

EUHL MANUAL

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CHAPTER 1.

1. EUHA

1.1. Characteristics and Goals of the EUHA

- 1. EUHA is an independent, non-political legal entity in legal form of a civic association that simultaneously acts as international organization covering higher education and university ice hockey with territorially unlimited scope of activities.
- 2. Its main objective is the development of sports activities of youth, development and promotion of ice hockey and other sports among students at colleges and universities, support and development of interests and hobbies of young people, improvement of physical and mental capabilities in the area of sports, physical culture and creation of conditions for health improvement of the youth in the territory of the EU and other countries, where the EUHA is active. Other EUHA Objectives:
 - a) support and assistance in development of education processes of its members, including study programs or exchange programs at universities in Europe and beyond for students, players, coaches, teachers, etc.,
 - b) cooperation with governmental and non-governmental organizations in the European Union or other countries of the world, where the Association is active,
 - c) further development of cooperation between colleges / universities,
 - d) providing students with opportunities to receive scholarships, individual study plans and other benefits offered to given teams by colleges / universities,
- 3. EUHA takes care of development, prosperity, and protection of interests of its members and EUHL participants, ensures conditions for performance of their sports and education activities and provides them with technical and consulting services.

1.2. EUHA Board Committee

1. EUHA Board Committee serves as governing body of the EUHL, represents EUHA in public and manages operations of the EUHA and the EUHL. In relation to management of the EUHL and university teams, the EUHA Board Committee mostly coordinates individual participants of the EUHL



2. and their representatives, as well as individual committees of the EUHA and decides on matters not in competence of other EUHA bodies or committees.

1.3. EUHA Committees

1.3.1. Executive committees of the EUHA

- 1. In order to ensure proper functioning and operations of the EUHL, the EUHA establishes the following executive committees:
 - a) Disciplinary Committee,
 - b) Sport Technical Committee,
 - c) Referee Committee.
- 2. Rights and obligations of committees are governed by separate documents that are binding for all participants

of the EUHL and can be found at the EUHA website.

1.3.2. Advisory committees of the EUHA

- 1. EUHA can set up an advisory Committee for development of the EUHL Strategic Development Council of the EUHL. It is an advisory body consisting of at least three members appointed and governed by the EUHA Board Committee.
- 2. EUHA shall allow establishment of advisory working committees following the initiative of the university teams.
- 3. When establishing an advisory committee, the university teams shall submit a draft proposal of the committee statute that sets out its operations, organizational structure, rights and obligations, staff composition, etc. to the EUHA for approval, which is essential for establishment of any advisory committee. This draft proposal shall be delivered to the EUHA by August 25. of the corresponding year.



1.4. Relationships Between the EUHA and University Teams

1. Mutual rights and obligations of the EUHA and individual University Teams not governed by this Manual are governed by separate contracts concluded between the EUHA and individual Teams and provisions thereof shall take precedence over provisions of this Manual.

CHAPTER 2.

2. EUHL

2.1. Characteristics of the EUHL

1. EUHL is an independent amateur European University Hockey League whose main objective is to develop sports activities of youth, to develop and promote ice hockey and to foster cooperation between its participants, EUHL, organized by the EUHA, consists solely of teams of university or college students (hereinafter referred to as the "Team").

2.2. Participants of the current EUHL Season

1. Participants of the current EUHL Season are teams that have signed a contract on participation in the current season no later than by the end of August of the year in which the season starts provided, that they've paid their participation fee on time and do not have any debts towards the EUHA from previous seasons or from other activities organized or co-organized by the EUHA. List of participants of the current EUHL Season is being maintained by the EUHA Board Committee.

2.3. Basic Timetable of the Season

- 1. The EUHA Board Committee shall determine the starting date of the regular EUHL season and notify individual teams of this date without any undue delay. The teams shall be obliged to respect the Board's decision. Each University Team shall be obliged to attend, via its representative, the opening press conference for the new EUHL Season.
- 2. Each participating team of the current EUHL Season shall be obliged to play the first game of the season in the first 10 days of the current EUHL season (starting date of the season is determined by the EUHA Board Committee), unless the Committee decides otherwise, e.g., in



cases, where the University Team attends an event, where the EUHA participates or the EUHA gave the Team permission to attend.

