GENERAL INFORMATION
Rio de Janeiro is located at the state of the same name on the south-eastern strip of the country’s Atlantic coast. It is one of the most visited cities in the southern hemisphere. Rio is a picture-postcard city, with lush green mountains, lakes, blue oceans and miles of white, sandy beaches. It is the home of Sugarloaf Mountain, Maracanã stadium, Guanabara Bay and, overlooking it all, the statue of Christ the Redeemer. It is no wonder Rio is known as the “Marvelous City”. The friendliness of cariocas (as Rio locals are known) can be witnessed in the streets, in the bars and at the beach.

Population: 6,453,682, estimated in 2014
Area: 1,197 km² (Brazil: 8,515,767 km²)
Altitude: 2m

OFFICIAL SITE OF THE COMPETITIONS
The competition venue will be the Rio Olympic velodrome that is located at the Barra Olympic and Paralympic Park. The velodrome’s 250m track is made with Siberian pine banked to an angle of 12 degrees at its shallowest point and 42 degrees at its steepest point. The track and all equipment will be presented in accordance with the UCI Cycling Regulations. The gross capacity is approximately 5,600.

Address:
Rio Olympic Velodrome
Av. Embaixador Abelardo Bueno, 3.401/30
Barra da Tijuca

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE TRACK
Length: 250 m.
Width: 7,2m
Bend: 42°
Surface: Siberian Pine
**RIDERS' REGISTRATIONS**

Entry fees are handled by the Organizing Committee. Please do not pay the entry fees in advance, but wait until you receive the invoice through the OC. Please make sure the invoice number will be stated in the payment details.

Riders will not be able to enter the competition if the entry fees have not been paid by the first day of competition.

Invoices must be paid in advance via bank transfer:

Bank Name: Caixa Econômica Federal  
IBAN: BR98 0036 0305 0147 9000 0022 538C 1  
Número da Agência: 1479  
Número da Conta: 00002253-8  
CNPJ: 51.936.706/0001-09

The registration fee per participant is € 100.

Late registrations can be paid on site, but the responsible for the payment should contact the Organizing Committee with a justification. In this case, the payment must be made in cash and in local currency (R$ - Reais).

Please remit the funds using the above details. If there are any issues, please contact the OC by email: 2018uciparatrack@cbc.esp.br

**Insurance:**

Each team is responsible for insuring its athletes. It is compulsory that this cover: Damage to property, personal injuries and/or health problems, third-party liabilities. The Organising Committee is not responsible for the material stored or for any loss.

**ACCOMMODATION**

The 2018 UCI Para-cycling Track World Championships will be held in the Barra Olympic Park, Rio de Janeiro. For your convenience, a selection of hotels in Rio de Janeiro has been made and you will find a list below. It is important to note that all preferred hotels were chosen for their location, both for the safety of their location and the proximity of the velodrome, in which the athletes can go cycling without any problems, if needed.

Rio de Janeiro is a tourist city and has a great offer of hotels, however, it is also a city with intense traffic jam. Keeping that in mind, choosing a hotel in an unfavorable place can represent prolonged periods lost in transit, causing disruption to the teams.
In order to assist the national federations, the Organizing Committee established an official agency for the event, which will offer special rates for all participants of the Rio de Janeiro 2018 UCI Para-Cycling Track World Championship.

For booking your stay, please find the accommodation information and booking form available on the official website: www.2018uciparatrack.com

After completing the online form, a pre-reservation will be made for the requested accommodation. An invoice will be issued and sent to the e-mail informed in the form. The booking will only be guaranteed upon confirmation of payment.

For further information, please contact:
Emilia Lopes
Phone: +55 81 3241 9976 or +55 81 3241 1261
E-mail: emilia@daherturismo.com.br

Accommodation rates for all suggested hotels include:
- Free Wi-Fi in public areas and rooms
- Daily buffet breakfast
- Optional lunch and dinner package at selected hotels suitable for the competition schedule
- Bicycle room storage
- On-site management team

Courtyard by Marriott Barra da Tijuca (****)
Avenida Embaixador Abelardo Bueno 5001
Barra da Tijuca
Rio de Janeiro | Brasil
Phone: +55 21 310-830-9200

The hotel is located 600m from the Velodrome, within 5-minute drive of the velodrome and within 34,2 Km of the Rio de Janeiro International Airport Antônio Carlos Jobim (GIG)

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UCI OFFICIAL HOTEL:
Venit Barra Hotel (****)
Avenida Embaixador Abelardo Bueno 2710
Barra da Tijuca
Rio de Janeiro | Brasil
Phone: +55 21 3993-9000
The hotel is located 500m from the Velodrome.

