

Golden State

International *WuShu* Championships

加州国际武术锦标赛



HIGHLIGHTS!



- ✘ \$15,000+ Youth Wushu Elite Scholarship – Trials
- ✘ World Wushu Open Championships (WWOC) Hall of Fame -Trials
- ✘ WWOC Grand Championships Trials (2025) and Final (2026)
- ✘ Coverage by the official Wushu magazine (中华武术)
- ✘ Event + University Study Tour & Event + Tour
- ✘ Tai Chi Science and Sports Health Conference - Preparatory Meeting
- ✘ First-Time Competitor & Encouragement Award
- ✘ U.S. National Kungfu Team Trials

In-person and Online Competitions

May 24-25, 2025

Santa Clara Convention Center
CA, USA

Registration
Feb 1st to Apr 21



\$15,000 +
Preliminary Round
Youth Wushu Elite
Scholar!

Grand Championships
Trials and Final
WWOC Hall of Fame Trials!



First-Timer
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17th Golden State International Wushu Championships

(Including On-Site Competition and Online Video Competition)

Hosted By: World Taiji Science Federation (WTSF)

Co-Hosted By: Chinese Wushu Magazine (Official Chinese Wushu Media)

Sponsored By: KungFuDirect.com (KFD)

Sanctioned By: USA Wushu-Kungfu Federation (USAWKF)

Event Introduction

Since its inception in 2010, the 17th Golden State International Wushu Championships has been dedicated to promoting and developing global Wushu culture. It has now become one of the most influential international Wushu events. This championship covers multiple categories, including traditional Wushu, Contemporary Wushu, Taijiquan, and Health Qigong, bringing together major styles from the North and South, showcasing the diversity and essence of Wushu techniques.

Over 17 years of growth, the Golden State International Wushu Championships has accumulated valuable experience. With its excellent event organization, fair and impartial judging team, and well-equipped venues, it has left a great impression on numerous teams and athletes.

In 2026, the organizing committee plans to further elevate the event by launching the "1st World Wushu Open Championships (WWOC)®". A preparatory meeting for the 2026 1st World Wushu Open Championships is scheduled for May 23, 2025, during the Golden State International Wushu Championships. The goal is to establish an international Wushu exchange platform, build a global Wushu communication mechanism, and promote the worldwide spread and development of Chinese Wushu culture while shaping the World Wushu Open Championships (WWOC)® into a global brand event.

Event Highlights



I. Youth Wushu Elite Scholarship Program, All-Around Grand Champion Preliminaries & Finals, and WWOC Wushu Hall of Fame

1) Wushu Elite Scholarship Fund

- a. WTSF will provide an initial fund of **\$15,000+**, supplemented by additional public donations.
- b. The final scholarship amount will be announced before the registration deadline of the 2026 1st World Wushu Open Championships (WWOC) .
- c. Winning athletes will receive their scholarships in full on-site. Scholarships are for personal use but should be applied toward Wushu-related expenses such as tuition, uniforms, and equipment.

2) All-Around Grand Champion Trials & Finals

WTSF will select 28 athletes from the 11-16 age group in Contemporary and traditional all-around events and the 13-18 age group in Taijiquan all-around events at the 2025 Golden State International Wushu Championships to compete in the 2026 Grand Champion Finals.

The Grand Champion Finals and Scholarship Awards will not be divided by age groups but will be categorized by gender and event type, ranking based on the highest scores.

- 6 First-Prize Winners: "Golden Dragon" Wushu Scholarship and Trophy (\$1000 + fundraising contributions)
- 10 Second-Prize Winners: "Silver Tiger" Wushu Scholarship and Trophy (\$600 + fundraising contributions)
- 12 Third-Prize Winners: "Bronze Crane" Wushu Scholarship and Trophy (\$300 + fundraising contributions)

3) WWOC Grand Champion List and the Wushu Hall of Fame.

The organizing committee, in collaboration with **Zhonghua Wushu magazine**, will establish the "Annual All-Around Grand Champion List" and the "WWOC Youth Wushu



Elite Hall of Fame" on both the event website and the association's website based on competition results. Additionally, a series of promotional reports will be conducted in partnership with professional Wushu and Tai Chi media platforms that co-organize the event.

The 2026 Wushu Scholarship recipients and All-Around Grand Champion List will also be published in "Zhonghua Wushu" magazine and other professional media outlets.

II. First-Time Participants & Encouragement Awards

- All first-time participants will receive Encouragement Award Medals, Encouragement Award Medals (Please specify in the registration system)..
- Athletes who complete all their registered events but do not receive any medals will be awarded Encouragement Award Medals by the organizing committee.

III. Online Video Competition

The Golden State International Wushu Championships is not only an on-site competition but also features an online video competition. Wushu enthusiasts worldwide can participate by recording and uploading their performances, making it a convenient way to showcase their skills internationally. The online competition also provides an opportunity for participants to familiarize themselves with the competition process, preparing them for future on-site events.

IV. USA National Kungfu Team Trials

Selected traditional Kungfu athletes will represent the USA in:

- 10th World Traditional Wushu Championships (China - Mount E-Mei)
- 5th Pan American Traditional Wushu Championships (Mexico)

V. 2026 1st World Wushu Open Championships Preparatory Meeting & Welcome Banquet

Date: May 23, 2025, 18:30-21:30

Location: Santa Clara Convention Center



Objective: To establish an international Wushu exchange platform and communication mechanism for promoting and leading the global expansion of Chinese Wushu culture. The aim is to build the World Wushu Open Championships into a premier global brand event.

VI. Taiji Science & Sports Health Conference Preparatory Meeting

In the context of rapid growth in the global sports and health industry, Taiji Science, as a model of traditional wisdom combined with Contemporary science, is becoming a significant research focus in the international sports and health sector. Taking advantage of the influence of the 2026 FIFA World Cup and the 2028 Los Angeles Olympics, the organizing committee will host the International Taiji Science & Sports Health Conference Preparatory Meeting on May 23, 2025, at the Santa Clara International Convention Center.

The conference will provide an international cooperation platform, enhance cooperation mechanisms, and explore future directions for Taiji Science, sports health, and interdisciplinary integration. The goal is to promote international sports and cultural exchanges and drive innovation in the global sports and health industries.

