

CODE OF CONDUCTEUROVISION SONG CONTEST

By submitting your application you agree to the Code of Conduct, applicable to all accredited individuals at the Eurovision Song Contest:

- Accreditation to the Eurovision Song Contest (ESC) is open to staff, delegates, fans and journalists. The EBU and/or the Host Broadcaster have the discretional right to decide whether or not to grant accreditation cards. Persons and/or media outlet which have been accredited at previous ESCs may be asked by the entity assigning accreditation to provide copies of their previous coverage of the ESC;
- The accreditation card is non-transferrable and must be borne and clearly visible at all times during the entire time spent on the ESC's premises. It is not valid as a ticket for the dress rehearsals or live shows;
- The accreditation card is the property of the Host Broadcaster. The rights granted to any accredited individual can be modified or cancelled discretionally at any time under any circumstance and for any reason, should this be deemed necessary by the Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU;
- The accreditation card must be returned to the Host Broadcaster or the EBU immediately upon request at any time;
- The Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU or their authorised representatives may refuse the accredited person access to any area for any reason whatsoever at their absolute discretion;
- By entering the premises where the accreditation card is required for access, the accredited person agrees:
 - To comply promptly with all instructions given by any representative of the EBU and/or of the Host Broadcaster at any time;
 - To comply with all provisions in the Delegates' Handbook, which is available at the infodesk. To be inspected or searched for prohibited items and to have any prohibited items confiscated;
 - Not to carry into or wear on the premises controlled by the Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU any political, religious, racist, promotional or advertising material, sign, objects or messages;
 - To work in such a way which does not infringe other persons' rights or limit or hinder anyone else's working capabilities.
 Physical and/or verbal abuse or aggression is strictly prohibited;
 - Not to sell, offer to sell or possess with the intent of selling any goods or services whatsoever:
 - To assume all risks related to attendance at the ESC and other related events controlled by the Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU,

- and acknowledges that the Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU shall not be liable for any damages, including indirect or consequential damages arising from attendance and/or in connection with attendance and/or in connection with the refusal of access and/or in connection with withdrawal of the accreditation card, directly and indirectly;
- Any use of material created by accredited persons which is not specifically allowed in the Delegate Handbook or hereunder shall be strictly prohibited except with the prior written express approval of the EBU;
- Accredited persons are strictly prohibited from recording and/or transmitting and/or making available (on any media, including, without limitation, the Internet and mobile devices such as mobile telephones and PDA's) images of the rehearsals, press conferences and live shows from any of the screens on the ESC's premises;
- The accreditation card shall in no case confer to accredited persons the right to broadcast, record, transmit or otherwise make available, neither in part or in whole the broadcast signal of the rehearsals and/or the Shows;
- Accredited persons grant the Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU and/or their licensees the non exclusive right, free of charge, to utilize the accredited person's voice, image and likeness in connection with moving and still image broadcasts or other recordings of the ESC or other related events controlled by the Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU without limitation in time;
- Any breach of the accreditation rules (including provisions of the Delegates' Handbook) or non compliance with any instructions given by authorized representatives of the EBU and/or of the Host Broadcaster shall result in being denied access to the premises or being evicted therefrom. In such a case all privileges granted by accreditation shall cease immediately. Denial of access and/or accreditation is perpetual, until decided otherwise;
- The accredited person shall compensate for any loss or damage and shall hold the Host Broadcaster and/or the EBU fully indemnified against all damages and liabilities resulting from and/or arising out of any breach of the present rules (including any provisions of the Delegate Handbook) and/or any behaviour harming the reputation and/or the image of the EBU, the ESC, the Host Broadcaster and/or the Participating Broadcasters.

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