

To all National Federations
by email

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Dear Presidents, dear Secretaries General, dear Friends

Now, while we have some quite time before the next UIPM event — Junior World Championships, we are pleased to share with you a special initiative of the **UIPM Commission for Culture and Education**, chaired by **UIPM Honorary President Dr. Klaus Schormann**, who is also a member of the **IOC Commission for Culture and Olympic Heritage**.

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In the spirit of celebrating the cultural dimension of sport and promoting Olympism and Modern Pentathlon through art, we call on collecting **artworks inspired by or linked to Modern Pentathlon** to form a **digital collection**. This project will showcase the creative ways our sport has been represented around the world and throughout history.

For the purpose of this project, *artwork* can be understood broadly and creatively. It may include — but is not limited to — a **painting, sculpture, printmaking, drawing, decorative arts, photography, installation art**, or any other **product of the creative arts**, especially those with strong imaginative or aesthetic appeal. This can also include a **special trophy** or any unique expression of Modern Pentathlon through artistic means.

We kindly invite your federation to **contribute to this project by the end of July 2025**, as we aim to present a powerful cultural tribute by the time of UIPM Pentathlon World Championships.

If you, your members, or any artists affiliated with your federation have created or are in possession of such artwork, we encourage you to send the following information for each item:

1. **A high-quality photo/image** of the artwork
2. **Title** of the artwork
3. **Name of the artist/originator**
4. **Short description or history** of the item and its connection to Modern Pentathlon
5. **Current location** of the item (e.g., private collection, gallery, museum, etc.)

Important note: no AI generated contents would be accepted.

Submissions will be compiled into a digital gallery to be shared with the UIPM community and the wider Olympic Movement, celebrating the harmony between sport and culture. Please send your contributions to anfisa.kasyanova@pentathlon.org no later than **Thursday, 31 July 2025**.

Let's join forces to make this a truly global and inspiring homage to our sport and its place in the world of art and Olympism!

Best regards,
Dr. Klaus Schormann



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