



# CMAS FREE DIVING

## WORLD CUP POOL SERIES



OCTOBER 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> 2024

BARRANQUILLA - COLOMBIA



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**Barranquilla** is the capital district of the Atlántico department in Colombia. It is located near the Caribbean Sea and is the largest city and third port in the Caribbean coast region; as of 2022, it had a population of 1,906,319 making it Colombia's fourth-most populous city after Bogotá, Medellín, and Cali.

Barranquilla lies strategically next to the delta of the Magdalena River, 7.5 km (4.7 mi) (originally 25 km (16 mi) before rapid urban growth) from its mouth at the Caribbean Sea, serving as a port for river and maritime transportation within Colombia. It is also the main economic center of the Atlántico department in Colombia. The city is the core of the Barranquilla metropolitan area, with a population of over 3 million, which also includes the municipalities of Soledad, Galapa, Malambo, and Puerto Colombia.

Barranquilla was legally established as a town on April 7, 1813, although it dates from at least 1629. It grew into an important port, serving as a haven for immigrants from Europe, especially during and immediately following World War I and World War II, when waves of additional immigrants from the Middle East and Asia arrived. Barranquilla became Colombia's main port, and with its level of industrialization and modernity, it earned the nickname "Colombia's Golden Gate" (Spanish: *La Puerta de Oro de Colombia*). In the 1940s, Barranquilla was the second-largest city in Colombia and one of the most modern cities in the Caribbean and in South America; later local administrations, due to widespread corruption in their ranks, brought about a decline in the standard of living. As government investment increased in other Colombian cities, Barranquilla's national position was eclipsed.

Barranquilla has hosted the 2018 Central American and Caribbean Games. The city is home to one of the most important folk and cultural festivals of Colombia, the Carnival of Barranquilla, which was declared a National Cultural Heritage by the Congress of Colombia in 2001 and recognized by UNESCO in 2003



## CMAS FREE DIVING WORLD CUP POOL SERIES 2024

The Federación Colombiana de Actividades Subacuáticas – FEDECAS with the agreement of CMAS, invite all interested Federations and Clubs to participate in the CMAS Freediving World Cup Pool Series 2024 organized October 3<sup>RD</sup> 5<sup>TH</sup> 2024 in Barranquilla – Colombia.

### 1. EVENT SCHEDULE

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The Draft Program of the event is as follows:

- October 2<sup>nd</sup> registrations- Technical meeting 18:15h hotel Cra. 53 #N° 54 - 41, Nte. Centro Historico, Barranquilla, Atlántico.
- October 3<sup>rd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> competition days
- The closing ceremony will take place on 5<sup>th</sup> October.
- Participation: Athletes can register individually for each event.
- Disciplines: will include the following disciplines:

Senior Male: DYN, DNF, DYNBF

Senior Female: DYN, DNF, DYNBF

### 2. COMPETITION DETAILS

Every athlete can choose the discipline that wants to compete.

Athletes can compete in the same discipline as many competition days they want. Mixed discipline starts are allowed. Specific rules for the WORLD CUP POOL SERIES will be also applied.

The relevant rules for each discipline are applied.

The event is open to athletes aged 18 and over. Seniors' category only.

The rules of competitions applied will be the relevant CMAS Pool Rules.

<https://www.cmas.org/freediving/how-to-regulations.html>

All participating athletes shall accept and follow the international rules of WADA and CMAS International.



### 3. REGISTRATION

The opening date of registration is from **Monday July 1st 2024**

All athletes must register until **Sunday September 15 2024**. Registration will be online in

Sportdata CMAS. <https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/set-online/index.php>

Online temporary CMAS license will be applied with cost 24 euro per participant. Contact organizers (listed below) for information regarding deposit requirement, competition fee, training fees, etc. **Enclosure 1** sent to email address: [worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com](mailto:worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com)

### 4. SCORING AND CLASSIFICATION of Apnea Games and POOL SERIES

- Event medals

3 first places for men and women in each discipline in each event

- Scoring and Classification System for the overall event

winner: DYN:1 point per meter

DYNBF:1 point per meter

DNF: 1.25 points per meter

Overall winner:

There will be a ranking for the event as follows:

The athlete with the best sum, adding points from his best performances, from all 3 disciplines or less (if he has not participated at all disciplines}.

