

## WBC International Championships

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## WBC International Champions and Titles up to May 6, 2021

### Next to come

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| <b>May 7</b> Orlando, Florida<br>Elvin Gambarov vs Diego Cruz                  | by Tony Gonzalez<br>vacant INT Silver 154lbs   |
| <b>May 21</b> in Moscow - Russia<br>Maxim Voshkov vs Magomed Madiev            | by German Titov<br>vacant Middleweight Silver belt   |
| Ivan Kozlovsky vs Adam Kipenga   | Same night in Moscow<br>by German Titov<br>Vacant 140lbs Silver  |
| <b>May 22</b> in Johannesburg (RSA)<br>Hekkie Budler (32-4-0, 10) South Africa | by Cyril Lehon Uppercut Promotions<br>vs Jonathan Almacen (PH)<br>Vacant INT Silver 108lbs   |
| <b>May 22</b> in Malaga (Spain)<br>Nick Hannig against Ralfs Vicans            | by Alexander Petkovic<br>Nick's 175 Lbs voluntary defence  |
| <b>May 30</b> in Rzeszów, Poland<br>Szpilka v Rozanski                         | by Andrew Wasilewski<br>vacant Bridger-weight  |
| <b>June 19</b> in Hamburg (Germany)  | WBC International Heavyweight Silver<br>vacant title bout by Universum<br>Hussein Muhamed (Germany) against<br>José Larduet Gomez (Cuba) |

**June 25** in London

by Queensberry Warren  
Vacant International Middleweight  
Championship  
Caoimhin Agyarko vs TBA

*Same show in London*

voluntary defence of Chris Bourke's 122 Lbs  
title against TBA

*Final date in June and names of challengers to be confirmed by Queensberry*



## recent results

**April 24th** in Hermosillo, Sonora MX by Rafael Soto  
Gohan Rodriguez Garcia W UD 10 Jorge Luis Orozco

Gohan won the vacant 112lbs Silver title

**April 23rd** in Belgrade, Serbia

by Luka Popovic

Sergey Gorokhov WTKO10 Marko Nikolic

Russia's Gorokhov won the vacant WBC International 168lbs Silver title  
Nikolic was previously unbeaten. Gorokhov improved to 11-2-2, 7

**April 14th** in Jakarta, Indonesia

by Armin Tan Promotions

Tibo Monabesa WUD12 Toto Landero

WBC #6 Monabesa won the vacant WBC International Lightflyweight title

**April 10th** in London

by Matchroom

Alexander Espinoza (Nicaragua) lost his WBC

International 118lbs Silver belt to Ukashir Farooq  
(Pakistan, based in Scotland)

Farooq outpointed the defending champion after ten very spectacular rounds

**April 3rd** in Dubai

by MTK Global

Tursynbay Kulakhmet WKO1 Heber Rondon

Tursynbay's 154 lbs title defence

Rondon was previously unbeaten

**March 27** in Ekaterinburg - Russia

by German Titov

Muhammad Yaqubov WUD10 Lunga Sitemel

Yaqubov retained his 130 lbs title

**March 27** in London

by Queensberry UK Frank Warren

Louie Lynn WUD10 Sebastian Perez Garrido

Lynn won the vacant 126lbs Silver belt

March 26th in London

by Queensberry UK Frank Warren  
Danny Ball WUD10 Sam Gilley

Ball retained his 147lbs Silver title

## *titles and champions*

**Heavy-weight**

**Martin Ilunga Bakole (Congo, based in Scotland)**

**Silver champion**

WBC International Heavyweight Silver vacant title bout  
Hussein Muhamed (Germany) vs José Larduet Gomez (Cuba)  
by Universum Box Promotion  
Hamburg, June 19th (Germany)

**Bridger-weight**

**title vacant**

A vacant title bout in Poland had to be moved to next May 30th due to the pandemic.

Poland, Rzeszów, Hala "Podpromie" (Arena)

Artur Szpilka vs Lukasz Rozanski - by Andrew Wasilewski -

**The Silver title is at moment vacant**

**Cruiserweight**

**Noel Gevor (Armenia)**

**Silver champion**

Ryan Rozicki (Canada - Nova Scotia)  
Ryan hopes to have a title defence next June

**Lightheavy**

**Nick Hannig (Germany)**

Due to the strict lockdown in Germany a title defence had to be postponed several times.

Finally, German promoter Alex Petkovic has been forced to move the championship to

Malaga (Spain) on May 22nd

**Silver champion**

Pawel Piotr Augustynik, Poland

**Supermiddle**

**title vacant**

Evgeny Shvedenko (Russia) relinquished this title on voluntary basis

**Silver champion**

Sergey Gorokhov (Russia)

He stopped previously unbeaten Marko Nikolic in Serbia to win the vacant belt

**Middle**

**title vacant**

Queensberry Promotions UK applied for the vacant Championship to be held in London next June 25th. More to come.

