



# **World Orienteering Championships**

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## WELCOME

Dear athletes, ladies, and gentlemen,

The WOC2022 organising team warmly welcomes you to WOC 2022, the first Sprint World Orienteering Championships ever. We are working hard to prepare exciting orienteering events for the athletes. This will be demonstrated by the three competitions: Sprint Relay, Knock-Out Sprint and Sprint. For the first time, the Knock-Out Sprint format will be a part of WOC, and we are honoured to be the first organisers of this. We will do our utmost to turn this new format into a great competition. The three events will take place in the triangle cities of Kolding, Fredericia and Vejle. We will offer intensive and challenging orienteering in a variety of environments and terrains. With arena locations in the heart of all three cities and being accompanied by high-quality spectator races, we expect the events to attract big audiences.

Flemming Jørgensen  
*Event Director*

Per Eg Pedersen  
*Event Director*

Dorthe Bloch Rosenvinge  
*Event Director*

## WELCOME BY THE MAYORS

We look forward to bidding the world's orienteering elite welcome to exciting and challenging races in Kolding. Our town is studded with historical and modern features, which will make an attractive setting for the races, and I am certain that our citizens will contribute to creating a festival worthy of a world championships. I also hope too that we will have masses of guests visiting us, who over and above the races will enjoy our many attractions, amongst others an old royal castle, a high-class art museum, the UNESCO-town Christiansfeld and top-class shopping.

Knud Erik Langhoff, *Mayor of Kolding*

I am looking forward to bidding the world's elite orienteers welcome to Fredericia! The Knockout Sprint will take place in the beautiful and historic center of Fredericia, which will make a fantastic setting for the highly intensive race. I hope the event will give both citizens and athletes a unique experience of our city. Fredericia is a historic site of major battles, and I hope that both athletes and guest will take time to enjoy our many historic attractions like the beautiful ramparts and our unique city center with great shopping opportunities.

Steen Wrist, *Mayor of Fredericia*

We are proud to be able to bid the World Championships welcome to the Triangle Region and look forward to providing the backdrop for the final races of some fantastic days in our area. With the World Championships we continue growing the number of big international championships and events hosted in our area. We look forward to the Individual Sprint taking place in our town on 30 June, and to give a sample of what Vejle can offer by way of attractive architecture, exciting adventures, and huge support from masses of spectators in Denmark's best shopping town.

Jens Ejner Christensen, *Mayor of Vejle*

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