- 3. Individual teams may, after mutual agreement, play games of the current EUHL Regular Season prior to the start of the Season, provided they obtained prior approval from the EUHA. The option to play non-competitive games between the teams prior to the official start of the season and during the season shall be within the competence of individual teams, provided that those games do not affect proper functioning and operations of the league.
- 4. Game schedule shall be determined based on number of participants qualified to participate in the current EUHL season and game day schedule of the registered participants. Specific schedule shall be prepared after individual contracts on participation in the EUHL season are signed.

2.4. Determining Game Days

1. To achieve proper and smooth operations of the EUHL, the EUHA recommends University Teams to determine at least two game days per week, during which they will play their EUHL home games and to do so prior to the start of the regular season. University Teams undertake to aid in the highest possible extent that can be reasonably expected to provide the most accurate and timely scheduling of individual games. EUHA reserves the right to set a date and place of a game in case the involved parties are not able to come to an agreement. Costs of such game shall be covered by the Home Team unless the EUHA rules otherwise. This date and place are binding for all involved parties.

2.4.1. Changes of Game Dates and Times

- 1. Game days submitted by Home Teams shall only be modified with the EUHA approval and under circumstances set out in this Manual or in compliance with separate agreements between the EUHA and individual Teams. In exceptional cases, the EUHA shall be allowed to set a date, time, and place of a Regular Season game, provided the involved parties cannot come to an agreement (see Article 2.4 (1)).
- 2. Specific dates and times of individual games may be modified for various charity or marketing activities of individual teams, subject to authorization by the EUHA. If a Team has information about an event or activity in terms of this article, it is the Team's obligation to notify the EUHA by email at least 10 days prior to the event or activity, in order to determine an



alternative date for the game; a team shall be released from this obligation only if they learned, without any fault on their part, about such event after the deadline set out in this article, whereby the team bears the burden of proof.

- 3. In case of any unforeseen circumstances outside the Team's influence that can impact date and time of a game, the Team shall notify the EUHA by email immediately after being made aware of the situation, to determine an alternative date for the game.
- 4. If an originally scheduled game requires change of date, the team that required the change shall notify and provide explanation to the EUHA, the EUHA Game Officials Committee and the Sport-Technical Committee and inform the opposing team of the change at least:
 - 96 hours (4 days) prior to the game in the Regular Season, unless the team learned, without any fault on their part, of the circumstances responsible for the date change after the deadline, whereby the team bears the burden of proof,
 - 120 hours (5 hours) prior to the game if a part of a trip, unless the team learned, without
 any fault on their part, of the circumstances responsible for the date change after the
 deadline, whereby the team bears the burden of proof.
- 5. Only 2 changes of date shall be allowed for games during Regular Season, except for cases when the team requesting the change bears no responsibility for the situation. Any further requests for change of date shall not be approved by the EUHA and the team not requesting the change shall win the game by default, unless there are special circumstances, whereby their eligibility shall be determined by the EUHA.
- 6. Dates of playoff games of the EUHL season can be changed only in exceptional instances and only if approved by the corresponding committee. In exceptional cases, the EUHA shall be allowed to set a date, time, and place of a playoff game, provided the involved parties cannot come to an agreement (see Article 2.4 (1)).
- 7. To eliminate any doubts, even changes to starting time of a game on the scheduled game day shall constitute a change of a game date, unless it is a minor time delay that does not affect rights and obligations set out in this Manual.

2.5. System of Play in Regular Season

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- 1. The teams will meet in two rounds, using the home away system.
- 2. Upon agreement between the teams, it is possible to use the tourney system (provided the teams will meet in two rounds) or a combination of the two systems in question.
- 3. The EUHL Season may also be concluded in one round if the circumstances do not allow for a two-round or tourney system.
- 4. The System of Play in Regular Season shall be determined by the EUHA Board Committee no later than during the pre-season conference.
- 3. Game in Regular Season is 60 minutes long. If a game is tied at the end of regulation, it is then followed by a 5-minute-long overtime with a 3 against 3 system first team to score a goal during this period wins the game. If a game is still tied after the overtime period, a shootout with 3 players from each team ensues. Tied shootout is followed by a change in order of teams with a 1-1 system (one player from each team; one and the same player is allowed to shoot). Team scoring the winning goal in the series wins the game.
- 4. Ice shall be treated before overtime.

