



## Secretary General Report 2025



The WKSF Secretary General brings the Report 2025. It brought new challenges to all, not only organizing competitions but also to achieve new important goals.

All 2025 was full of opportunities to learn, help, promote and create good foundations in many different areas. The responsibility and commitment of many representatives brings new challenges and an important step to develop different areas of WKSF for a better future for all our community.

### 1. World Kettlebell Sport Federation vs Global Network

The AIMS – Alliance of Independent Recognized Members of Sports is one of the new structures of the Sport Accord – the organization accepted the WKSF candidature to be part of. The next steps will be to continue and collect all representatives information to complete all AIMS demands.

With TAFISA, the WKSF being represented by the Secretary General participated at the TAFISA European Sport For All Forum in March, Frankfurt and a great opportunity to make a great network with many other sport representatives and also discuss important areas on sport, as Inclusion, Opportunities, Threats and the Vision for the Sport. In April, under the EU hands, the WKSF participates at the EU Sport Forum in Cracovia, Poland. It was a great opportunity to know and understand the reality of EU Vision and challenges for the future.

### 2. Competitions and Events

The secretary worked directly with hosters of World and European, supporting the Continental Coordinators to host the North & South America 2025 and Asian/Oceania Championships 2025..

The World Championship was very well organized by our Italian Representative, the event was a challenge to the Secretary with the creation of new online platforms to share all important information of the event live to all participants. Also, the new online communication during the event with the media staff was a challenge but very positive. The use of the Coefficients to calculate merged body weights categories is always a challenge but each event we can have it more efficient and with a great accuracy.



During the European 2025 in Moldova, everything went well, with the new challenge at the new discipline of 10´ OALC Elite Male brought a new challenge, but very everything went well. The Moldova representative did an amazing event, very well organized bringing new expectatives for the future of our sport in Moldova. All in the Secretary Commission did a great work.

The North&South America Championship 2025 was in Brazil and very well organized by our official representative. It was necessary to explain the importance of the WKSF Standards and follow the guidelines. At the end, the Secretary received correctly the Results Protocols. It is always necessary to continue working to make it standard in all WKSF main events.

The Asia/Oceania Championship 2025 in China, organized by the Chinese Member and our Asia Coordinator was a good event with opportunity to have new lifters from Asia and China. We need to continue to develop the sport in Asia and bring new opportunities to all lifters from Asia.

### **3. Anti-Doping**

The Secretary during 2025 supported the Anti-Doping Commission in every events. The main challenge was to have the official WADA from our Moldovian Representative testing our athletes at the WKSF European Championships 2025. A great opportunity to work directly with WADA.

### **4. Kettlebell Sport For All**

Working in partnership with many organizations and in particular with TAFISA. The WKSF decided to bring a special section for "Kettlebell Sport For All". The inclusion of all under the Kettlebells as a way of lifestyle and wellbeing. The WKSF decided to create:

- Several actions for all members
- Create new challenges to get funds
- Get funds to support Juniors athletes and Disabled athletes
- Create and share several documents of inclusion, environment support, etc...

### **5. To continue working in 2026**

As always, the Secretary understands the importance of the 100% commitment of all members, in particular the members that has a charge at the WKSF, as Direction Board, Executive Committee, Commissions, etc...

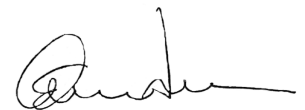
- Understand the commitment of the members and support at 100% those that are exclusively committed with WKSF.
- Develop the process of events registration to avoid registration errors, etc..



- The WKSF Direction and Secretary must be involved and present at all WKSF main events. With that, can follow, support and confirm that the WKSF Standards are followed.
- The WKSF must create tools to get more funds. With more funds will be possible to bring more quality, support and more high standards to our organizations. We hope that the new regulations can support even more the expenses of WKSF.
- It is important to work on the representatives/athletes Education, no only at regulations level but also on Anti-Doping Code Knowledge. Continue and promote the WADA Education Adel program is vital to all organisation.

Import to make a reference of our new IT Commission, with Mr. Heinz Lang from Austria as Coordinator and giving an amazing hep to bring our organization to a new level on digital area,

All best to all our community,



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