

CEV U20 Volleyball European Championship 2024

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1. Introduction

The European Volleyball Confederation is pleased to open the registration procedure for the the CEV U20 Volleyball European Championship for both genders, going in line with the FIVB and CEV Board of Administration decisions to align the U-age groups.

The Final Phase of the stated competitions will be played with the 16 teams.

The organisation of the respective Final Phase have been granted as follows:

- Men U20 – in GREECE and SERBIA (venues tbc) on 26/08 – 07/09/2024
- Women U20 – Dublin (IRL) and (TBC BUL) on 20/08-01/09/2024 dates TBD, as those are still to be confirmed together with the pending co-host of IRL

This Championship will be managed and processed through the CEV database and therefore we ask all National Federations to apply the necessary accuracy while working with it.

It remains the sole responsibility of the NFs to respect all Communications, CEV Volleyball Competitions Regulations, Guidelines, and institutional decisions to guarantee the delivery of correct, accurate and complete data at any time that these are required.

The regulations in force are the newly updated 'CEV Volleyball Competitions Regulations', these are available as an online PDF document here:

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Through the same above link is access to the subsequent 'Official Communications' that are available as an online pdf-document, as well as the last version of the 'CEV Organisation Guidelines for National Team Competitions'.

If you have any questions at any time please contact the CEV Volleyball Department.

For this competition, those working on it during the evenings and weekends have the support of the 'Competitions Hotline' on: +352 621 25 34 44

2. Registration procedure and deadline

The registration for this edition will be done through the CEV Database by using the CEV form 01CH (Team Registration).

The registration deadline for closing and sending the above-mentioned form is:

Friday September 15, 2023 at 23:59 CET

After closing the form on-line, National Federations must click 'Print Form' and then sign the paper copy and send it by registered letter to the CEV Office.

This must also be sent with a postmark dated on or before the above-mentioned deadline for the registration to be valid.

On this form there are tick boxes to inform CEV if the respective National Federation intends to apply to organise one of the 2nd Round qualification tournaments. However, the definitive application forms and required procedure for applying to organise a tournament will be sent to all NFs after the registrations are confirmed.

For any assistance on filling the registration form, please do not hesitate to contact CEV Volleyball Department nationalteams@cev.eu.

3. Age limit

According to the Official Regulations, the CEV U20 Volleyball European Championship 2024 edition will only be open to:

Female and respectively Male players that are:

Born on 1 st January 2005 or thereafter
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4. Competition format and dates

The 2024 competition will be structured and include Final phase and Qualification phase, the latter is covering the 1st and 2nd Round Qualifiers as follows:

1st Round Qualifiers (Zonal)

The 1st Round Qualifiers will be organised in each of the six CEV Zonal Associations. Following the registration, CEV will inform each about the exact number of National Federations from their respective zone who have registered for participation.

Moreover, further to a decision made by the CEV Board of Administration, a minimum of 40% of the respective National Federations have to register for participation in order for the zonal event to count as a 1st Round Qualifiers for the European Championship. The host(s) of the Final Phase are not allowed to participate in the qualification process.

If one or more Zonal Associations fail to fulfil this requirement, depending on the total number of teams registered for participation in the championship, their teams might:

- have to join those from another zone to compete in the first stage of the qualification process
- join a qualifying round including teams from different zones put together as per the results of a Drawing of Lots

Each Zonal Association shall organise their qualification stage according to the calendar set by CEV for this round starting earliest 01st October 2023 and latest before 31st January 2024.

In each tournament, the first placed team qualifies directly to the Final Phase..

2nd Round Qualifiers

The 2nd Round Qualifiers are organised with a maximum of 20 National Federations who competed but did not qualify from the 1st Round Qualifiers to the Final Phase.

The number of the granted vacancies per Zone (quotas) in the 2nd Round Qualifiers depends on the total number of the registered teams. The team quota per Zone to qualify to 2nd Round is based on the percentage of overall European Ranking points per Zone calculated based on participating teams and will be communicated in the next Official Communications.