2.5.1. Point System in Regular Season

- 1. Point System in the EUHL Regular Season shall be as follows:
 - Win in regulation time = 3 points for winning team
 - Tie = 1 point for each participating team
 - Win in overtime or after shootout = + 1 point for winning team
 - Loss in overtime or after shootout = 0 points for losing team
 - Loss after regulation time = 0 points for losing team

2.5.2. Ranking of Teams in Regular Season

- 1. Team ranking (descending) shall be determined by total number of points awarded in the regular part of current season. The best team shall be awarded the most points, whereas the worst team shall be awarded the least points. In a tie, the ranking shall be determined by the following:
 - (1) difference in total score in current season,
 - (2) number of goals scored in current season,
 - (3) sum of points from mutual games in current season,



- (4) difference between partial score from mutual games in current season,
- (5) number of goals scored in mutual games in current season,
- (6) draw.

2.6. Playoffs

- 1. After completion of the EUHL Regular Season the teams will be entered into a table based on points earned that will be used to determine the first eight teams advancing into the EUHL Playoff (in case of a tie the resolution shall follow criteria set out in the Manual), unless the EUHA determines otherwise.
- 2. The EUHA reserves the right to additionally modify the playoff system for the EUHL Season via an amendment to this Manual. The EUHA Board Committee shall determine the starting date of the regular EUHL season and notify individual teams of this date without any undue delay. The teams shall be obliged to respect the Board's decision.

2.6.1. Playoff Timetable

- 1. Playoff of the current EUHL Season shall take place on the following dates:
 - Quarterfinals
 - o Semi-finals
 - o Finale

These dates shall be confirmed prior to the Playoffs by the EUHA Board Committee.

2.6.2. Playoff System of the Play

- 1. Semi-finals shall be played in the following manner:
 - First team shall play with the team that ranked as 8.
 - Second team shall play with the team that ranked as 7.
 - Third team shall play with the team that ranked as 6.
 - Fourth team shall play with the team that ranked as 5.
 - Winners of quarterfinals shall meet in semi-finals.
 - Winners of semi-finals shall meet in the finale.
- 2. If teams with identical ranking after the Regular Season meet in semi-finals, the following coefficient shall be followed:



- (1) difference in total score in current season,
- (2) number of goals scored in current season,
- (3) sum of points from mutual games in current season,
- (4) difference between partial score from mutual games in current season,
- (5) number of goals scored in mutual games in current season,
- (6) draw.
- 2.1 This provision shall be in enforced only if the regular season teams are divided into several groups.
- 1. Quarterfinals, Semi-finals, and Finale shall be played in a best-of-three series; first two games are organized by higher ranking team of the regular season if not agreed otherwise. Subsequently, the series shall move to lower ranking team, who shall organize the other two games, provided the series does not end with the third game. Eventual fifth and deciding finale game shall be organized by higher ranking team of the Regular Season. In exceptional cases (i.e., if the home team does not have means to organize a game), the EUHA reserves the right to set a date and place of a game that shall be respected by all involved parties. If an involved party does not participate in a game set by the EUHA, the game shall end in a walkover awarded to the participating team (see Article 2.4(1))
- 4. If the score is tied in regulation time of a playoff game, a 20-minute overtime period with the 3 against 3 system shall be played until a so-called "golden goal" is scored; penalty-shot shootout is not permitted.
- 5. That the game ends properly while using the 3 against 3 system in the overtime period of any playoff game of the current EUHL Season shall be the responsibility of the home team. Otherwise, the game shall end in a walkover (W.O.) awarded to the visiting team.
- 6. Ice shall be treated before the overtime period and in between individual overtimes.

2.7. Representation of the EUHL



- 1. In cases of international events, friendly, representative or exhibition games or events of similar nature, the EUHA shall assemble a representation team of the EUHL ("EUHL Representation").
- 2. EUHL Representation shall, besides nominated players, consist of the realization team including at least the following:
 - Coach
 - Assistants
 - Representation manager
 - Custodian Technician
- 3. The EUHA shall appoint the head coach and manager of the EUHL representation team no later than 30 days prior to the starting date of the current season. Other members of the realization team shall be appointed by the coach and representation manager, whereby these nominations shall be subject to approval by the EUHA Board Committee.
- 4. Nomination of individual EUHL players shall be in full competence of the realization team. EUHA reserves the right to reject a nomination of a player, who demonstrably repeatedly and seriously violated his obligations.

