



The Late Night Newsletter



We know who will play for the medals

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We now know the four men's teams and four women's teams that will be competing for medals at the FISU World University Championships Futsal. The Brazilian women's team has a chance to defend its title. Both teams from the Polish University National Team are also among the top contenders.

The final match of the women's group stage was played at the arenas in Bemowo and Pruszkow. The Finnish team earned its first point with a 2:2 draw against Germany. The Finnish team took the lead one minute into the game, but their opponents quickly equalized. Both teams had scoring opportunities, but the game remained tied for a long time. With just under three minutes left in the match, the Germans took a 2:1 lead. However, the Finns managed to respond with a goal to tie the score at 2:2, and the match ended in a draw.

The Portuguese women confidently won their fourth match and, with a perfect record, took first place in Group A. They thus confirmed that they are among the top contenders for medals at this year's World Youth Championship and should be considered serious contenders for the title. From the start of the match against Chinese Taipei, Portugal held the advantage and needed just over four minutes to score the first goal. The Portuguese continued to attack, while their opponents were saved from conceding further goals by the posts, the crossbar, and the goalkeeper's effective play. Ultimately, the favorites scored a second goal and led 2:0 at halftime.



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After the break, Chinese Taipei fought for a consolation goal, but it was Portugal that extended its lead. In the final minute, the Portuguese scored their fifth goal, and in the closing moments, they capitalized on their opponents' off-the-line play to seal the match at 6–0 by scoring into an empty net. Margarida Cavalho scored twice, bringing her total to six goals after the group stage. “We’re very happy with the group stage. It’s important that we managed to win today without conceding a goal. Now we have to focus on the next match,” the player said. In Monday’s semifinals, the Polish team will face Brazil, while Portugal will take on Germany.

In the afternoon, the men’s quarterfinal matches took place. In the most exciting match, France was already leading Brazil 2:0, but ultimately the “Tricolors” lost 2:3. France had taken the lead after an own goal by their opponents and a goal by Leo Fajtra. Meanwhile, Joao Pinto Meleges da Cunha emerged as the hero for the “Canarinhos”, scoring a hat trick!

After a string of victories in the group stage, the Polish University Team defeated Saudi Arabia 6:2. The match got off to an even start. However, five minutes into the game, Grzegorz Haraburda scored the first goal for Poland with a long-range shot. With 7 minutes remaining in the first half, Omar Al Sakait tied the score at 1:1. Although the Saudis had a chance to take a 2:1 lead, the “White-and-Reds” regained the lead. Grzegorz Haraburda scored for Poland, and just a few seconds later, it was 3:1 after a goal by Kacper Pawlus. The second half began with a goal by Oskar Szczepański.

The sixth goal for Poland was scored by goalkeeper Jakub Florek during a power play. - We know what kind of team we have and what we're capable of. We came here to fight for a spot in the medal round. The start of the match against Saudi Arabia was even, but later we managed to score a few goals. However, we need to eliminate the simple mistakes that happened toward the end of the match - said Oskar Szczepanik of the Polish University Team.



Somewhat overshadowed by the battle for the semi-finals, matches to determine final standings were also underway, as all teams are set to play until the last day. In the contests for places 9–16, Finland won with the USA (10:1), Lithuania lost to Costa Rica (2:3), Cyprus fell to New Zealand (1:5), and Georgia defeated Israel (3:2).



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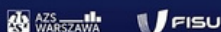
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Quarterfinals - Men