VII. Wushu Competition Study Tour & Exchange Program





During the Golden State International Wushu Championships, study tour programs to Stanford University and UC Berkeley will be organized. Participants will not only compete but also visit and learn at these prestigious universities.

Participants will have a comprehensive tour of Stanford University and attend short courses taught by Stanford professors and researchers, experiencing the academic atmosphere of a top-tier university; They will also gain insights into Stanford's Medical Taiji Course and Wushu Tai Chi Club activities; If time permits, the program will include a visit to UC Berkeley, where participants can engage with UC Berkeley's Wushu Club.

More details and tour inquiries can be found on the [Competition website](#).



Competition Organization

		
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Regulation

I. Competition Organization

Hosted By: World Taiji Science Federation (WTSF)

The World Taiji Science Federation (WTSF), formerly known as the National Tai Chi Wellness Foundation, was founded in 2008 and renamed in 2021. It is a nonprofit organization registered in California, USA, comprising higher education institutions, research institutes, industry associations, and international experts, scholars, and professors in sports health and wellness from the Americas, Europe, and China.

WTSF is dedicated to promoting global Tai Chi scientific research and sports health culture through various means such as scientific research, academic exchanges, forums, and competitive events. The federation also publishes both print and digital versions of the academic journal Journal of Taiji Science. This journal focuses on areas such as mental health, sports, medicine, and wellness training while also covering humanities and other related research fields.

Co-Hosted By: Chinese Official Wushu Magazine

Chinese Wushu Magazine (Zhonghua Wushu 中华武术), founded in 1982, is published by China Sports Publications Corporation and supervised by the General Administration of Sport of China. As a monthly publication, the magazine aims to promote and popularize Chinese Wushu, disseminate Wushu theories, techniques, and knowledge, and advance international Wushu development.

The magazine covers various sections, including Wushu history, techniques, theories, and renowned practitioners. Each issue features articles written by well-known Wushu experts and scholars from China and abroad, sharing their insights and research findings.

Additionally, the magazine regularly reports on Wushu competitions, showcasing outstanding performances in competitive Wushu. Due to its authoritative and practical



content, Chinese Wushu enjoys widespread influence in the global Wushu community and is well received by readers.

Sponsored By: KungFuDirect.com (KFD)

KungFuDirect.com (KFD), as a leading martial arts equipment and supplies provider in North America, offers high-quality martial arts training gear, apparel, weapons, and competition equipment for martial artists and coaches. Serving as a one-stop purchasing platform, KFD actively sponsors, promotes, and supports Wushu events and activities in the United States and internationally. KFD has been a continuous sponsor of various Pan-American and U.S. Wushu competitions and events, contributing to the global promotion and development of Wushu culture.

Sanctioned By: USA Wushu-Kungfu Federation (USAWKF)

The USA Wushu-Kungfu Federation (USAWKF) represents the United States among the 160 member nations of the International Wushu Federation (IWUF), which is recognized by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) as the governing body for Wushu worldwide. USAWKF is responsible for the promotion, organization, and management of Wushu competitions in the United States within the IWUF system, including national team selections and official events.

II. Competition Information

Competition Venue:

Santa Clara Convention Center
5001 Great America Parkway,
Santa Clara, CA 95054

Official Hotel:

Hyatt Regency Santa Clara (4-Star, Connected to Venue)
5101 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054
Phone: (408) 200-1234



Schedule (Pacific Standard Time, PST)

Date	Time (PST)	Event	Location
1-Feb	From 7:00 AM	Registration Opens (Onsite & Online)	www.GoWushu.com
22-Apr	Until 11:00 PM	Registration Deadline	
4-May	8:00 AM - 11:00 PM	Competition Draw	
11-May	Until 11:00 PM	Video Submission Deadline (Online Competition)	
22-May	1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Competition Check-in / Forum Registration	KungFuDirect.com Office
23-May	3:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Competition Check-in	Convention Center Hall A Lobby
	1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	International Tai Chi Science & Sports Health Conference Preparatory Meeting	Convention Center
	6:30 PM - 9:30 PM	"World Wushu Open Tournament" Organizing Committee Meeting & Welcome Banquet	
24-May	8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Opening Ceremony	Convention Center Hall A & Hall B
May 24-25	All-day (2 days)	Competition	Convention Center
26-May	All-day	Departure	-
31-May	-	Announcement of All-Around Results & 2026 World Wushu Open Tournament Grand Finals Qualifier List	Online Competition Results Published

Official Hotel Pricing Table				
(Prices do not include hotel tax of 14.50%)				
Type	King Bed (1-2 people/room)	Two Beds (2 people/room)	Three People/Room	Four People/Room
Price	\$139.00	\$139.00	\$164.00	\$189.00
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<p>The hotel booking link will be available on February 1 at www.GoWushu.com.</p> <p>Limited availability—first come, first served, until sold out.</p>				



Scan the QR code to book your hotel



Airport Information:

- San Francisco International Airport (SFO): 29.7 miles, approximately 31 minutes by car to the competition hotel.
- San Jose International Airport (SJC): 5.7 miles, approximately 10 minutes by car to the competition hotel.

Transportation Option (1):

You can take the BART from the airport to Millbrae Station, then transfer to a southbound Caltrain train directly to Santa Clara Station. The total travel time is approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes, with a fare ranging from \$9 to \$12.

Transportation Option (2):

Rideshare & Taxi Services from SFO

- Uber, Lyft, or Taxi: \$45 - \$100, travel time 35-50 minutes.
- Pickup Locations: Domestic Flights (Terminal 1, 2, 3): Designated "Rideshare Pickup" areas outside the Arrivals level. International Flights (Terminal G, A): 4th-floor parking garage (Garage Level 5).

Transportation Option (3): Official Organizing Committee Shuttle Service

- Available for international athletes, large delegations, study tour groups, and travel teams.
- Fee-based service in partnership with the organizing committee.
- Contact the organizing committee to schedule transportation arrangements.

III. Participant Eligibility & Invitations

1. Golden State International Wushu Championships:

Open international competition, no special restrictions, all are welcome to register.

