



**TEAM MANAGERS' MEETING**  
**2024 UEC GRAVEL EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
**ELITE - MASTERS**

Asiago (ITA)

13 October 2024





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# INTRODUCTION

# 2024 UEC GRAVEL EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS



- **Filippo POZZATO (ITA)**  
LOC President
- **Roberto SARDI (ITA)**  
Race Director

- **Diego Tosti (ITA)**  
President of the Commissaires' Panel
- **Tiziana LARDIERI (SUI)**  
UEC Events Coordinator
- **Giorgio Baruffi (ITA)**  
UEC Technical Delegate

**Please be mindful that many of the event personnel you will encounter at the venue are volunteers so please treat them with courtesy, as without them the event would not be able to happen.**

# UEC GRAVEL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024 - Commissaires' Panel

|   |                                 |
|---|---------------------------------|
| <b>President of the Commissaires Panel (UEC):</b> | <b>Diego TOSTI (ITA)</b>        |
| <b>Assistant PCP (FCI):</b>                       | <b>Federica GUARNIERO (ITA)</b> |
| <b>National Commissaire (Finish) (FCI):</b>       | <b>Chiara COMPAGNIN (ITA)</b>   |
| <b>National Commissaire (FCI):</b>                | <b>Ivano BALDIN (ITA)</b>       |
| <b>National Commissaire (Component) (FCI):</b>    | <b>Desiree BERTOLDO (ITA)</b>   |
| <b>National Commissaire (Component) (FCI):</b>    | <b>Marco D'ISEP (ITA)</b>       |
| <b>National Commissaire (Component) (FCI):</b>    | <b>Alessio TURCO (ITA)</b>      |
| <b>National Commissaire (Motorbike) (FCI):</b>    | <b>Elisa DABBENE (ITA)</b>      |
| <b>National Commissaire (Motorbike) (FCI):</b>    | <b>Stefania MUGGIOLU (ITA)</b>  |



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# GENERAL INFORMATION

# Parking Participants

GPS Address: Ex Ferrovia Rocchette-Asiago, 36012 Asiago V



# Start Times & Start Boxes

| Category    | Participants | Start box | Start Time |
|-------------|--------------|-----------|------------|
| Elite Men   | 140          | 1         | 11:00      |
| M 19-34     | 36           | 2         | 11:02      |
| M 35-39     | 28           |           |            |
| M 40-44     | 33           |           |            |
| M 45-49     | 26           | 3         | 11:04      |
| M 50-54     | 34           |           |            |
| Women Elite | 35           | 4         | 11:10      |
| M 55-59     | 33           | 5         | 11:12      |
| M 60-64     | 20           |           |            |
| M 65-69     | 19           |           |            |
| M 70-74     | 5            |           |            |
| M 75        | 2            |           |            |

| Category  | Participants | Start box | Start Time |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|------------|
| W 19-34   | 7            | 6         | 11:14      |
| W 35-39   | 9            |           |            |
| W 40-44   | 6            |           |            |
| W 45-49   | 2            |           |            |
| W 50-54   | 8            |           |            |
| W 55-59   | 4            |           |            |
| W 60-64   | 4            |           |            |
| W 65-69   | 0            |           |            |
| W 70-74   | 0            |           |            |
| W 75      | 0            |           |            |
| Open Race | 75           | 7         | 11:16      |

