

AETF European Ranking System V 1.1

Welcome to the official presentation of the AETF European Ranking System. This comprehensive framework has been designed to establish clarity, recognition, and growth for all stakeholders within the European Taekwon-Do community.

This presentation outlines the complete structure of the new ranking system that will be implemented starting from the AETF European Championships 2024, providing a transparent pathway for competitors and officials alike.



Purpose of the AETF Ranking System



Competitor Recognition

To establish an official Competitor Ranking System for Black Belts in sparring and patterns across Europe.



Umpire Recognition

To create an official Umpire Ranking System recognizing qualified AETF umpires.



Enhanced Competition

Provide better seeding at European Championships and allow all Black Belts to participate, not limited to national teams.



Official Launch

The system will officially launch starting from the AETF European Championships 2024.

Types of Ranking Events

AETF Open Ranking Tournament

Minimum 3 Open Tournaments annually

Points Multiplier: ×5

AETF European Cup

Official European competition

Points Multiplier: ×6

ITF World Cup

International competition

Points Multiplier: ×7

AETF European Championships

1 official Championships per year

Points Multiplier: ×8

ITF World Championships

Highest level of competition

Points Multiplier: ×9

Ranking Age Classes





The AETF Ranking System is exclusively available for Black Belt competitors across these three age divisions. Each division is further separated by gender (male and female) to ensure fair competition throughout all events.

As competitors progress through age categories, their ranking points will be subject to the category change rules outlined later in this presentation.

Patterns Competition Details



Competition Format

Pattern matches: 1 vs 1 performance

Competitors must perform two designated patterns



1st Dan Range

Chon-Ji to Ge-Baek



2nd Dan Range

Chon-Ji to Juche



3rd Dan Range

Chon-Ji to Choi-Yong



4th to 6th Dan Range

Chon-Ji to Moon-Moo



Sparring Competition Details



Bout Duration

2 rounds of 2 minutes each following ITF Rules & Regulations



Mandatory Equipment

AETF/ITF approved red or blue headgear, gloves, and foot protectors, mouth guard and groin guard

Optional Equipment

Shin protector,
Breast and groin guard
protector(for females)



Uniform Requirements

Dobok pants must reach above ankle in pattern

Personal sponsor patch (8×5 cm) may be placed on left sleeve with approval





Competitor Points System

Result	Base Points
1st place	100 pts
2nd place	70 pts
3rd place	40 pts
4th–5th places	25 pts
6th–7th places	10 pts
8th-15th places	5 pts
Each round won	+10 pts
Participation (1 bout min.)	+5 pts

All points earned are multiplied according to the event type multiplier. For example, a 1st place finish at an AETF European Championship (×8 multiplier) would earn 800 base points, plus additional points for rounds won.

Point Decay System (For Competitors)

1 — After 1 Year

- AETF Open Tournament: 100% decay (0 points)
- European Cup: 75% decay
- ITF World Cup: 75% decay
- European Championships: 50% decay
- World Championships: 25% decay

2 After 2 Years

- European Cup: 100% decay (0 points)
- ITF World Cup: 100% decay (0 points)
- European Championships: 100% decay (0 points)
- World Championships: 50% retained

3 After 3 Years

· World Championships: 25% retained

4 — After 4 Years

World Championships: 0% (complete decay)



