# Bulletin 3

## European Youth Orienteering Championships VILNIUS2021 LITHUANIA







## WELCOME

Dear participants, athletes, and coaches of the European Youth Orienteering Championship Vilnius 2021.

I would like to welcome all the participants from all 29 countries to Vilnius, Lithuania.

First of all I want to congratulate you – being a part of European Youth Orienteering Championships required lots of hard work and dedications, so you are already a winner in your own competition with yourselves.

Secondly, I do hope that you will feel welcomed here in Vilnius, Lithuania. It's our honor to organize such an event and we are doing all our best to give you the best possible orienteering experience.

I'm wishing all the best in courses but most importantly – enjoy that orienteering family spirit and make memories for life.

Lithuania orienteering federation president Donatas Kazlauskas







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**EVENT DATES** Thursday, 19 August – Sunday, 22 August, 2021

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#### **EVENT VENUE**

Vilnius, Lithuania

#### **EVENT CENTRE**

The Event centre will be at **Urbihop Hotel** Address – Ąžuolyno g. 7, Vilnius, LT-07196, Lithuania. GPS coordinates: <u>54.706776, 25.234911</u> **Phone:** +37065426520 **Website:** <u>www.eyoc2021.lt</u> **Email:** <u>office@eyoc2021.lt</u>

#### Working hours:

Date	2	Working hours	Location
	August, Inesday	10:00 - 20:00	Urbihop / Green hotel
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20th Frida	i August, ay	9:00 - 15:30 17:00 - 20:00	Arena Šilėnai Urbihop
	August, rday	9:00 - 14:00 16:00 - 20:00	Arena Šilėnai Urbihop
22nd Sund	d August <i>,</i> day	8:00 - 13:00	Arena Cathedral square



#### **GENERAL MAP AND DISTANCES**

Vilnius International Airport 11 km to Event Centre

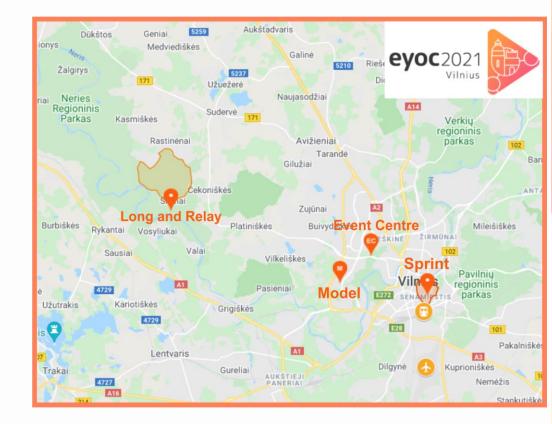
Kaunas International Airport 95 km to Event Centre

Riga International Airport 300 km to Event Centre

Vilnius Central Couch Station 7.5 km to Event Centre

Vilnius Central Railway Station 7.5 km to Event Centre

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See detailed map on EYOC 2021 event map

## **DETAILED PROGRAMME**

	DATE	TIME	ACTION	PLACE
	August 18	10:00 - 18:00 10:00 - 20:00	Event center open PCR testing	Urbihop hotel / Green hotel Urbihop hotel / Green hotel
	August 19	7:00 - 19:00 10:00 - 16:00 14:00 14:00 - 16:00 14:00 - 18:00 19:00 - 19:30 18:00 - 20:00	PCR testing Team arrivals, accreditation Nominal entries to start groups for Long Distance Technical model Long, relay model Team Officials' Meeting (online) Dinner at the accommodation	Urbihop hotel / Green hotel Urbihop hotel / Green hotel IOF eventor Spindulys school Upytė On-line Accommodation places
	August 20	6:30 - 9:00 7:00 10:00 10:00 15:00 15:00 19:00 - 19:30 18:00 - 20:00	Breakfast at the accommodation Quarantine opened Quarantine closed <b>Long Distance competition (first start at 10.00)</b> Nominal entries and running order for Relay Opening Ceremony & Prize-giving Ceremony Long Team Officials' Meeting (online) Dinner at the accommodation	Accommodation places M.Mažvydas gymnasium M.Mažvydas gymnasium Šilėnai IOF eventor Arena Šilėnai On-line Accommodation places
	August 21	7:00 - 9:00 10:00 - 13:00 13:00 13:00 19:00 - 19:30 18:00 - 20:00	Breakfast at the accommodation <b>Relay competition (first start at 10:00)</b> Prize-giving Ceremony Relay Nominal entries to start groups for Sprint Distance Team Officials' Meeting (online) Dinner at the accommodation	Accommodation places Arena Šilėnai Arena Šilėnai IOF Eventor On-line Accommodation places
European Yout Orienteering Championship VILNIUS202	August 22	6:00 - 8:00 7:00 9:00 9:00 - 12:00 12:00 13:00	Breakfast at the accommodation Quarantine opened Quarantine closed <b>Sprint Distance competition (first start at 9:00)</b> Prize-giving ceremony Sprint Distance and closing ceremony Departure	Accommodation places Vilnius old town Vilnius old town Arena Cathedral square Arena Catehdral square Arena Cathedral square
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#### ACCREDITATION

Accreditation of the teams will be organized in the Event Centre (Urbihop Hotel) and Green Vilnius Hotel. Covid-19 test will be conducted at these hotels from August 18 – 19. If test results negative, accreditation will be issued. \*Until receiving the test results, all participants shall remain in strict self-isolation (at the accommodation).

Team leader must check in all registered participants for accreditation at the EYOC Event Centre (Urbihop Hotel) or Green Vilnius Hotel (at your place of accommodation). Each registered team member and team leader must have negative Covid-19 test and passport before she/he can be accredited. **All documents must be submitted by one Team leader/member**.

#### All accredited persons will get:

- accreditation wristband (must wear it at all relevant times, and present it for access to all means of transport and authorised zones);
- accreditation
- souvenirs;
- gifts.

#### **TEST PROCEDURE FOR GETTING ACCREDITATION**

To get accredited for the competitions, all competitors and support staff must perform a COVID-19 test using the PCR method 48 hours before competition will start and Antigen test on site (in Lithuania during acreditation). It's compulsory to respect self-isolation until the test result arrives. These tests will be organised by the organiser, the cost of the tests has to be paid by the teams themselves. These tests will take place on Wednesday and Thursday (all day), 18 and 19 August 2021. That means that all registered competitors and support staff have to arrive in Vilnius no later than Thursday afternoon. Late accreditation after Thursday noon will not be possible. Until one receives the test result, self-isolation is required (at the accommodation). It will not be possible to visit training areas. Upon receipt of a negative test result, the participants will receive accreditation and may start with competition related activities (trainings etc.). Test results should be available within a maximum of 30 min after the test was taken.