2. All-Around Champion and Grand Champion Preliminaries & Finals:

Open international competition, no special restrictions, all are welcome to register.

3. Wushu Scholarship Selection:

Open international competition, no special restrictions, all are welcome to register.



4. U.S. National Traditional Kung Fu Team Selection:

U.S.-based competition, participants must be current members of USAWKF.

Participants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

Those needing to join USAWKF can register at www.usawkf.org.

- International Teams or Individual Invitations:
Must first complete registration via the competition website or by filling out the attached registration form.
- After registering, contact the organizing committee to request an official invitation letter. The organizing committee will issue a free electronic invitation letter based on the submitted information.
- If a physical invitation letter is required, participants must provide a valid mailing address and pay a \$50 international express shipping fee.

IV. Competition Grouping

1. Grouping Principles

- 1) Competition events are categorized based on the difficulty level of routines. The events include beginner, intermediate, and advanced routines, such as Five-Step Form, Basic Changquan, Compulsory Routines, and Optional Routines. Participants only need to select their competition routine and do not need to apply separately for "beginner, intermediate, or advanced levels."
- 2) The competition also includes traditional events, categorized according to different Wushu styles and weapon types.
- 3) Grouping also takes into account participants' age distribution and the number of participants in each event.

2. Age Groups (On-Site Competition)

(Age is calculated based on the participant's birthdate as of the actual competition date: May 24, 2025.)

(A Group): 6 years old and under

(B Group): 7 years old

(C Group): 8 years old



- (D Group): 9 years old
- (E Group): 10 years old
- (F Group): 11 years old
- (G Group): 12 years old
- (H Group): 13 years old
- (I Group): 14 years old
- (J Group): 15 years old
- (K Group): 16 years old
- (L Group): 17-18 years old
- (M Group): 19-25 years old
- (N Group): 26-35 years old
- (O Group): 36-55 years old
- (P Group): 56-69 years old
- (Q Group): 70-89 years old

3. All-Around Competition Categories

The All-Around competition is divided by gender, age groups, and three categories: Traditional Wushu, Contemporary Wushu, and Tai Chi/Qigong.

1) Traditional Wushu & Contemporary Wushu All-Around Age Groups

The age groups for Traditional Wushu All-Around and Contemporary Wushu All-Around are the same:

Group	Age Range	Category
All-Around A Group	8 years old & under	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary
All-Around B Group	9-10 years old	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary
All-Around C Group	11-12 years old	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary
All-Around D Group	13-14 years old	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary
All-Around E Group	15-16 years old	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary
All-Around F Group	17-21 years old	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary
All-Around G Group	22-55 years old	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary
All-Around H Group	56-89 years old	Separate for male/female, Traditional & Contemporary



- Contemporary Wushu All-Around Competition Requirements:
Athletes must compete in at least one Contemporary Wushu Bare-Hand Routine, one Contemporary Wushu Short Weapon, and one Contemporary Wushu Long Weapon to qualify.
- Traditional Wushu All-Around Competition Requirements:
Athletes must compete in at least one Traditional Bare-Hand Routine, one Traditional Short Weapon or Soft Weapon, and one Traditional Long Weapon to qualify.

2) Tai Chi & Health Qigong All-Around Age Groups

Group	Age Range	Category
All-Around I Group	12 years old & under	Separate for male/female
All-Around J Group	13-15 years old	Separate for male/female
All-Around K Group	16-18 years old	Separate for male/female
All-Around L Group	19-25 years old	Separate for male/female
All-Around M Group	26-55 years old	Separate for male/female
All-Around N Group	56 years old & above	Separate for male/female

- Tai Chi & Health Qigong All-Around Competition Requirements:
Athletes must compete in at least one Tai Chi or Health Qigong bare-hand routine and one Tai Chi or Health Qigong weapon routine.
- All-Around scores are calculated by adding the highest scores from each event. There will be no separate All-Around competition.

4. Competition Event List & Codes

Please refer to the "From 1 Golden State International Wushu Championships Event Codes" section at the end of this document.

5. Online Competition Rules

- All-Around events and U.S. National Kung Fu Team Selections are not available in online competitions.



- Online competition event categories are the same as on-site competitions, but the age groups differ as follows:

Group	Age Range
(A Group)	6 years old & under
(B Group)	7-8 years old
(C Group)	9-10 years old
(D Group)	11-12 years old
(E Group)	13-14 years old
(F Group)	15-16 years old
(G Group)	17-18 years old
(H Group)	19-25 years old
(I Group)	26-35 years old
(J Group)	36-55 years old
(K Group)	56-65 Years old & above
(L Group)	66 Years old & above

6. Youth All-Around Grand Champion & Scholarship Selection

In the Contemporary & Traditional Wushu All-Around, athletes aged 11-16 (C, D, and E Groups) are eligible; In the Tai Chi All-Around, athletes aged 13-18 (J and K Groups) are eligible; Each category is divided by gender and by Traditional & Contemporary Wushu.

7. Preliminary Selection Process for the Youth All-Around Grand Champion & Scholarship

- Contemporary & Traditional Wushu All-Around: The top two athletes from each group (C, D, and E Groups), separated by gender and category (Traditional & Contemporary), will be selected—a total of 24 athletes.
- Tai Chi All-Around: One athlete from each age group (J and K Groups) will be selected—a total of 4 athletes.
- Total Selection: 28 athletes will advance to the 2026 Grand Champion Finals & Scholarship Selection.



8. Scoring Method & Tie-Breaking Rules for All-Around Competition

- a. Contemporary & Traditional Wushu All-Around: Total Score = Highest Bare-Hand Routine Score + Highest Short Weapon (including soft weapons) Score + Highest Long Weapon Score. Ranking is determined by total points in descending order.
- b. Tai Chi All-Around: Total Score = Highest Tai Chi Routine Score + Highest Tai Chi Weapon Score. Ranking is determined by total points in descending order.
- c. Tie-Breaking Procedure: If scores are tied, the ranking will be determined in the following order:
 - The athlete with the highest individual event placement will be ranked higher.
 - The athlete with the highest single event score will be ranked higher.
 - The athlete with better placements in other registered events will be ranked higher.
 - The athlete with higher scores in other registered events will be ranked higher.
 - If still tied, the athletes will remain tied.

