2025 DIAMOND CUP
UZBEKISTAN

MAIN INFORMATION

NAME OF THE EVENT: **2025 DIAMOND CUP UZBEKISTAN**		
CITY / COUNTRY: **SAMARKAND / UZBEKISTAN**		
DATE: **OCTOBER 4th - 6th, 2025**		
EVENT OPEN FOR : **ALL IFBB- AFFILIATED NATIONAL FEDERATIONS**		
IFBB PRO CARD QUALIFIER YES **X** NO ☐		
IFBB INTERNATIONAL RANKING QUALIFIER LEVEL 2 YES **X** NO ☐		
DAY OF ARRIVAL: **OCTOBER 4th, 2025**		
DAY OF DEPARTURES: **OCTOBER 6th, 2025**		
REGISTRATION DAY: **4/10/2025**	TIME: **14:00-19:00**	PLACE: **GRAND HOTEL SOGDIANA** **76A NARPAY STREET, SAMARKAND**
WEIGH-IN DAY: **4/10/2025**	TIME: **14:00-19:00**	PLACE: **GRAND HOTEL SOGDIANA** **76A NARPAY STREET, SAMARKAND**

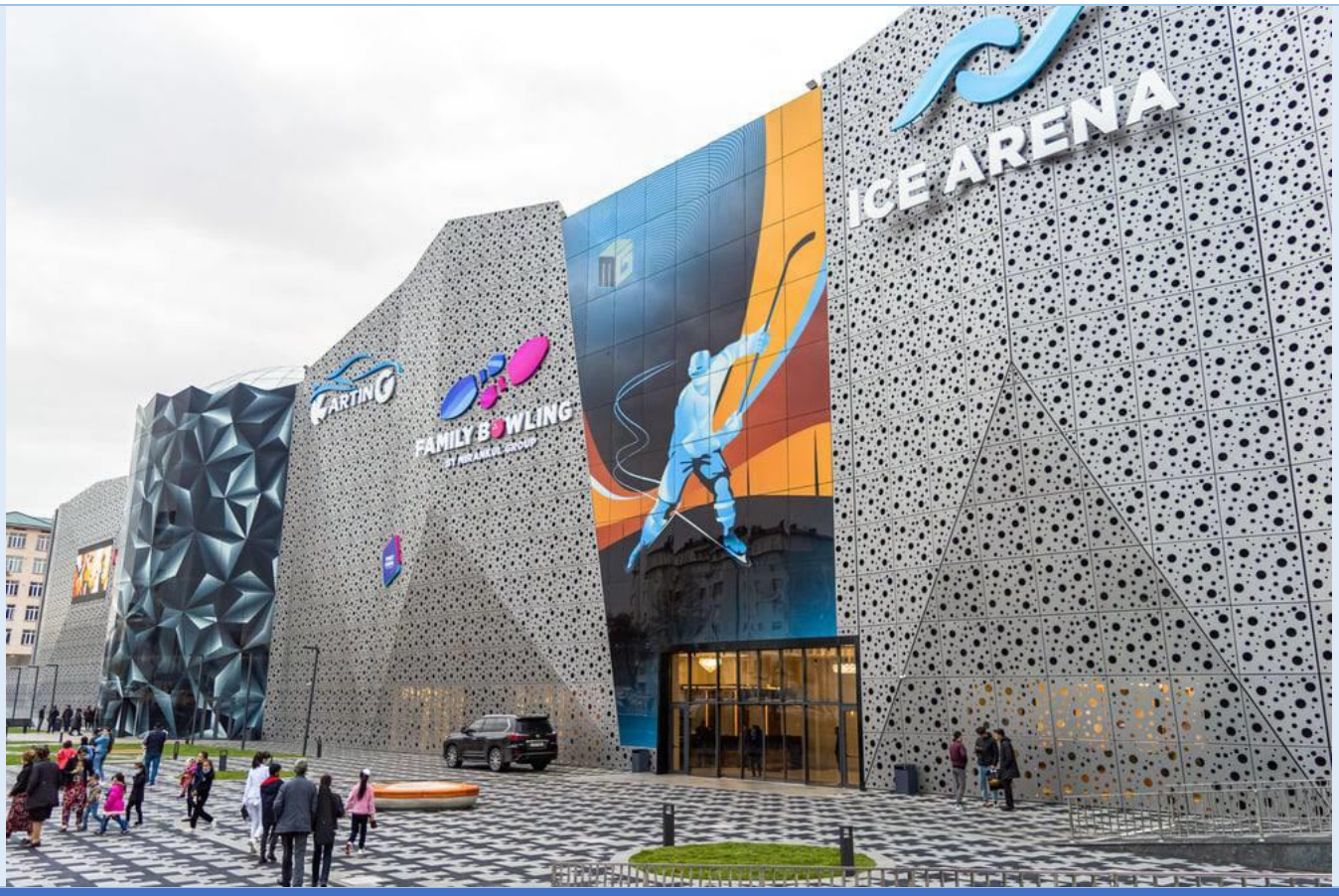
*All Athletes must wear their posing attire during weigh-in for inspection. Female competitors must also bring their shoes for inspection. Posing attire and tanning must be in accordance with the IFBB rules. Any tanning which can be wiped off is not allowed.

