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Softball Europe cancels the 2021 U-12 Mix and the U-23 Men's Qualifiers

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Softball Europe **cancels** two of its scheduled events for **2021**: the **U-12 Mix** Qualifier and the **U-23 Men's** Qualifier.

The U-12 Mix Qualifier and the U-23 Men's Qualifier won't take place in **2021**, a year filled with scheduled events for Softball Europe.

The **U-12 Mix European Championship** was supposed to be played in April as a qualifier for the WBSC U-12 Mix World Cup in Taiwan. Softball Europe board decided **not** to involve this young age category at the beginning of the season.

The **U-23 Men's European Championship** was scheduled July 12 to 17 in Havlíčkův Brod, Czech Republic, adjacent to the U18 and U16 MECh. The event was serving as a qualifier for the 2022 WBSC U-23 Men's Softball World Cup. The first-ever [U-23 Men's European Championship](#) in **2022** will be the qualifying event for the World Cup, and will be played in Sezimovo Usti, Czech Republic.

Despite these two cancellations, Softball Europe President Gabriel **Waage** reassures the community: "Our main **goal** for the 2021 season is to reinstall **international softball** all over Europe."

Check the updated calendar [here](#).



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