V. Participation Requirements and Procedures

a. Insurance & Liability Waiver Requirements

- 1) All participants must purchase their own medical insurance, personal injury insurance, liability insurance, travel insurance, illness insurance, and any other necessary coverage.
- 2) Whether registering online or via mail, participants must agree to the waiver in the online registration system or provide a signed liability waiver upon check-in to be eligible for competition.

b. Athlete Registration

Athletes may register for both on-site and online competitions. There are no restrictions on the number of events or participants per team, However, each athlete must represent only one team throughout the entire competition.

c. Team Registration

1) Team Leader & Coach Registration

Each team may apply for one team leader and up to two coaches. Registration can be completed through the competition system or by contacting the organizing committee. Team leaders and coaches with valid credentials will receive free access to the



competition venue and have official team leader/coach privileges.

2) On-Site Judge Application for Large Teams

Teams with more than 20 athletes may apply for one certified Wushu judge to join their delegation. Upon approval from the organizing committee, the accompanying judge may serve as an official competition judge.

d. **Opening Ceremony Entry Guidelines**

- a) **Participation:** Both team and individual participants are required to attend the competition's grand opening ceremony on time.
- b) **Team Uniform:** It is recommended that all teams wear uniform or competition attire for the entry.
- c) **Team Flag and Team Entry Banner:** For teams with more than 5 participants, the organizing committee will provide team entry banner and team flag. Teams with fewer than 5 athletes will enter the opening ceremony alongside individual participants, following the individual entry banner and flag. Each team can collect relevant items during Check-In.
- d) **Team Flag and Team Barriers:**
 - Each representative team must nominate one team banner guide and one flag bearer to participate in the opening ceremony. The order of the teams' formation will be as follows: the Team Banner guide will be in the front, followed by the flag bearer, team leader, coaches, athletes, and accompanying members.
 - Each team also needs to provide the organizing committee with the team's name and the contact information of the flag bearer before the registration deadline, to facilitate the acquisition of information regarding the opening ceremony entry route and the arrangement for each group.
 - This year, the team entry order will be based on the first letter of each team's name, entering in reverse alphabetical order from Z to A. The entry route diagram and rehearsal times for entry guides and flag bearers will be announced separately.
 - After the conclusion of the opening ceremony, the banner guides and flag bearers from each team will be responsible for leading their respective teams in an orderly exit from the venue, and schedule times for rehearsal.



VI. Time Requirements and Competition Methods

1. Limitations on Time and Number of Participants

- 1) Athletes under the age of 18 are not subject to any time restrictions on their competition routines.
- 2) Athletes aged 18 and above must perform traditional kung fu routines for a minimum of 1 minute, while the compulsory routines and optional routines should adhere to the original requirements regarding the duration of the routines.
- 3) The Taiji and Health Qigong events, including individual and group forms, must not exceed 4 minutes in duration. Kung Fu group events must not exceed 4 minutes, and duet events must be no less than 40 seconds.
- 4) Compulsory Wushu routines must be performed in the specified sequence without any additions, omissions, or alterations to the movements.
- 5) In Duilian and Group Events, there are no gender or age restrictions. Each group event must have a minimum of 6 participants, and for every participant fewer than 6, 0.5 point will be deducted.
- 6) When the number of participants in the same age group for each event is fewer than 3, they will be merged into similar competition events.
- 7) Music is not required, except some of the original forms are required with music.

2. USAWKF National Kungfu Team Trials Selection Methods (Member only)

Athletes who score over 8 points in their in-person competition or achieve a top-three ranking are eligible for selection. Once selected, they are qualified to represent the USA Traditional Kungfu Team in world and international traditional Kungfu championships tournament, within two years.

3. Video Requirements for Online Video Competitions

- 1) Athletes in the competition video must face the camera and perform a bow with fists when starting their routine.
- 2) Filming of the competition video can only use one camera, positioned at adult eye level for a frontal close-up shot. The camera can move left and right during the performance, and the focus may be adjusted as needed to ensure the athlete is not



too small or out of frame. The entire demonstration should be recorded in one take without editing or switching shots. Multiple recordings are allowed, and the best one should be submitted.

- 3) The competition video must be a live recording and cannot have post-production edits or added audio or visual effects.
- 4) Filming Location
 - a. The choice of filming location does not affect the scoring and is entirely at the discretion of the participating athlete. Both indoor and outdoor locations are acceptable, if they are safe, suitable for a continuous demonstration of the routine, and filming.
 - b. The lighting and brightness of the video should be sufficient for judges to assess.
 - c. The video background must not feature commercial advertisements, religious or political propaganda. Martial arts school logos and national or regional flags are allowed, but virtual backgrounds are not permitted.
 - d. The competition video must strictly adhere to the video requirements and should be filmed within 2 months of the registration deadline.
 - e. When submitting the competition video, please include the athlete's name and competition event code information in the video file name for easy organization and reference.
- 5) If the video requirements are not met during the competition, the judging team reserves the right not to score, and the registration fee will be non-refundable.

4. Uniform and Weapon Requirements

All athletes must wear performance uniforms and use competition equipment in accordance with the 2024 International Wushu Federation (IWUF) competition rules. However, there are no specific restrictions on the length and weight of the competition equipment.

5. Competition Drawing Lots

The competition uses an online draw method to determine the order of appearance for each group of athletes. All teams and individuals must carefully review personal and team competition information before the draw date, and once confirmed, team



leaders, coaches, or athletes themselves can participate in the online draw through the online registration system. The draw time will be announced on the competition website, registration system, and through email notifications. Athletes who miss the draw or do not participate in the draw will be randomly assigned by the organizing committee.

VII. Competition Rules

1. Competition Format

- 1) The Golden State International Wushu Championships consist of two formats: in-person competition and online competition. During the event, there will be all-around competitions, preliminary and final rounds for the grand championship, Trials for the Youth Wushu Elite Scholarship Program, and the U.S. Traditional Kung Fu Team Trials, among other competitions and activities.
- 2) The competition categories include individual, dual, group, and all-around events. However, there is no overall team ranking competition. Additionally, in the online competition, the all-around category is not included.

