

## **HELLENIC JU JITSU FEDERATION**

Piraeus, 30.08.2025

To

Ju Jitsu European Union

Subject: Candidate on 2025 elections for JJEU Board

Maria Charitopoulou Work program / vision of the candidate's work

My vision if National Members make the honor to elect me as JJEU Board Member in one of the following positions: The President, The General Secretary, The 1st Vice President, The 2nd Vice President, The 3rd Vice President and also for JJEU treasurer, is to support and to contribute as much as I can to the continuation of the very good progress of Ju Jitsu in Europe.

I am experienced in federation management with many years of presence in the sport of Ju Jitsu. My career in Greece and in the positions I have in the JJIF and Balkan Federations, as well as my excellent organizational skills, effective role and my dynamic presence, guarantee the prospect of transparency, organization and development of European Ju Jitsu.

Ju Jitsu belongs to all of Europe and should be spread even more in all countries through the organization of championships and events that attract all interested parts.

Also, I am interested in strengthening the role of women in ju jitsu and offering equality at all levels, through the cooperation of all those who are truly interested in the good of our sport.

## Maria Charitopoulou:

- President of the Hellenic Ju Jitsu Federation, since 2020
- General Secretary of the Hellenic Ju Jitsu Federation for many years.
  HJJF is one of the most organized, developed and successful National Federations in Ju Jitsu community.
- Chief of the JJIF Women's committee, since 2020
- JJIF Board member 2020 -2024
- successful in her professional field with a many years career
- company owner
- organizational management and development skills
- teamwork and cooperation skills

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Maria Charitopoulou President HJJF