2.8. Other events attended by University Teams

- 1. Based on cooperation between the EUHA and their partner organizations, the EUHA might organize or co-organize international events or tournaments with participation of the EUHL teams or the EUHL select team during the EUHL Season. EUHA shall inform the University Teams of such events in advance.
- 2. If a new division of the EUHL is formed, play-off winners of that division may play a game / tournament for the champion of the European University Hockey League. Place of this game / tournament and other conditions shall be determined by mutual agreement of finale participants and the EUHA.
- 3. University Teams undertake to provide the EUHA with necessary assistance in proper organization and smooth execution of events. Participation of the University Teams or their representatives in the events must not affect the team's operations in the current Season.



CHAPTER 3.

- 3. Registration of University Teams and Players for the EUHL
- 3.1. Registration of University Teams for the EUHL
- 1. Each EUHL University Team shall, at the time of registration, provide the following:
 - a) Contract of participation in the EUHL,
 - b) own team name and logo or other designation,
 - entry fee payment slips in accordance with the EUHL Contract; entry fee to be determined in Contract between the EUHA and the Team,
 - d) liability insurance (protection against property damage, etc.); University Team takes due note that it becomes liable for all damage claims caused by action, inaction, or failure to act in relation to a game or team's participation in the EUHL, if the Team fails to provide such insurance,

3.2. Registration of University Players in the EUHL

- 1. EUHL player registration process for the corresponding season starts on August 1. Registration shall take place solely via website www.euhl.eu/player-registration, where each player interested in participating in the current EUHL season must enter all required information in accordance with the EUHA requirements that are necessary for participation in the EUHL.
- 2. University Team Player Rosters for the current Season lock on and shall be submitted to the hockey data system (http://myteam.hockeydata.net/login) available to team managers by 12:00 of September 25. of the corresponding year. Managers shall simultaneously synchronize and check rosters and data of players with data entered into www.euhl.eu/player-registration during registration by players themselves, whereas team manager shall be responsible for registrations and consistency of entered data. University Team Player Roster must include all mandatory information listed on the above-mentioned websites. All mandatory data must be filled in to complete the registration process.
- 3. If information is added to or amended in the team roster after 12:00 of September 25. of the corresponding year, the EUHA does not guarantee prompt approval of individual players or other persons entered the system and therefore does not bear any responsibility for any issues



of the rosters.

the team may encounter because of their failure to fulfill the obligation, including preventing a player to start in a league game.

- 4. Registration of each player is subject to a registration fee of $5.00 \, €$, provided that the player registered in accordance with the provisions of this Manual by 12:00 on September 25. of the corresponding year. Registration fee for each player registered after September 25. shall be set at $10 \, €$ unless the EUHA or the relevant committee decides otherwise, particularly in cases of new participants in the current EUHL Season,
- 5. Team Player Roster shall be signed by the team manager and bear a stamp of the team or the university and shall be submitted by email to the EUHA office prior to start of the current season and after the end of winter semester, no later than 72 hours prior to start of the first game of the season and before the end of the transition period.
- 6. University Team Player Rosters submitted after the end of winter semester shall include Statements of Student Status for players on the rosters that would unequivocally confirm that the player's student status remains intact after the end of winter semester (the statement shall include name and contact information of the admission office employee issuing the statement); exceptions shall be granted to junior players that are not college or university students in compliance with the provisions of this Manual. By signing the roster, the team managers shall confirm accuracy of information on the roster. The team managers shall have the same obligations in relation to any changes or updates
- 7. Any changes to player rosters or other changes shall be entered into the Hockeydata system at http://myteam.hockeydata.net/login/ after the team manager learns about the change and without any undue delay.
- 8. Team manager or coach shall be obliged to notify the EUHA or even relevant committee members of expiration of penalty awarded by the Disciplinary Committee without any undue delay.
- 9. Team manager shall be responsible for ensuring compliance with sanctions awarded in accordance with disciplinary rules shall the Hockeydata system be unavailable.