COMPETITION FORMAT:

- The 2nd Round Qualifiers will be played using the single round robin tournaments format (i.e. one tournament "one against each other").
- Each 2nd Round Qualifiers will be played with minimum three and maximum four teams.
- The teams in each 2nd Round Qualifiers will play one tournament over three competitions days:
 - Tournament with 3 teams: each team will play 2 competition days
 - Tournament with 4 teams: each team will play 3 competition days
- Each of the National Federations involved has the right to apply for the organisation of the tournament.

- Should more than one National Federation apply for the organisation, the organisers will be drawn by the CEV. Or should no National Federation apply for the organisation, the organiser will be drawn by the CEV.
- In each pool, the first best placed team qualifies to the Final Phase. In case of a vacancy in the Final Phase, the next best placed team across all pools not qualified yet, qualifies to the Final Phase.

QUALIFICATION DATES

Round	European Championships
1 st Round Qualifiers (organised by Zones)	Between 01 st October till 31 st January 2024
2 nd Round Qualifiers	04 th – 07 th April 2024

Final Round Format:

Further to the expansion of the number of participating teams from 12 to 16, as per the relevant decision taken by the CEV Board of Administration, the 16 teams contesting the Final Round will be playing seven matches each in the pool stage according to the single round robin format (one against each other).

The first and second-ranked teams from each pool will progress to crossed-semi-finals, with the pool winners playing against the runners-up from the other group. Matches for the gold and bronze medals will follow on the final competition day as per the results of the semi-finals. All teams finishing from third down to eight in the pool phase will be returning home after the end of the group stage without contesting any other classification matches.

5. 1st Round Qualifiers – format and dates

Following the receipt of the confirmed list of registered teams, each Zonal Association must confirm to CEV their competition structure and dates by Monday 02nd October 2023 regarding the 1st Round Qualifiers.

7. 2nd Round Qualifiers

Following the completion of the 1st Round Qualifiers, CEV will confirm the teams qualified to the 2nd Round. Those 2nd Round pools will be defined by the Serpentine System, once the 2nd Round organisers are known and seeded as head of those 2nd Round pools.

8. 2nd Round Qualifiers – organiser application

Forms to apply to organise 2nd Round tournaments will be sent to all participating teams in due time before 31st January 2024.

9. FIVB U21 World Championships

The FIVB will inform all NFs accordingly regarding the calendar and Continental quotas for this event.



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1. Teams Registered

The teams listed below have been registered (by 15/09/2023) for participation in the CEV U20 Volleyball European Championship 2024 (Men/Women).

