



THE 29TH TAFISA WORLD CONGRESS PRAGUE 2026

Dear Congress Participants,

On behalf of The Association For International Sport for All (TAFISA) and the Organising Committee we would like to thank you for registering for the upcoming 29th TAFISA World Congress Prague 2026, which will be held in Prague, Czech Republic, from 13-17 May 2026.

To help you prepare for your trip, please find below all the essential information you will need before and during the congress - covering registration, the programme, travel, accommodation, social events, and more. Should you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact the Congress Secretariat.

1. VENUE & REGISTRATION

Congress Venue

Venue	Tyršův dům (Tyrš House)
Address	Újezd 450/40, 118 01 Malá Strana, Prague 1, Czech Republic

Registration Desk Hours

Wednesday 13 May	08:00 – 20:00
Thursday 14 May	08:30 – 16:30
Friday 15 May	10:00 – 14:00
Saturday 16 May	10:00 – 14:00

In case of any unpaid balance, we would like to ask you to pay in advance in order to avoid queues at the Registration Desk.

Info Hall

Wednesday 13 May	20:00 – Welcome Drink & Finger Food
Thursday 14 May	09:30 – 17:00
Friday 15 May	09:30 – 15:00
Saturday 16 May	09:30 – 15:00

Self Check-In

Badges are issued at on-site self-check-in stations. **You will receive a QR code via email** before the congress - print it or use your mobile device to collect your badge. A staffed registration desk is also available if you need assistance.

If you have an unpaid balance, please settle it in advance to avoid queues at the desk.



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Name Badge & QR Code

Your badge contains a unique QR code tied to your participant ID. Please wear your badge at all times, including social events - it is required for entry.

You may allow exhibitors to scan your QR code to share your contact information. Consent is yours to give; the organizers will securely provide scanned data to exhibitors after the congress.

2. TRAVEL & GETTING AROUND

Travel Information & Airport Assistance

Getting to Prague | Upon arrival at Václav Havel Airport, please visit our volunteer stand in the terminal - our volunteers will be happy to assist you with directions and any general information, and will provide you with a complimentary 90-minute public transport ticket to get to your hotel.

The stands will be located in Terminal 1 and 2. In both terminals, the stands are to be found after baggage claim, right after the exit from customs area. The stand will be branded with TAFISA logo and operated by congress volunteers.

Each delegate who arrives at the stand during the specified days and times will receive a one-way public transport ticket for the journey from the airport to the hotel. It will be necessary to present the registration QR code that they received in their email inbox. The tickets are issued exclusively at the airport.

The stands will be operated at following times:

Tuesday 12 May	08:00 – 21:00
Wednesday 13 May	08:00 – 22:00

Getting Around During the Congress | We encourage all participants to use Prague's excellent public transport network throughout their stay.

Getting to the Airport (Departure) | Please note that no shuttle or organised transport will be provided between the congress venue/hotels and back to the airport. We recommend using public transport, taxis, or ride-hailing services.

Detailed Travel Instructions

The Organising Committee has prepared detailed travel guides with step-by-step directions from the airport to each official congress hotel and the venue:

- Basic Travel Guide (Airport <-> Venue / Congress Hotels): [Download PDF](#)
- Full Travel Guide (public transport routes, taxi info, ticket prices): [Download PDF](#)

Getting Around Prague

In keeping with our commitment to sustainability, we encourage all participants to use Prague's extensive public transport network throughout their stay.

Visa Requirements

Invitation letters for visa purposes are issued only to participants who have completed registration. Please refer to the congress website for visa information.



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3. PROGRAMME

The Final Programme can be found on the website and in the mobile application just before the start of the Congress.

The Programme Overview can be found at following [link](#).

Certificate

The certificate of attendance will be available after the congress.

4. ON-SITE PRACTICALITIES

Wi-Fi

SSID	TAFISA2026
Password	Prague.2026

Mobile App



Download the TAFISA 2026 app from the App Store or Google Play for the full programme, updates, and venue maps.

Congress Catering

Refreshment will be available during the morning and afternoon coffee breaks according to the congress program. Lunch will be served buffet-style.

We also recommend bringing your own reusable water bottle.



5. FOR SPEAKERS & PRESENTERS

Please follow the instructions on our website [here](#).