#### **TEST PROCEDURE BEFORE TRAVELING HOME**

Organisers will offer possibility to make PCR test before travelling home. It is possible to make a PCR test on 21 or 22 August in the Event Centre.

PCR test with certificate will cost 70 €

Covid-19 manager: Gytis Nakvosas, covid@eyoc2021.lt

## ENTRIES

- Payment deadline until 1 August 2021. After the preliminary entry deadline, all entered Federations will receive an invoice
- Team names deadline until 9 August 2021

All entries should be submitted in IOF Eventor: https://eventor.orienteering.org/Events/Show/6430

## **ENTRY FEES**

Friendship through sport! Single type of accommodation, single fee for each competitor.

Entry package is 170 €/participant.

Accommodation details: 1-4 bed hotel rooms with own bathroom.

Extra night with full board for a day (ordered until 21st of July by official form in IOF eventor) – 45€/participant/night.

#### Entry fee includes:

- Start fee for all three EYOC competitions
- Full board from dinner on 19 August to breakfast on 22 August
- · Model events
- Local transport
- Accommodation between 19 22 August (3 nights)

#### Entry fee does not includes:

- Cost of extra nights and extra meals
- Hiring of SIAC (SI Air+) cards
- Transport to/from airport
- PCR or Antigen tests

Note: If a team wants to stay in an accommodation not provided by the organiser (and outside the embargoed areas), they must pay 80 € participation fee.

## **CHANGES TO ENTRIES**

1 July to 10 August: surcharge of 20% on new entries, withdrawals receive an 80% refund. 11 August to 15 August: surcharge of 50% on new entries, withdrawals receive a 50% refund. IMPORTANT: It is allowed to change name untill 19th of August, 1 p.m. without any additional costs.

#### ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation will be provided in three hotels that are all within 2-3 km distance:

- Urbihop hotel <u>http://www.urbihop.lt</u>
- Green Vilnius hotel <u>http://www.greenhotels.lt/lt/pilaite/</u>
- Karolina hotel <u>http://www.karolina.lt/</u>

**Urbihop hotel:** Belgium, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Israel, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Switzerland

**Green hotel Vilnius:** Austria, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Italy, Poland, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey

Karolina hotel: Belarus, Ukraine, Romania

#### FOOD

Food service during official programme will be provided at the accommodation places (August 20, Friday and August 21 Saturday food will be provided like lunch package). We can provide vegetarian food during EYOC on request. For special request you need to fill official form in IOF Eventor.

#### VISA

Please check the following link with a list of countries whose citizens require a visa to enter Lithuania/Schengen Zone: <u>https://www.renkuosilietuva.lt/en/visas/</u>

#### **HEALTH INSURANCE**

The Event Organiser will not bear any responsibility related to the cost of medical services for the participants. Each Federation is responsible for the health insurance of all their delegates.

## HAZZARDS

There are a lot of mosquitoes and other insects in Lithuanian forests. Adders can be encountered, especially in open areas. Ticks are found extensively and athletes should check for ticks after every run in the forest.

## **CLASSES AND RESTRICTIONS**

**W16** – for female athletes who are no more than 16 years old on 31 December of the year of the competition (born in 2005 or later).

**W18** – for female athletes who are no more than 18 years old on 31 December of the year of the competition (born in 2003 or later).

**M16** – for male athletes who are no more than 16 years old on 31 December of the year of the competition (born in 2005 or later).

**M18** – for male athletes who are no more than 18 years old on 31 December of the year of the competition (born in 2003 or later).

Each country may enter a maximum number of 4 competitors in each class and one relay team per class. All participants must be full passport holding citizens of the country they are representing.

Maximum number of officials per team is not limited.

#### **COMPETITION RULES**

Competitors representing member Federations of the IOF, defined by the International Olympic Committee as belonging to the European continent, can compete in EYOC. Competitors representing other member Federations of the IOF can participate in EYOC but will not be eligible for European titles, medals or diplomas. The Competition Rules for IOF Foot Orienteering Events (version valid from 1st January 2021) shall be applied to participation in the European Youth Orienteering Championships 2021, with special attention to Appendix 8.

#### **DESCRIPTION OF CLIMATE**

The climate in Lithuania can be described as a humid continental climate found in most Central and Eastern European countries, with mildly warm summers and mild winters. Usual summer daytime temperatures reach 20-25°C, with occasional heatwaves exceeding 30°C. Weather during the summer days can be changeable, with spells of warm and sunny weather being replaced by pouring rain and heavy thunderstorms that occur in the afternoon. The average temperature for August is 16,2 °C and it's the rainiest month of the year with 76 mms of precipitation.

#### **START DRAW**

For Sprint and Long Distance, nations are responsible for dividing their competitors between 4 start groups (1 - early, 4 - late). Deadline for long distance – 19th August, 2 pm., relay – 20th August 3 p.m., sprint – 21st August 1 p.m. Allocation can be done via IOF Eventor or at the Event office in the arena.

#### **PUNCHING SYSTEM**

The SPORTident Air+ punching system will be used in all races.

The organisers will provide SPORTident AIR+ SI cards on request – please indicate upon registering. Rental fee of 10 €/card applies for the duration of the whole EYOC.

#### **GPS TRACKING**

In all distances the organizers will assign GPS to the athletes at their discretion. GPS will be mounted on the arm with special holder or you can use your own GPS vest. GPS will be used for live broadcasting. Athletes who refuse to carry a GPS may be disqualified. GPS will be issued in the pre-start area.

## **CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR**

There are no special regulations applying to athletes concerning the type of clothing they choose to wear. It is forbidden to use shoes with spikes in the Sprint competition.

#### **FIRST AID**

There will be an ambulance with first aid medical staff at all arenas during competitions. If a competitor is injured in the terrain, the situation and the location of the patient must be noticed to the nearest official or at the finish line. First aid and evacuation will be organized by the organizers and the medical crew. Injuries or illness occurring outside of competition activities are treated by the public health care system. The Event Organizer will not bear any responsibility related to the cost of medical services for participants. Each Federation is responsible for the health insurance of all their delegates. Ticks, carrying Tick-borne encephalitis and Lyme-disease are present in Lithuania. In the case of emergency the national emergency number is 112. Additionally, telephone numbers of the organizers to use in case of emergency will be placed at the bottom of the participant badge.

#### **ANTI-DOPING**

Doping is strictly forbidden. IOF Anti-doping rules apply, see – https://orienteering.sport/iof/anti-doping/

#### **ARENA PRODUCTION / MEDIA**

Long and Relay races will be broadcast online only from finish arena. There will be a TV production in Sprint distance which will be shown on the big screen in the arena, IOF live center, local TV portals. This means that there may be cameras in the terrain, and the competitors will run with GPS units.

There may be photographers in the forest.

