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# **DRAW CEREMONY**

Play-offs

**House of European Football  
Nyon, Switzerland, 2 August 2021**

**Play-offs – Champions path**

Time:	12:00 CET
Duration:	approximately 15 minutes
Number of teams involved:	8 (2 directly and 6 through the third qualifying round)
Number of seeded teams:	4
Number of matches:	2 x 4
Matchdays:	17/18 and 24/25 August 2021
Kick-off time:	21:00 CET

**Conditions of the draw**

In accordance with paragraphs 13.03 and 13.04 of the Regulations of the UEFA Champions League 2021/22, the UEFA administration seeds clubs for the play-offs draw based on the club rankings established at the start of the season and the principles set out by the Club Competitions Committee.

The 8 teams (2 that enter the competition at this stage and the 6 winners of the third qualifying round (champions path) ties, indicated for the purposes of this draw as Winners of Matches 1 to 6) are divided equally into 4 seeded teams and 4 unseeded teams.

The winners of a third qualifying round match are seeded for the play-offs draw if either of the clubs involved in the match has a coefficient that would entitle it to be seeded.

The full fixture list will be communicated in writing to your club and national association today, 2 August 2021, by 15:30 CET at the latest.

**Draw procedure**

Two pots are prepared, one for the seeded teams and the other for the unseeded teams.

The balls containing the seeded teams are placed in a bowl marked 'Seeded' and the balls containing the unseeded teams are placed in a bowl marked 'Unseeded'.

One ball is taken from each bowl and placed in a large empty bowl, where they are shuffled. The first team drawn will play its first match at home against the second team drawn.

The same procedure is carried out with the remaining balls to complete all the pairings for the play-offs (champions path).

### **Play-offs – League path**

Time:	12:15 CET
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Number of seeded teams:	2
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## Groupings

### *Champions path*

#### **Seeded**

	FC Salzburg (AUT)
<b>Winners of match 1</b>	GNK Dinamo (CRO) - Legia Warszawa (POL)
<b>Winners of match 2</b>	Ferencvárosi TC (HUN) - SK Slavia Praha (CZE)
<b>Winners of match 3</b>	Olympiacos FC (GRE) - PFC Ludogorets 1945 (BUL)

#### **Unseeded**

<b>Winners of match 4</b>	CFR 1907 Cluj (ROU) - BSC Young Boys (SUI)
<b>Winners of match 5</b>	FK Crvena zvezda (SRB) - FC Sheriff Tiraspol (MDA)
<b>Winners of match 6</b>	Malmö FF (SWE) - Rangers FC (SCO) Brøndby IF (DEN)