2. Competition Rules

The Contemporary Wushu competition will follow the 2024 IWUF Competition Rules approved by the International Wushu Federation, along with the relevant provisions of this regulation. The traditional Kung Fu events will be conducted in accordance with the 2019 Traditional Wushu Routines Competition Rules issued by the International Wushu Federation and the relevant provisions of this regulation. The Health Qigong competition will follow the Health Qigong Competition Rules 2012 and this regulation. All Contemporary Wushu events will adopt a scoring system without difficulty points. Any provisions in the competition rules that are not applicable to online competitions will not be subject to deductions in this competition.

3. Arbitration Committee

The selection of the Arbitration Committee members will be arranged by the Organizing Committee of the Congress. The arbitration procedures and responsibilities for Wushu, Taiji, and Health Qigong will be carried out in accordance with the 2024 "International Wushu Federation Traditional Routine Competition Rules," "Arbitration Committee Regulations,"



and the provisions of these regulations. Online competitions will be conducted as applicable.

4. Administration

This competition will be held under the unified leadership of the organizing committee, and the final interpretation of the rules and regulations belongs to the organizing committee. In the event of disputes over the English interpretation of the rules and regulations, the Chinese version shall prevail.

5. Suggestion and complaint

To ensure the rigor and fairness of the competition, coaches and athletes not only have the right to file appeals during the competition according to the arbitration procedure, but we also encourage providing feedback and lodging complaints related to judges and judging panels by sending an email to Forum@wtjsf.org. The Organizing Committee will consider this feedback and complaints when determining future referee selections and improvements.

VIII. Judge Team Selection and Judging Methods

1. Judge Selection

The Arbitration Committee Members, Chief Referees, Head judges, and scoring judge of each judge group are respectively held by professional referees at the international level, Pan American level, and national level, and priority will be given to the judges for the competition without students.

2. Score Methods

Five judges give the score, remove the highest score and the lowest score, and the middle three scores are averaged; If there are only four judges, the highest score and the lowest score are removed, and the middle two scores are averaged; If there are only three Judges to score, the average of the three scores will be taken.

3. Time Conflict

If there is a time conflict or if the competition times are too close, athletes can request in advance to the head judges of both venues for adjustments. The head judge may adjust the order of the athlete's competitions as necessary to ensure their participation. However, if, after all competitions within the same group as the athlete have concluded, the athlete is still unable to participate in their competition, that competition for the athlete will be considered forfeited.



4. Multiplayer simultaneous competition

The judging panel may opt for a simultaneous participation format for multiple contestants based on the style and characteristics of the event, while ensuring judging quality and venue safety.

5. Head Judge's Scoring

When there is a clear and obvious discrepancy in scoring, the Head Judge may award or deduct points before displaying the athlete's final score. The range for the scoring adjustment is between 0.01 and 0.05 points, and it does not require approval from the Chief Referee.

IX. Ranking and Awards

1. First-Time Participation Encouragement Award

First-time competitors should select "First-time Competitor" during online registration. Athletes who are competing for the first time and those who have not won any medals after completing all their events will receive an encouragement award medal from the organizing committee.

2. In-Person Competition

- 1) Athletes who rank in the top three in individual events will be awarded gold, silver, and bronze medals, along with corresponding digital certificates of ranking. Other athletes will receive digital certificates of ranking as awards.
- 2) For Duilian events, and group events, the awarding methods are the same as mentioned above, with medals distributed based on the actual number of participants in each Duilian or group.
- 3) In the all-around event, where athletes achieve the highest score and ranking from two or three individual competitions (please refer to the specific registration requirements for the All-Around Competition), the top three athletes will be awarded the title of All-Around Champion, along with a trophy, medal, and certificate.
- 4) The competition certificate is a digital certificate. Athletes can download it directly in the competition registration account. If the coach or school signs up on their behalf, please contact the coach and school to download the certificate.
- 5) Medals and trophies for in-person competitions can be collected directly at the onsite award receiving center.



- 6) The results of the all-around event will be announced only after the completion of all age groups. All-around trophies can be collected on-site.
- 7) Kung Fu team trial results will be announced on-site, but the Team certificates will be available for download from the competition registration account after they have been reviewed and confirmed by the USAWKF (about one week) .

3. Online Competition

- 1) Gold, silver, and bronze awards are designated for each individual event, age group, and gender. Specifically, the top 20% will receive gold medals, the next 30% will receive silver medals, the following 30% will receive bronze medals, the remaining participants receive encouragement awards (participation certificates). The award proportions are determined based on the actual number of participants and are rounded accordingly.
- 2) The award certificates can be downloaded in the Competition registration account, and the medals for online competitions can be collected at the location of the organizing committee's office. Alternatively, you can arrange for postal service through the Competition sponsor, Kung Fu Direct, with postage and customs fees being the responsibility of the recipient. (Please search for "medals" on kungfudirect.com to arrange for postal service).

4. Tie in scores

Except for all-around events, if athletes have the same score, their rankings will be tied, and this will not affect the rankings of subsequent athletes.

5. Competition Results and Announcement

The list of athletes who won All-around trophy, Team Trials certificate, gold, silver, and bronze medal awards will be announced on the event website by the organizing committee. A series of publicity reports will also be carried out through professional media co-organizers and multimedia networks.

X. Registration procedures and fees

1. Registration Procedures

Golden State Championships In-person or/and online competition and National Kungfu Team Trials: registration is open now. Through the website

<https://gowushu.com/registration/>



2. In-Person Competition Fee

- 1) Individual Events: Registration fee is \$70 per athlete (excluding the first event), and each additional event costs \$30.
- 2) Duilian Events: In addition to the registration fee, each athlete is required to pay an event fee of \$30 per event.
- 3) All-Around Competition and National Kung Fu Team Trials Fees: \$50 per person per event.
- 4) Group (Jiti) Events: In addition to the registration fee, there is a cost of \$30 per person per event.

3. The Online Competition registration fee

The registration fee for online competitions is \$40 per athlete (excluding the first event), and each additional event costs \$20. Video submissions can be uploaded through the athlete's registration account or sent via email to kungfudirect@gmail.com, The video format should be Mov or MP4, and the video file size should not exceed 500MB).

