Functional specifications document for organizers of Cycling World Championships for Bakers-Pastry Chefs /Confectioners

The management of the Cycling World Championships is organized annually by the World Cycling Federation Bakers – Pastry Chefs / Confectioners (see statutes).

The organizer should use the local bakers – pastry chefs / confectioners organizations to design the framework programme. They are also responsible for the task to represent the professions baker / pastry chef and confectioner and to do corresponding PR and advertising.

Site and date

The World Championship will be allocated by the World Cycling Federation two years before the date of the event. Each organizer should choose a location as central as possible, which would allow the participating nations a short journey and thus ensure a higher number of participants.

The date of the event can be decided by each host country at a weekend of the calendar weeks 27 to 36, but must be announced at the annual general meeting in the previous year. Registrations will only be accepted by the respective national authorities. Closing date is 30 days before the date of the event. In exceptional cases a later entry is possible.

Duties regarding race course

- The organizer is obliged to carry out the respective races in such a way that a clear course of the race is recognizable for participants and spectators. Floor markings should also mark the race track.
- A nationally licensed cycling jury must be present.
- A target film system is required and operated until the last participant.
- Back, helmet and frame start numbers are required (at least 2).
- Each separately started race needs its own race director.
- The route must be approved by the authorities. The route safety must be provided in close cooperation with a cycling organization and the local police forces. In order to ensure the safety of the participants, adequate protection by escorts or motorcycles must be ensured. Each nation is entitled to one coach vehicle per race.
- The route should not contain unnecessary danger zones, but nevertheless it should not lose the character of a world championship course.
- Choose a circuit that has, if possible, a route between 8 and 10 km per lap.

Obligations concerning organization

- There must be enough start lists before the race.
- The result lists must be evaluated to the last participant and should be available until one hour after the end of the respective race.
- The addresses of participants of previous races will be made available to the organizer. After the race, he is obliged to provide the addresses of all registered and later registered drivers from all nations to the President of the World Association on a database.
- The organizer must compulsorily take out liability insurance for cover to third parties (at least 3 million euros).
- The entry fee is € 30, per participant.
- The financial risk lies with the organizer, the World Cycling Federation assumes no deficit guarantee.

Tender and race information

Tenders, race information and registrations must be sent by the organizer to the national authorities at the latest in January of the year of implementation.

Start authorization

All employees in the bakery, confectionery and milling industry are eligible to start. These are apprentices, journeymen, masters and waiters. Also eligible to start are long-time assistants and professional drivers, who are registered in the respective trade.

The goal is to ensure a large starting field for the future. Therefore, since 2017, the employees of suppliers of bakers, confectioners and mill industry are eligible to start. These are companies that predominantly operate in these industries or are linked by years of bakery industry relations. The examination of the start permissions is the responsibility of the respective country president.

Categories

The World Cycling Championship will be held in the following seven categories (by year):

_	Men up to 20 years	F	
-	Men 21 to 30 years	A	
-	Men 31 to 40 years	В	
-	Men 41 to 50 years	C	
-	Men 51 to 60 years	//D	
-	Men 61 to 70 years	// H	
-	Men over 70 years		
-	women up to 20 years	// G	
	women over 21 years	// E	
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These age divisions are not UCI compliant, but unanimously approved by the World Cycling Federation. Decisive for the classification of categories is the year, not the date of birth

Duties of the participants

- Each participant is at his own responsibility. The conclusion of insurance for any accidents and injuries is the responsibility of each single racer.
- The traffic rules must be observed. The instructions of the marshals and officials are to be followed strictly. Catering during the race by a third party is allowed.
- Wearing a shell helmet is mandatory for all riders. Road bikes with cowhorn handlebars, triathlon handlebars or disc wheels are not allowed in the mass start race.
- Wearing your own national jersey (in the country colours) is mandatory.
- For damage to property and damage to other persons or personal injury, the participant is responsible. The organizer assumes no liability for these damages.

This functinal specifications document must be observed by each host country. It will be adjusted after each World Cup based on the experience. Exceptions may only be granted by the World Cycling Federation.

The President of the World Cycling Federation Bakers-Pastry Chefs