10. In addition to player rosters and data about players, data about team coaches and other persons, depending on requirements of the system, shall be entered into the electronic Hockeydata system.

3.2.1. Restrictions to registration of players

- 1. Number of players on the EUHL Team Player Roster during the season is unlimited until December 31. After the date, the roster can have a maximum of 40 players that cannot be removed from this roster without the EUHA approval granted only in exceptional instances; the removed players cannot be replaced by players that were not already on the roster to the date set out in this article. In addition, after the date a player shall be prohibited from starting in any league other than the EUHL. If a player starts in a game of any other league after December 31., he will be prohibited from starting in all remaining games of the EUHL in the current season.
- 2. Simultaneously, to qualify for playoff games, each player on the roster drawn up in compliance with the previous article must have played at least 50% of all competition games in the EUHL Regular Season. Sport Technical Committee has the right to grant an exception to player that failed to comply with the above-mentioned requirement for justified reasons. Condition of 50% games played does not apply to e.g., prolonged injury, Erasmus or goalkeepers.

CHAPTER 4.

4. University Team

4.1. Structure of University Team

- 1. EUHL University Team consists exclusively of:
 - a) players university or college students representing the institution under its name and logo (see Article 4.4(4))
 - b) players students at multiple colleges or universities that have an agreement to share a team
 - c) players aged 18-30 (including). Players that reach the age of 18 years during the ongoing season may be granted an exception pursuant to par. 4.2. of this Manual.

4.1.1. University Players



1. University Players in the EUHL are:

- a) university or college students of 1., 2. and 3 degree or preliminary year in full-time or external form that are students of legally and duly recognized forms of higher education study or its equivalent in the University Team's home state or graduates of state final exams that graduated within the period of 12 months from the master game in question,
- b) ISIC Card, Euro 26 Card or similar card holders, holders of Statement of Student Status from university or college,
- c) players not under contract with a professional hockey team player participating in the EUHL shall not participate in any other hockey team or hockey league organized by any entity other than the EUHA, except for the lowest amateur league of the specific country or regional tournaments with amateur status organized in the specific country,
- d) junior players complying with conditions set out in this Manual and having a permission of their team to participate in the EUHL,
- e) not contractually bound to be represented by a hockey agent,
- f) maintain satisfactory academic performance confirmed by University (definition of satisfactory performance to be determined by University),
- g) hold valid international insurance for games organized by EUHA,

4.2. Junior Players

- 1. In the EUHL Season, players in the junior category who are not attending a college or university and actively participate in a junior or senior hockey league at state level may start for a University Team under the following conditions (University Team is responsible for player's compliance with these conditions):
 - a) player is at least 17 21 years old, or will reach this age during the actual season; is a student of the graduating class and is an active member of a junior hockey team at state level,
 - b) player is not contractually bound to a hockey team, unless the EUHA or a corresponding committee decides otherwise,
 - c) For player younger than 18 years, the EUHA must receive a written statement of the player's parent or legal guardian with explicitly stated consent with the players participation in the EUHL and the signature must be certified.
 - d) junior player is on the University Team roster,
 - e) player submits valid international compulsory insurance for games organized by the EUHA,



- f) player submits medical certification of health that unequivocally states that the player is in full health and eligible to play hockey.
- 2. In accordance with this provision, a maximum of 5 players/team is allowed to start in a game of the ongoing EUHL Season. In special circumstances the Sport Technical Committee may grant an exception based on a request for increased number of players (junior) in EUHL game.

4.3. Exceptions, Limits and Limited Permissions

- a) maximum number of foreign players = unlimited in compliance with par. 3.2.1 of this Manual, provided that each foreign player complies with provisions and conditions set out in this Manual, unless the EUHA decides otherwise.
- b) maximum number of junior players on the roster = unlimited number of players provided they comply with provisions and conditions set out in this Manual.