	6:2		4:1	
	2:3		2:7	



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Results - Men - 9th-16th

	10:1		1:5	
	2:3		3:2	





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Results - Women - Day 5





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Women - group A

		W	D	L	GD	PTS
	POR	4	0	0	23	12
	POL	3	0	1	8	9
	TPE	2	0	2	-5	6
	CRC	1	0	3	-7	3
	USA	0	0	4	-19	0



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Women - group B

		W	D	L	GD	PTS
	BRA	4	0	0	13	12
	GER	2	1	1	2	7
	FRA	2	0	2	-2	6
	LBN	1	0	3	-7	3
	FIN	0	1	3	-6	1

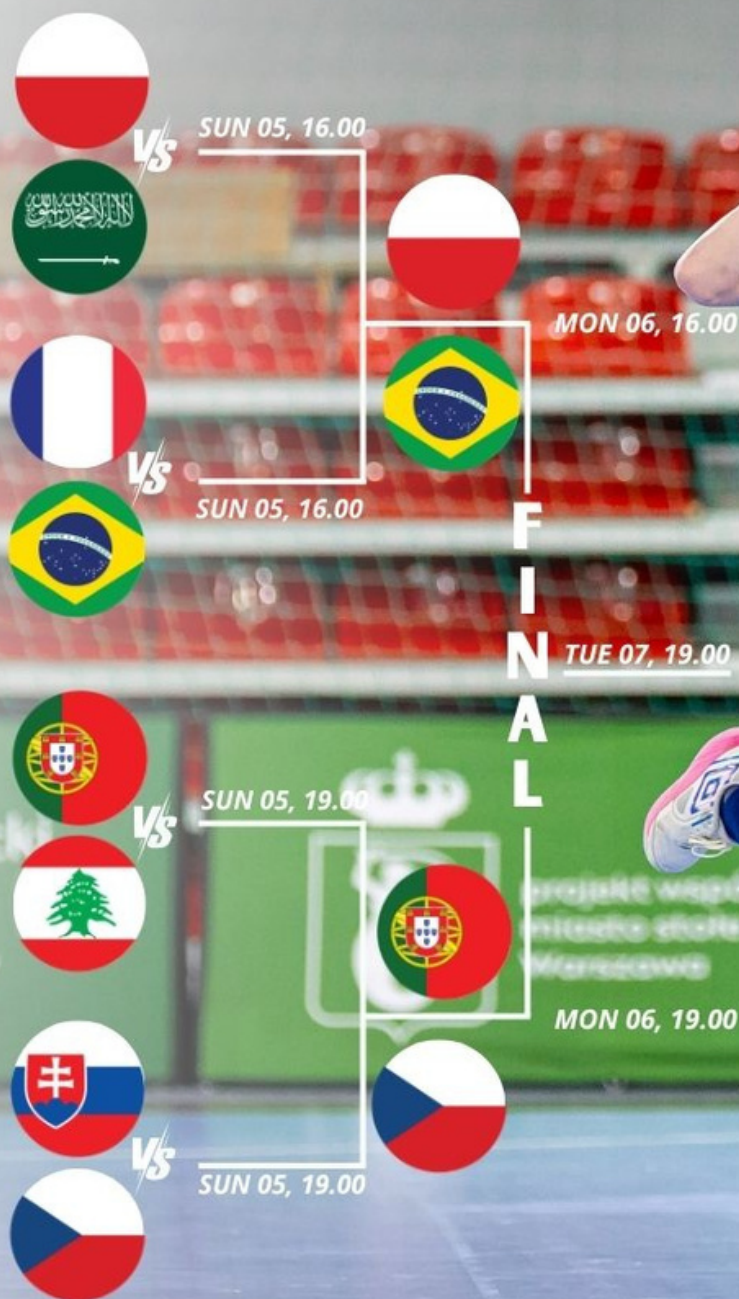




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SUN 05, 10.00



vs



MON 06, 19.00

9th-12th



SUN 05, 13.00



vs



TUE 07, 19.00

9th PLACE



SUN 05, 16.00



vs



MON 06, 19.00

9th-12th



SUN 05, 19.00



vs



TUE 07, 16.00

11th PLACE



9th-12th



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VS

MON, 06, 10.00



VS

MON 06, 13.00



FINAL

TUE 07, 16.00

TUE 07, 10.00

3rd PLACE





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vs

5th PLACE

TUE 07, 10.00



vs

7th PLACE

MON 06, 13.00



vs

9th PLACE

MON 06, 10.00





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TOP SCORERS – WOMEN

Carvalho Margarida (POR) 6
Almeida Formighieri Erica (BRA) 5
Oliveira Ana (POR) 5

TOP SCORERS – MEN

Faustino Marques Pedro (POR) 6
Dubois Alexis (FRA) 5
Balog Dominik (CZE) 5
Melges de Cunha Pinto Joao (BRA) 5

MEN

Suspensions for first next match of their teams.

For receiving 2 yellow cards in a quarter final match:

Esper Ricardo (LBN) 5
Jose Pablo Rodrigues Hidalgo (CRC) 7

WOMEN

Suspensions for first next match of her team.

For receiving one red card in a group stage match:

Fortin Lola (FRA) 13



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Fixtures

Matchday 6 6.07.2026

<i>Time</i>	Znicz Pruszków		OSiR Bemowo		OSiR Włochy	
10:00	W22	POR vs GER	W21	USA vs FIN	M33	USA vs LTU
13:00	W23	BRA vs POL	W24	CRC vs LBN	M34	CYP vs ISR
16:00	M39	POL vs BRA	M37	KSA vs FRA	M35	FIN vs CRC
19:00	M40	POR vs CZE	M38	LBN vs SVK	M36	NZA vs GEO



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