

# INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

## Announcement of International Single & Pair Skating, Ice Dance and Synchronized Skating Competitions 2015/16

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### I. Figure Skating

S: Senior / J: Junior / N: Novice (no other categories listed – please refer to individual announcements for other categories)

Events				Composition of Events												
2015																
Competition dates	Place	Mem	Name of the Competition	Ladies			Men			Pairs			Dance			
				S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N	
July 16 – 19, 2015	Philadelphia, PA	USA	Philadelphia Summer International	x	x		x	x								
July 30 – 31, 2015	Lake Placid, NY	USA	Lake Placid Ice Dance International											x	x	
August 5 – 8, 2015	Bangkok	THA	Asian Open Figure Skating Trophy 2015	x	x	x	x	x	x							
August 19 – 23, 2015	Bratislava	SVK	ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating		x			x								x
August 26 – 30, 2015	Riga	LAT	ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating		x			x			x					x
September 2 – 5, 2015	Colorado Springs, CO	USA	ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating		x			x			x					x
September 9 – 13, 2015	Linz	AUT	ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating		x			x			x					x
September 16 – 20, 2015	Salt Lake City, UT	USA	<i>Challenger Series</i> U.S. International Figure Skating Classic	x			x			x				x		
September 17 – 20, 2015	Sesto San Giovanni	ITA	Lombardia Trophy	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x		
September 23 – 27, 2015	Torun	POL	ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating		x			x			x					x
September 24 – 26, 2015	Obertsdorf	GER	<i>Challenger Series</i> Nebelhorn Trophy	x			x			x				x		
Sept. 30 – Oct. 4, 2015	Logrono	ESP	ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating		x			x								x
October 1 – 3, 2015	Bratislava	SVK	<i>Challenger Series</i> 23rd Ondrej Nepela Trophy	x			x			x				x		

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				S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N	
October 3, 2015	Saitama	JPN	Japan Open ( <i>invitational</i> )	x			x									
<b>October 7 – 11, 2015</b>	<b>Zagreb</b>	<b>CRO</b>	<b>ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating</b>		x			x							x	
October 8 – 11, 2015	Espoo	FIN	<i>Challenger Series</i> Finlandia Trophy	x			x							x		
October 13 – 15, 2015	Barrie, ON	CAN	Skate Canada Autumn Classic International	x	x		x	x		x				x		
October 15 – 18, 2015	Saransk	RUS	<i>Challenger Series</i> Mordovian Ornament	x			x			x				x		
October 15 – 18, 2015	Nice	FRA	Coupe de Nice	x	x		x	x		x	x			x		
October 20 – 25, 2015	Sofia	BUL	<i>Challenger Series</i> 4th Denkova-Staviski Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x	
October 22 – 25, 2015	Trnava	SVK	Tirnavia Edea Ice Cup		x	x		x	x							
<b>October 22 – 25, 2015</b>	<b>Milwaukee, WI</b>	<b>USA</b>	<b>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating 2015 Skate America</b>	x			x			x				x		
October 27 – 31, 2015	Graz	AUT	Leo Scheu Memorial		x	x		x	x							
Oct. 27 – Nov. 1, 2015	Graz	AUT	<i>Challenger Series</i> IceChallenge	x			x			x				x		
<b>Oct. 29 – Nov. 1, 2015</b>	<b>Lethbridge, AB</b>	<b>CAN</b>	<b>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Skate Canada International</b>	x			x			x				x		
November 3 – 8, 2015	Brasov	ROU	Crystal Skate	x	x	x	x	x	x							
November 4 – 8, 2015	Riga	LAT	Volvo Open Cup 28 <sup>th</sup>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
<b>November 6 – 8, 2015</b>	<b>Beijing</b>	<b>CHN</b>	<b>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Cup of China</b>	x			x			x				x		
November 6 – 8, 2015	Dortmund	GER	NRW Trophy for Ice Dance											x	x	x
November 11 – 15, 2015	Celje	SLO	Skate Celje		x	x		x	x							
November 12 – 15, 2015	Merano	ITA	18. Merano Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x							
November 13 – 15, 2015	Minsk	BLR	Ice Star	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				x	x	x
<b>November 13 – 15, 2015</b>	<b>Bordeaux</b>	<b>FRA</b>	<b>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Trophée Eric Bompard</b>	x			x			x				x		
November 18 – 21, 2015	Zagreb	CRO	Golden Bear	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
November 18 – 22, 2015	Tallinn	EST	<i>Challenger Series</i> Tallinn Trophy 2015	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				x	x	x
November 18 – 22, 2015	Canillo	AND	Open Andorra 2015	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
<b>November 20 – 22, 2015</b>	<b>Moscow</b>	<b>RUS</b>	<b>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Rostelecom Cup</b>	x			x			x				x		
November 20 – 22, 2015	Olomouc	CZE	21 <sup>st</sup> Pavel Roman Memorial											x	x	x
November 20 – 22, 2015	Banska Bystrica	SVK	53 <sup>rd</sup> Grand Prix SNP Banska Bystrica		x			x								