**Start boxes will open at 10:00**

# Startboxes

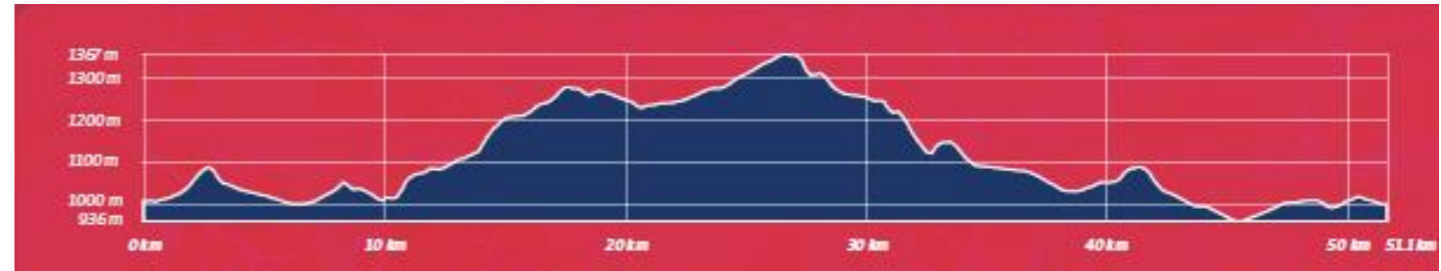
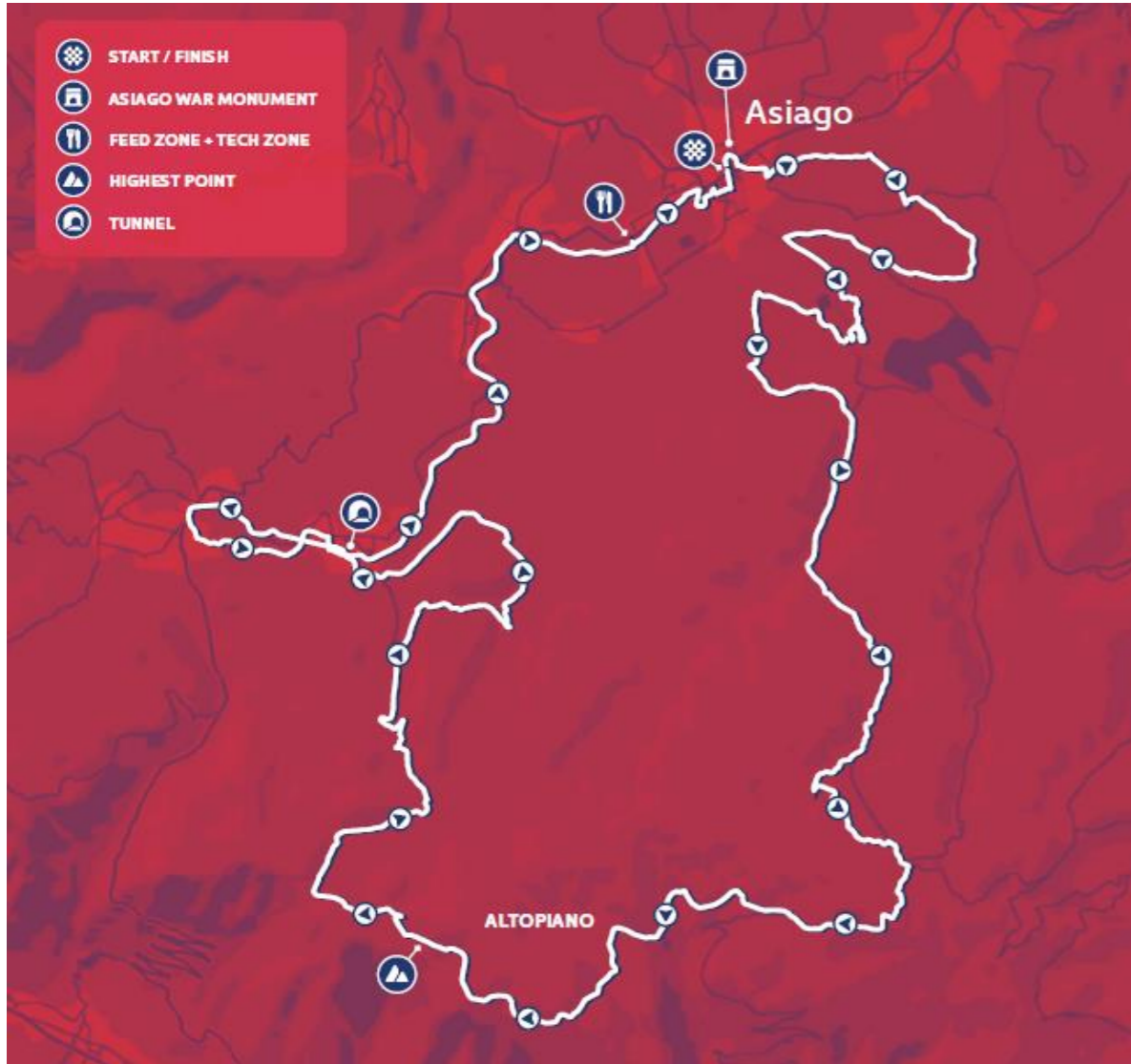
- Piazza Il Risorgimento, 22, 36012 Asiago VI, Italy
- Startboxes will open at 10:00 for Age groups
- Age groups → First come, first served
- Elite → based on a points system that is a cumulation of the following points:
  - Points won during the UEC Gravel European Championship of the previous year in the elite category top 25: 1000-750-600-500-450-400-350-300-275-250-225-200-180-160-140-120-100-80-70-60-50-40-30-20-10 points
  - 50% of the points in the UCI rankings road, mountain bike cross country (XCO), mountain bike marathon (XCM) and cyclocross
  - Need to be present 20 min before start, will be called to start line



