In 2025, the second largest multi-sport event in the world, the FISU World University Games, will take place in the Rhine-Ruhr region, one of the most exciting and dynamic regions in Germany with more than 10 million inhabitants, where sports, industry, culture and science meet. With around 10,000 participants, the FISU World University Games are the largest international multi-sport event after the Olympic and Paralympic Games and will take place in Bochum, Duisburg, Düsseldorf, Essen and Mülheim a. d. Ruhr in 2025, if only for reasons of sustainability.

We want to create a milestone for a creative, innovative and sustainable sports event for the benefit of sports and society. If you can inspire people and institutions and win them over for active support; if you are familiar with the opportunities and risks of major sporting events and know the processes required for planning, organizing, implementing and handling complex major events in the fields of technology; if you move confidently in different environments, enjoy a young, educated and dynamic target group and love great challenges, then apply as of the earliest possible date as

Chief Technology and IT Officer / CTO (f/m/d)

for Local Organizing Committee (LOC) of the

Rhine-Ruhr 2025 FISU World University Games.

Full-time / limited contract

We expect from you:

- A degree in computer science, economics or sports management or a comparable qualification,
- Several years of experience and knowledge in management functions of comparable events,
- Profound knowledge of the processes for planning, organizing, implementing and handling complex major sports events in the areas of technology,
- Management skills, persuasiveness and assertiveness,
- Communication and negotiation skills (in German and English),
- Experience in the non-profit sector including project application and project controlling (public funding, public procurement law, non-profit law) is desirable,
• Personnel and budget responsibility,
• Sound knowledge of business administration,
• Strong networking skills and intercultural competence.

You can expect:
• Responsibility for the operational areas of technology and event security, as part of the executive management team,
• Design of interfaces of the different departments of the Local Organizing Committee regarding IT issues and IT systems to be used,
• Implementing and maintaining necessary databases and existing event technology, as well as selecting and training appropriate personnel,
• Development and design of conditions for data security, data integrity and data protection, taking into account event needs and the legal framework,
• Content and conceptual responsibility for the convergence of the games' deployed systems, such as results technology services, registration and sports entries, operational and business management applications, the venue technology, media infrastructure, etc.,
• Development, implementation and controlling of the software used in connection with the planning, organization and execution of the event,
• Creation of a security concept for all target groups and aspects of the event, including related insurance issues.

Please send your informative application with your salary expectations as well as the usual documents documenting your career to date exclusively digitally by e-mail (maximum file size 5 MB), stating your earliest possible starting date and the subject “CTO”, by December 22nd, 2021 at the latest (receipt of documents) to:

Rhine-Ruhr 2025 FISU Games gGmbH
Mr. Stefan Kürten
Max-Planck-Str. 2,
64807 Dieburg
E-mail: bewerbung@rhineruhr2025.com

The implementing company strives to specifically promote women for management positions. Therefore, women are strongly encouraged to apply.

Please note that threats to confidentiality and unauthorized access by third parties cannot be ruled out when communicating by unencrypted e-mail.

If you have any technical questions, please contact the Managing Director of Rhine-Ruhr 2025 FISU Games gGmbH, Mr. Stefan Kürten, or the Chairman of the Board of the sole shareholder adh, Mr. Jörg Förster, at bewerbung@rhineruhr2025.com.