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November 25 – 29, 2015	Dortmund	GER	NRW Trophy Figure Skating	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			
November 26 – 29, 2015	Warsaw	POL	<i>Challenger Series</i> Warsaw Cup	x			x			x			x		
<b>November 27 – 29, 2015</b>	<b>Nagano</b>	<b>JPN</b>	<b>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating NHK Trophy</b>	x			x			x			x		
Nov. 28 – Dec. 4, 2015	Budapest	HUN	9 <sup>th</sup> Santa Claus Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x				x	x	x
December 2 – 5, 2015	Zagreb	CRO	<i>Challenger Series</i> Golden Spin of Zagreb	x			x			x			x		
December 10 – 13, 2015	Bratislava	SVK	57 <sup>th</sup> Grand Prix of Bratislava		x	x		x	x					x	
<b>December 10 – 13, 2015</b>	<b>Barcelona</b>	<b>ESP</b>	<b>ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Final (Senior &amp; Junior)</b>	x	x		x	x		x	x		x	x	

## 2016

Competition dates	Place	Mem	Name of the Competition	Ladies			Men			Pairs			Dance		
				S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N
January 6 – 10, 2016	Torun	POL	Mentor Nestle Torun Cup 2016	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x
January 15, 2016	Osaka	JPN	Medal Winners Open ( <i>invitational</i> )	x			x								
January 19 – 23, 2016	Poiana Brasov	ROU	Olympic Hopes		x	x		x	x						
January 19 – 23, 2016	Belgrade	SRB	9th Europa Cup Skate Helena	x	x	x	x	x	x						
January 21 – 24, 2016	Reykjavik	ISL	Reykjavik International Games – RIG	x	x	x	x	x	x						
January 22 – 23, 2016	Abu Dhabi	UAE	FBMA Trophy	x	x	x	x	x	x						
<b>January 25 – 31, 2016</b>	<b>Bratislava</b>	<b>SVK</b>	<b>ISU European Figure Skating Championships 2016</b>	x			x			x			x		
February 4 – 7, 2016	Sarajevo	BIH	Sarajevo Open 2016	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			
February 4 – 7, 2016	Ljubljana	SLO	Dragon Trophy & Tivoli Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x						
February 9 – 14, 2016	Ankara	TUR	1 <sup>st</sup> Vizyon Tropy	x	x	x	x	x	x				x	x	
February 10 – 14, 2016	Sofia	BUL	Sofia Trophy	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
February 11 – 14, 2016	Vaujany	FRA	Trophée des Petits Prodiges			x			x			x			x
February 12 – 14, 2016	Miskolc	HUN	Jegvirag Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x						
<b>February 12 – 21, 2016</b>	<b>Lillehammer / Hamar for FS</b>	<b>NOR</b>	<b>2016 Winter Youth Olympic Games</b>		x			x			x			x	
<b>February 16 – 21, 2016</b>	<b>Taipei City</b>	<b>TPE</b>	<b>ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2016</b>	x			x			x			x		