There will be a separate tent for the media in the competition center, where you will find chairs, tables and internet access.

## **TEAM OFFICIALS MEETINGS**

For each competition, a Team Officials' Meeting will be held before the competition day, providing all important information about the competitions. All Team Officials' Meetings will be online. If you have questions for the meetings, please send them to info@eyoc2021.lt before 16:00 on the respective day, and we will answer them during the meeting.

## **COMPLAINTS AND PROTESTS**

Any complaint shall be made in written form and handed in at the Event Office at the arenas as soon as possible. Complaints regarding the results shall be made no later than 15 minutes after the publication of the provisional results list.

A written protest can be made against the Organiser's decision about a complaint. Written protests shall be delivered personally at the Event Office at the arenas no later than 15 minutes after the organiser has informed the complainant of the decision about the Complaint.

A Protest fee of 50 EUR shall be paid to the IOF Senior Event Adviser in cash when making a Protest. The fee will be returned if the Protest is accepted by the jury, otherwise the fee will be sent to the IOF.

#### **CEREMONIES**

The Opening Ceremony of EYOC2021 will take place on Friday, 20th August 15.00 in the Long & Relay Arena (GPS coordinates: 54.73222, 25.04439). Short video will be shown on TV screen before Prize-giving ceremony for long distance.

#### **PRIZE-GIVING CEREMONIES**

The prize-giving ceremonies will take place at the arena after each EYOC day. Competitors and teams ranked 1-6 shall be present behind the podium 5 minutes prior to the beginning of the respective ceremony in their official national team dress.

No equipment shall be brought to the podium and no sunglasses or hats shall be worn. Final instructions to the participants will be given prior to the ceremony on site.

#### **CLOSING CEREMONY**

The Closing Ceremony will be held on Sunday 22 August at the Sprint arena and directly after the prizegiving ceremony for the Relay competition. The short programme will include lowering the flags.

#### FAIRNESS

- It is not allowed (and not fair) to gain any unofficial information about the race, especially about courses, maps, location of pre-start etc.
- Except for the Relay, competitors heading to pre-start are not allowed to visit the arenas before their respective competitions. It is also not allowed (and not fair) to gain any unofficial information about the arenas from other persons.
- When staying in the quarantine, mobile phones must be completely turned off (random checks possible).
- It is allowed to use music players without any built-in connectivity. Inside the quarantine, competitors wearing headphones might be randomly asked to display their players for checking.
- In quarantine it is strictly forbidden to bring any electronic devices (except for watches) to bathrooms or any other private rooms no matter whether the devices are turned on or not.
- Competitors are only allowed to use passive GPS devices, i.e. not providing any navigational or mapping function for tracking the route.
- It is not allowed to use any old maps of the competition areas after having left the accommodation on competition day.
- Violations of these rules should be immediately reported to any official, to preserve fairness.
- Coaching, i.e. handover of information, equipment, material, drinks etc. is only allowed in the designated Coaching Zones (maximum two coaches per team). Transferring information regarding the remainder of the courses is strictly forbidden.
- Violations of these rules may result in the disqualification of the whole team.

#### **EMBARGOED AREAS**



Embargoed areas for Long Distance and Relay competitions (indicated with **red colour**): competitors, team officials, and other persons, who may influence the results of the competition through their knowledge of the terrain, are not allowed to enter these embargoed areas.

Embargoed area for Sprint Distance (indicated with orange colour) are permitted for access (untill 20th of August 9 p.m.) for competitors, team officials and other persons but may not be used for orienteering trainings or route choice testing. It is prohibited to stay here with a map, to navigate or to test route choices while running or walking in the embargoed area. No orienteering trainings of any kind may take place in the embargoed area until after EYOC 2021.

After 20th of August 9 p.m. embargoed area indicated with orange colour is strict embargoe.

Training maps are indicated with green colour.

#### **COVID-19 MEASURES**

We will have to handle the pandemic situation during our event in the best possible way. Changes may become necessary and we will of course inform through the official channels about updates.

All main information regarding Covid-19 will be published in Covid-19 bulletins and can by found in event website <u>https://eyoc2021.lt/covid-19/</u>

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS RELATED TO COVID-19**

Our aim is to reduce the number of people and contacts to minimize the risk of infection among participants and organisers. Therefore, we want to create and maintain a safe so-called competition isolation "Bubble", with teams, organisers, officials and media representatives who will all have been tested negative for Covid-19. This means that once in the bubble, external contacts, as well as contacts between groups within the bubble, shall be limited or eliminated where possible.

#### **OBLIGATIONS PRIOR TO THE EVENT**

All participants and organisers are urged to limit unnecessary contacts (including events, training camps, contacts, studies or work) from 10 days before the start of the competition at the event (i.e. self-isolation from 9th of August 2021). Please follow rules from Lithuanian Health authorities for entering Lithuania. We will send a confirmation to all entered teams in advance of their travel.

## TRANSPORT

Organisers provide full transportation during official program of EYOC for accredited athletes and officials (free of charge). Teams are allowed to use own transport for Sprint and Long quarantines. It is not allowed to use teams own transport from quarantine to pre-start.

However, use own transportation for the Relay and Model events is allowed. Organisers do not provide transportation outside the framework of the official programme, but teams can contact the organisers for additional requests.

#### ARENAS

There will be a "bag drop off" point for bags coming from the quarantine areas. Water will be available in the finish area. There will be toilet facilities and containers for separate waste collection available at all sites.

**Tents:** There will be 3x3 tent for each team. Participants may build their own tents at the arenas of Long distance and Relay, as well as in the quarantine areas of Long and Sprint distances.

#### WASTE MANAGEMENT

The EYOC 2021 is respectful of the natural environment and will promote environmental good practices. Please help us maintain a clean nature and environment. Keep our arenas clean! Please use our rubbish bins for your waste. Plastic (including PET-bottles), glass and paper are recycled separately.

#### **MODEL EVENT**

Model Event will show relevant examples of terrain, maps, map drawing, control sites and control descriptions.

#### **Opening hours**

The time schedule for Model Event is given in the detailed programme. It is allowed to visit the Model Event area outside these times.

#### Maps

Model Event map will be handed out at the time of accreditation (offset printing and laser printing)

The maps are with all controls and without courses.

The scales are the same as for the competitions however contour interval is different. For the Long Distance and Relay, the map will be issued at 1:10,000.