Speakers' Ready Room

Please arrive at the Speakers' Ready Room at least 1 hour before your session. Technical staff will upload your presentation, run a test, and confirm it displays correctly. Full speaker instructions are available on the Congress website.

Wednesday 13 May	15:00 – 20:00
Thursday 14 May	08:00 – 18:00
Friday 15 May	08:00 – 19:00
Saturday 16 May	08:00 – 13:00

Poster Session

The poster session will be held in the Gallery on the 1st floor of Tyršův dům.

Mounting from	10:00, Wednesday 13 May
Must be removed by	13:00, Saturday 16 May

Please print your poster and bring it with you to the Congress. **No poster printing service is provided** by the organisers. If you wish to have your poster printed in Prague, you can contact, for example the company XCOPY (Štefánikova 496/10, Prague 5 – Anděl) directly via info@xcopy.cz.

Please follow the instructions on our website [here](#).



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6. SOCIAL PROGRAMME

Host Cultural Night

Date & Time	Thursday 14 May 19:00 – 23:00
Venue	Municipal House – Pilsen Restaurant, Náměstí Republiky 5, 111 21 Prague 1
Dress code	Business casual or traditional attire
Note	Transfers are not provided. Buffet dinner with the Song and Dance Ensemble of Josef Vycpálek.

Outdoor Activity & City Orienteering

Date & Time	Saturday 16 May 15:00 – 18:00
Location	Tyrš House courtyard

Choose from five concurrent activities (pre-registration required; max capacities apply):

Activity	Capacity	Time Slots
Dance Workshop – Song and Dance Ensemble of Josef Vycpálek	30 pax	15:00 · 16:00 · 17:00
Majorettes / Twirling Workshop – Bailar Praha Ensemble	30 pax	15:00 · 16:00 · 17:00
Historical Fencing Workshop	30 pax	15:00 · 16:00 · 17:00
Guided Tour of Tyrš House	20 pax	15:00 · 16:00 · 17:00
Orientation Game *	50 – 100 pax	15:00 – 18:00 (single run)

*Orientation Game

- Route Length: 4–5 km (2.5–3.1 miles), with the option to combine running and walking.
- Attire: Sports clothing.
- Start Time: The event will start in all weather conditions.
- Route Details: The route follows a map, leading participants to 3 to 5 local landmarks/points of interest. At these locations, participants will complete knowledge-based and minor physical tasks.

Street Food Festival & Evening Party

18:00 – 20:00	Street Food Festival in Tyrš House courtyard – live music by Hot Wings band. Each participant receives 1 main course + 2 drinks free; additional items available for purchase.
20:00 – 22:00	Evening party in the Aula, Michna Palace – DJ set for dancing. Bar available (purchases).
Dress code	Smart casual



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7. GENERAL INFORMATION

At the Congress

Language	English - no translation services provided
Cell phones	Please switch to silent mode in all session rooms.
Smoking	Not permitted anywhere in the Congress venue.

About Prague & the Czech Republic

Time zone	Central European Time (GMT +1)
Currency	Czech Crown (CZK). EUR accepted in some venues. Cards widely accepted.
Electricity	230V / 50 Hz. Standard European two-pin round sockets.
Shopping hours	City centre: Mon–Sun 09:00–20:00. Other shops: Mon–Sat 09:00–18:00.
Tipping	Service is usually included; ~10% tip is appreciated for good service.



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8. HEALTH & SAFETY

Medical Services On-Site

A permanent medical service will be available throughout the event at Tyrš House.

Nearby Medical Facilities (Prague 5 / Motol area)

Faculty Hospital Motol	V Úvalu 84 - largest facility with dedicated foreign patient services
Adults (Motol)	+420 224 433 682
Children (Motol)	+420 224 433 690
Na Homolce Hospital	Roentgenova 37 – English-speaking foreign patients dept.

Emergency Numbers

112	General emergency (EU standard)
150	Fire department
155	Ambulance
158	Police

Insurance

The organisers cannot accept liability for personal injury, loss, or damage to property. Participants are strongly advised to arrange adequate travel and health insurance before departing.

9. CONGRESS SECRETARIAT

Organisation	GUARANT International spol. s r.o.
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We are looking forward to seeing you in Prague soon!