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February 17 – 21, 2015	Oberstdorf	GER	Bavarian Open	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
February 23 – 28, 2016	Vienna	AUT	Hellmut Seibt Memorial	x	x	x	x	x	x					x	x
February 24 – 28, 2016	Copenhaguen	DEN	The Nordics Open	x			x								
March 2 – 6, 2016	Budapest	HUN	27 <sup>th</sup> Sportland Trophy	x	x	x	x	x	x						
March 3 – 6, 2016	The Hague	NED	International Challenge Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
March 4 – 6, 2016	Luxemburg	LUX	Coupe de Printemps	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x				
<b>March 14 – 20, 2016</b>	<b>Debrecen</b>	<b>HUN</b>	<b>ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2016</b>		x			x			x				x
March 15 – 20, 2016	Innsbruck	AUT	Cup of Tyrol	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			
<b>March 28 – April 3, 2016</b>	<b>Boston, MA</b>	<b>USA</b>	<b>ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2016</b>	x			x			x				x	
March 31 – April 2, 2016	Miskolc	HUN	11th Avas Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x						
April 1 – 3, 2016	Selva Val Gardena	ITA	26. Gardena Spring Trophy	x	x	x	x	x	x						
April 6 – 10, 2016	Jesenice	SLO	Triglav Trophy & Narcisa Cup	x	x	x	x	x	x						
April 22 – 24, 2016	TBA	USA	Team Challenge Cup (invitational)	x			x			x				x	
April 22 – 24, 2016	Courbevoie	FRA	Rooster Cup			x			x						
June 13 – 18, 2016	Oberstdorf	GER	International Adult Figure Skating Competition												

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				S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N
January 25-29, 2017	Ostrava	CZE	ISU European Figure Skating Championships 2017	x			x			x				x	
February 15-19, 2017	Gangneung	KOR	ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2017	x			x			x				x	
15-19 March, 2017	Taipei City	TPE	ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2017		x			x			x				x
March 29-April 2, 2017	Helsinki	FIN	ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2017	x			x			x				x	

2018

Competition dates	Place	Mem	Name of the Competition	Ladies			Men			Pairs			Dance		
				S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N	S	J	N
January 15-21, 2018	Moscow	RUS	ISU European Figure Skating Championships 2018	x			x			x			x		
January 23-28, 2018 or January 30-February 4, 2018	Pending		ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2018	x			x			x			x		
March 5-11, 2018	Sofia	BUL	ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2018		x			x			x			x	
March 19-25, 2018	Milan or Torino	ITA	ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2018	x			x			x			x		

## II. Synchronized Skating

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### 2015

Competition dates	Place	Mem	Name of the Competition	Synchro.		
				S	J	N
October 8 – 10, 2015	Espoo	FIN	Finlandia Trophy <i>(invitational)</i>	x		
December 4 – 6, 2015	Ann Arbor, MI	USA	Dr. Richard Porter Skating Classic	x	x	

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				S	J	N
January 16 – 17, 2016	Göteborg	SWE	Leon Lurje Trophy	x	x	x
January 22 – 24, 2016	Salzburg	AUT	Mozart Cup	x	x	x
January 30 – 31, 2016	Neuchâtel	SUI	Neuchâtel Trophy	x	x	x
February 5 – 6, 2016	Rouen	FRA	French Cup	x	x	x
February 12 – 14, 2016	Dumfries	GBR	Trophy D'Ecosse	x	x	x
February 19 – 21, 2016	Sesto San Giovanni, MI	ITA	21. Spring Cup	x	x	x
February 25 – 27, 2016	Budapest	HUN	Budapest Cup	x	x	x
March 4 – 6, 2016	Shanghai	CHN	ISU Shanghai Trophy <i>(invitational)</i>	x		
<b>March 11 – 12, 2016</b>	<b>Zagreb</b>	<b>CRO</b>	<b>ISU Synchronized Skating Junior World Challenge Cup 2016</b>		x	
March 11 – 12, 2016	Zagreb	CRO	Zagreb Snowflakes Trophy	x		x
<b>April 8 – 9, 2016</b>	<b>Budapest</b>	<b>HUN</b>	<b>ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships 2016</b>	x		

### 2017

Competition dates	Place	Mem	Name of the Competition	Synchro.		
<b>March 10-11, 2017</b>	<b>Mississauga</b>	<b>CAN</b>	<b>ISU World Junior Synchronized Skating Championships 2017</b>		x	
<b>April 7-8, 2017</b>	<b>Colorado Springs</b>	<b>USA</b>	<b>ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships 2017</b>	x		

### 2018

Competition dates	Place	Mem	Name of the Competition	Synchro.		
<b>April 6-7, 2018</b>	<b>Stockholm</b>	<b>SWE</b>	<b>ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships 2018</b>	x		