4.4. Transfers

- 1. Transfers of players from one participating team into another participating team shall be allowed by DECEMBER 31. of the corresponding year, provided that all provisions of this Manual are reasonably followed, unless the EUHA determines otherwise.
- 2. Exceptions to the above stated transfer period are transfers for:
 - family reasons,
 - study reasons, (e.g., student exchange programs)
 - personal reasons.
- 3. EUHA reserves the right to determine eligibility of transfers outside the transfer period in justified cases.
- 4. Player can transfer to the EUHL only once per season up until reaching 23 years of age. After reaching this age, a player shall be allowed to play in the EUHL (starting from the 2020/21 EUHL Season) only once (i.e., should an EUHL player at the age of 24 transfer into the 1. League or Extra League, he can never transfer back to the EUHL).



CHAPTER 5.

5. Organization of EUHL Game

5.1. General Responsibilities of Game Organization

- 1. EUHL games are governed by ice hockey rules and take place in accordance with the "EUHL ice hockey game regulations", which take precedence,
- 2. A list of players' names and numbers, including the team captain and assistants, is submitted by a representative of EUHL participant before game to referee or record keeper only if the data are not available in the electronic system.
- 3. Minimum number of players for an EUHL game is 10 players + 1 goalkeeper. Maximum number of players for an EUHL game is 20 players + 2 goalkeepers.
- 4. Both teams shall have the responsibility to ensure that a player participating in an EUHL game can provide his ID or other document verifying his identity. Additionally, each player and team member shall be obliged to provide an anti-COVID document pursuant to regulations and directives in effect in the home team country.
- 5. Players and goalkeepers shall wear uniform jerseys, gear and helmets approved by the EUHA in accordance with this Manual, design manual for jerseys and contractual obligations of the EUHA. Compliance with these regulations may be checked by the referee or participating team, in particular its coach, manager, team supervisor or representatives of the EUHA.
- 6. Players under 18 years of age are required to use a helmet cage and neck guard, players older than 18 are required to use half facial protection (so called "visor"),
- 7. EUHL game has a three-official system (one referee, two linesmen) or four-official system (two referees and two linesmen). If enough officials are not present at a game, the game shall not start. In justified cases EUHL game may be played with only two present officials. In exceptional cases EUHL game may be played with only one present official. However, the teams shall be obliged to notify of that fact the EUHA members without undue delay if the members are not present at the game and at least one EUHA Board Committee member must give their consent.



- 8. Presence of Medical Service shall be established at the start of any EUHL Game. Referee shall not start the game until this condition is complied with. EUHL Game interrupted for injury shall not be resumed until the members of Medical Service team have resumed their position at the Rink.
- 9. University Team is required to publish the Roster on their website and the Hockeydata website in the "myteam" format on the Game Day, no later than 1 hour before start of the EUHL game.
- 10. Home Team shall play in lighter shade jerseys and the Visiting Team shall play in dark shade jerseys unless the participating teams agree otherwise.
- 11. Teams participating in a game shall be obliged to provide mutual assistance and cooperation to ensure proper run of the game, whereby this obligation relates not only to the game itself but also to matters related to organization of such game (recommendation for acceptable accommodation, catering, background facilities, etc.),
- 12. If representatives of media are present (television, radio, printed media, etc.), the Teams shall be obliged to provide statements of team representatives on the game the statements shall be simple and to the point without any verbal attacks against third parties.
- 13. University Team and members of its realization team shall not under any circumstances criticize performance of game officials and the EUHA or the EUHL organization in statements for media, statements in public as well as statements on social media or other communication channels.

Potential objections against performance of game officials shall be addressed to the EUHA Disciplinary Committee. Potential objections against organization of the EUHA or the EUHL shall be addressed to the EUHA Board Committee or the Sport-Technical Committee.

5.2. EUHL Game Organizer and their responsibilities

- 1. EUHL Game Organizer shall always be the home University Team and is responsible for organization and smooth run of a home game, particularly by providing:
 - a) adequate ice rink,