Even If an athlete has not participated at all disciplines, his total score counts at the event ranking. e.g

DYN:100 mt=100 points

DYNBF:95 mt =95 points

DNF: 80mtx1,25= 100

points Total 295 points

Total Classification of the CMAS FREEDIVING WORLD CUP POOL

SERIES: Calculating Total Points:

For each participant, adding the total points earned in their two best events.

Overall, Winner:

The athlete with the highest total points on his best two events is declared the overall winner.



## 5. PARTIACION FEE

The participation fees are:

- 100 USD per 1 competition day.
- 200 USD per 2 competitions days.
- 250 USD per 3 competitions days.

**Payment has to be done until 15 September at the account (contact organizer).**

## 6. SCHEDULE

Wednesday Oct/2/2024	
All Day	Freediving WC arrivals
3 - 6 pm	Training Session
6:15 PM	Freediving Technical meeting

Thursday Oct/3/2024	
7 am - 1 pm	Freediving Competition Day 1

Friday Oct/4/2024	
7:00 AM	Freediving Competition Day 2

Saturday Oct/5/2024	
11:00 AM	Freediving Competition Day 3

Sunday Oct/6/2024	
All Day	Freediving WC Departure

## 7. SPECIAL NOTES

The Apnea world cup in Barranquilla as part of the CMAS FREEDIVING WORLD CUP POOL SERIES provide World Record status and qualification criteria for World Games 2025.

CMAS, Federation, Organizers, Competition Director, Competition Officers and the Technical Delegates are not responsible for accidents or damage caused to people and personal effects before, during or after the competition. The organizer ensures the presence of medical assistance.

-The rules of competitions applied will be: CMAS POOL Rules



- All participating athletes shall accept and follow the international rules of WADA.
- All athletes must be in possession of:

- Temporary CMAS freediving online license
- Medical certificate not older than 6 months
- ID document-Passport.
- Insurance
- Liability release document

Athletes that fail to provide the above documents will not be allowed to take part in the competitions, and their participation fee will not be refunded.

## 8. CLIMATE

Info about climate in Barranquilla - Colombia [Weather Forecast for Barranquilla, Atlántico, Colombia - The Weather Channel | weather.com](#)

## 9. HOTEL PROPOSAL AND TRANSPORTATION

The organization recommend that each Team to reserve with the organizing committee the transportation of the arrival and departure from the International Airport, is the best option but, other option is the use of the official taxis from the airport or UBER or any similar App.

The Barranquilla International Airport is 25kms from the hotel and swimming pool.

The price per person for transportation with the organization, from the airport to the hotel and return is 50 euro or 55 us dollars for 5 persons or less and 30 euro or 35 us dollars for groups of 6 persons and more.

For any participating wish to arrive earlier to have training session a full board services are offered, paying the pro-rata charge as indicated above. Swimming pool lanes are charged separately (20euro or 25 us dollars per line per hour).

**Enclosure 2 Booking Form** No later than **August 20<sup>th</sup> 2024**, and sent to email address: [worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com](mailto:worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com)

Must send 50% certification payment for the reservation (availability depending on early reservation), The organizer only accepts bank transfer for this payment (bank charges will be charge to the remitter). Bank check or credit card will not be accepted.