STATUS OF TEAMS REGISTERED		U20 WOMEN		U20 MEN	
Level where the team will start the Championship		Country/ NF	↓ CEV European Ranking List as per 27/06/2023 Position/Total points (Zone)		Country/ NF ↓ CEV European Ranking List as per 25/11/2022 Position/Total points (Zone)
① The organisers are directly qualified to the Final Round	1	BUL	9/122 (BVA) + ORG.	1	GRE 16/110 (BVA) + ORG.
	2	IRL	Np./0 (SCA) + ORG.	2	SRB 6/166 (BVA) + ORG.
② Teams starting competition from the 1 st Round	3	SRB	1/196 (BVA)	3	ITA 1/198 (WEVZA)
	4	TUR	2/192 (BVA)	4	BEL 2/190 (WEVZA)
	5	POL	3/188 (EEVZA)	5	POL 3/186 (EEVZA)
	6	CRO	4/178 (MEVZA)	6	FRA 4/184 (WEVZA)
	7	FRA	5/150 (WEVZA)	7	CZE 5/168 (MEVZA)
	8	SVK	6/140 (MEVZA)	8	NED 7/146 (WEVZA)
	9	ITA	7/132 (WEVZA)	9	GER 8/142 (WEVZA)
	10	NED	8/126 (WEVZA)	10	TUR 9/132 (BVA)
	11	SLO	10/120 (MEVZA)	11	BUL 10/128 (BVA)
	12	FIN	11/118 (NEVZA)	12	SLO 11/122 (MEVZA)
	13	GRE	12/116 (BVA)	13	FIN 12/120 (NEVZA)
	14	ROU	14/114 (BVA)	14	POR 13/116 (WEVZA)
	15	SUI	15/112 (WEVZA)	15	SVK 14/112 (MEVZA)
	16	AUT	16/90 (MEVZA)	16	UKR 14/112 (EEVZA)
	17	ESP	16/90 (WEVZA)	17	ESP 17/90 (WEVZA)
	18	EST	18/88 (EEVZA)	18	SWE 17/90 (NEVZA)
	19	MNE	19/86 (BVA)	19	DEN 19/86 (NEVZA)
	20	CZE	21/64 (MEVZA)	20	ISR 19/86 (MEVZA)
	21	DEN	21/64 (NEVZA)	21	NOR 19/86 (NEVZA)
	22	GER	21/64 (WEVZA)	22	ROU 19/86 (BVA)
	23	HUN	21/64 (MEVZA)	23	CRO 23/74 (MEVZA)
	24	LAT	21/64 (EEVZA)	24	LAT 24/66 (EEVZA)
	25	NOR	21/64 (NEVZA)	25	HUN 24/66 (MEVZA)
	26	BEL	27/62 (WEVZA)	26	EST 24/66 (EEVZA)
	27	ISR	27/62 (MEVZA)	27	SUI 27/54 (WEVZA)
	28	UKR	27/62 (EEVZA)	28	AUT 28/52 (MEVZA)
	29	SWE	30/52 (NEVZA)	29	MNE 29/34 (BVA)
	30	KOS	31/46 (BVA)	30	AZE Np./0 (EEVZA)
	31	AZE	Np./0 (EEVZA)	31	ENG Np./0 (NEVZA)
	32	ENG	Np./0 (NEVZA)	32	FAR Np./0 (NEVZA)
	33	FAR	Np./0 (NEVZA)	33	GIB Np./0 (SCA)
	34	ISL	Np./0 (NEVZA)	34	ISL Np./0 (NEVZA)
	35	LTU	Np./0 (EEVZA)	35	IRL Np./0 (SCA)
	36	LUX	Np./0 (MEVZA)	36	LUX Np./0 (MEVZA)
	37	POR	Np./0 (WEVZA)	37	NIR Np./0 (SCA)
				38	SCO Np./0 (SCA)
				39	SMR Np./0 (SCA)

2. Vacancies 2nd Round

The 2nd Round is organized with participation of maximum 20 National Federations, whose teams have not managed to progress to the Final Round via the 1st Round qualifiers run by the respective Zonal Associations.

The winners of the zonal qualifiers organized by BVA, EEVZA, MEVZA, NEVZA, WEVZA and SCA will all claim a spot in the Final Round of the competition.

In the 2nd Round, National Federations are allocated to pools comprising of four teams. The five 2nd Round pool winners and four runners-up will all progress to the Final Round. In the men's U20 competition, pool winners and three best runners-ups will all progress to the Final Round.

For the first time in history, the respective Final Round European Championship will feature 16 teams in an effort to provide additional opportunities for future star players to compete at the highest level on the European stage.

The number of vacancies per Zonal Association in the 2nd Round qualifiers reflects each Zone's contribution (%) to the total number of registered teams and their cumulative ranking points. Therefore, the vacancies per Zonal Association are as follows:

	BVA	EEVZA	MEVZA	NEVZA	WEVZA	SCA	
U20 Women	5	3	5	2	5	0	20
U20 Men	3 *)	3	4	2	7	0	19

*) Theoretically, as per the above criteria, BVA should have four vacancies in the men's second round – but as their 1st Round zonal qualifier features four teams (as two of their member Federations are hosting the Final Round) and the winner of 1st Round zonal qualifier will qualify directly to the Final Round, only three teams remain – and these will all continue their journey in the competition in the 2nd Round.

Therefore, the vacancy not taken by BVA will eventually go to the team not yet qualified for the 2nd Round with the highest position in the U20 Men's European Ranking across all zones. This will be defined after completion of all 1st Round qualifiers.

3. Media Rights & Streaming Production (1st Round)

Should the Organizer wish to produce and live stream matches of the CEV Competition, please reach out to tv@cev.eu & digital@cev.eu to receive further information on media rights granting and broadcasting / streaming requirements.