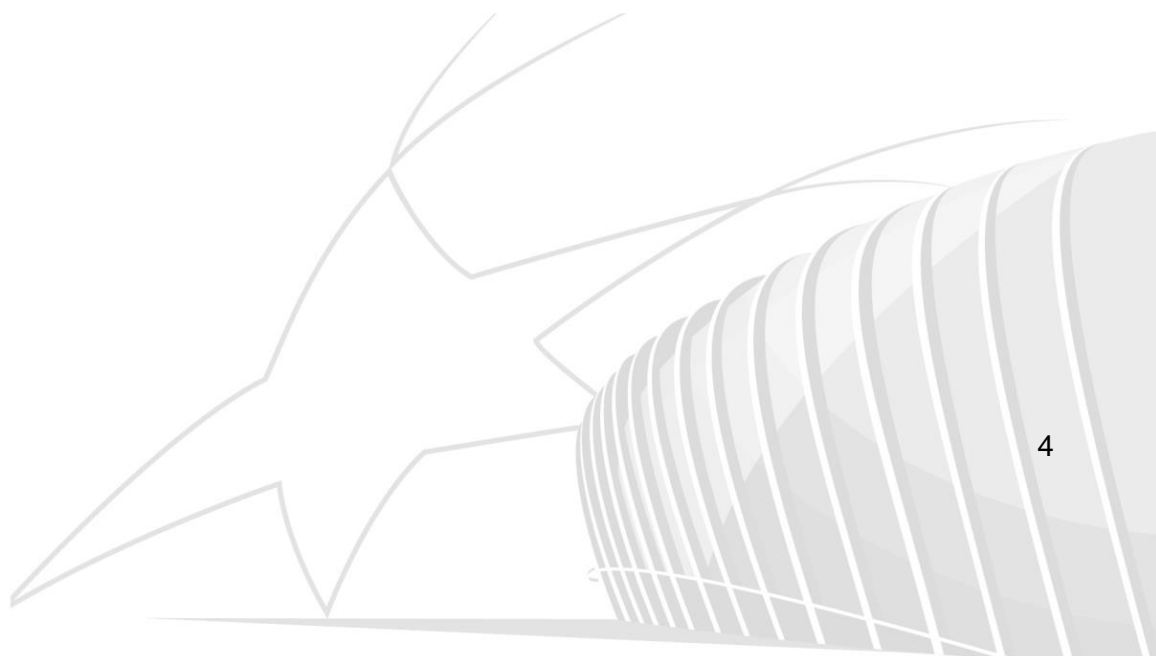
### *League path*

#### **Seeded**

<b>Winners of match 1</b>	KRC Genk (BEL) - FC Shakhtar Donetsk (UKR)
<b>Winners of match 2</b>	FC Spartak Moskva (RUS) - SL Benfica (POR)

#### **Unseeded**

<b>Winners of match 3</b>	AS Monaco FC (FRA) - AC Sparta Praha (CZE)
<b>Winners of match 4</b>	PSV Eindhoven (NED) - FC Midtjylland (DEN)



