



## DANUBE REGATTA ROWING RACE RULES 2018

**ORGANISER:** Antall József Knowledge Centre (AJKC)

**DATE OF THE EVENT:** 5 May 2018 (Saturday)

**LOCATION:** Budapest University of Technology and Economics (BUTE) embankment pier

**RACE ENTRY FORM:** Invitation-only

**RACE ENTRY FEE:** Free of charge

**DRAW:** After compiling the final start list

**PRIZES:** The top three in the races will receive a medal

### THE COURSE (~2000 m)

Start: Lánchíd (Chain Bridge)

Finish: The embankment pier in front of the K-building of the BUTE

### EIGHTS COMPOSITION RULES:

The crew comprises 8 rowers and 1 coxswain, irrespective of gender. At least 2 crew members must have a legal student status. Up to 6 rowers can be graduates of a given university, and two "foreign legion" rowers whose institution does not take part in the Danube Regatta racing competition can become crew members of each team. The "foreign legion" crew member must also have a legal student status. The coxswain can be chosen irrespective of student status and university.

### SCHEDULE OF THE RACE:

At 12:15pm on 5 May 2018, a competition briefing for the team captains about the schedule of the race will be held. The rowing boats will be launched at 12:30pm. The event follows a traditional style of competition – two qualifying heats (4 boats per heat), and the finals. The competition will open with a flying start at Lánchíd, and will finish at the embankment in front of the K-building of the BUTE. It is the responsibility of the teams to have their boats appropriately equipped. Team captains are asked to check the equipment before each start.

### COSTS:

The costs of the competition and event are covered by AJKC, the organiser of the Danube Regatta. Boats, oars, and dressing facilities are also provided by the organisers.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Students have to prove with a certificate that they have a legal status at university for the autumn and/or spring semester 2017/2018.

All participants declare in written form that, according to the best of their knowledge, they can swim at least 200 meters in lightweight sports equipment, and that they are taking part in the competition on their own account. The Rules of the Hungarian Rowing Federation apply to all participants. On the day of the competition, the crews must wear the uniform shirt provided by the organiser.

### FISA Race Rules