4. Final Phase – U20 Women NEW dates

The organisers of the respective Final Phase have been agreed and requested a new dates as follows, the below dates are confirmed by the CEV:

- Women U20 – in Bulgaria (venue still TBD) and Ireland (Dublin) between 05-17/08/2024



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1. Teams qualified from 1st Round directly to Finals and 2nd Round vacancies

After completion of the first-round qualifiers organised by the respective Zonal Association, the following teams have secured their participation in the Final Round:

STATUS OF TEAMS	#	U20 WOMEN		#	U20 MEN	
Level where the team will start the Championship		Country/ NF	↓ CEV European Ranking List as per 27/06/2023 Position		Country/ NF	↓ CEV European Ranking List as per 25/11/2022 Position
① The organiser(s) is/are directly qualified to the Final Round	1	BUL	ORG.	1	SRB	ORG.
	2	IRL	ORG.	2	GRE	ORG.
② Teams qualified to the Final Rd. (as per 1 st Round qualification)	3	POL	3 / EEVZA 1.	3	POL	3 / EEVZA 1.
	4	CRO	4 / MEVZA 1.	4	FRA	4 / WEVZA 1.
	5	ITA	7 / WEVZA 1.	5	BUL	10 / BVA 1.
	6	SWE	30 / NEVZA 1.	6	SLO	11 / MEVZA 1.
	7	TUR	2 / BVA 1.	7	FIN	12 / NEVZA 1.
				8	SCO	NP / SCA 1.
③ Teams qualified to the Final Round (from the 2 nd Round qualification)	8		Pool A winner	9		Pool A winner
	9		Pool B winner	10		Pool B winner
	10		Pool C winner	11		Pool C winner
	11		Pool D winner	12		Pool D winner
	12		Pool E winner	13		Pool E winner
	13		Best 2 nd placed	14		Best 2 nd placed
	14		2 nd Best 2 nd placed	15		2 nd Best 2 nd placed
	15		3 rd Best 2 nd placed	16		3 rd Best 2 nd placed
	16		4 th Best 2 nd Placed			

The remaining spots will be at stake in the second round of qualifications scheduled for April 04-07, 2024. As per the decision made by the CEV Board of Administration, the Final Rounds of all age-group championships involve now 16 teams (with the only exception of the U22 category).

2. 2nd Round U20W: Dates, Venues and CEV Officials

The 2nd Round venues and dates are hereby confirmed, the CEV officials were appointed, the Referee Coaches and referees will be set directly to the pools by the ERC and those will be available inside the CEV database.

U20 WOMEN	Pool A	Pool B
Organiser:	SERBIA	SLOVAKIA
Competition Date:	04-06/04/2024	05-07/04/2024
Competition City:	RUMA	PEZINOK
Competition Hall:	Sportsko Poslovni Centar Ruma	Sport Hall SOU Komenskeho
City of Airport:	Belgrade	Vienna
CEV Supervisor:	Nilüfer SHIMONSKY	Valerie DELOUTRE
CEV Referee Coach:	Appointed by ERC visible in database	Appointed by ERC visible in database

Teams (4):	SERBIA (SRB) ROMANIA (ROU) AUSTRIA (AUT) BELGIUM (BEL)	SLOVAKIA (SVK) GREECE (GRE) SPAIN (ESP) KOSOVO (KOS)
Referees:	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database

U20 WOMEN	Pool C	Pool D
Organiser:	GERMANY	LITHUANIA
Competition Date:	05-07/04/2024	05-07/04/2024
Competition City:	KIENBAUM	KAUNAS
Competition Hall:	Ballspielhalle 3	S.Darius S. Gireno Sport Centre
City of Airport:	Berlin	Kaunas
CEV Supervisor:	Juan ALONSO FERNANDEZ	Maris PEKALIS
CEV Referee Coach:	Appointed by ERC visible in database	Appointed by ERC visible in database
Teams (4):	GERMANY (GER) FINLAND (FIN) ESTONIA (EST) UKRAINE (UKR)	LITHUANIA (LTU) SLOVENIA (SLO) MONTENEGRO (MNE) CZECHIA (CZE)
Referees:	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database

U20 WOMEN	Pool E
Organiser:	PORTUGAL
Competition Date:	05-07/04/2024
Competition City:	BARCELOS
Competition Hall:	Pavilhao Desportivo Colegio La Salle
City of Airport:	Porto
CEV Supervisor:	Gilles GAUPP
CEV Referee Coach:	Appointed by ERC visible in database
Teams (4):	PORTUGAL (POR) THE NETHERLANDS (NED) HUNGARY (HUN) NORWAY (NOR)
Referees:	To be nominated by the ERC

3. 2nd Round U20M: Dates, Venues and CEV Officials

The 2nd Round venues and dates are hereby confirmed, the CEV officials will be appointed, the Referee Coaches and referees will be set directly to the pools by the ERC and those will be available inside the CEV database.