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Located within 5-minute drive of the velodrome and within 29,8 Km of the Rio de Janeiro International Airport Antônio Carlos Jobim (GIG)

Novotel Parque Olímpico (****)
Avenida Embaixador Abelardo Bueno 1511
Barra da Tijuca
Rio de Janeiro | Brasil
Phone: +55 21 3478 4900

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Located within 5-10-minute drive of the velodrome and within 28,7 Km of the Rio de Janeiro International Airport Antônio Carlos Jobim (GIG)

Hotel Ramada Encore Ribalta (***)
Avenida Das Américas 9650
Barra da Tijuca
Rio de Janeiro | Brasil
Phone: +55 21 2430 5500

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Located within 15-20-minute drive of the velodrome and located within 34,2 Km of the Rio de Janeiro International Airport Antônio Carlos Jobim (GIG)

TRANSPORTATION

Traditionally in cycling competitions the nations rent their internal transport in the regular car rental companies (Europcar, AVIS, Hertz and others), but in Brazil, unfortunately, this service is not possible.

Brazilian laws only allow drivers with a special license (e.g. a professional driver) to drive vehicles with more than 7 seats. As a result, regular rental companies do not offer vehicles with more than 7 seats in their portfolio.

For your convenience, the Organizing Committee has established an official agency for the event, who will arrange the internal transportation service including pick up and drop off (round trip) from the airport and transfers to the velodrome.

The transportation bookings must be requested through an online form available on the official website: [www.2018uciparatrack.com](http://www.2018uciparatrack.com).

After completing the online form, the invoice will be issued and sent to the e-mail informed in the form. The services will only be guaranteed upon confirmation of payment.

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Description of services - There are three options to choose from:

- **VAN 12 PLACES**
  Dedicated Service
  Daily service allowed: 12hs and 150Km per day
  Daily rate: € 320,00

  **Note:**
  1. The transportation will be available to the team for daily use of up to 12h and autonomy of 150km that can be used for transportation in any destination within the municipality of Rio de Janeiro.
  2. The drivers will be designated according to the scale of work determined by the company. There may be a driver change during the event.
  3. All drivers will communicate in Portuguese. Eventually drivers may be able to communicate in English, but this service cannot be guaranteed.
• VAN 12 PLACES (With English-speaker staff)
  Dedicated Service
  Daily service allowed 12hs and 150Km per day
  Daily rate: € 420,00

Note:
1. This option offers an English-speaker staff for the period 8 hours to assist communicating with the driver and in other activities of the delegation. When choosing this service, please keep in mind that the staff will occupy one of the 12 seats offered in the van.
2. The transportation will be available to the team for daily use of up to 12h and autonomy of 150km that can be used for transportation in any destination within the municipality of Rio de Janeiro.
3. The drivers will be designated according to the scale of work determined by the company. There may be a driver change during the event.

• SHARED TRANSPORT SERVICE – Shuttle
  Van and Micro Bus
  Airport pick up and drop off services
  Shuttles: hotel - velodrome - hotel
  Price per person: € 21,00 (per day)

Note: These services will be available in a shuttle system. The schedules will be arranged according to the arrivals and departures time and according to the competition and training programme and lunch breaks.

General remarks:
The 12-seat vans offered for dedicated transportation are not capable of transporting bikes and equipment. Therefore, all the equipment and bikes will be transported in a suitable vehicle (truck). The equipment transportation services will be offered with no additional costs to the teams that have booked the transportation service offered by the Organizing Committee, whether dedicated or shared.