RECOMMENDED AIRPORT: **SAMARKAND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Samarkand_International_Airport

VISA INFORMATION: **Passport holders of nearly 90 countries don't need a visa to enter Uzbekistan for 10-60 days. Detailed info here: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Visa_policy_of_Uzbekistan . Citizens of other countries may apply for e-visa: https://e-visa.gov.uz/main**

*An Official Letter of Invitation will be made available if required. An athlete, included in an official National Federation team, who request and receive an invitation from the IFBB Head Office or the Organizing Committee of an IFBB sanctioned EVENT for visa purposes, and uses that visa to unlawfully stay in the host country or any other country, will be subjected to the disciplinary proceedings and measures. The relevant National Federation is responsible to carefully control the proper, legal use of the visa by his/her athlete and it will be subjected to a fine and/or a suspension, in case of any misuse and/or unlawful utilization of the same visa.

VENUE: **Family park. 76 Narpay Str, Samarkand (OCTOBER 5th, 2025)**



HOTEL INFORMATION

RECOMMENDED HOTEL: **GRAND HOTEL SOGDIANA**

WEBSITE: sogdianahotel.uz

REGISTRATION FEE:

Each athlete must pay the IFBB registration fee of **USD $200.**

Registration fee for athletes to enter this competition must be paid in advance by credit/debit card or PayPal at http://www.ifbb.com/competition-registration. Please add your name during online payment and bring a copy of your payment confirmation to the registration. Payments at arrival shall have an extra charge of **USD $50.**

CROSSOVERS: **USD $100** per each of the additional categories.
DEADLINE FOR ONLINE PAYMENT: **September 23rd, 2025.**

*Participating athletes must be recommended by their National Federation by sending the Final Entry Form with their names directly to the Organizing Committee, to the IFBB Technical Committee and IFBB Head Office in Madrid. The final decision to allow an athlete to compete in this EVENT rests with the IFBB.

*It is also the FULL OBLIGATION AND RESPONSIBILITY of a National Federation to MONITOR ALL THE ATHLETES affiliated to this National Federation who are fulfilling a period of ineligibility due to Anti-Doping Rule Violation or any Disciplinary case, to make sure these athletes WILL NOT REGISTER/COMPETE/OR PARTICIPATE IN ANY CAPACITY in any EVENT either at National or International level, Official or Invitational.

*All athletes will have to present their Passports and IFBB International Cards at the Registration. Any athlete who has not yet purchased or renewed his/her IFBB International Card will have to buy one at registration. IFBB Cards are **EUR €40/USD $50** and are mandatory.

*All posing music must be on an USB drive only. The posing music in the MP3 format must also be the only file on USB. Each competitor must affix his/her name on the USB for easy identification. The use of profane, vulgar, and offensive language is strictly prohibited in the posing music.