U20 MEN	Pool A	Pool B
Organiser:	CZECHIA	LATVIA
Competition Date:	04-06/04/2024	05-07/04/2024
Competition City:	KUTNA HORA	DAUGAVPILS

Competition Hall:	Sport Hall Klimeska	Olympic Center
City of Airport:	Prague	Riga
CEV Supervisor:	Torsten SCHOOFF	Katarzyna BIZUKOJC
CEV Referee Coach:	Appointed by ERC visible in database	Appointed by ERC visible in database
Teams (4):	CZECHIA (CZE) TÜRKIYE (TUR) PORTUGAL (POR) SWITZERLAND (SUI)	LATVIA (LAT) GERMANY (GER) SLOVAKIA (SVK) CROATIA (CRO)
Referees:	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database

U20 MEN	Pool C	Pool D
Organiser:	ESTONIA	AUSTRIA
Competition Date:	05-07/04/2024	04-06/04/2024
Competition City:	TALLINN	HARTBERG
Competition Hall:	Nord Sports Hall	Stadtwerke Halle
City of Airport:	Tallinn	Graz
CEV Supervisor:	Ronny ACKERMANN	Periklis BAKODIMOS
CEV Referee Coach:	Appointed by ERC visible in database	Appointed by ERC visible in database
Teams (4):	ESTONIA (EST) THE NETHERLANDS (NED) UKRAINE (UKR) ROMANIA (ROU)	AUSTRIA (AUT) BELGIUM (BEL) SPAIN (ESP) DENMARK (DEN)
Referees:	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database	To be nominated by the ERC visible inside the Database

U20 MEN	Pool E
Organiser:	MONTENEGRO
Competition Date:	05-07/04/2024
Competition City:	PODGORICA
Competition Hall:	SC Verde
City of Airport:	Podgorica
CEV Supervisor:	Slobodan MILOSEVIC
CEV Referee Coach:	Appointed by ERC visible in database
Teams:	MONTENEGRO (MNE) ITALY (ITA) ISRAEL (ISR) NORWAY (NOR)
Referees:	To be nominated by the ERC

The pool composition in the second-round qualifiers reflects the European Ranking List in this age group and follows the serpentine system. If there was a tie in the ranking between two or more National Federations, a draw was performed to place those teams across the relevant pools.

As per Art. 2 of the Official Communication no. 2, BVA do not take one of their originally assigned slots in the second round due to the number of participating teams in their zonal qualifier. Therefore, this spot goes to the highest-ranked among the non-qualified teams from the 1st Round across all zones, with Slovakia (ranked no. 14) making it to the second round of qualifications as well.

4. 2nd Round: Administrative deadlines

Item:	Deadline:	Action:	Other information:
CEV 07 FORM	February 12 th 2024	Organising National Federations are obliged to complete and send the paper CH-07-T Form to CEV for approval.	The CH-07-T Form is available inside the CEV Database under 'Federation Area – Downloads', for the organising National Federations only.
CEV 02 FORM	February 12 th 2024	Organising National Federations are obliged to complete and close the 02 Form inside the CEV Database. (Organisational Chart)	The CEV 02 Form can be found inside the NF user areas of the CEV Database.
1st COMPETITION BULLETIN	February 19 th 2024	Organising National Federations are obliged to issue Competition Bulletin No. 1.	The Bulletin can be released after it has been approved by the CEV Supervisor.
Application for advertising on uniforms	March 07 th 2024	If applicable, all participating National Federations having advertisement on team uniforms are required to request the Certificate of Approval for advertising on uniforms.	The form can be found inside the CEV database "download area" and must be sent to: marketing@cev.eu
LED system application form	March 07 th 2024	Organising National federations can apply for the use of LED system around the court.	The form must be downloaded from the download folder in the CEV Cloud: https://cloud.cev.eu/url/ledapplform20 For further information see the Chapter "Led boarding system" in this document. Once compiled the form must be uploaded into the NF folder in the upload area and the graphics department be notified by emailing graphics@cev.eu .
PLAYER LICENSES (remaining players)	March 15 th 2024	All participating National Federations are required to register any additional players (not already registered for the 1 st Round) by applying for player licenses using the CEV 04 form within the set deadlines.	The CEV 04 Form can be found inside the NF user areas of the CEV Database.