Umpire Points System

100

200

AETF Open Ranking

AETF European Cup

Points awarded per event

Points awarded per event

300

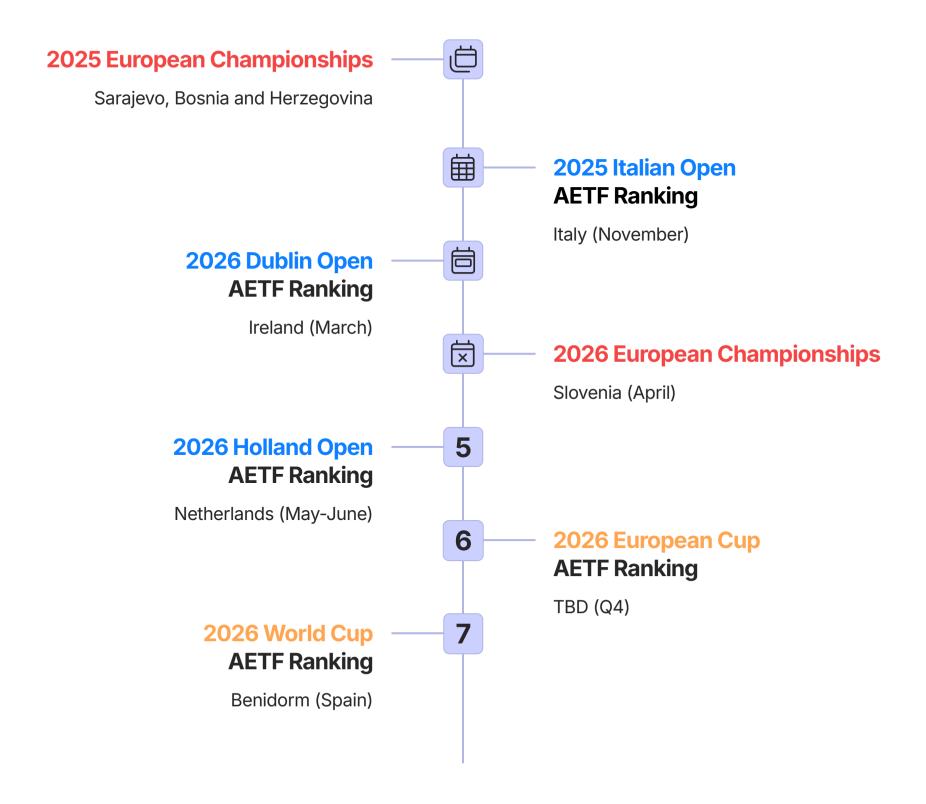
AETF European Championship

Points awarded per event

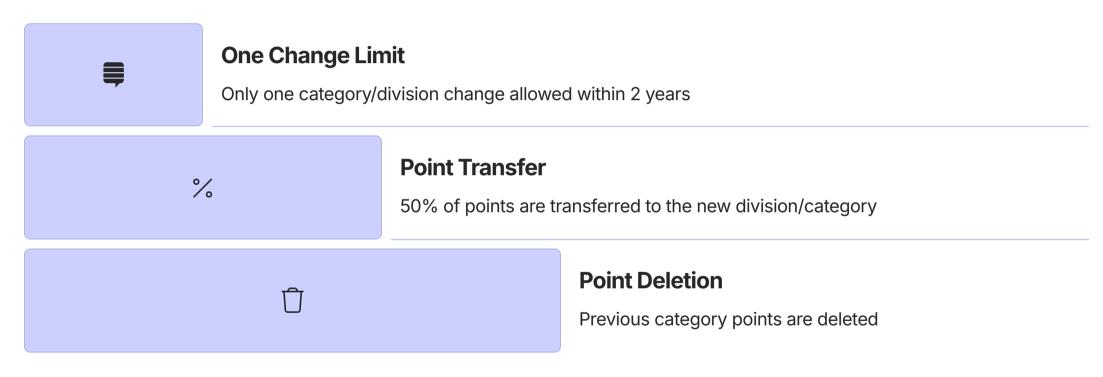
Umpires are listed in a dedicated "Umpire Ranking" section on the AETF website. This recognition system helps promote excellence in officiating and provides a transparent pathway for umpire development and selection for major events.



Tentative Calendar of Events (2025–2026)



Category or Division Change Rules



Examples: A competitor with 250 points at 3rd Dan who advances to 4th Dan will transfer 125 points to their new ranking. Similarly, a competitor in the -63 kg weight division with 150 points who moves to -69 kg will transfer 75 points to their new division.

Benefits Overview



For Competitors

- Transparent seeding at major events
- Increased visibility on AETF platforms
- Official recognition of achievements
- Incentives for consistent participation



For Umpires

- Major oportunities
- Increased visibility on AETF platforms
- Official recognition
- Incentives for developement



For National Federations

- Development opportunities
- Hosting rights for ranking events
- Increased visibility for national programs
- Structured pathway for athlete development

Final Remarks & Call to Action



COMPETE

Join ranking events as a competitor and build your position in the European rankings.

JUDGE

Participate as an umpire to gain recognition and advance your officiating career.

ORGANIZE

Host ranking events to showcase your federation and contribute to the growth of Taekwon-Do in Europe.

GROW

Be part of the future of European Taekwon-Do through this modern, fair, and structured approach to competition and recognition.

