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## The current status of the WBC International titles

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### **Heavyweight**

**title vacant**

Joseph Parker (New Zealand) won the title of another organization in Riyadh last March 8th .

The vacant WBC International title bout is scheduled to happen next July 27th near Boston (US) :

Andrii Novytski vs Keith Rydell Mayes Jr.

**Silver champion**

**Mourad Aliev**

**(France)**

Aliev retained his title last May 11th in Köln (Germany) when he stopped in three dominating rounds Montenegro's Dilan Prasovic.

### **Bridgerweight**

**title vacant**

Former world champion Danny Green will stage the vacant championship in Darling Harbour (Sydney, Australia) - Kris Terzиеvski vs Tyson Pedro - The latter suffered a hand injury and the championship is to be postponed. We recently came to know that Pedro is now recovering and the fight could be taking place in a few months. More to come

**Silver title**

**vacant**

### **Cruiserweight**

**title vacant**

Yamil Alberto Peralta outscored Thabiso Mchunu in South Africa last March 22nd to win the WBC World Silver title. The vacant WBC International championship was to be held on June 28th in Magdeburg, Germany, promoted by SES Sport Events Steinforth GmbH: Roman Fress vs Yasin Basar.

A LIGHT INJURY IN TRAINING OF ONE OF THE TWO CONTENDERS CAUSED THE PROMOTER TO POSTPONE THE EVENT TO NEXT August 24th.

**Silver champion**

**Yusuf Sultanoglu**

**(Germany-Turkey)**

Yusuf Sultanoglu won the vacant title by TKO'ng Rashad Karimov (Azerbaijan) last June 22 in München.

The loser was leading on points at the end of the fourth round when Sultanoglu sent him to the canvas three times in round five. Although Karimov beat the counts and was on his feet, the referee correctly stopped the fight at the two minutes of round five (TKO5).

**Lightheavy** **title vacant**

William “Willy” Hutchinson (Scotland) outpointed Craig Richards last June 1st in Riyadh to win the vacant WBC World Silver title. The WBC International title, previously held by Hutchinson, is now vacant. Queensberry asked for Ezra Taylor to fight TBA for this vacant crown. More to come.

**Silver title** **Branimir Malenica** (Germany)

Branimir Malenica stopped in round five Ahmed Dananovic to win this vacant title last January 27th in Köln

**Supermiddle** **Luka Plantic** (Croatia)

Luka Plantic stopped in five tough rounds UK’s Jack Cullen last April 6th to win the vacant WBC International title. Aschaffenburg (Germany) by Ahmet Öner of Arena Box Promotions.

**Silver champion** **Serhat Güler** (Turkey)

Serhat won a non-title bout last May 11th in Köln (Germany). His title defence next September.

**Middleweight** **Aaron McKenna** (Ireland)

**Silver title** **Samuel Nmomah** (Nigeria)

Samuel will defend his title next July 14 in Sequals (North of Italy). The promoter will be Italy’s Mario Loreni.

**Superwelterweight** **Ermal Hadribeaj** (Albania)

Last January 27th in Köln (Germany) Ermal made another successful title defence by outpointing young unbeaten Bohdan Shtonda (Ukraine) to retain his title. Ermal moved to 18-0, 7. The champion was scheduled to defend his title again next May 11th in Köln (Germany) but a hand injury caused this title defence to be moved to next summer. Ermal is fully recovering from the injury.

**Silver champion** **vacant**

Adrian Sasso (Argentina) failed to make a title defence in one year. This vacant title bout will take place in UK (Barnsley) promoted by BOXXER: Stephen McKenna vs Joe Laws

**Welterweight** **Sandy Messaoud** (France)

Sandy Messaoud (France) outpointed Dorian Maidana (Argentina) last June 15 near Toulouse (France) to win the vacant crown.

**Silver champion** **Michael McKinson** (UK)

**Superlight** **Pierce O’Leary** (Ireland)

Pierce O’Leary retained his title with a good point win last June 28th in Belfast against Darragh Foley.

**Silver champion** **Henry Turner** (UK)

Turner retained his title last April 20th in London when he stopped inside five rounds Colombia’s Maykol Mendoza.

**Light weight**                      **Antonio Perez**                      (USA)

Antonio Perez retained his crown last June 7 in Hollywood (Florida, US) outpointing previously unbeaten Antonio Williams. DKP promoted.

**Silver champion**                      Yosdiel Napoles                      (Cuba)

Yosdiel Napoles stopped Wister Garcia last June 7th in Miami to win this vacant belt.

**Superfeather**                      **Ryan Garner**                      (UK)

Ryan, after retaining his belt last May 11 against Liam Dillon, will make another title defence next July 27th in London against unbeaten Archie Sharp. Queensberry will promote.

**Silver champion**                      Samir Ziani                      (France)

Samir Ziani retained his Silver belt last April 27th in Marseille when he clearly outpointed former French amateur star Jordan Rodriguez .

**Featherweight**                      **Luca Rigoldi**                      (Italy)

Luca Rigoldi retained his crown last June 28th with a TD9 win against unbeaten Davide Tassi

**Silver champion**                      Wira Mikham                      (Thailand)

This vacant title bout was held last 10th June in Bangkok (Thailand).

Wira Mikham stopped in eight rounds Daisuke Sugita to win the vacant silver belt.

**Superbantam**                      **title vacant**

Liam Davies (UK) won the title of another organization last March 16th and the International belt has been vacated.

**Silver champion**                      Bryan Mercado Vazquez                      (México)

**Bantamweight title**                      **Victor Reyes Bernabe**                      (México)

**Silver title**                      Charlie Edwards                      (UK)

Charlie Edwards won the vacant Silver title last April 12th in London when he outpointed France's Georges Ory.

**Superflyweight**                      **title vacant**

Guyana's Elton Dharry never defended his title.

**Silver title**                      Williams Flores                      (Venezuela)

Williams Flores scored a split decision against Jonathan Cisneros last March 8th in Caracas to win the vacant WBC International 115lbs Silver title.

## **Flyweight**

**Galal Yafai**

(UK)

The champion retained his title again last April 6 in Las Vegas stopping game Agustin Mauro Gauto (Argentina).

Silver title

vacant

## **Lightfly**

**title vacant**

The fight for the vacant belt was held in Venezuela last December 22nd but ended in a Draw to keep the title vacant

Silver champion

vacant

## **Strawweight**

**Alex Winwood**

(Australia)

Silver title

vacant