**Control Markings –** Control points will have standard control flags, wooden construction and SportIdent unit.

**Clothing –** The same rules apply as for the competitions. Please see the section Competition clothing.

	DATE	ТІМЕ	ACTION	PLACE
	August 19th	14:00 - 16:00	Technical model	Spindulys school 54.691776, 25.204731
uropa		14:00 - 18:00	Long, relay model	Upytė forest 54.690554, 25.200182
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## TRANSPORT TO MODEL EVENT

Time schedule:

From Urbihop hotel to Model event	From Model event to Urbihop hotel
13:30 France (20) - Belgium (18)	15:30 France (20) - Belgium (18)
14:00 Germany (20) - Finland (18)	15:30 Germany (20) - Finland (18)
14:30 Switzerland (20) - Portugal (9) - Israel (10)	16:00 Switzerland (20) - Portugal (9) - Israel (10)
15:00 Lithuania (20)	16:30 Lithuania (20)

#### QUARANTINE

For all individual races, quarantine starts with check-in at the Quarantine.

Quarantine closes as described on the specific days. All competitors and accompanying team officials must be checked in by this time. From here, there is bus transport to the Pre-Start beside the start area. For the Relay no quarantine. For the sprint – Quarantine and the Pre-start area are the same.

#### START PROCEDURE

The Pre-start for the Long distance will be 30 minutes driving from the Quarantine, and from here competitors make their way towards the start when their start time is shown on the start clock. The length of time that this is before the actual start time will be different from race to race - see individual race details. At the pre-start it will be checked that competitors have their bib number, SI-card.

The Pre-start for the Sprint distance is the same as Quarantine.

The GPS unit will be given to the competitor's when entering the pre-start.

Forward towards the actual start, the procedure for the individual races is as follows:

-3 minutes	Clear and Check of SIAC. It is the competitors' responsibility to clear and check their SI- card correctly.
-2 minutes	Loose control descriptions available.
-1 minutes	Competitor stands beside the correct map. It is placed so that the competitor cannot see the actual map.
-10 seconds	An official places a hand on the competitor's shoulder
Start time	The competitor may take the map and run towards the start point when the hand on the shoulder is raised. The start point is marked with an O-kite and the route to it is marked with unbroken white tape.
The procedu details.	re for the Relay, and any differences from the above, are described in the individual race

## LATE START

If a competitor is late for the start, he/she must check in at the pre-start call-up. The competitor will then be allowed to proceed to the start and go through the start procedure as fast as possible. If – upon arrival at the start line - the competitor is less than half a start interval after his/her start time, he/she will be allowed to start immediately. If the competitor arrives more than half a start interval after his/her start time, he/she will be time, he/she will have to wait until the half start interval after the next starter.

If the competitor is late through his/her own fault, the original start time will count for timing. If a competitor is late through the fault of the organiser, the real start time will be used.

#### **ABANDONING THE RACE/DNF**

If abandoning the race, the competitor must immediately go to the finish area to report and read out his/her SI-card.

#### NUMBER BIBS

All competitors must wear their number bibs at all competitions. Number bibs will be placed at the Quarantine (at the arena for the relay) and can be collected at any time. The bibs must be worn on the chest.

They must be visible in their entirety – they must not be folded or cut. Safety pins will be provided.

#### **FINISH PROCEDURE**

Time will be measured at the moment of crossing the finish line. Upon crossing the finish line, competitors enter a restricted-access area for SI-card download and removal of GPS units. Coaches are allowed in this area, there is water available and there is access to first aid if needed.

**Cool down is possible within the arena limits – see arena plans.** 

## **OUT OF BOUNDS AND FORBIDDEN ACCESS**

It is forbidden to pass through all areas drawn in olive-green on the maps (ISOM 520, ISSOM 528.1).

#### OTHER PEOPLE IN THE TERRAIN

None of the competition areas are closed, so there is a chance of meeting other users of the terrain during the race. In the Sprint, controls will be manned, and this can be the case too for some controls in the forest races. Other features might be manned, please see instructions for each competition below. There may also be photographers or cameramen from the media or TV production in the terrain.

#### REFRESHMENTS

At the refreshment stations pure water will be offered. There will be water at the Finish on all competition days. There will be water at the Quarantine and Pre-Start area. No refreshments at the start area.

#### **EMBARGO**

Entering the competition area is forbidden for competitors who have finished and for team officials, until the last competitor has finished. Exemption from the above restriction is the arena, where competitors who have finished can freely enter from the Team Zone.

Team officials are allowed to follow the marked routes from parking or Quarantine to the arena.

#### LONG DISTANCE FRIDAY 20<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

#### VENUE AND ARENA

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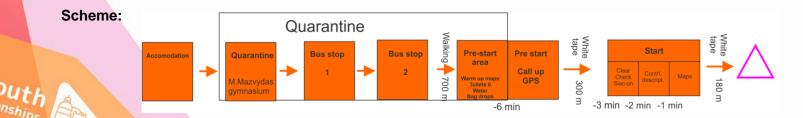
**Pre-race embargo:** Embargoed area remains embargoed until the end of the Relay distance competition.

**Parking coordinates:** <u>54.727415</u>, <u>25.046174</u>. Parking area is for teams, staff, VIP and Media.You need to take TEAM parking ticket from Event office.

**Quarantine:** It is located indoors and in the open area. The quarantine offers warm-up area outdoors, toilets and water. Team tents may be set up. There will be start lists and a clock showing the official competition time. Coaches are allowed to leave the quarantine at any time but after leaving, it is not possible to come back. There will be a EYOC bus between the Quarantine, Pre-start and the Arena for coaches. Bus stop 2 is the same for Pre-start and Arena.

**GPS units:** GPS units will be handed out at the exit of Pre-start. These units should be returned immediately after the competition.

**Pre-start:** 35 min bus driving from Quarantine. You will change bus at the Bus stop 1 after 20 minutes driving. From Bus stop 2 - 700 m. walking distance to Pre-start area. There will be a warm-up maps, bag drop, toilets, some shelters, battery test station at the Pre-start area. Team tents may be set up. Coaches are allowed to go to -5.



**Start:** At the start time an official releases the competitor at the start beep by taking his hand off the competitor's shoulder and the runner takes the map.

**Bags and warm-up clothing:** Athlete's bag marked with his/her bib number can be left at the bag drop in the Quarantine. Organizers will transport them to the Arena. Team officials will reach the Arena using the shuttle bus from the Quarantine drop off. Please note that once leaving the quarantine nobody is allowed to return.

Start interval: 2 minutes.

Control set-up: The SI-units are placed on wooden board. Every control has own SI-unit and a backup pin punch.

**Refreshment:** 2 refreshment points for all classes. 1 refreshment point will be places on the control site, 2nd refreshment point will be at the arena passage near coaching zone.

**Coaching zone:** There will be a coaching zone in the arena passage. Only two team official per team may enter this zone. Own refreshments may be given to the athletes.

Finish: Team officials and athletes having finished their races are not allowed back in the competition (embargoed) area.

**Out-of-bounds areas:** out-of-bounds areas are marked on the map (Symbol 709) will be not taped on the terrain. It is strictly forbidden to cross these areas.