4. Event Modification and Refund Policy

- 1) Prior to the registration deadline, athletes can contact the organizing committee via email, phone, or WeChat to make free modifications to their competition information or to cancel their participation and receive a full refund.
- 2) After the registration deadline and before the drawing of lots, athletes who wish to make modifications or cancel their participation will be subject to a \$50 processing fee.
- 3) After the drawing of lots, no further modifications to athletes' competition information will be allowed. Athletes who cancel their participation for any reason will be considered as forfeiting the competition, and no refunds will be issued.

5. Ticket “wristbands”

- 1) Two-day competition pass: \$50, Single-day ticket: \$30
- 2) Free admission for the following individuals:
 - a. All participating athletes can enter for free with their athlete pass and wristband.
 - b. All team leaders, coaches, judges, and volunteer teams can enter for free with official credentials and wristbands. And must be registered with the organizing committee before



the registration deadline.

- 3) All ticket wristbands are non-refundable once sold.

B. Payment Methods

Payment for the competition must be made through the online registration system.

If an alternative payment method is needed, the organizing committee also accepts bank transfers, checks, and cash payments. Please contact the organizing committee for relevant payment details.

A 3.9% processing fee applies to all credit card transactions.

C. Payment methods sponsorship and partnership

To achieve the global promotion of Wushu, it requires not only the dedication of every Wushu professional but also the active support of numerous Wushu enthusiasts. The organizing body, the World Taiji Science Federation, is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Your sponsorships and donations are tax-deductible.

Additionally, starting this year, we have introduced comprehensive innovations in event partnerships, incentive models, and sponsorship programs. We look forward to working together to further promote the international development of Wushu.

Sponsorship Program:

1. Title Sponsorship: Naming rights for the event – \$30,000
2. Co-Organizer Sponsorship: Co-organizer recognition – \$5,000
3. Supporting Sponsor: Supporting organization recognition – \$2,000
4. Full-page Advertisement in the Event Program: \$1,000 per page
5. Please contact the organizing committee for sponsorship details.

Special Awards

In addition to competition awards, the Golden State International Wushu Championships will also present awards such as the "Outstanding Contribution Award for Wushu Teaching and Competition" to recognize outstanding groups.



D. C contact US

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国际队伍参赛邀请

International Team Competition Invitation

首先完成注册报名，然后填写此表格后，我们将提供邀请函

First, complete the registration. Then, after filling out this form, we will provide the invitation letter.

Invitation Competition Team Information Form 比赛团队邀请函的信息表						
Team name 团队名称						
Address 单位地址						
Team Leader 领队						
Phone 电话		Email 邮箱		Website 网站		
Team Coach 教练						
Phone 电话		Email 邮箱		Website 网站		
Name 姓名	Gender 性别	Date of birth 出生日期	Place of birth 出生地	Position 职务	Passport or ID # 护照号码	Member Email 队员邮箱

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Team or School:	
Name of Participant:	
Name of Parent/ Legal Guardian (if applicable):	
Date of Birth:	
Gender:	
Nationality:	
Role of Participants:	<input type="checkbox"/> Athlete <input type="checkbox"/> Team Manager <input type="checkbox"/> Coach <input type="checkbox"/> Doctor <input type="checkbox"/> Observer <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer

I, the undersigned, knowingly and willingly submit my entry to the Golden State International Wushu Championships and National Wushu Team Trials, the tournament hosted by the Taiji Science Foundation (WTSF), sponsored by KungFuDirect.com, and sanctioned by the United States of America Wushu-Kungfu Federation, Inc. (USAWKF), hereafter collectively referred to as the "Organizing Committee". By participating in all activities organized by the Organizing Committee, I acknowledge and assume all risks associated with physical and mental injuries, disabilities, and losses that may occur during or because of my participation in the events.

I hereby release the Organizing Committee, including their co-organizations, partners, officers, agents, representatives, volunteers, referees, and other related members, from all claims, actions, suits, and controversies, whether in law or equity, arising from or in connection with my participation in their activities. This release applies to any injury, harm, or loss sustained by me or caused by any matter, cause, or thing whatsoever, including consequences resulting from medical assistance.

I understand and acknowledge that any medical attention or treatment provided to me by the Organizing Committee, including their officers, medical personnel, representatives, volunteers, and other related members, will be limited to first aid only. I hereby release them from any liability associated with such medical assistance. I am fully responsible for obtaining my own medical coverage or insurance.

I agree to abide by and comply with the rules and regulations established by the Organizing Committee. I will conduct myself in a professional and respectful manner throughout the event, showing respect to fellow participants and event organizers alike.

I acknowledge that my performance, attendance, and participation at the WTSF or Organizing Committee events, including their co-organizations and partners, may be filmed, recorded, released, or broadcasted live. I hereby grant the Organizing Committee the right to use my name, voice, poses, pictures, and biographical data, in full or in part, in any form or language, with or without other materials, worldwide, without limitations, for television, radio, video, theatrical, or any other medium, using any existing or future devices. I waive any claim for compensation and release any future rights related to the use.

I agree that my performance, attendance, and participation at the Golden State International Wushu Championships & National Wushu Team Trials may be filmed or otherwise recorded or released or telecast live. I consent to the Organizing Committee using my name, voice, poses, pictures, and biographical data, in any form or language, with or without other material, throughout the world, without limitation, for television, radio, video, theatrical medium picture, or any other medium by any devices now known or hereafter devised, and I do hereby waive any compensation in regard thereof as well as any future rights to the aforementioned.

I further confirm that I have no criminal record and have not been convicted of any criminal offense. I understand that this requirement is essential for my participation in the events.

I have read and fully understand the contents of this waiver of liability.