# Distances and Course

|   |        |        |
|---|--------|--------|
| <b>MEN ELITE</b>                            | 3 laps | 153 km |
| Men 19-34                                   | 3 laps | 153 km |
| Men 35-39                                   | 3 laps | 153 km |
| Men 40-44                                   | 3 laps | 153 km |
| Men 45-49                                   | 2 laps | 102 km |
| Men 50-54                                   | 2 laps | 102 km |
|   |        |        |
| <b>WOMEN ELITE</b>                          | 2 laps | 102 km |
| Women 19-34 / 35-39 / 40-44 / 45-49 / 50-54 | 2 laps | 102 km |
| Men 55-59 / 60-64                           | 1 lap  | 51 km  |
| Men 65-69 / 70-74 / 75+                     | 1 lap  | 51 km  |
| Women 55-59 / 60-64 / 65-69 / 70-74 / 75+   | 1 lap  | 51 km  |

# Distances and Course



**Official Doctor of the race:** **Dr. Matteo ZANELLA - MST GROUP**



**348-7983578**

Team of doctors and paramedics will be present onsite throughout official training sessions and competitions.

The closest Hospital with A&E department are:

- **Asiago Hospital (+39 0424 604111) / San Bassiano Hospital (+39 0424 888111)**

Distance from venue: 3 KM (4-7min)

**In case of emergency please dial 118 (one-one-eight)**

# Technical Assistance



- Vittoria will be at the start and in the feed zone
- Riders are advised to bring their own spare tire or tubular to the race
- It's possible to change wheels in the feed zones/pit
- It's allowed to have mechanical help during the event and change wheels, but a bike change is not allowed. The rider must finish with the same bike frame he used at the start

**Unreparable damage on course? → +32 (0) 473 36 99 21**



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# **RACE PROCEDURES GENERAL INFORMATION**

# Race Numbers

- All categories will have different colors of back numbers so that riders are not confused and know their opponents
- Males and females of the same age group do have the same color of back number
- The start time of your group is the GUN time of your start, meaning that your position at the finish line is also your result in the race!
- Back number and number plate is mandatory!
- Number on the left side!

## Jersey

- All riders are free to ride in their national, team or club jersey
- Reigning World Champions should wear their rainbow jersey

### Body number and Bike frame plate Specifications



OC

Age: 19-34  
Men & Women



OC

Age: 55-59  
Men & Women



OC

Age: 35-39  
Men & Women



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Age: 60-64  
Men & Women



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Age: 40-44  
Men & Women



OC

Age: 65-69  
Men & Women



OC

Age: 45-49  
Men & Women



OC

Age: 70-74  
Men & Women



OC

Age: 50-54  
Men & Women



OC

Age: 75-79  
Men & Women



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# **SPORTING ASPECTS RULES REMINDERS**



# General

- No Radios allowed!
- Once finished, all riders have to go out of course asap
- No cameras allowed
- No following cars or motos!

# Race & lapped riders

- Course is closed for traffic until 18:00
- Lapped riders, by the leader of the Elite Men race, can finish their lap, but will be pulled at the finish
- **Cut-off time at start last lap → 15:30**

# Feed & Tech Zone

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- Separate feed zone for Elite and Age Groups
- Teams/helpers can give food/drinks and can give mechanical support
- The organizer provides a stand with Enervit food and drinks
- Feed/tech zone = waste zone

Handing out food and drinks or changing wheels outside these zones

means **disqualification!**

# Bikes

Any type of bike with dropped handlebars is allowed

- Gravel bike
- Road bike
- Cyclocross bike
- **MOUNTAINBIKES ARE NOT ALLOWED !!**

The bike should be minimum 6.8kg (without bottles, GPS device)

There is no minimum or maximum tyre width

# Podium Ceremonies

- Directly after the finish
  - Mandatory in race jersey (bib + shirt)
  - No hats, caps, sunglasses, open shoes
- Piazza Il Risorgimento (at the finish)

## **Elite Men & Women Podium: 15u30**

Check your results after the finish, if you're on the podium, be at the podium 10 min after the finish!

<https://egs-eventi.s3.amazonaws.com/uec/gravel/index.html>

# General Rules

- All age categories, even starting together, will have separate results and titles, even if there is only 1 rider at the start
- Control timing points will be positioned at strategic places on all loops of the course plus at the start and finish line
- You can follow “live” passages and results online via <https://egs-eventi.s3.amazonaws.com/uec/gravel/index.html>
- We only accept an official complaint before the podium ceremonies

# - Sporting Aspects – European Champion jersey guidelines-

## UEC Masters European Champion



## UEC European Champion



# Anti-doping information



A certain amount of controls may be conducted under UCI Anti-Doping rules and ITA procedures and instructions

## DOPING CONTROL STATION:

If any, the anti-doping tests will take place at Palazzo Unione Montana Spettabile Reggenza dei sette Comuni ( piano terra) - REGISTRATION BUILDING -

UEC will follow all UCI/ITA rules, protocols and procedures. It is the responsibility of all riders, teams, coaches to read and follow all advice and documents provided by UCI/ITA.





**Good Luck!**