

## Regulations UIV Talents Cup 2008/2009

### Article 01.

The "UIV International 6-Day Talents Under 23 Madison Cup" (UIV Talents Cup) is organised by Union Internationale des Vélodromes in co-operation with the members of UIV. The UIV Talents Cup 2008/2009 consists of the following 9 legs:

01.	Fiorenzuola 3-Days	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July 2008
02.	Amsterdam 3-Days	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> to Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2008
03.	Dortmund 3-Days	Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> October to Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November 2008
04.	Munich 3-Days	Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> to Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> November 2008
05.	Ghent 6-Days	Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> to Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November 2008
06.	Zurich 6-Days	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> to Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December 2008
07.	Rotterdam 5-Days	Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> to Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January 2009
08.	Copenhagen 6-Days	Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> January to Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2009
09.	Alkmaar 3-Days	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> to Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2009

### Article 02. Participation

The UIV 6-Days Talents Cup is open for riders in the under 23. The participation of juniors (17 – 18 years) is possible. A rider, who is under 23, when he enters the first leg of the Cup may participate in all legs of the running Cup, even if he passes the age of 23 before the last leg. The Cup is open also to riders under 23, belonging to Pro Tour Teams or Continental Pro Teams.

The Cup is a Team-Event, with a ranking for teams, open for national teams as well as mixed teams.

When a team/rider has participated in more than three Elite 6-Days in the same season, it is not possible to participate in the UIV 6-Day Talents Cup again during that season. The winter-season defined as from mid September until 31<sup>st</sup> of March.

### Article 03. Enrolment

Every organiser decides how many teams he can invite to his race, with a maximum reckon with the size of the track according to the UCI regulations.

National candidates apply directly to the local organiser.

Foreign candidates apply to the UIV-Coordinator. Foreign teams are chosen by the UIV-Selection Board in accordance with the local organiser.

- By principle the UIV Talents Cup is open for all male riders Under 23 who have a license from a national federation under the UCI. One should in principle sign as a team.
- The following bodies are entitled to present candidates: A/ National Federations, B/ Sportgroups, C/Organisers within the UIV.
- The candidates must be able to document required track experience.
- The candidates must send their cv with sporting records in general and especially in relation to track-racing/madison to the selection board.
- The candidates must state in which of the Cup's legs they would want to participate and preferably with priorities. The candidates must also state whether or not they will be available for the finishing leg of the Cup. The organizer of the final leg commits him self to invite the six best teams in the actual standings to the finishing leg.
- When signing up the candidates confirm that they have the necessary permission to participate in the UIV Talents Cup by their respective federations/clubs/sport-groups. *Teams/riders which does not without reason fulfil their start-obligations may be excluded from the rest of the UIV Talents Cup-series accordingly to decision form the selection board.*

#### **Article 04. Technical Regulations**

The UIV Talents Cup is run accordingly to corresponding regulations of the UCI and the special Technical Regulations set up by the UIV for this purpose.

The riders-meeting will be held one hour before the first start of the first day of the Event.

#### **Article 05. Financial conditions**

The organiser offers free accommodations for recognised teams (2 riders and maximum 1 personal) but no travel-fees.

#### **Article 06. Classification**

For the final result in each leg the following points are given for the final ranking in the UIV 6-Day Talents Cup:

	<b>6-days</b>	<b>5-days</b>	<b>4-days</b>	<b>3-days</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	30 points	25 points	20 points	15 points
2 <sup>nd</sup>	25 points	20 points	15 points	13 points
3 <sup>rd</sup>	20 points	15 points	12 points	11 points
4 <sup>th</sup>	18 points	13 points	10 points	9 points
5 <sup>th</sup>	16 points	11 points	8 points	7 points
6 <sup>th</sup>	14 points	9 points	6 points	5 points
7 <sup>th</sup>	12 points	7 points	4 points	4 points
8 <sup>th</sup>	10 points	5 points	3 points	3 points
9 <sup>th</sup>	8 points	4 points	2 points	2 points
10 <sup>th</sup>	6 points	3 points	1 point	1 point
<i>for all other accomplishing teams:</i>				
	3 points	1 point	1 point	1 point

To distinguish teams with equal points, account shall be taken of the finishing order in the final leg. In the final classification of the UIV 6-Day Talents Cup only the four best results of each rider are taken in consideration.

#### **Article 07. Price-money**

In every leg of the UIV Talents Cup there will be a total minimum prize fee of € 500 per day, paid by the organiser. In the overall of UIV Talents Cup 2008/2009 the prize fee will be as follows:

- No. 1: 2 x € 600
- No. 2: 2 x € 400
- No. 3: 2 x € 300
- No. 4: 2 x € 200
- No. 5: 2 x € 100

#### **Article 08. Benefits for the riders**

The riders from the winning team in the ranking of the UIV 6-Day Talents Cup is offered at least two contracts in next winters Elite 6-days. The riders from the second team in the ranking is offered at least one contract.

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