Signature of Participant

Signature of Parent/ Legal Guardian

Date

国际锦标赛和国家队选拔赛项目编码表 Championships and Team Trials Event Code (Form 1)

Contemporary Wushu Bare-Hand Forms 现代武术拳术		410	Beginning Shaolinquan 初级少林拳	708	Other Traditional Long Weapon 其它传统长兵器	1004	Da Wu 大舞
100	5 Steps Chanquan 五步拳	411	Shaolin Hongquan 少林洪拳	709	Beginning Shaolin Staff 初级少林棍	1005	Ma Wang Dui Daoyin Shu 马王堆导引术
101	Elementary Changquan (IWuF)* 初级长拳	412	Shaolin Luohanquan 少林罗汉拳	710	Other Shaolin Staff 其它少林棍	1006	Other Health Qigong 其它健身气功
102	Other Beginning Changquan 其它初级长拳	413	Other Shaolinquan 其它少林拳	711	Beginning Shaolin Spear 初级少林枪	Duilian 对练	
103	3 rd Set Changquan (IWuF)* 第3套长拳	414	Yongchunquan (Wing Chun) 咏春拳	712	Other Shaolin Spear 其它少林枪	2000	Quanshu Duilian 拳术对练
104	Compulsory Changquan (IWuF 1,2set)* 规定长拳1套或2套	415	Cailifouquan (Choy Lay Fut) 蔡李佛	713	Shaolin Pudaο or Kwandao 少林扑刀或少林关刀	2001	Quanshu with Weapon Duilian 拳术、械对练
105	Optional Changquan (No-Nandu)** 自选长拳(无难度)	416	Hongjiacquan (Hung Gar) 洪家拳	714	Beginning Shaolin Long Weapon 初级少林长兵器	2002	Shaolinquan Duilian 少林拳对练
106	Beginning Nanquan 初级南拳	417	Other Beginning Southern Bare-Hand 其它初级南派传统拳术	715	Other Shaolin Long Weapon 其他少林长兵器	2003	Shaolinquan with Weapon 少林拳、械对练
107	3 rd Set Nanquan (IWuF)* 第3套南拳	418	Other Southern Bare-Hand 其他南派传统拳术	Taijiquan Form 太极拳类		2004	Shaolin Staff Duilian 少林棍对练
108	Other Compulsory Nanquan*其它规定南拳	Traditional Kungfu Short Weapon 传统功夫短器械		800	Eight Methods and Five Steps 八法五步	2005	Shaolin Weapon Duilian 少林器械对练
109	Optional Nanquan ** 自选南拳	500	Beginning Traditional Single Straight Sword 初级传统单剑	801	24 Taijiquan 24式太极拳	2006	Taiji Duilian 太极对练
Contemporary Wushu Short Weapon 现代武术短器械		501	Other Traditional Single Straight Sword 其它传统单剑	802	42 Taijiquan 42式太极拳	2007	Other Duilian 其它对练
200	Elementary Jianshu (IWuF)* 初级剑术	502	E-mei,Wudang Straight Sword 峨眉、武当剑	803	32, 40 Yang Taijiquan 32式、40式太极	Group Competition 集体比赛	
201	Other Beginning Jianshu 其它初级剑术	503	Traditional Twin Straight Sword 传统双剑	804	56 Chen Taiji Competition Form 56式陈式太极拳套路	3000	Group 5 Step Quanshu 集体五步拳
202	Compulsory Jianshu (IWuF 1,2set)* 规定剑术1套或2套	504	Beginning Traditional Single Broadsword 初级传统单刀	805	3rd Set Taijiquan (IWuF) 第3套太极拳竞赛套路	3001	Group Beginning Changquan 集体初级长拳
203	3 rd Set Jianshu (IWuF)* 第3套剑术	505	Other Traditional Single Broadsword 其它传统单刀	806	Optional Taijiquan (No-Nandu) 自选太极拳(无难度评分)	3002	Group Shaolinquan 集体少林拳
204	Optional Jianshu (No-Nandu) ** 自选剑术(无难度)	506	E-mei, Wudang Broadsword 峨眉、武当刀	807	Yang Taijiquan 杨式太极拳	3003	Group Yongchunquan (Wing Chun) 集体咏春拳
205	Elementary Daoshu (IWuF) * 初级刀术	507	Traditional Twin Broadsword 传统双刀	808	Chen Taiji Old Form 1st Road 陈氏老架一路	3004	Group Southern Style Quanshu 集体南派拳法
206	Other Beginning Daoshu 其它初级刀术	508	Beginning Shaolin Straight Sword 初级少林剑	809	Chen Taiji Old Form 2nd Road 陈氏老架二路	3005	Group Broadsword 集体刀术
207	Compulsory Daoshu (IWuF 1,2set)* 规定刀术1套或2套	509	Other Shaolin Straight Sword 其它少林剑	810	Chen Taiji New Form 1st 2nd Road 陈氏新架一、二路	3006	Group Straight Sword 集体剑术
208	3 rd Set Daoshu (IWuF)* 第3套刀术	510	Beginning Shaolin Broadsword 初级少林刀	811	Hunyun Taijiquan 混元太极	3007	Group Kungfushan 集体功夫扇
209	Optional Daoshu (No-Nandu)** 自选刀(无难度)	511	Other Shaolin Bro+D13:D14adsword 其它少林刀	812	Chen Taiji small frame 1st road 陈氏太极小架一路	3008	Group Other Short Weapon 集体其它短兵器
210	Beginning Nandao 初级南刀	512	Beginning Other Shaolin Short Weapon 初级其它少林短兵器	813	Chen Taiji small frame 2nd road 陈氏太极小架二路	3009	Group Staff 集体棍术
211	Compulsory Nandao (IWuF) * 规定南刀	513	Other Shaolin Short Weapon 其它少林短兵器	814	Other Chen Style Taijiquan 其它陈太极拳	3010	Group Spear 集体枪术
212	3 rd Set Nandao(IWuF)* 第3套南刀	514	Kung fushan (Single or Double) 功夫扇(单或双)	815	Wu Taijiquan 吴式太极拳	3011	Group Other Long Weapon 集体其它长器械