TRAVEL TICKETS	March 20 th 2024 (minimum 2 weeks before)	Organisers must ensure that the travel ticket(s) and/or the information as to when and where the tickets can be collected <u>are with the CEV Supervisor, Referee Coach and Referees.</u>	
PLAYERS 'LONG LIST'	March 20 th 2024 (14 days before)	All participating National Federations are required to duly complete and close the CEV 05 Form ('TEAM REGISTRATION').	The CEV 05 Form can be found inside the NF user areas of the CEV Database. It is limited to a maximum of 24 players , out of which 14 will eventually participate in the tournament. After it is approved the CEV 05bis will be automatically created.
COMPETITION HANDBOOK	On the arrival of the Teams and CEV Officials at the Competition Site	Organisers are obliged to issue a Competition Handbook. The Competition Handbook can only be released after it has been approved by the appointed CEV Supervisor and the CEV.	
CEV 05bis FORM	Before each teams Preliminary Inquiry	Before attending their Preliminary Inquiry, each team must complete and close the CEV 05bis form inside the CEV Database. (FINAL TEAM REGISTRATION)	The maximum 14 players listed on the CEV 05bis form must have already featured on the CEV 05 form (i.e. the players 'long list').

AFTER THE COMPETITION

FINAL COMPETITION BULLETIN	Immediately after the last match has finished (within 24 hrs)	Organisers are obliged to issue a Final Competition Bulletin.	This must include all results (using the Data Volley Statistics sheets for each match) and the final standing (using a CEV website print).
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For all of the information about the meetings required onsite, see the CEV Volleyball Competitions Regulations.

Meeting	When	Main items to be covered
GENERAL ORGANISATION MEETING	On the arrival day of the CEV Supervisor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introductions • Information about the Competition Site(s) • Time schedule for pre competition days • General Items • Financial Matters • Can be linked with the 'INITIAL COMPETITION HALL INSPECTION'

TEAM PRELIMINARY INQUIRIES	On the arrival day of the teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Final team/player participation • Accreditation Cards (<i>if applicable</i>) • Team Uniforms • Advertising on Team Uniforms Certificate (<i>if applicable</i>) • Health Certificates (M-3 Forms) • Anti-Doping Diplomas (FIVB Play Clean) • FIVB Manipulation Course (certificates) • Team Medical Doctor/Team Physiotherapist accreditations • Financial matters (e.g. Contribution Fee 100,- EUR per person per day) <p><i>Note: the Team Manager must have its National Federation's log in credentials for the CEV database in order to "sign" the relevant forms.</i></p>
FINAL COMPETITION HALL INSPECTION	At the latest, 3 hours before the first match	All technical items as laid out in the CEV Volleyball Competitions Regulations and CEV Organisation Guidelines for National Team Competitions.

5. 2nd Round: Competition Accreditation cards

In line with the CEV Volleyball Competitions Regulations, each person accredited must receive an accreditation Card/ Badge. It is mandatory to use the CEV Accreditation System for all CEV competitions.

Only each tournament organiser is in charge of producing the badges for all participating teams in the respective pool and appointed CEV officials. Those can be extracted and synchronized directly from the database.

You can access the accreditation system via [this](https://accreditation.cev.eu/login/cev) link or via the National Federations Area of the CEV Database (<https://accreditation.cev.eu/login/cev>). Furthermore, there is a Badge Manager for the printing of the Badges for the matches. Each organiser is responsible for printing the badges for all teams participating in the respective tournament.

The guidelines on how to navigate through the software are available within the documents area in the accreditation system.

6. 2nd Round: Commercial Rights

In accordance with the rights already granted to the National federations ([Chapter 18 of the CEV Volleyball Competitions Regulations](#)), the table hereafter shows the split of Advertising rights for the Advertising spaces in the competition hall between the CEV and the organising National federation (NF).

