Defending champions Serbia enjoyed a comfortable victory 10-6 (2-0, 3-1, 3-0, 2-5) over the U.S. to retain the champion's trophy at the FINA Men's Water Polo World League Super Final which concluded in Huizhou, China, on Sunday.

Tony Azevedo of the United States was named the Best Scorer of the tournament, Greece's Konstantinos Flegkas received the Best Goal Keeper trophy and Serbia's Branislav Mitrovic claimed MVP of the Super Final.

In the bronze medal match, Greece beat Italy 11-7, while Australia placed fifth, defeating Japan 12-7.

Water polo powerhouse Serbia grabbed the title for the fourth consecutive year and remained unbeaten throughout the tournament in Huizhou. The team was defeated once in the European preliminaries by Montenegro after a 10-10 tie (13-15 after PSO). Montenegro did not make it to the Super Final.

Final ranking of the 2016 World League


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Seven out of the eight squads of this Super Final will be again in action at the upcoming Rio 2016 Olympic Games. The Olympic groups' composition is as follows:

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In the women’s Super Final, the USA was the best, followed by Spain and Australia in that order.

Kazan to stage FINA World Junior Synchronised Swimming


After editions in Volos, Greece (2012) and Helsinki, Finland (2014), the Kazan Aquatics Palace will welcome teams from 30 nations:

Australia, Austria, Belarus, Canada, China, Colombia, Spain, France, Great Britain, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Israel, Japan, Liechtenstein, Macau, Malaysia, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Peru, South Africa, Russia, Singapore, San Marino, Switzerland, Slovakia, Ukraine, USA, and Uzbekistan.

Each federation is allowed to enter up to 12 athletes.

The competition schedule unfolds as follows:

- July 9, 2016 - Preliminary Duet, Preliminary Team, Opening Ceremony
- July 10, 2016 - Preliminary Solo, Preliminary Free Combination
- July 11, 2016 - Figure competition
- July 12, 2016 - Final Duet, Final Team, Awards Ceremony
- July 13, 2016 - Final Solo, Final Free Combination, Awards Ceremony, Closing Ceremony

The medals order of the last edition in Helsinki was as follows: Russia (three gold and one silver), Japan (one gold, two silver and one bronze), China (three bronze), and Canada (one silver medal).

FINA latest Clinics for Officials in Africa

In the last trimester, FINA held five Clinics for Coaches and Officials in Africa.

Kigali, Rwanda, and Banjul, Gambia, hosted courses for beginners in April, while Mauritius’s clinic was tailored towards more advanced officials.

Beira in Mozambique and Mahe, Seychelles completed the list of African cities which played hosts to FINA’s most recent development initiatives in May.

FINA is closely working with its National Member Federations based on the African continent and has a number of projects, including new training facility and camps, undergo.

MORE ABOUT FINA DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES
The Fédération Internationale de Natation, FINA (founded in 1908) is the governing body for aquatics worldwide. Its five disciplines - Swimming, Open Water Swimming, Diving, Water Polo and Synchronised Swimming - are all included in the Olympic programme. High Diving is on the World Championships programme since 2013. FINA organises World Championships, World Swimming Championships in 25m-pool and World Masters Championships every two years. FINA counts 207 affiliated National Federations on the five continents and has its headquarters in Lausanne (SUI).