Specific features: Man made object symbols (Symbol 530 and Symbol 531) will be used.

**Control descriptions dimmensions:** 

W16 – 5x12,5 cm M16 – 5x13 cm W18 – 5x14 cm M18 – 5x15 cm

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#### MAP

Scale 1:10 000, ISSOM 2017, countour interval 5m, isued in 2021 July. Cartography – Egidijus Kukenys, Audrius Smilgius. Map dimensions - 252\*350mm / Offset printing / Plastic bag (sealed)



COURSE DETAILS	5
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Class	Estimated winning time	Length (km)	Climb (m)	Controls	Refreshments
W16	35-40 min	4,9 km	175	13	2
M16	40-45min	5,7 km	215	15	2
W18	40-45min	6,2 km	200	14	2
M18	45-50 min	7,4 km	240	17	2



#### COURSE PLANNER

Vytautas Beliūnas

#### **CONTROL** DESCRIPTION

Separate Control descriptions are handed out at -2min. Control descriptions are printed on the competition map as well.

#### MAXIMUM RUNNING TIME

180 minutes for women and men.

#### TERRAIN

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The forest has a reduced runnability with portions of dense bushy areas overgrown with hazel and nettles. Moderate network of roads, tracks and rides. Some rides and paths are overgrown with grass and less noticeable.

## **TRANSPORT TIMETABLE (Hotels – Quarantine)**

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			Hotel	s - Quarantine					
<b>D</b>		Departure time				Potentia	Potential number of passengers		
Bus	Urbihop	Karolina	Green Hotel	Quarantine (Pilaitė)	Start list time	Athletes	Others	Total	
Bus No. 1	6:50	7:05	7:15	7:30	10:00-10:10	20	20	40	
Bus No. 2	7:00	7:15	7:25	7:40	10:11-10:20	20	20	40	
Bus No. 3	7:10	7:25	7:35	7:50	10:21-10:30	20	10	30	
Bus No. 4	7:20	7:35	7:45	8:00	10:31-10:40	20	10	30	
Bus No. 5	7:30	7:45	7:55	8:10	10:41-10:50	20	10	30	
Bus No. 6	7:40	7:55	8:05	8:20	10:51-11:00	20	10	30	
Bus No. 7	7:50	8:05	8:15	8:30	11:01-11:20	40		40	
Bus No. 1	8:00	8:15	8:25	8:40	11:21-11:40	40		40	
Bus No. 2	8:10	8:25	8:35	8:50	11:41-12:00	40		40	
Bus No. 3	8:20	8:35	8:45	9:00	12:01-12:20	40		40	
Bus No. 4	8:30	8:45	8:55	9:10	12:21-12:40	40		40	
Bus No. 5	8:40	8:55	9:05	9:20	12:41-13:00	40		40	
Bus No. 6	8:50	9:05	9:15	9:30	13:01	40		40	
					Total:	400	80	480	

TRANSPORT TIMETABLE	(Quarantine – Bus stop 1)
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Quarantine – Bus stop 1									
	Departure time	Arrival time			Potential number of passengers				
Bus	Quarantinne	Road	Parking area (church)	Start list time	Athletes	Others	Total		
1xMinivans, 2xMinibus	8:00		8:25	10:00-10:10	20	20	40		
1xMinivans, 2xMinibus	8:10		8:35	10:11-10:20	20	20	40		
Bus No. 8	8:20	8:40		10:21-10:30	20	10	30		
Bus No. 9	8:30	8:50		10:31-10:40	20	10	30		
Bus No. 7	8:40	9:00		10:41-10:50	20	10	30		
Bus No. 1	8:50	9:10		10:51-11:00	20	10	30		
Bus No. 2	9:00	9:20		11:01-11:20	40		40		
Bus No. 3	9:20	9:40		11:21-11:40	40		40		
Bus No. 1	9:40	10:00		11:41-12:00	40		40		
Bus No. 2	10:00	10:20		12:01-12:20	40		40		
Bus No. 3	10:20	10:40		12:21-12:40	40		40		
Bus No. 1	10:40	11:00		12:41-13:00	40		40		
Bus No. 2	11:00	11:20		13:01	40		40		
				Total:	400	80	480		

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**TRANSPORT TIMETABLE (Bus stop 1 – Bus stop 2)** 4-5 Minibus will work Bus stop 1 – Bus stop 2 (3,2 km one way, aprx. 8-10 minutes driving. Athletes will be guided by volunteers from Bus stop 1 to another bus.

#### TRANSPORT FROM PRE-START TO ARENA

Coaches can leave Pre-start area at any time however once they leave Pre-start area, they can't get back. They can walk the same route to Bus stop 2 and later on follow Arena signs.

#### TRANSPORT FROM ARENA TO EVENT CENTRE

Buses back to the hotels leave from the bus stop (Šilėnai church) after prize giving ceremony. Some buses will stay all the time and can go back to hotels if they will fill up.

## RELAY DISTANCE SATURDAY 21<sup>st</sup> AUGUST

**VENUE AND ARENA** Šilėnai, 54.73222, 25.04439

**Pre-race embargo:** Embargoed area remains embargoed until the end of the Relay distance competition.

**Parking coordinates:** <u>54.727415</u>, <u>25.046174</u>. Parking area is for teams, staff, VIP and Media. You need to take TEAM parking ticket from Event office.</u>

Quarantine: No Quarantine for relay competition.

**Pre-start:** on the Arena. All competitors are strongly advised to perform the SIAC battery test at the entrance to the Pre-start zone and in case of low battery indication request a SIAC replacement. There will be start lists and a clock showing the official competition time.

**GPS units:** GPS units will be handed out at the entrance to the Pre-start zone. These units should be returned immediately after the competition.

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**Out-of-bounds areas:** out-of-bounds areas are marked on the map (Symbol 709). Part of this area will be taped on the terrain with white tape. It is strictly forbidden to cross these areas

**1st leg start:** 10 minutes before start athletes are called to perform SIAC clear and check. 5 minutes before the start, the athletes will be called up to the start area. The participants will start receiving their maps 3 minutes before the start but will not be allowed to take them before the start signal. A mass start for 2nd and 3rd leg runners of slower teams may take place if needed. The exact time will be announced well in advance by the arena speaker. Start will be given by speaker.

**Start times:** 10:00 – W16, 10:05 – M16, 10:10 – W18, 10:15 – M18, 10:20 – MIX

**Change over:** Incoming runner will cross the finish line and makes a change over with a touch of hand to an athlete from his/her next leg. An athlete from the next leg should run to the board with maps and take a map of his leg according to his/her number bib. It is competitor's responsibility to take the correct map. Teams running with a wrong map will be disqualify at the next change-over.

Arena passage: Arena passage is after 80 % of the course for all classes.