Advertising rights		
	NF	CEV
N° of Static Banners	14 (incl. positions 23-26)	12
LED system visibility split (percentage of a 360° loop)	60%	40%
Floor stickers	2	2
Net	-	100%
Net post	-	100%
Referee stand	-	100%

RESERVED PRODUCT CATEGORIES:

The CEV reserves the following product categories:

1. Airlines
2. Banking
3. Betting and Gambling services*
4. Body & Healthcare products
5. Courier services & logistics
6. Sports Equipment – Volleyballs*
7. Sportswear

The CEV may release one or more of the above-mentioned categories, upon written request of the National federation.

*In any case, the categories n°3, n°6 and n°7 will not be released. Advertisement of “betting & gambling” partners, whether direct or indirect, is not allowed in the frame of the Under-age group competitions.

*For the avoidance of doubt, although the “Betting & gambling services” sector and/or category is reserved by the CEV, the Organiser may exploit, based on prior agreement of the CEV, the category for the “National lottery”, provided that their sports betting operations are in no way presented under the same brand as their National lottery operations. Thus, gambling and betting services are prohibited, and the category will not be released by the CEV.

The CEV partner is the ultimate betting rights holder on a global basis in relation to the National team and Club competitions, including the CEV Volleyball U20 European Championships.

7. 2nd Round: Branding

The Graphics and Marketing Department work with a file sharing platform (CEV Cloud), which is an optimised file sharing and storage solution. All organisers have direct access to all resources via a web service interface. The CEV Cloud supports drag and drop file managing.

No logins or passwords are needed.

Special links navigate you to the CEV qualifiers competition’s storage with 2 main folders, namely “Download” and “Upload”:

DOWNLOAD FOLDER (available from February 12th, 2024):

Contains all necessary files / templates you need to use for production of any possible material

<https://cloud.cev.eu/url/natteamsdown>

- Competition Brand Guideline
- CEV Banner layouts
- Logos
- Poster layout
- Digital templates
- Backdrop layout
- Court layout
- LED system application form
- LED system playlist file

Production of backdrop, poster, and digital promotion is compulsory. Any other promotional material with CEV identification markers shall be uploaded for approval.

Please note that we do not provide any ticket and brochure / Program layouts. However, all the relevant information and logos must be included in the design layout produced by the organisers, namely CEV logo, competition title and logo. The production of an official brochure / official program is not mandatory.

All graphics are available for downloading from the CEV Cloud. All Organisers have the opportunity to review the basic Brand Guidelines, to download and use the official competition logo and graphic devices in various formats, as needed.

UPLOAD FOLDER:

for all files to be uploaded, checked, and approved by CEV before producing. The upload folder is structured by National federation's/organiser's name <https://cloud.cev.eu/url/natteamsupl>

- All layouts & files (e.g. LED playlist, etc.) must be uploaded for final approval into the National federation's/organisers folder.

IMPORTANT: After uploading any files for approval, the Graphics Department graphics@cev.eu must be notified by a short e-mail.

Note that the cloud doesn't inform us automatically on the uploading of new files.

CEV institutional brand

The CEV institutional kit with the CEV identification markers (CEV logo, flag, etc.) can be found: on the CEV website: <https://inside.cev.eu/brand/> or downloaded directly the CEV Cloud: <https://cloud.cev.eu/url/cevbranding>.

Production of the promotional banners

Organising National federations are required to produce the following banners according to the layouts provided hereafter and made available on the CEV Cloud:

- Position nr. 12: Competition title banner
- Positions nr. 9 and 19: #EuroVolleyU20W (when playing host to the women's competition or #EuroVolleyU20M (when playing host to the men's competition)
- Positions nr. 4 and 15: EuroVolley.tv

Court layout: see Annex 1 and, please, check carefully all court layout conditions. Net, referee chair and net posts remain without any advertising.

8. 2nd Round: LED boarding system

In case any organising national federation wants to use LED system boarding, the **obligatory LED system application form** must be downloaded from the download folder in the CEV Cloud (select the LED system application folder). The fully compiled form must be uploaded to the CEV Cloud into your respective folder <https://cloud.cev.eu/url/natteamsupl> by 7th March 2024.