The equipment and bikes transportation will be done according to the stocking of the vehicles and might arrive at the hotel/velodrome after the delegation. Every four hours the truck will make the route, even if the stocking is not completed. The reception staff at the airport will inform the teams about the departure time of the equipment and the estimated arrival time at the hotel/velodrome. It may suffer delays due to the traffic jam in Rio de Janeiro.
Transportation rates for all options include:

- Internal transportation service, including arrival and departures for teams that join the services offered by the OC
- Special rates for additional transfers to the airport
- Full service transportation of bicycles and equipment between airport and hotel on arrival and departure for teams that join the services offered by the OC
- Daily transfers between hotel and velodrome for training and competition times for teams that join the services offered by the OC

**VISA Requests**

Each National Cycling Federation is responsible for organizing the necessary procedures to obtain entry visas in Brazil, in accordance with norms and regulations defined by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Brazil.

For detailed information about visa requirements and documentation, you can visit the website of the Brazilian Embassy in your country.

If you need an official invitation letter for the Rio de Janeiro 2018 Para-Cycling Track World Championships to assist in the visa application process, please contact the Organizing Committee: 2018uciparatrack@cbc.esp.br

To issue the invitation letter we kindly ask for the following information for each participant:

- Full name as it is on the passport;
- Passport number;
- Date of issue and expiration of the Passport;
- Role within the delegation;
- Period of stay in Brazil.

As National Cycling Federation, you can contact the organisation for further assistance.

**ACCREDITATION CENTER / PERMANENCE**

Accreditation Centre at the UCI Official Hotel. Accreditations will be available as per official team lists only.

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Accreditation Centre will be at the Rio Olympic Velodrome.
Media Accreditations
The press accreditation should be made through the official website: www.2018uciparatrack.com.

Official Training Sessions
The official training for the UCI Para-cycling Track World Championships will take place at Rio Olympic Velodrome. The venue will be open for training from 20 March to 21 March from 08:00 to 18:00.

Training schedules will be distributed once all teams have confirmed their arrival details.

For any teams arriving early at the Rio Olympic Velodrome, please contact the OC: E-mail: 2018uciparatrack@cbc.esp.br

Classification
PI classification will take place at the UCI Official Hotel.
VI classification location is TBC.
Athletes are requested to come at the classification with their bicycle, cycling clothes, cycling shoes and medical documents.

Classification Schedule:

19 March 2018 – 08:00 – 18:00*
20 March 2018 – 08:00 – 18:00*
* subject to changes

The Medical Diagnostics Forms must be sent to classification@uci.ch four (4) weeks before the event. The forms can be downloaded here:

- Medical Diagnostics Form for Athletes with Visual Impairment
- Medical Diagnostics Form for Athletes with Physical Impairment

The detailed classification schedule will be published on the UCI website (www.uci.ch) three weeks before the event.
SPORT MEETINGS
CONFIRMATION OF STARTERS
21st March 2018 – 10:00 – 12:00 at the UCI Official Hotel.

TEAM MANAGERS MEETING
21st March 2018 - 17:00 at the UCI Official Hotel.

ANTI-DOPING CONTROLS
Will take place at the velodrome, in the Doping Control Station.

COMMISSAIRES’ PANEL
President  TBC
Secretary  TBC
Member  TBC
Member  TBC
Member  TBC
Member  TBC

TECHNICAL DELEGATE
TBC

OFFICIAL DOCTOR
TBC

DOPING CONTROL OFFICER
TBC

CLASSIFIERS’ PANEL
Chief Classifier  TBC
Member  TBC
Member  TBC
Member  TBC

MISCELLANEOUS
Official Language: Portuguese
Currency:  Real/Reais (plural)
Local Time:  Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) -3

Climate
In March it is warm and sunny in Rio de Janeiro, with temperatures ranging from 23°C at night to 29°C in the afternoon. The sea temperature reaches its annual high this month and averages exactly the same air temperature.

Rainfall normally accumulates to 103mm over the course of 12 days of the month. The chance that rainfall occurs on any given day is about 45%. Light rain occurs on 24% of those days. Humidity levels range between 54% and 97%, which is quite high by all accounts. This is a tropical, warm and fairly wet destination after all.
Cloud cover tends to range around 67% throughout March, with very little variation. In terms of sunshine, there are 7 sunshine hours per day on average, which happens to be the highest number in the whole year.

**Power Supply:** Voltage: 110-120 Volts
Primary Socket Type: Type N (this socket also works with plug C)

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Information is also available on UCI website: [www.uci.ch](http://www.uci.ch)