

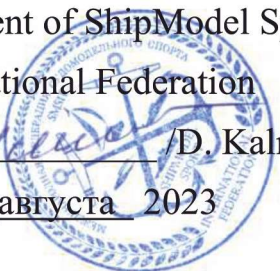


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REGULATIONS
International Junior Static Ship Modeling Competition
«Russia Grand Prix»
C Category
01 October 2023 – 14 December 2023

Moscow

2023

COMPETITION OBJECTIVES

- Raising awareness of ship modelling and making it more popular
- Helping talented youth in marine career guidance
- Increasing the overall level of ship-making skills
- Involvement of the general public in ship modeling, history of world fleets, and marine literacy.

COMPETITION ORGANIZERS

- ShipModel Sport International Federation (SMSIF)
- “Patriot.Sport” Moscow Center (Budgetary State Educational Institution of Additional Professional Education)
- Federation of Ship Modeling Sport of Russia
- Moscow Ship Modeling Sport Federation

TIME AND LOCATION

The International Competition is held in an electronic form at a specialized web platform, the web page address will be forwarded later.

Applications are accepted and registration of participants is open from 01 October to 31 October 2023.

Competition opening: 1 November 2023

Competition closing: 14 December 2023

Announcement of winners: 21 December 2023 at the latest.

Chief Judge at the International Ship Modeling Competition– Vladimir Zhornik (Russia).

COMPETITION PARTICIPANTS

Young men and women–modelers born in 2004 at the earliest, without citizenship restriction, a license and membership of the FSS of Russia are not required.

REQUIREMENTS FOR COMPETITION MATERIALS

- The application form should contain:
 - name of the author of the model, his/her age, contact information;
 - description of the model: full name of the model and of its original, scale, intended model class;
 - technical documentation of the model: theoretical plan, side view, top view (plan of the main deck), view from the bow, view from the stern. Extra plans are allowed;
 - time it took to build the model, additional brief information, in total no more than 300 characters;
 - reference information: the purpose and idea of building the model, a short historical reference, technical characteristics of the original, the author’s comments on the construction progress and construction peculiarities, estimate of the construction complexity, model building techniques (the whole text should not be over 5,000 characters);

- A set of color photographs of the model should be attached to the application, totaling not less than 10 and not more than 30 pcs. in JPEG format with a resolution of at least 1,500 x 780 pixels and not exceeding 2,200 x 1,100 pixels. The largest size of one photo should not be over 10 MB. 3/4 of each shot should be occupied by the model itself. The same goes for photos used to prove the authorship of the model. The shooting should be performed on a solid background of neutral color.

Camera angles should include: general views of the model (starboard, larboard, top view, view from the bow, view from the stern), central close-ups (foredeck, jute, waist, half-deck, spar decks, etc.). In order to assess the size of the model and its scale for self-made classes, the pictures should include a measuring line placed next to the model.

Photos of the model may contain: separate plans of complex units and equipment (navigation bridges, wheelhouses, guns, minor fleet (dinghies, boats, etc.), structure of the boards of the models showing their design features, davits, crane beams, capstan windlasses, reels, etc.; rigging and masting of the model (masts, topmasts, yards, booms, mast tops, other observation or technological platforms, standing and running rigging, sail rigging, etc.).

-In the attached photos, it is forbidden to:

- use digital non-linear processing techniques that distort the linear dimensions or proportions of the original image;

- apply manual and automated corrections to images, except for automatic methods of color correction, brightness, contrast and algorithms of shadow and sharpness correction.

- The entire photo set (listed above) should be numbered as file names and given numbers from “1” and continuously increasing (1.jpg, 2.jpg, 3.jpg). The first and smallest numbers in the file names should be given to the photos containing the model close-ups. Additionally, the author should create a separate file with the model photo (named “0”) and showing himself/herself holding the model against the neutral background.

- The Competition organizers do not modify or edit or amend any of the received information on the model.

- Should the judges’ commission have any doubts concerning the validity of the received photo materials as proof that the model had been built by the competitor, the commission has a right to initiate an assessment procedure and question the competitor via digital communication media.

- In case the photos proving the authorship of the model receive the equal number of points and the decision should be made, the commission will favor the competitor.

CLASSES OF MODELS

taking part in the International Competition

Static models (C Category) may take part in the International Competition in the following classes:

C-1 – models of rowing boats and sailing ships, scale larger than 1/250;

C-2 – models of rowing boats and sailing ships, scale larger than 1/250;

C-2s – models of submarines and submersibles without scale limitations;

C-3 – models parts of ships, cross-cuts, models of port facilities and dioramas, without any class subdivisions;

C-6 – prefabricated models of ships from industrial kits made of plastic, resin and any other models made by casting polymers in prepared forms;

C-6s – prefabricated models of submarines without scale limitations;

C-7 – prefabricated paper and cardboard models of ships, taken from industrial kits without their additional painting;

C-8 - prefabricated models from wood kits and other materials.

There is no subdivision of classes into subclasses.

SCHEDULE OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION

The International Competition runs in three stages:

First stage: applications are accepted from the participants.

Participation applications are welcome from 1 October to 31 October 2023 in the electronic form at the special web platform.

Second stage: The International Competition is open.

The International Competition runs from 1 November to 14 December 2023. The submitted models undergo static evaluation.

Third stage: The competition results are drawn on 14 December 2023, these results are entered into the protocol.

WINNERS

The first, second and third places are given to the participant (participants) according to their score in the competition protocol.

Should the first, second and third-place winners receive the equal number of points from the judges, all of them will be awarded with medals and diplomas in accordance with their place as stated in the Competition protocol.

At the end of the Competition, within seven calendar days, the organizers of the Competition publish the final judges' protocols on the web site and electronic platform of the International Competition.

The participants who win the first, second and third places are awarded with medals and diplomas; besides, Cups are given for the first place or the best model.

The competition organizers have a right to introduce supplementary nominations or awards.

FINAL PROVISIONS

Once the application is registered, it means that the applicant accepts the conditions of the present Regulations. When applying for participation in the Competition, the participants confirm that they have familiarized themselves and completely agree with the schedule and time limits of the International Competition.

The organizer fee is not charged.

Please forward all your questions to the competition organizers in writing to the electronic address:

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