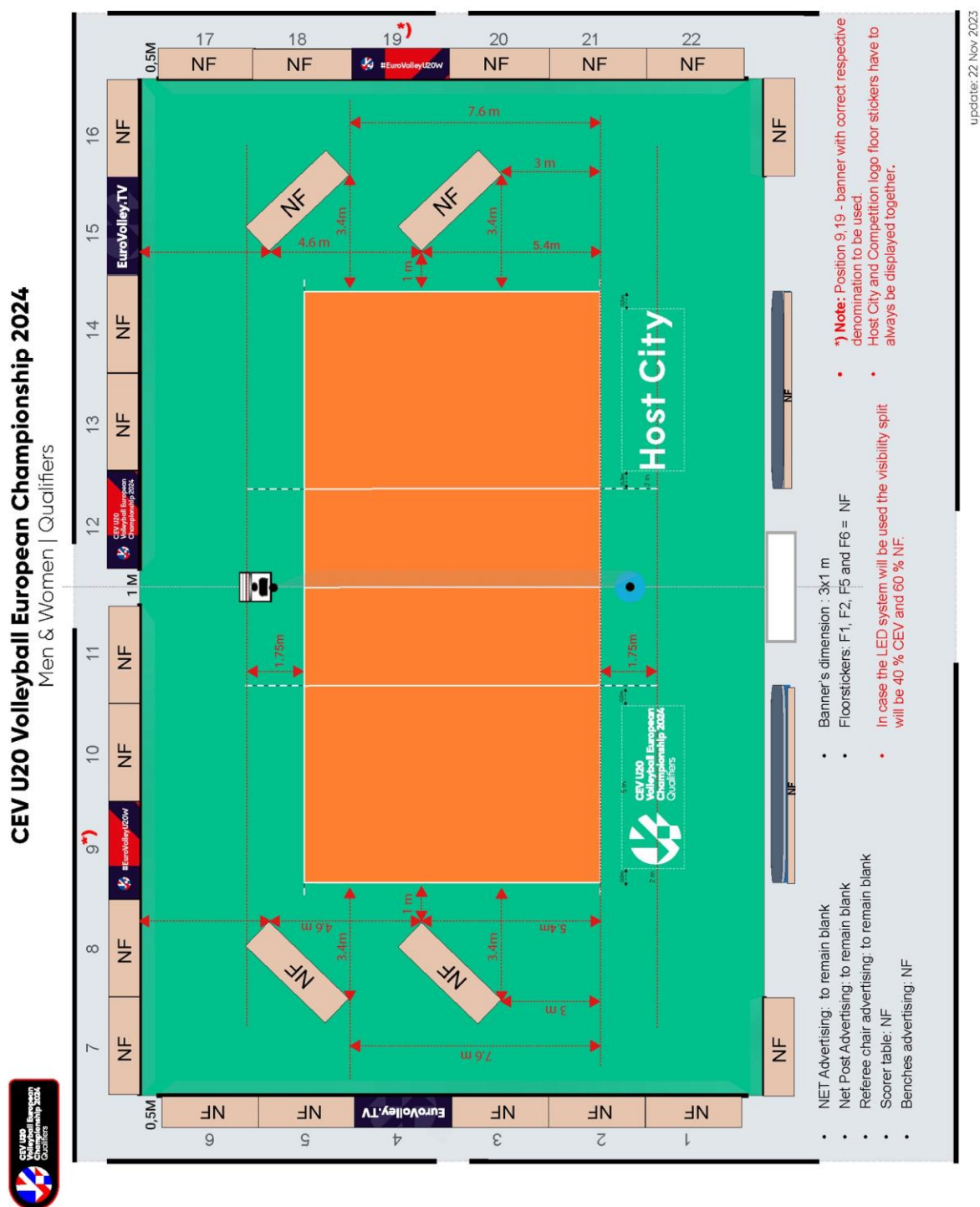
Once the LED system application is approved, the Organiser has to complete LED play list form (available in the download folder on the CEV cloud) and upload it into the National federation's/organisers folder.

IMPORTANT: After uploading the LED play list for approval, the Marketing Department marketing@cev.eu must be notified by a short e-mail.

9. Annex 1: Court Layout



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For all technical details and measurements see the official court layout





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