

## **EVENT REGULATIONS**

### **BUT CUP football tournament**

#### **§1 General Provisions**

- 1) The organizer of the event called BUT Cup, hereinafter referred to as the Event, is the International Cooperation Departments, hereinafter referred to as the Organizer.
- 2) Participant of the Event is a person authorized to participate in the event, who is located in the area designated by the Organizer to conduct the Event; Polish and foreign students and employees of BUT.
- 3) the Event area - the football field at the BUT sports complex in Bialystok.
- 4) security personnel, volunteers - persons acting under the authority of the Organizer, responsible for the proper conduct of the Event, wearing a name tag worn in a visible place.
- 5) The Regulations of the Event define the conditions of participation, organizational and order rules valid in the Event's Area.
- 6) The Regulations are addressed to all persons who will be present in the Event's Area during the Event. Each person staying at the Event's Area during the Event is obliged to comply with the provisions of these Regulations.
- 7) The purpose of the Regulations is to define the rules of behavior of the Event's Participants and their use of the Event's Area.
- 8) The purpose of the Event is to popularize sports and integration of the academic community of Bialystok University of Technology.
- 9) The BUT Cup Tournament is organized within the activities of the NAWA Welcome to Poland program - "Welcome at BUT" project.

#### **§2 Organizational and order rules**

- 1) The Event is closed and is intended for the players of the teams participating in the tournament in accordance with the terms and conditions of participation and for the fans.
- 2) Persons who are under 16 years of age on the day of the Event may enter the venue under the supervision of an adult guardian. The guardian of the person shall bear full responsibility for the ward staying in the Event Area.
- 3) The Organizer has the right to refuse entry to and stay in the Event Area:
  - a) A person under the visible influence of alcohol, intoxicants, psychotropic drugs, or drugs acting similarly.
  - b) A person behaving aggressively, provocatively or otherwise posing a threat to public safety or order.
  - c) A person possessing weapons or other dangerous objects, explosives, pyrotechnics, fireworks, firecrackers, fire hazardous materials, alcoholic beverages, narcotics, or psychotropic substances,

spray paints and other aerosols, devices emitting laser beams, flags, banners, sound emitting devices, animals, racist, xenophobic, and propaganda materials, as well as posters and leaflets without authorization from the Organizer.

d) A person whose appearance prevents identification.

e) A person who does not have an identity document to confirm his/her age of majority.

f) In case the limit of available places is exhausted, the order of arrival determines the entrance to the Event Area.

4) The Event Participant and all persons who are in the Event Venue are obliged to behave in a manner that does not endanger the safety of other Event Participants.

5) the Event Participant is obliged to comply with the orders issued by the Organizer, aimed at ensuring safety and order in the Event Venue

6) the Event Participant takes full financial responsibility for any damage caused by him in the Event's Area in relation to other participants of the Event as well as for the damage caused to the Organizer's property.

7) Participant of the Event is obliged to participate in the Event in accordance with applicable law, in particular to comply with fire safety regulations and provisions of the Regulations.

8) In case of disturbing public order, the Event Organizer may call on the Participant of the Event to behave appropriately and in case of further violation of the rules of participation in the Event, call the Participant to leave the Event Venue.

9) In the event of noticing a fire or other event that poses a safety risk to life, health or property, Participants and persons present at the Event Site should:

a) immediately notify the Organizer

b) avoid panic, obey issued instructions

c) calmly leave the Event Venue

10) in case of injury, participants are obliged to report this situation to the Event Organizer. During the Event there will be people trained in providing first aid before medical treatment.

11) Participation in the Event is tantamount to acceptance by the Participant of the Event of these Regulations.

12) In the Event Area it is prohibited to:

a) terracing and obstructing exits and evacuation routes, access routes for emergency services, as well as hydrants and other equipment necessary in case of rescue operations.

b) entering areas that are not intended for Event Participants

c) selling, advertising, canvassing

d) littering the Event Area and damaging its infrastructure.

e) lighting fires

f) introducing animals

g) destroying or damaging elements of the facility's equipment, any equipment located in the Event Venue and any property belonging to other Event Participants.

### **§3 Conditions of participation**

1) The tournament is open to persons over 18 years of age whose health condition allows them to participate in the Tournament, hereinafter referred to as “players” or “participants”, who will form a team in accordance with the rules adopted below.

2) The detailed schedule of the Tournament will be determined after the completion of team registration and confirmation of participation by teams, and will be posted on the website of the International Cooperation Departments of Bialystok University of Technology.

3) Registration of teams lasts from 05.05.2025 to 15.05.2025 or until the number of places is exhausted. Qualification for the Tournament is determined by the order of registration and confirmation of participation by e-mail on the call of the Organizer. Registration takes place electronically via a form available on the website of the International Cooperation Departments of the Bialystok University of Technology.

4) Registration of teams of foreign students on behalf of the team is done by the captain.

### **§4 Rules of the games**

1) The matches will be played on the football field on the BUT campus on 9-10.06.2025.

2) The matches shall be conducted by a referee selected by the Organizer of the games, who shall be responsible for the objective conduct of the competition. The powers of the referee and the use of the right given to him by the rules of the game shall begin from the moment he enters the facility where the competition will be played.

3) The referee's jurisdiction shall also apply to offenses committed during a momentary pause in play and when the ball is out of play. A substitute player is also subject to the jurisdiction of the referee.

4) During the match, the right to address the referee has only the team captain in a cultured and tactful manner, not concerning the decision made by him.

5) For unsportsmanlike behavior, e.g. vulgarity or rough play, a player may be punished with a warning (yellow card) or exclusion (red card) and a penalty of 2 minutes. The time is counted from the moment of resumption of the game after its interruption to give a penalty.

6) If a player receives a second admonition (yellow card) in one game, he receives a red card and is excluded for 2 minutes.

7) A red card received by a field player shall result in a forced exit from the field of play and absence from the next match.

8) In the case of minute penalties, the team may replenish the lineup 2 minutes after receiving the penalty or immediately after the loss of a goal.

- 9) The goalkeeper also serves a penalty if received (it is unacceptable for a field player to serve a penalty for the goalkeeper).
- 10) The duration of the match is set at 30 minutes in a 2x15 minute schedule.
- 11) Teams play in 6-person squads, including the goalkeeper (5+1).
- 12) The maximum number of registered players in each team shall not exceed 12 people.
- 13) Each team may make changes during the match in any number.
- 14) A maximum of 6 teams may be entered in the games.
- 15) Matches are held in two elimination groups (groups A, B of 3 teams each) and will be played in a system of each with each other.
- 16) Advancement to the semifinals is granted to the teams that took first and second place in the group.
- 17) The teams that win the semifinal matches will be promoted to the finals.
- (18) Teams that did not win during the semifinal match will play a meeting for third place.
- (19) The order in the groups is determined by the number of points scored: for victory 3 points, for a draw 1 point, for defeat 0 points.
- (20) In the case of the same number of points obtained in accordance with paragraph 19, the order is determined by the result of the direct match, goal balance, number of goals scored, number of goals lost.

#### **§5 Final provisions**

- 1) The Regulations of the Event are available at the information desk at the entrance to the Event and on the Organizer's website.
- 2) In matters not covered by the provisions of the Regulations, the provisions of generally applicable law and the rules of the facility shall apply.
- 3) The Regulations come into force on 05.05.2025 and are valid until the end and settlement of the Event, but no later than 30.06.2025.