**Coaching zone:** There will be a coaching zone in the arena passage. Only two team official per team may enter this zone. Own refreshments may be given to the athletes.

**Special information:** Maps will be printed on both sides (Part 1 and Part 2). During the start (for all legs) you will get rolled map (Part 1 outside). During arena passage you need turn over your map.

**Refreshment:** One refreshment point on the arena passage next to the coaching zone.

**Finish:** Team officials and athletes having finished their races are not allowed back in the competition (embargoe



#### MAP

Scale 1:10 000, ISSOM 2017, countour interval 5m, isued in 2021 July. Cartography – Egidijus Kukenys, Audrius Smilgius. Map dimensions - 210\*300mm / Laser printing / Plastic bag (sealed)

#### **COURSE DETAILS**



Class	Estimated winning time	Length (km)	Climb (m)	Controls	Refreshments
W16	25 min / 75 min	2,9 - 3,2 km	125	11	1
M16	30 min / 90 min	4,1 - 4,3 km	175	14	1
W18	30 min / 90 min	3,6 - 3,9 km	160	14	1
M18	35 min / 105 min	4,7 - 5,1 km	220	17	1
MIX	30 min / 90 min	3,4 – 3,7 km	140	12	1
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-	<b>M RUNNING TIME</b> es for the whole team.				legs

## TERRAIN

The terrain is moderately to very hilly (height difference between the lowest and the highest points is up to 110 m). Southern part of the terrain consists of steep slopes facing the river Neris with numerous reentrants and erosion gulleys. Northern part is a moraine type terrain abundant with depressions, small hills and medium-sized slopes. There are a few small boulders scattered across the area.

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## TRANSPORT TIMETABLE (HOTELS – BUS STOP 1)

Dure	Departure time			Arrival time		Potential number of	
Bus	Urbihop	Karolina	Green Hotel	Bus stop 1	Bus stop 2	passengers	
Bus No. 1	7:50			8:15		33	
Bus No. 2	7:50			8:15		33	
Bus No. 3	7:50			8:15		32	
Bus No. 4		7:40		8:05		26	
2xMinivans, 6xMinibus			7:40		8:05	99	
Bus No. 1	8:45			9:10		34	
Bus No. 2	8:45			9:10		34	
Bus No. 3	8:45			9:10		35	
Bus No. 4		8:45		9:10		30	
Bus No. 5			8:30	8:50		34	
Bus No. 6			8:30	8:50		34	
Bus No. 7			8:30	8:50		34	
					Total	458	

\* It is allowed to use own transport for the Teams, to go to Arena.

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## TRANSPORT TIMETABLE (BUS STOP 1 – BUS STOP 2)

	Departure	Arrival time	
Transport	time Stop 1	Stop 2	QTY
Minibus No. 1	8:15	8:25	17
Minibus No. 2	8:15	8:25	17
Minibus No. 3	8:15	8:25	17
Minibus No. 4	8:15	8:25	17
Minibus No. 5	8:15	8:25	17
Minibus No. 6	8:15	8:25	17
Minivan No. 1 (8 places)	8:15	8:25	8
Minivan No. 2 (8 places)	8:15	8:25	8
Minibus No. 1	8:50	9:00	17
Minibus No. 2	8:50	9:00	17
Minibus No. 3	8:50	9:00	17
Minibus No. 4	8:50	9:00	17
Minibus No. 5	8:50	9:00	17
Minibus No. 6	8:50	9:00	17
Minivan No. 1 (8 places)	9:10	9:20	8
Minivan No. 2 (8 places)	9:10	9:20	8
Minibus No. 1	9:10	9:20	17
Minibus No. 2	9:10	9:20	17
Minibus No. 3	9:10	9:20	17
Minibus No. 4	9:10	9:20	17
Minibus No. 5	9:10	9:20	17
Minibus No. 6	9:10	9:20	17
Minivan No. 1 (8 places)	9:30	9:40	8
Minivan No. 2 (8 places)	9:30	9:40	8

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## SPRINT DISTANCE SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> AUGUST

## **VENUE AND ARENA**

Vilnius, 54.68531, 25.28756

**Pre-race embargo:** Embargoed area remains embargoed until the end of the Sprint distance competition.

**Parking coordinates:** <u>54.678794</u>, <u>25.293320</u>. Parking area is for teams, staff, VIP and Media. You can park everythere regarding traffic rules, however you should pay for it (m.Parking).

**Quarantine:** It is located in the open area. Quarantine closes 9:00. The quarantine offers warm-up area outdoors, toilets and water. Team tents may be set up (hard surface). There will be start lists and a clock showing the official competition time. Coaches are allowed to leave the quarantine at any time but after leaving, it is not possible to come back. There will be a shuttle bus between the Quarantine and the Arena for coaches.



Warm-up: No warm-up map.

**GPS units:** GPS units will be handed out at the exit of the Quarantine / Pre start. These units should be returned immediately after the competition.

**Pre-start:** The same as Quarantine. There will be a bag drop-off at the Quarantine / Pre-start. There will be start lists and a clock showing the official competition time. All competitors are strongly advised to perform the SIAC battery test in the beginning of start corridor and in case of low battery indication request a SIAC replacement.

**Control set-up:** The SI-units are placed on wooden construction. Every control has own SI-unit and a backup pin punch.

**Out-of-bounds areas:** Out-of-bounds areas are marked on the map (with symbols 528.1, and with symbol 707 ISSOM 2007) and will be taped on the terrain with white tape where necessarily. It is strictly forbidden to cross these areas.

Start interval:1 minute.

**Arena passage:** There will be a arena passage with compulsary route and a new start triangle at the end. All on the same map with continuos numbers.

**Finish:** Team officials and athletes having finished their races are not allowed to return to the competition (embargoed) area.

**Coaching zone:** There will not be any coaching zone at the courses.

#### MAP

Scale 1:4 000, e=2,5m, mapmaker – Gediminas Trimakas, Edvardas Baleišis Map dimensions - 250\*340mm / Laser printing / Plastic bag (sealed)



#### **COURSE DETAILS**

Class	Estimated winning time	Length (km)	Climb (m)	Controls	Refreshments
W16	10-12 min	2.9 km*	10	16	
M16	10-12 min	3.3 km*	20	17	
W18	10-12 min	3.2 km*	15	17	
M18	10-12 min	3.5 km*	20	18	

\*: IOF Competition Rule 16.3: The course lengths shall be given as the length of the straight line from the start via the controls to the finish deviating for, and only for, physically impassable obstructions (high fences, lakes, impassable cliffs etc.), prohibited areas and marked routes.

#### **COURSE PLANNER**

Algirdas Bartkevičius

#### MAXIMUM RUNNING TIME

50 minutes for women and men.