213	Optional Nandao ** 自选南刀	515	Dagger (Single or Double) 匕首(单或双)	816	Sun Taijiquan 孙式太极拳	3012	Group Mix Quanshu and Weapon 集体功夫拳/械
Contemporary Wushu Long Weapon 现代武术长器械		516	Baguadao 八卦刀	817	Wu Hao Taijiquan 武式太极拳	3013	Group Nunchuck 集体双节棍
300	Elementary Qiangshu (IWuF)* 初级枪术	517	Bazhandao (Wing Chun Pah Cham Dao) 八斩刀	818	Zhaobao Taijiquan 赵堡太极拳	3014	Group 9 Section Single Whip 集体九节鞭
301	Other Beginning Qiangshu 其它初级枪术	518	Other Southern Short Weapon 其它南派短兵器	819	Wudang Taijiquan 武当太极拳	3015	Group Other Soft Weapon 集体其它软器械
302	Compulsory Qiangshu (IWuF1,2)* 规定枪术1套或2套	519	Other Traditional Short Weapon 其它传统短兵器	820	Other Taijiquan 其他太极拳	3016	Group Eight Methods and Five Steps 集体八法五步
303	3 rd Set Qiangshu (IWuF)* 第3套枪术	Traditional Kungfu Soft Weapon 传统软兵器		Taiji Weapon 太极器械类		3017	Group 24 Taijiquan 集体24式太极拳
304	Optional Qiangshu (No-Nandu)** 自选枪术(无难度)	600	Beginning Nunchuck (Single or Double) 初级双截棍(单或双)	900	32 Taiji Straight Sword 32式太极剑	3018	Group 42 Taijiquan 集体42式太极拳
305	Elementary Gunshu (IWuF)* 初级棍术	601	Other Nunchuck (Single or Double) 其它双节棍(单或双)	901	42 Taiji Straight Sword 42式太极剑	3019	Group Yang Taijiquan 集体杨式太极拳
306	Other Beginning Gunshu 其它初级棍术	602	Three Section Staff 三节棍	902	3rd Set Taijifan 第3套规定太极扇	3020	Group Chen Taiji Old Style 1st Form 集体陈式老架一路
307	Compulsory Gunshu (IWuF1,2set)* 规定棍术1套或2套	603	Single Chin Whip 九节单鞭	903	Other Taijifan 其他太极扇	3021	Group Chen Taiji New Style 1st Form 集体陈式新架一路
308	3 rd Set Gunshu (IWuF)* 第3套棍术	604	Double Chin Whip or Chin Whip with Sword 双鞭(或刀加鞭)	904	Optional Taijifan (No-Nandu) 自选太极扇无难度	3022	Group other Chen Taijiquan Form 集体其它陈式太极拳
309	Optional Gunshu (No-Nandu)** 自选棍术(无难度)	605	Meteor hammer/rope dart 流星锤/绳镖	905	Yang Taiji Broadsword 杨式太极刀	3023	Group Other Taijiquan 集体其它太极拳
310	Beginning Nangun 初级南棍	606	Shaolin Nunchuck 少林两节棍	906	Chen Taiji Broadsword 陈式太极刀	3024	Group 32 Taiji Straight Sword 集体32式太极剑
311	Compulsory Nangun (IWuF) * 规定南棍	607	Shaolin 3section staff 少林三节棍	907	Other Taiji Broadsword 其它太极刀	3025	Group 42 Taiji Straight Sword 集体42式太极剑
312	3 rd Set Nangun (IWuF)* 第3套南棍	608	Shaolin Muyangbian 少林牧羊鞭	908	Yang Taiji Straight Sword 杨式太极剑	3026	Group Yang Taiji Broadsword 集体杨氏太极刀
313	Optional Nangun** 自选南棍	609	Shaolin Chin Whip (Single or Double) 少林九节鞭(单或双)	909	Chen Taiji Straight Sword 陈式太极剑	3027	Group Yang Taiji Straight Sword 集体杨式太极剑
Traditional Kungfu Bare-Hand Forms 传统拳术		610	Beginning Other Traditional Soft Weapon 初级其它软兵器	910	3rd Set Taijifan 第3套规定太极剑	3028	Group Chen Taiji Broadsword 集体陈式太极刀
400	Beginning Traditional Bare-Hand 初级传统拳术	611	Other Traditional Soft Weapon 其它软兵器	911	Other Taiji Straight Sword 其它太极剑	3029	Group Chen Straight Sword 集体陈式太极剑
401	Other Traditional Bare-Hand其它传统拳术	Traditional Kungfu Long Weapon 传统长器械		912	Taiji Double Weapon 太极双器械	3030	Group Other Sword 集体其它太极刀剑
402	Wudang or E-mei Bare-Hand 武当、峨眉拳术	700	Beginning Traditional Spear 初级传统枪	913	Tai Ji Yang Sheng Zhang 太极养生杖	3031	Group Other Taiji Shan 集体其它太极扇
403	Chaquan,Huaquan,Paoquan 查拳、华拳、炮拳	701	Other Traditional Spear 其它传统枪	914	Other Taiji Short Weapon 其它太极短兵器	3032	Group Other Taiji Weapon 集体其它太极器械
404	Xinyi, Bagua, Baji, Fanz 形意、八卦、八极、翻子	702	E-mei, Wudang Spear 峨嵋枪、武当枪	915	Other Taiji Long Weapon 其他太极长兵器	3033	Group Baduanjin 集体八段锦
405	Ditang, Pigua, Tongbei 地躺、披挂、通臂	703	Beginning Traditional Staff 初级传统棍术	Health Qigong 健身气功		3034	Group Wuqinqi 集体五禽戏
406	Eagle Claw 鹰爪拳	704	Other Traditional Staff 其它传统棍	1000	Baduanjin 八段锦	3035	Group Yijinjing 集体易筋经
407	Other Xiangxingquan 其它象形拳术	705	E-mei, Wudang Staff 峨嵋棍、武当棍	1001	Wuqinqi 五禽戏	3036	Group Liuzijue 集体六字诀
408	Beginning Other Northern Style Quanshu 初级其它北派拳术	706	Traditional Pudaο or Kwandao 传统扑刀或关刀	1002	Yijinjing 易筋经	3037	Group Other TaijiQigong 集体其它健身气功
409	Other Northern Style Bare-Hand 其它北派拳术	707	Beginning other Traditional Long Weapon 初级其它传统长兵器	1003	Liuzijue 六字诀	3038	Group Taiji Yang Sheng Zhang 集体太极养生杖