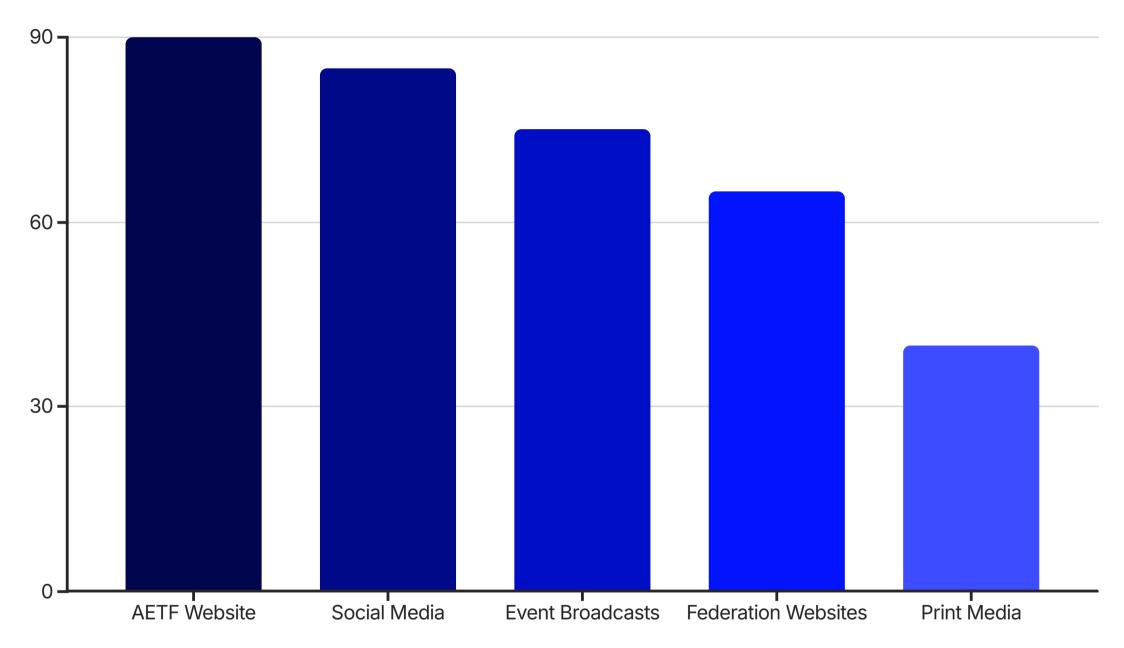
Technical Implementation



The AETF Ranking System will be implemented through the Sportdata platform, providing a seamless digital experience for competitors, officials, and event organizers. The system will feature real-time updates, comprehensive statistics, and user-friendly interfaces accessible via web and mobile applications.

All ranking events will utilize electronic scoring systems to ensure accuracy and transparency in point allocation and results management.

Ranking Visibility



The AETF Ranking System will be prominently featured across multiple platforms to maximize visibility for competitors and umpires. The AETF website will serve as the primary hub for ranking information, with dedicated sections for competitor and umpire rankings.

Social media channels will regularly highlight top-ranked individuals and upcoming ranking events, while event broadcasts will incorporate ranking information into their coverage.

Future Development

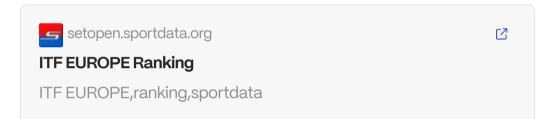
TAEKWON-DO STATISTICS AND RANKINGS



AETF Ranking System

The **AETF** has been working hard to developed the **Ranking System** that will be **automatically updated** when the event will be finished for all Athletes and also for umpires

Athletes



Umpires







Governance Structure

AETF Board

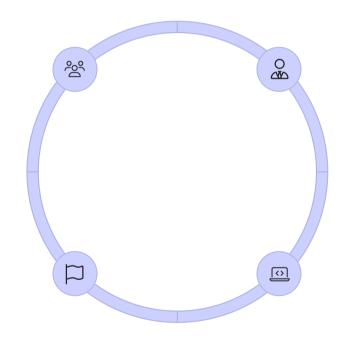
Overall governance and policy decisions

Selection of ranking events

National Federations

Event organization

Competitor registration



Ranking Coordinator

Day-to-day management

Point verification and updates

IT Support Team

System maintenance

Technical implementation



Contact & Support

Official Channels

For inquiries regarding the AETF European Ranking System, please contact:

- Email: info@itfeurope.org
- Website: www.itfeurope.org/ranking
- Social Media: @itfeurope

The AETF Ranking Coordinator and support team are available to assist with any questions related to the system implementation, point calculations, or event requirements.

Resources

Additional resources available for download:

- Complete Ranking System Documentation
- Event Organizer Guidelines
- Competitor Registration Guide
- Umpire Participation Guide
- FAQ Document

All materials are available in multiple languages to support federations across Europe.