- b) competent game officials, if not provided by the relevant committee 48 hours prior to the game. The home team shall also provide security for officials before, during and immediately after an EUHL game.
- c) main organizer, dully identified, responsible for order outside of ice rink,
- d) competent doctor / medical service with valid license "Emergency doctor", with mandatory equipment for first aid, ready to immediately act during the entire duration of an EUHL game,
- e) adequate score clock and its timekeeper,
- f) security service that will keep order and provide safety of EUHL game participants during the entire game and a certain period after the game as agreed in advance,
- g) person responsible for recording statistics,
- h) in coordination with the EUHA provide adequate room/cabin for selected officials and all essential equipment for officials, such as. the EUHL uniforms, EUHL ice hockey game regulations, EUHL Manual for current season; all the above shall be available to officials before, during and after the game,
- access to premises necessary for proper performance of delegate's duties if an EUHA game delegate, media or EUHA representative is present,
- j) video recording of the game for purposes of game analysis by the visiting team and for the needs of the Disciplinary Committee; the home team shall be obliged to make the footage available within 72 hours from the game at publicly accessible server with the access protected by password that shall be given to the visiting team representative and the EUHA upon request or provide a copy of the footage to the visiting team within the deadline upon request. taking responsibility for decency of speech (language) of a commentator if streaming of the game is provided by the home team,
- k) information about game time schedule, particularly warm-up, game start, ice surface treatment, etc. to visiting team manager at least 120 minutes prior to start of a game,
- l) enough pucks for opponent's warm-up, at least 15 pieces,
- m) background music during warm-up and entirety of a game,
- adequate cabin for visiting team that is accessible at least 120 minutes before start of a game,
- o) waiting time for game shall not exceed 20 minutes,
- game shall start with national anthems of countries of participating teams, either sung or played from a quality copy,
- q) national flags of participating countries and the EU and the EUHA/EUHL flag (if provided by the EUHA) shall be raised at visible places in the stadium during the entire EUHL game (including pre-game warm-ups).



- r) Home Team shall provide online updates of all game results in the Hockeydata system during the game; the Home Team shall be obliged to use the Hockeydata system for: creating pre-game player roster, option to check players by officials or other authorized persons, live statistics, creating electronic and printed Game Report; each University Team shall, for the above-mentioned purpose, train an authorized recordkeeper for home games. In case of questions related to operation and use of the Hockeydata system contact the following email addresses: support@hockeydata.net,
- s) an article and dignified photos from the game to be sent without undue delay to selected subjects (chosen by EUHA sport journalist) and published on the team website and the EUHL website by 10:00 a.m. of the day following the day of the game.
- t) promotion for the EUHL game social media, university radio stations, advertising panels on premises of university, etc.
- u) one representative each from home and visiting team to be available for interview after the Game. The interviews shall take place in front of a media wall with visible logos of the EUHA, the EUHL and their partners, as well as partners of the Home Team or the Team organizing the Game on behalf of the EUHL.

5.3. Game Report

- 1. Team managers shall be responsible for proper and correct entries of data into the game report, that must include:
 - Player roster,
 - Team goalkeepers and their changes,
 - Information about managers, game officials, coaches, and other persons,
 - Information about shots on goal after each period
 - Number of spectators
 - Other data in accordance with hockeydata system

For this purpose, the EUHA recommends that the team managers train selected persons that shall be responsible for taking accurate notes of statistical data, which are then entered into the hockeydata system and therefore directly impact accuracy of official statistics. Furthermore, the EUHA recommends a mutual control and approval of data entered the statistical list that should take place between the teams during intermissions in between each period and after the end of the game,

2. In addition, the report shall include 5x signature of



- coach or team supervisor or manager of both teams
- doctor/medic
- timekeeper
- referee
- game organizer
- names and signatures of Medical Service team members present at the game

Information entered into the Record shall not be amended after the Record is signed by officials, unless the EUHA decides otherwise. EUHA recommends individual teams to prepare taking-over certificates with photo documentation of the locker room equipment prior to making their locker rooms available to opposing teams.

3. Home Team shall submit their Game Report no later than 24 hours after the game to: office@euhl.eu in a PDF format, other formats shall not be accepted,

5.4. Identity Check of a Player During Game

1. Game official, upon request from team coach or university manager, shall perform identity check of players at EUHL game or validity of their registration. Identity check of a player can only be performed until the end of second period of an ongoing EUHL game. If a discrepancy is discovered and it concerns a player not duly registered in the hockeydata system, this matter shall be entered into Game Report and reported to Sport - Technical Committee that has the obligation to act in this matter. Identity check shall be performed with DPLC application (Digital Players License Card) and personal confrontation. Each team manager has access to this application and thus shall be required to provide information stored in the application to the game referee.

CHAPTER 6.