#### TERRAIN

The Old Town of Vilnius – one of the few remaining medieval towns in Northern/Eastern Europe - is characterized by asymmetrical street layout with residential and commercial buildings with numerous backyards and narrow passages.

The running surface is mostly paved with tarmac, tiles or cobblestones. There are many passages through or in between the buildings. Small parks and gardens with lawns and scattered trees appear throughout the urbanized areas. The Old Town is situated on a gradually steepening slope which amounts to an altitude difference of 35 meters. The north-eastern part of the competition area is dominated by a public park that is flat, containing numerous footpaths, lawns and scattered trees.

#### **Control descriptions dimmensions:**

W16 – 5x14 cm M16 – 5x15 cm W18 – 5x15 cm

**M18 –** 5x15,5 cm

## **Special information:**

- Man made objects will be used (flags 2.5 m. high)
- Artificial fences with sponsors banners will be used (2.5 m. length x 1.1 m. high)
- Traffic is not closed, be careful and respect tourists.

## **TRANSPORT TIMETABLE (Accomodation – Quarantine)**

	Bus	De Urbihop	eparture time Karolina	e Green Hotel	Arrival time Quarantinne (Barbakanas)	Start list time	Potential number of passengers
	Bus No. 1	7:15			7:40	9:00-09:50	40
	Bus No. 2	7:15			7:40	9:00-09:50	40
	Bus No. 3			7:15	7:40	9:00-09:50	40
	Bus No. 4			7:15	7:40	9:00-09:50	40
	Bus No. 5		7:25		7:50	09:00	18
	Bus No. 1	8:10			8:35	09:51	40
	Bus No. 2	8:10			8:35	09:51	40
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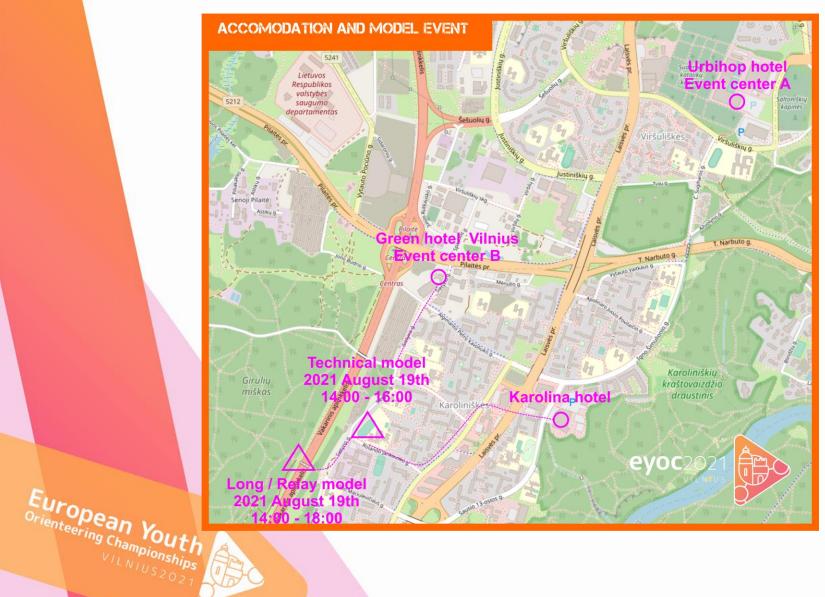
## **TRANSPORT FROM ARENA TO EVENT CENTRE / AIRPORT**

Buses back to the Event Centre or airport leave from the bus stop (Barbakanas).

Pue	Departure time Arrival time		Potential number		
Bus	Barbakanas	akanas Airport of passengers		of passengers	
Bus No. 1	12:30		12:50	20	France
Bus No. 1	13:30		13:55	33	Belgium, Finland, Germany (1 pers.)
Bus No. 1	14:30		14:55	32	Israel, Turkey, Portugal

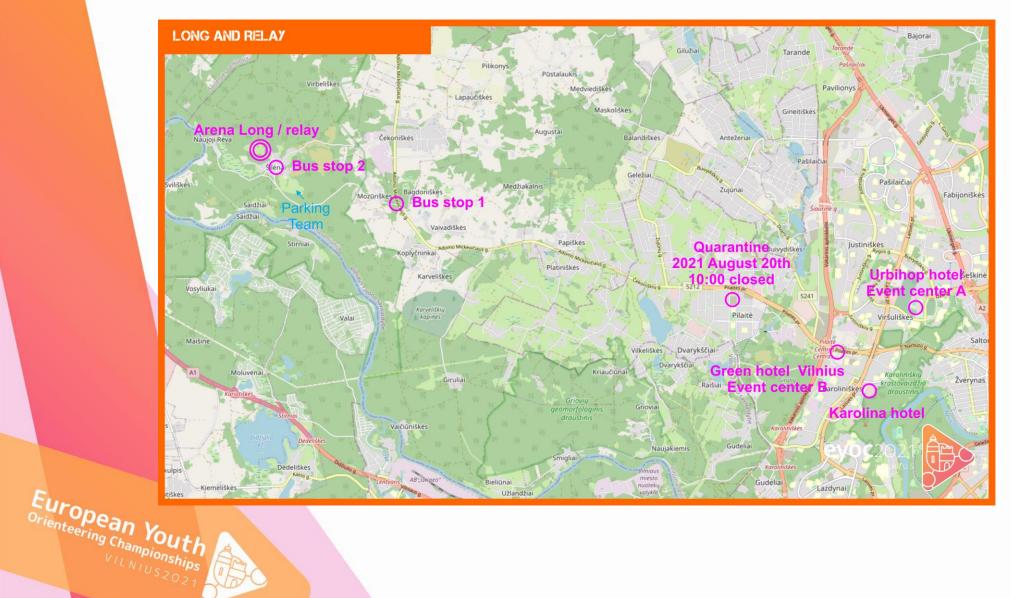
Duc	Departure time	Arriv	al time	Potential number	
Bus	Bus Barbakanas		Urbihop	of passengers	
Bus No. 2	13:00		13:25	31	Germany, Switzerland
Bus No. 3	13:00	13:25		33	
Bus No. 4	13:00	13:25		32	