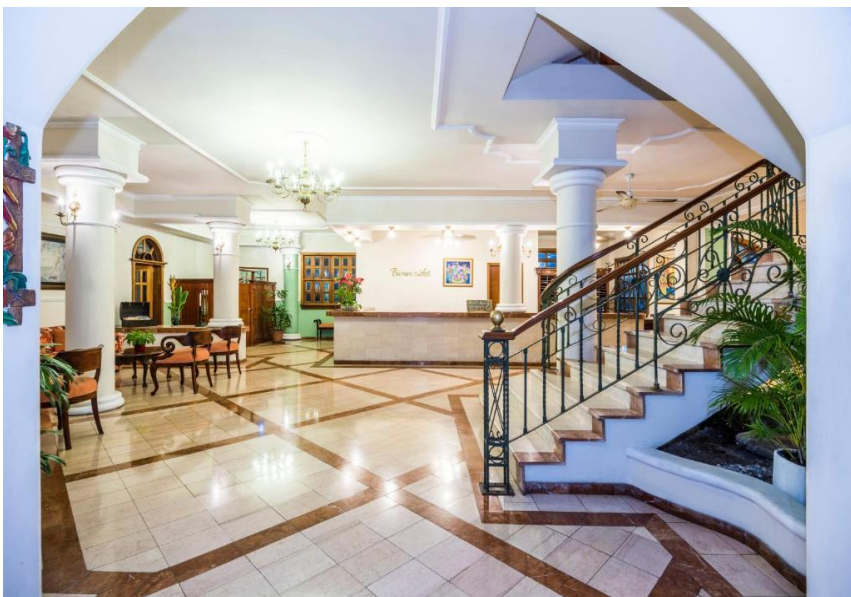
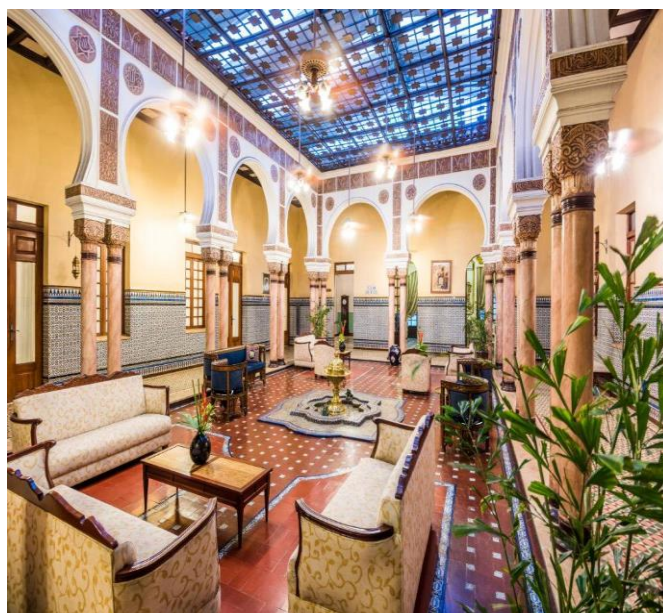
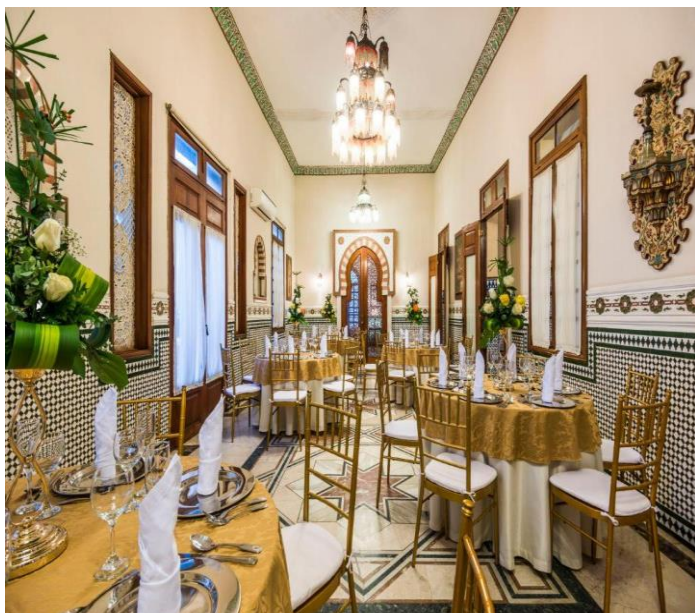
The final 50% you should make the payment by bank transfer or payment by cash at the arrival allowed.