CATEGORIES:

JUNIOR MEN'S BODYBUILDING
- 15 UP TO 20 YRS
- 21 UP TO 23 YRS
- **OVERALL**

MASTER MEN'S BODYBUILDING >40 YRS – OPEN

MEN'S CLASSIC BODYBUILDING:
- UP TO & INCLUDING 171 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 175 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 180 CM
- OVER 18O CM
- **OVERALL**

MEN'S PHYSIQUE:
- UP TO & INCLUDING 170 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 173 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 176 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 179 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 182 CM
- OVER 182 CM
- **OVERALL**

JUNIOR MEN'S PHYSIQUE 15-23 YRS - OPEN

WOMEN'S BIKINI:
- UP TO & INCLUDING 158 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 160 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 162 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 164 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 166 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 169 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 172 CM
- OVER 172 CM
- **OVERALL**

JUNIOR WOMEN'S BIKINI 15-23 YRS - OPEN

WOMEN'S WELLNESS:
- UP TO & INCLUDING 163 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 168 CM
- OVER 168 CM
- **OVERALL**

WOMEN'S FIT- MODEL:
- UP TO & INCLUDING 158 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 162 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 166 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 169 CM
- UP TO & INCLUDING 172 CM
- OVER 172 CM
- **OVERALL**

JUNIOR WOMEN'S FIT- MODEL 15-23 YRS - OPEN
WOMEN'S BODYFITNESS - OPEN

AWARDS:

Top three athletes in each category will be awarded with medals.
Top six athletes in each category will be awarded with a Certificate of Excellence and trophies. Overall winner will have a trophy.

IFBB ELITE PRO CARDS:

4 PRO CARDS IN TOTAL
DISTRIBUTION:
-MEN'S CLASSIC BODYBUILDING - IFBB PRO CARD FOR THE OVERALL WINNER
-MEN'S PHISIQUE - IFBB PRO CARD FOR THE OVERALL WINNER
-WOMEN'S BIKINI - IFBB PRO CARD FOR THE OVERALL WINNER
-WOMEN'S WELLNESS - IFBB PRO CARD FOR THE OVERALL WINNER

*REGISTRATION DEADLINE

PRELIMINAR ENTRY FORM: NO
FINAL ENTRY FORM: **SEPTEMBER 22nd, 2025**

CAMERA/VIDEO TAPE EQUIPMENT

Cameras and/or video tape equipment shall be strictly prohibited in the backstage and/or dressing room areas except when used by the IFBB authorized media person and, in any EVENT, these devices shall be strictly prohibited in the dressing room area.

GREEN CARDS

Green cards are used to limit access to the weigh-in and backstage area during the prejudging and finals. They will be distributed at the Team Managers & Judges Meetings as follows:

- Five (5) or more athletes – two (2) green cards.
- Less than (5) athletes – one (1) green card.

TANNING NEEDS

The IFBB has banned all tans that can be wiped off. An official will check the tan of all athletes backstage and if the tan comes off by simply wiping, the athlete will be told to remove the tan before going on stage.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Please send your Entry Form to:
Uzbek Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation Vice-President
Ms. Olga Akhperjanyants
E-mail: **ifbb.uzb@gmail.com**

Please send a copy to IFBB Technical Committee:
Eng. Andrew Michalak
E-mail: **amichalak5@gmail.com**

Please send a copy to IFBB Head Office:
Ms. Daria
E-mail: **contact@ifbb.com**

Contact details for additional correspondence:
Mr. Khabibulla Nizamov
President of the Uzbek Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation
E-mail: **ifbb.uzb@gmail.com**

JUDGES

To be taken into consideration during selection of judges' panels at the competition, IFBB International Judges must be included in the Final Entry Forms sent by National Federations, according to the IFBB Rules. For more information, please contact Mr. Pawel Filleborn, Chairman of the IFBB Judges Committee, under address: pawelfilleborn@gmail.com

All international judges must bring their International Judge's Cards to the Team Managers & Judges Meeting. IFBB International Judges must have a valid IFBB Judge's Card with the IFBB yearly judges fee of **EUR €50/USD $60** paid for the current year. This fee may also be paid at the EVENT at the Team Managers & Judges Meeting.