria, the kata will be repeated in order to assign the medal.

### 2.3 COMPETITION AREA

The Competition area has max dimensions 10 x 10 metres and shall be covered by Tatamis or similar acceptable material, generally green in colour. The Competition area must be fixed to a resilient floor. When more adjoining competition areas are used, a common safety area of max 2 metres is necessary



A strip of visible colour adhesive tape, approximately 10 cm. wide and 50 cm. long, shall be fixed on the centre of the competition area 6 m. apart, to indicate the starting position of Tori and Uke. The centre of the Competition area shall be indicated with a strip of adhesive tape of the same colour.

### 2.4 SYSTEM OF JUDGING

Each Kata shall be evaluated by five judges under the supervision of the EJU Kata Commission.

The five judges will be positioned on the Shomen side and they will seat at about 1m distance from each other. The position of the five judges will be the same for all the competition.

If one judge is temporarily replaced, he will take place in the same original position when he re-enters the competition. A Judge cannot be a competitor.

The judges shall always be in their position before the arrival of the couple in the competition area. The couple enters the competition area at the opposite side of shomen in the centre. Then they reach their corner.

The judge in the centre at shomen side gets up and, with tense arms and palms of the hands turned upward, invites the couple to enter the competition area. Each competitor reaches their position. After the bow, at the end of the Kata, the couple leaves the competition area walking until they reach the same side they entered.

### 2.6 INJURY, ILLNESS and ACCIDENT

When Tori or Uke is unable to continue because of injury, illness or accident during the execution of the Kata, the couple will be considered out of competition.

In case of Minor injury, like bloody wound, broken nail or a problem with contact lenses, according to the decision of the judges, the Kata execution will be stopped and the athlete will be assisted by a Doctor out of the competition area. The competition will continue and the couple will repeat entirely the Kata soon after the last called couple. In case a new Minor injury occurs to the same athletes during the second execution of Kata, the couple will be considered out of competition.



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If Minor injury occurs after a forgotten technique, the couple will be considered out of competition.

## 2.7. JUDGES MEETING

All Judges are to arrive with the teams at the Ge.Tur Tourist Village on Friday before the competition, to qualify to judge the Tournament. Only judges are to attend this seminar. A Judges' Meeting is scheduled on Saturday morning at 08:15. It is strictly compulsory for all the judges to attend this meeting.

## 2.8. INVITATION

Only official invitation teams directly from Organizing Committee/Fijlkam.

## 2.9. AWARDING

First three couples in each Kata will receive prize



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## 3. Local information

### 3.1 HALL

Palazzetto dello Sport  
Via Fratelli Rosselli  
33170 Pordenone  
ITALIA

### 3.2 NEAREST AIRPORT

TRIESTE / VENICE / TREVISO

### 3.3 NEAREST TRAIN STATION

Main Station : Pordenone

### 3.4 HOTEL RESERVATION

There is no obligations to make reservation at the hotel below!

The official hotel offered by the Organizing Committee is:-

**Hotel Santin**  
**Via delle Grazie**  
**33170 Pordenone**

Reservation for this Hotel must be made only through the Organising Committee.

The special price for competitors is:-

Double or more room: 45 € per person per night including breakfast and dinner.  
Single room : 55 € per night including breakfast and dinner.

Reservations should be sent to: [ejukata.villanova@gmail.com](mailto:ejukata.villanova@gmail.com)

Payment must be made to the organisers at moment of registration

## Organiser's information

*Event Organiser Committee:*

FIJLKAM in cooperation with Polisportiva Villanova Judo Libertas

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## **Annex 1. DEADLINES**

### 1.1. Numerical Inscription

\_\_01st April 2012\_\_

### 1.2. Nominal Inscription

\_\_7th April 2012\_\_

### 1.3. Judge Inscription

\_\_10th April 2012\_\_

### 1.4. Hotel reservation and travel schedule

\_\_7th April 2012\_\_

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## **Annex 2: Provisional Program – Zeitplan – Programme**

<b>ZEITPLAN (Provisorischer Zeitplan)</b>	<b>PROGRAM (Provisional time schedule)</b>	<b>PROGRAMME (Sous réserve de modifications)</b>
<p>Freitag, den 20. April</p> <p>Anreise der Delegationen 16.00 - 19.00 Uhr Anpassung und Finanzielle - Akkreditierung 19.00 – 20.00 Uhr Kampfrichterbesprechung</p> <p><b>Samstag, den 21. April</b></p> <p>09.00 Uhr Beginn der Vorkämpfe ○ NAGE NO KATA ○ KIME NO KATA ○ KATAME NO KATA ○ KODOKAN GOSHIN JITSU ○ JU NO KATA Infolge finale und Siegieierung</p> <p>14.30 FINALS</p> <p>15.30 Judo Show Infolge Finale und Siegieierung</p> <p>Am Ende des Wettbewerbs: STAGE OF KATA</p> <p><b>Sonntag, den 22. April</b> Nationale Grand Prix Kata</p>	<p>Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p>Arrival of delegations 16.00 - 19.00 Financials &amp; Hotel Check-in - Registration 19.00 – 20.00 Judges Seminar</p> <p><b>Saturday, 21<sup>th</sup> April</b></p> <p>09.00 Preliminaries ○ NAGE NO KATA ○ KIME NO KATA ○ KATAME NO KATA ○ KODOKAN GOSHIN JITSU ○ JU NO KATA following final block and awarding ceremony</p> <p>14.30 FINALS</p> <p>15.30 Judo Show following final block and awarding ceremony</p> <p>At the end of the competition: STAGE OF KATA</p> <p><b>Sunday 22<sup>st</sup> April</b> National Grand Prix Kata 09.00 Preliminaries</p>	<p>Vendredi le 20 April</p> <p>Arrivée des délégations 16h00 - 19h00 Enregistrement à l'hôtel et contrôle des paiements de logement - Accréditations 19h00 - 20h00 Réunion des juges</p> <p><b>Samedi le 21 April</b></p> <p>09h00 Préliminaires ○ NAGE NO KATA ○ KIME NO KATA ○ KATAME NO KATA ○ KODOKAN GOSHIN JITSU ○ JU NO KATA suivant finales et remise de récompense</p> <p>14h30 FINALS</p> <p>15.30 Judo Show suivant finales et remise de récompense</p> <p>STAGE de KATA, suivant la competition</p> <p><b>Dimanche le 22 April</b> Grand Prix nationale du kata 09h00 Préliminaires</p>

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2012** from 16.00 to 19.00

Application and registration at the HOTEL SANTIN, VIA DELLE GRAZIE, PORDENONE

**Saturday 21<sup>th</sup> April 2012**

EJU TOURNAMENT: from 08.00 am to 08.30am at PALAZZETTO DELLO SPORT, VIA FRATELLI ROSSELLI, PORDENONE

**Sunday 22<sup>th</sup> April 2012**

GRAN PRIX ITALIA KATA: from 08.00am to 08.30am at PALAZZETTO DELLO SPORT, VIA FRATELLI ROSSELLI, PORDENONE