**SATHIO GROUP AUSTRALIA OPEN 2025**

**SYDNEY AUSTRALIA 18-23 NOVEMBER**

**MEDIA ACCREDITATION FORM**

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| **MEDIA ORGANISATION & COUNTRY** |  |
| **FULL NAME** |  |
| **NATIONALITY** |  |
| **GENDER** |  |
| **MOBILE** |  |
| **EMAIL** |  |
| **PRESS CARD NO. & COUNTRY** |  |
| **EDITOR'S NAME** |  |
| **EDITOR'S PHONE NUMBER** |  |
| **EDITOR'S EMAIL** |  |

MEDIA TYPE (please tick):

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Newspaper |  | TV |  | Magazine |  |
| Digital/Online |  | Radio |  | Wire Agency |  |

ACCREDITATION TYPE (please tick):

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| Journalist |  | Non-Rights Holder |  |
| Photographer |  |  |  |

TOURNAMENT ATTENDANCE (please tick):

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Tuesday (18 Nov) |  | Thursday (20 Nov) |  | Saturday (22 Nov) |  |
| Wednesday (19 Nov) |  | Friday (21 Nov) |  | Sunday (23 Nov) |  |

**Please note:**

Video recording is not allowed, except for brief interviews in the mixed zone. There shall not be any implication that the footage is part of a ‘live broadcast’.

You do not qualify for media accreditation if you fall within one of the following categories: PR and internal communications; non-journalist staff of media outlets eg sales & marketing; representative of fan websites; representative of marketing or advertising agencies; representative of photo studios or production houses.

To apply for media application, please fill in the form & submit with your photo and supporting documents:

* Your name as it appears on the official photo ID that will be used to collect the pass at the accreditation centre
* A passport-sized photograph (head shot)
* Valid press credentials (such as evidence of employment ID/ security pass; letter of assignment from editor or employer, foreign correspondent credentials).

**TERMS & CONDITIONS**

1. The applicant must be part of the editorial team, or on assignment for a specific publication or news service (print and/or digital).
2. Freelance journalists will only be granted accreditation if they are representing a bona fide media outlet.
3. Only **one photographer** per publication/outlet will be accredited for each day of the tournament.
4. Online media must belong to a registered media organisation with verifiable address and phone number, and have a substantial amount of original news content.
5. You will receive notification of successful application.
6. Once approved, you agree to abide by the host organiser’s protocol:

* You will follow instructions from Media Centre staff and work within the clearly defined space of your accreditation status.
* You will wear your pass correctly at all times, including a vest/jacket for photographers.
* You understand that the media accreditation pass is not transferable.
* The host organiser reserves the right to refuse or withdraw accreditation at any time, i.e. inappropriate behaviour or violation of event rules

Please return this form by **Tuesday 14 October 2025** to:

Ms Kate Tan, Media Manager

Email: [media.accreditation@ausbadmintonopen.com](mailto:media.accreditation@ausbadmintonopen.com)

You will be informed if your media application is successful.