**Silver title vacant**

Markus Morrison failed to make a single title defence since he won the vacant title in 2019

The Committee approved a vacant title bout to be held in Russia for next May

**Superwelterweight**                      **Tursynbay Kulakhmet (Kazakhstan)**

Tursynbay impressively retained his crown by stopping in one round previously unbeaten Heber Rondon.

**Silver champion**

Tony Gonzalez will promote this vacant championship next May 7 in Orlando (Florida) Elvin Gambarov against México's Diego Cruz

**Welterweight**                              **Rashidi Ellis (USA)**

**Silver champion**

Danny Ball (UK)

**Superlight**                                **Ohara Davies (UK)**

**Silver title vacant**

Pablo Cesar Cano relinquished this crown on voluntary basis  
The bout for this vacant belt will take place in Russia next May 21

**Light weight**                              **Maxi Hughes (UK)**

**Silver champion**

Christian Fermin Uruzquieta Fragoso (México)

He was supposed to make a voluntary defence in April, but the bout was called off for what was reported to be the unavailability of the champion

**Superfeather**                              **Muhammadkhuja Yaqubov (Tajikistan)**

Yaqubov retained his belt last March 27th in Ekaterinburg (Russia) outpointing dangerous RSA's Lunga Sitemela (13-0, 7)

**Silver champion**

vacant title

**Featherweight**                              **Isaac Lowe (UK)**

**Silver champion**

Louie Lynn (UK)

**Superbantam**                              **Chris Bourke (UK)**

Queensberry UK will stage a title defence for the champion next June 25th in London

**Silver champion**

Tison Cave (Canada)

**Bantamweight**                              **Alejandro Santiago Barrios (México)**

**Silver champion**

Ukashir Farooq (Pakistan, based in Scotland) is the new champion as he outpointed defending champ Alexander Espinoza last 10th April in London

**Superflyweight**                              **Aliu BamideleLasisi (Nigeria)**

**Silver champion**

Victor Efrain Sandoval (México)

## Flyweight vacant title

The Committee had no alternatives but to declare this title vacant as Jackson Chauke signed to fight for another organization

**Silver champion**

Gohan Rodriguez Garcia (México)

## Lightfly Tibo Monabesa (Indonesia)

Tibo Monabesa outpointed Toto Landero to win the vacant belt (April 14)

**Silver title vacant**

Hekkie Budler vs Jonathan Almacen for the vacant title next May 22<sup>nd</sup> in South Africa<sup>h</sup>

## Straw-weight vacant title

**Silver title vacant**



**The WBC is not only** the first but the only boxing sanctioning organization that has instituted the "pre bout safety requirements rules" (medicals and safety weigh-ins) that aim to protect the health and the welfare of all professional boxers during and after their professional careers.

The pre bouts weigh-ins are to be done:

30 Days before the championship Not more than 10% of the official limit

14 Days Not more than 5%

7 Days Not more than 3%

On these specific days before the official weigh-in.

The above safety control reductions is so that we can safely

monitor and control the dehydration and rehydration process of the boxers so that they enter the ring in as safe and healthy condition as possible.

The WBC pre bout medical requirements are:

- "Complete Physical/Medical Examination"---Valid for one year.
- "MRI" -"Without contrast" valid for 3 years.
- "Ophthalmological" (eye) exam done by an Ophthalmologist--Valid for one year.
- "HIV 1 & 2" and "Hepatitis B&C Surface Antigen" examinations – both valid for 6 months.
- Boxers 35 years and over also need to get EKG and Neurological clearances.
- Boxers 40 years and over needs to get an MRA Clearance.

All boxes Competing for a WBC (Male-Female & International) Championship MUST supply a urine sample for prohibited drug testing.

## Personal thoughts

A tough 2020 ended with a still decent



WBC International activity if we consider all damages and difficulties caused by the virus.

Several championships were already scheduled and dated, when suddenly called off due to the harmful pandemic's outbreak .

We still had a solid closure for a doomed year.

My personal affections were diabolically touched with the untimely death of my golden and beloved wife Marina, after forty years of mutual love.

In difficult times we have to grit our teeth until the bad moment is over.

The virus has still been biking many parts of the world and all activities have been seriously jeopardized, not only boxing.

The lockdown is still in place in several countries and it seems that the solution to the problem is far to happen.

We at the WBC are indomitable fighters.

We will confirm our projects without hesitation.

We expect another difficult year ... but we'll make it.

This report shows that there are many championships ahead.

The Committee has been very active and has never spared any hope, or let alone any effort to have a constant activity back in place.