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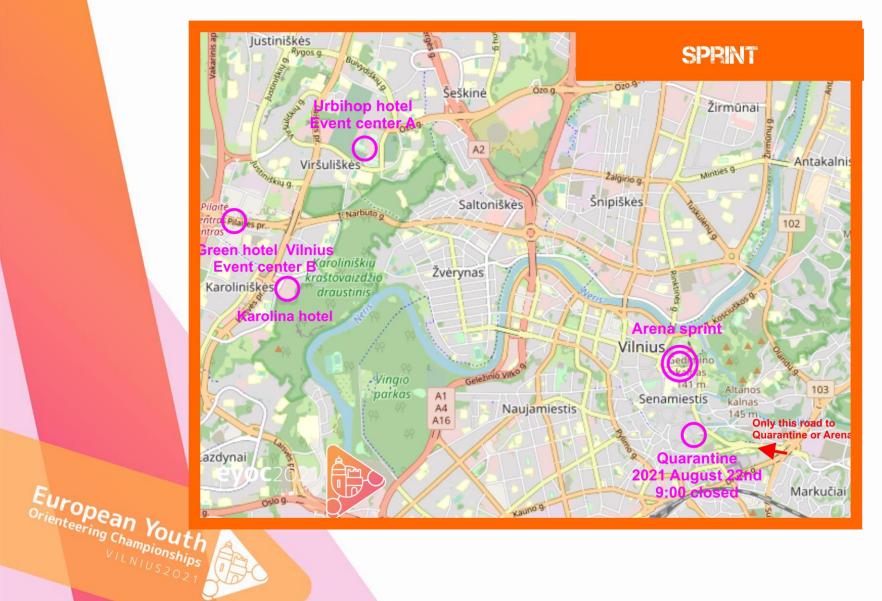


Attachment map (Accomodation and Model event)

#### Attachment map (Long and relay)



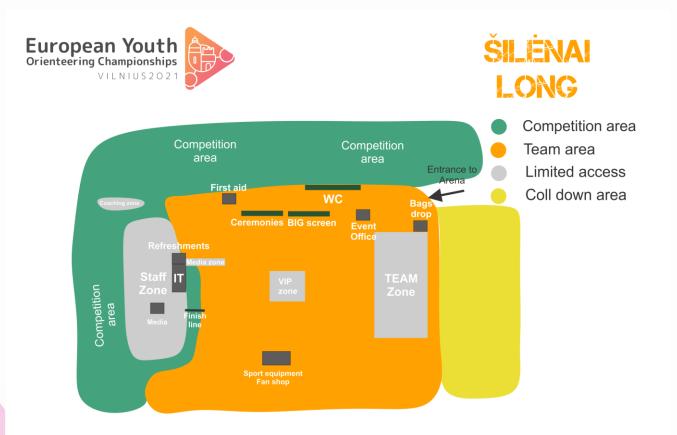
#### Attachment map (Sprint)



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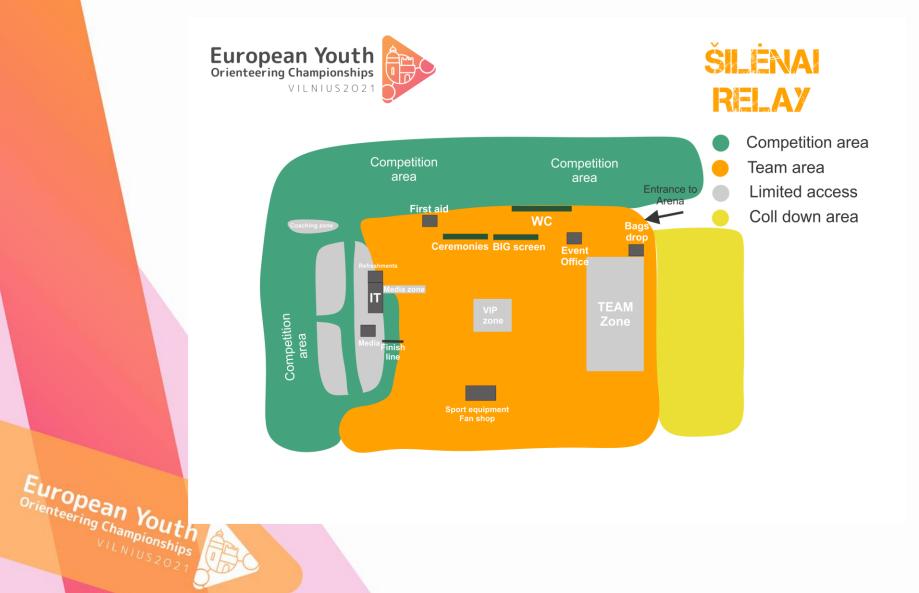
#### Attachment map (Long Arena)

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#### Attachment map (Relay Arena)

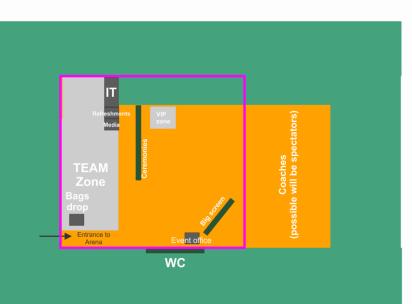


#### Attachment map (Relay Arena)

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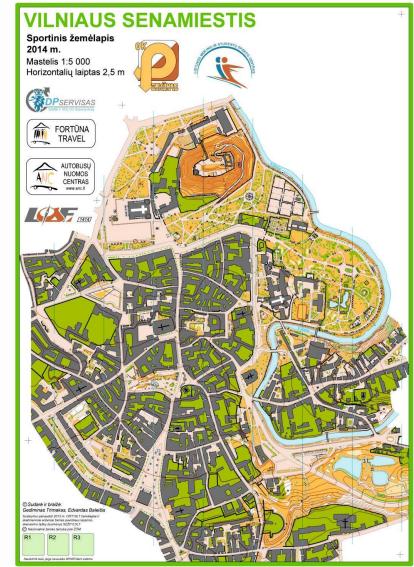
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## OVERVIEW OF PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES

	Entry summary							
	Federation	Men 18	Women 18	Men 16	Women 16	Team official	Total	
	Sum	106	90	93	88	79	456	
	Austria	4	3	3	4	3	17	
	Belarus	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	Belgium	4	2	4	4	3	17	
	<u>Bulgaria</u>	4	4	4	4	2	18	
	Czech Republic	4	4	4	4	3	19	
	<u>Denmark</u>	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	<u>Estonia</u>	4	3	4	3	2	16	
	Finland	4	4	4	4	2	18	
	France	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	Germany	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	Hungary	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	Ireland	3	1	4	1	3	12	
	<u>Israel</u>	4	2	3		2	11	
	<u>Italy</u>	3	1	3	4	2	13	
	Latvia	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	<u>Lithuania</u>	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	<u>Netherlands</u>	1					1	
	<u>Norway</u>	4	4			2	10	
	Poland	4	4	4	4	2	18	
	Portugal	3		2	2	2	9	
	<u>Romania</u>	4	4	4	4	2	18	
	Russian Federation	4	4	4	4	4	20	
	<u>Slovakia</u>	4	3	4	4	3	18	
	<u>Slovenia</u>		1	2		1	4	
	<u>Spain</u>	6	4	2	4	2	18	
	<u>Sweden</u>	4	4			2	10	
E	Switzerland	4	4	4	4	4	20	
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