



## AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION OF THE UNITED STATES

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January 31, 2022

To WUKF Affiliated Organization

We would like to extend a personal invitation to all members of the WUKF to attend the 10<sup>th</sup> WUKF World Championships.

The WUKF World Championships will be held in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida from July 2<sup>nd</sup> through the 7<sup>th</sup> at the Greater Ft. Lauderdale Convention Center, which has been newly renovated.

We guarantee an extraordinary competition, designed to promote enthusiasm for the sport of karate and develop an international excitement in amateur athletics.

As the host organization, AAU Karate is a proud member of the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc. The AAU was founded in 1888 to establish standards and uniformity in amateur sports. During its early years, the AAU served as a leader in international sport representing the U.S. in the international sports federations. The AAU worked closely with the Olympic movement to prepare athletes for the Olympic Games. After the Amateur Sports Act of 1978, the AAU has focused its efforts into providing sports programs for all participants of all ages beginning at the grass roots level. The philosophy of "Sports for All, Forever," is shared by over 670,000 participants and over 100,000 volunteers.

Please contact Jennifer Miles, AAU Karate Senior Sports Manager at 407-828-3704 or email [jennifer@aausports.org](mailto:jennifer@aausports.org) for assistance with your visas or if you have any questions on the upcoming event.

We look forward to welcoming you to Ft. Lauderdale, Florida this summer.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jo Mirza", written over a horizontal line.

Jo Mirza  
AAU National Treasurer  
AAU Karate National Chair