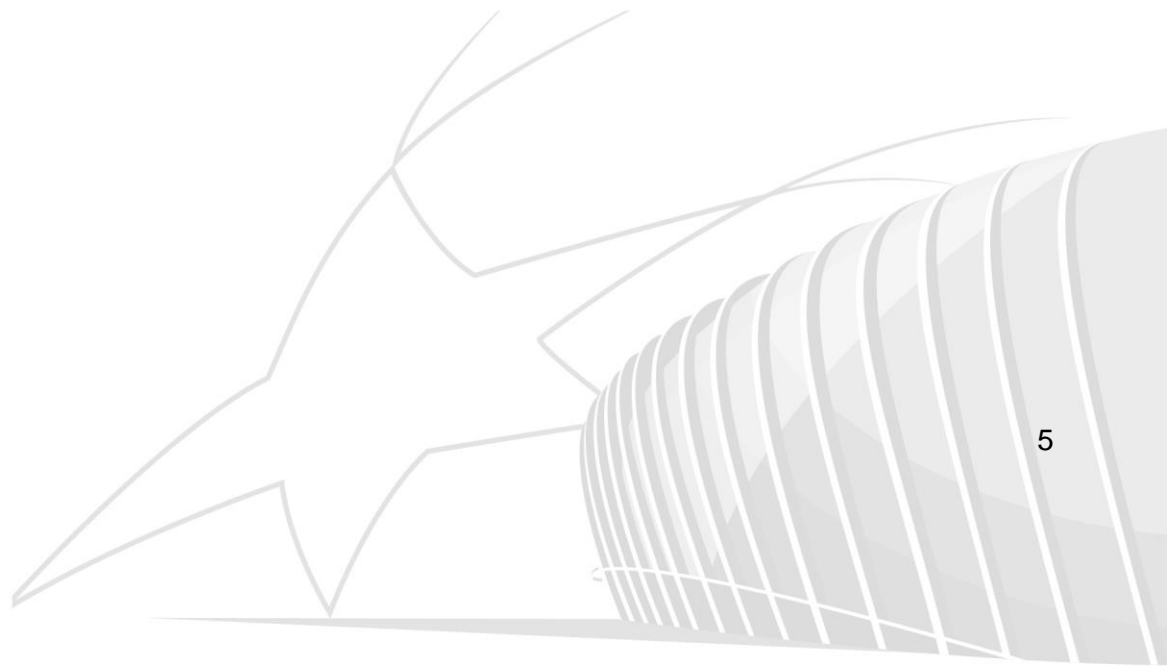
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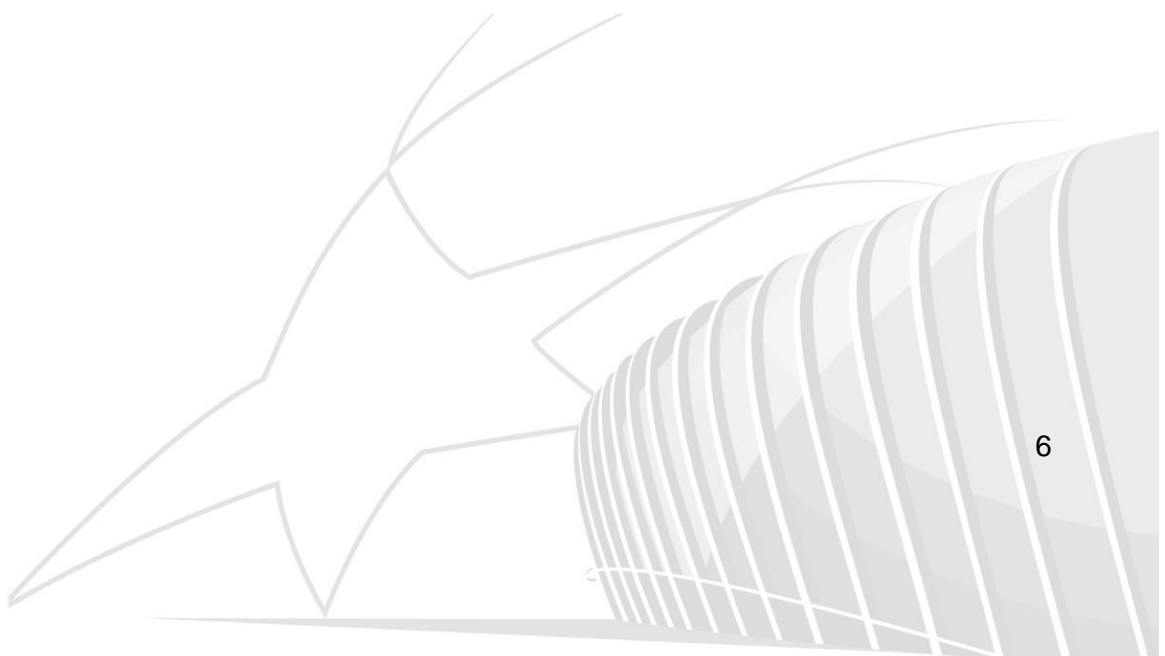
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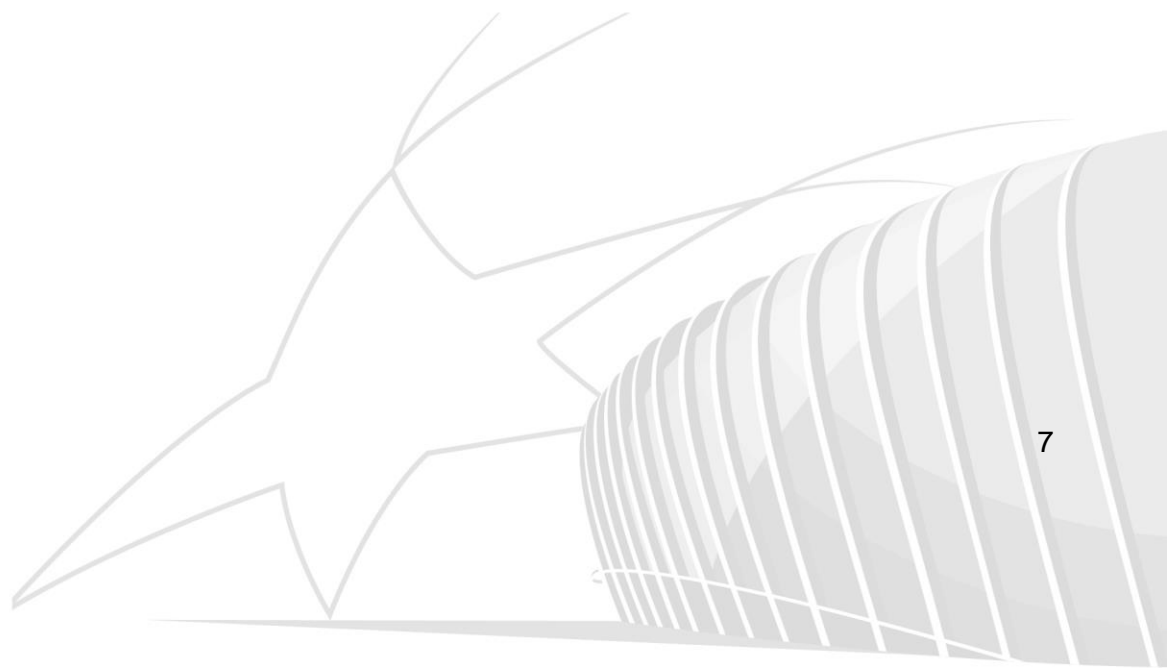
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