Please, contact the organizing committee at this mail address [worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com](mailto:worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com) to receive the bank account information.





**HOTEL MAJESTIC BARRANQUILLA - Carrera 53 # 54 - 41, Centro Historico 080002 Barranquilla, Colombia.**



**Accommodation Package:** The price of the meals is non-refundable – Non cancellable if you don't take it.

**HOTEL PRICES from October 2<sup>nd</sup> until October 6<sup>th</sup>:**

Single Room: \$370 US dollars/ 345 Euro per person (Full Board included).

Double Room: 280 US dollars/ 260 Euro per person (Full Board included).



Triple Room: 260 us dollars/ 240 Euro per person (Full Board included).

#### Extra Night:

Single Room: \$93 US dollars/ 90 Euro per person (Full Board included).

Double Room: 69 US dollars/ 65 Euro per person (Full Board included).

Triple Room: 64 us dollars/ 60 Euro per person (Full Board included).

## 10. LOCATION

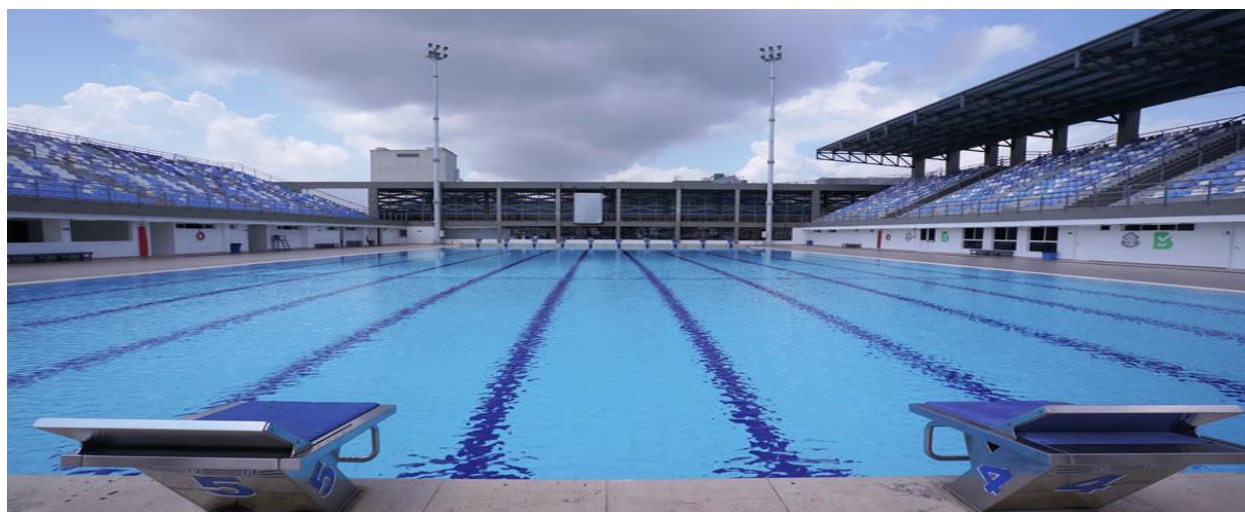
Eduardo Movilla Aquatic Complex

Address: Cra. 55 #52 - 48, Nte. Centro Historico, Barranquilla, Atlántico, Colombia



The swimming pool has a length of 50m, a width of 25 m and ten lanes and a depth of 2 m.

The temperature of the water is 25°C (+ 1°C).







## 11. CONTACTS

Email: [worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com](mailto:worldcupcolombia2024@gmail.com)

WhatsApp +573203657611

### **Bank information:**

- Payment should be made by direct bank transfer or by cash at arrival.

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NIT	890.315.463-9
Bank	BANCOLOMBIA
Account Number	45541335098
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City	Bogota
Country	Colombia