6. Penalties for Infringements of the EUHL Manual

1. Infringements of the EUHL Manual is subject to procedures of the Sport-Technical Committee and Disciplinary Committee. Disciplinary Rules and Statute of the Disciplinary Committee are available at the EUHA website.



1. Affidavit:

I, the undersigned (hereinafter referred to as the "Party"), out of my free and solemn will as expressed in the prescribed form, and in absence of any apparently unfavorable conditions, do hereby declare to agree with the below provisions:

Party hereby irrevocably forfeits his claim to damages that the Party may incur or be entitled to whether by virtue of agreement or otherwise, or any kind, that the Party or his university team may have suffered directly or indirectly, either bodily, material, as working incapacity or pain or suffering and due to reasons or as consequences of his presence either as competitor or spectator

at all and any events organized by the EUHA - European University Hockey Association, with registered office at Považská 35, 91105 Trenčín, Slovak Republic, Organization Charter Number: 42 277 167 (hereinafter referred to as the "EUHA"). Party has read and understood the Manual of the European University Hockey Association and has agreed therewith, the Party undertakes to abide by all rules and procedures set therein. Party has been recommended the use of full protective ice hockey gear such as gloves, protectors, helmet, etc.

Party acknowledges and is aware of the fact, that during his participation with the EUHL - European University Hockey League (hereinafter referred as the "EUHL") organized by the EUHA (the Event), the Party may become part of dangerous activities and his participation entails a voluntary assumption of risks with no related liabilities imposed on any third party.

Party hereby confirms that he currently is in possession of a valid personal liability insurance and accident insurance that covers his participation at the Event and thereby holds the organizer, i.e., EUHA free of any responsibilities for the claims raised by any third party in respect of damages caused by the Party. Failure to abide by the above stated provision automatically results in the Party being liable for all resulting damages suffered by the EUHA.

Due to the European Union General Data Protection Regulation 2016/679 (hereinafter referred as the "GDPR"), the Party hereby grants the EUHA the right and permission to record, film and produce media outcomes and use the Party's name, image, voice, appearance, performance, and biographic material in the following manner:

a) to produce audio-visual and any other work



- b) to distribute via television or otherwise in all formats and through all technological processes including access via computer or any other such networks, at any frequency of use and on any media
- c) to procure any number of copies by using any technology and to let these copies be used in all commercial and non-commercial ways, especially leading to their sale, exchange, lease, or usage
- d) for promotional purposes of the EUHA and its advertising partners in all ways and forms, such as in promotional materials, information media, telex, and Internet
- e) to produce other audio-visual works and other works and to use those within the scope defined in this section
- f) to include image or transcribed sound component of audio-visual works and other works in periodicals and non-periodic publications, to reproduce and share via any means
- g) to any modification of audio-visual or other works. Should the Party consider the above-mentioned material produced and/or provided by the EUHA a work subject to authorship rights, the Party hereby grants the EUHA the exclusive right to publish and use free of any charge the work in scope for any mode of usage that have been known in the time of signing this Agreement, including the modes of usage still unknown
- h) Party grants the rights in accordance with section g) over the whole effective period of the proprietary rights' duration; in an unlimited scope; exclusively and in the whole global territory. EUHA shall not be obliged to use the work subject to authorship rights

Party hereby declares that all information provided by the party in connection with the registration of player through EUHA webpage http://www.euhl.eu/player-registration for the next EUHL seasons, (including play offs) is up to date, true and correct. In the event of changes occurring during the on-going season (especially with regards to medical fitness to play ice hockey), the party will immediately notify the EUHA via the e-mail communication to email



address <u>office@euhl.eu</u> or personally at the address of the EUHA headquarters. Otherwise, the party is exposed to possible negative consequences associated with the timely failure to notify the change of the data, in connection to the obligation to compensate in case of incurred damage.

Party furthermore declares that the party has been duly advised and informed by EUHA of the reasons, means, duration and all other procedural issues related to the processing of the personal data provided in connection with the registration of the EUHL player for the next EUHL seasons (including play offs),

Helpful Links:

 $Registration: \ \underline{http://www.euhl.eu/player-registration}$

myTeam: http://myteam.hockeydata.net/login

Digital Player Licenses (DPP) http://dpp.hockeydata.net/

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