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SportAccord membership workshop was held 15-16 June in Lausanne (Switzerland). Representatives of 49 sport federations took part of this event. These federations are potential SportAccord members. SportAccord is organization that unites all (Olympic and non-Olympic) international sports federations as well as organisers of multi-sports games and sport-related international associations. SportAccord is an international sport organisation with 92 full members. It works in cooperation with IOC (International Olympic Committee). Representatives of 49 sport federations were in Lausanne.

First part of this event is presentations of SportAccord's principles and criteria. Second part – is personal interviews and sports presentations. Kettlebell sport was presented by Igor Solodov and Valentin Egorov. They had only 30 minutes for full demonstrations and questions from SportAccord representatives. The Commission noted the uniqueness and originality of our sport, as well as its high development in many countries around the world. The first step for IUKL – observer status of membership in SportAccord. IUKL should receive this status very soon.



Pictures:- SportAccord Membership Application Manager Davide Delfini and IUKL vice President Igor Solodov after kettlebell sport presentation - Valentin Egorov near International Olympic Committee entrance  
- IUKL vice-president Igor Solodov and SportAccord President Patrick Baumann