

How Ubisoft Nadeo empowered esports on Trackmania

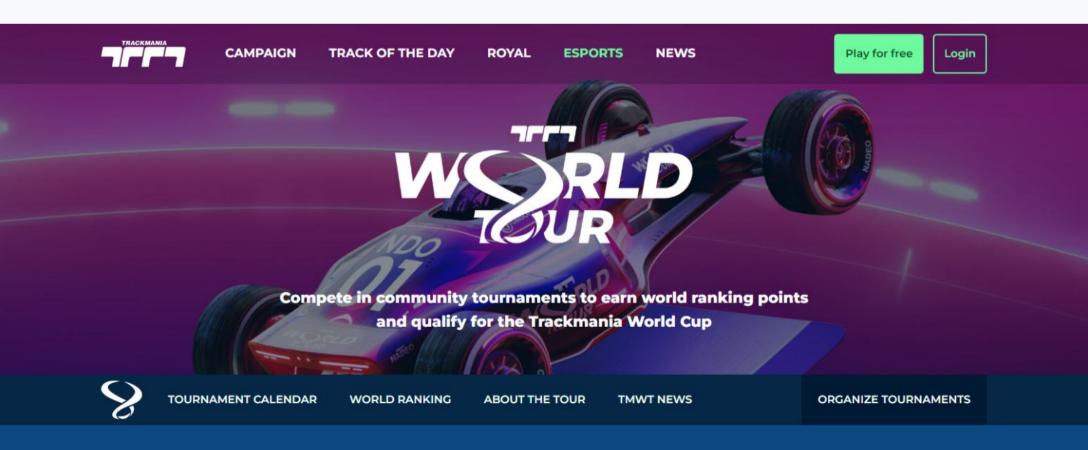
The Ubisoft Nadeo studio called upon Toornament to create the official platform for the Trackmania World Tour 2024 competition. The platform provides a seamless experience for players and integrated tournament management for organizers, all within a fully white-labeled environment blending in the Trackmania universe.

Developing the legacy of Trackmania and its community

The famous Trackmania racing franchise from Ubisoft Nadeo occupies a unique place in the esports landscape. Released in 2003, the game offers a very rich environment conducive to the expression of its players community through the creation of tracks, car skins and the organization of its own tournaments.

Esports has always had an important place in Trackmania, which saw its first World Cup organized in 2006. Since then, Ubisoft Nadeo have supported esports and community initiatives. From 2020 onwards, they organized the official Trackmania World Tour circuit in different formats, from solo races to duo team clashes.

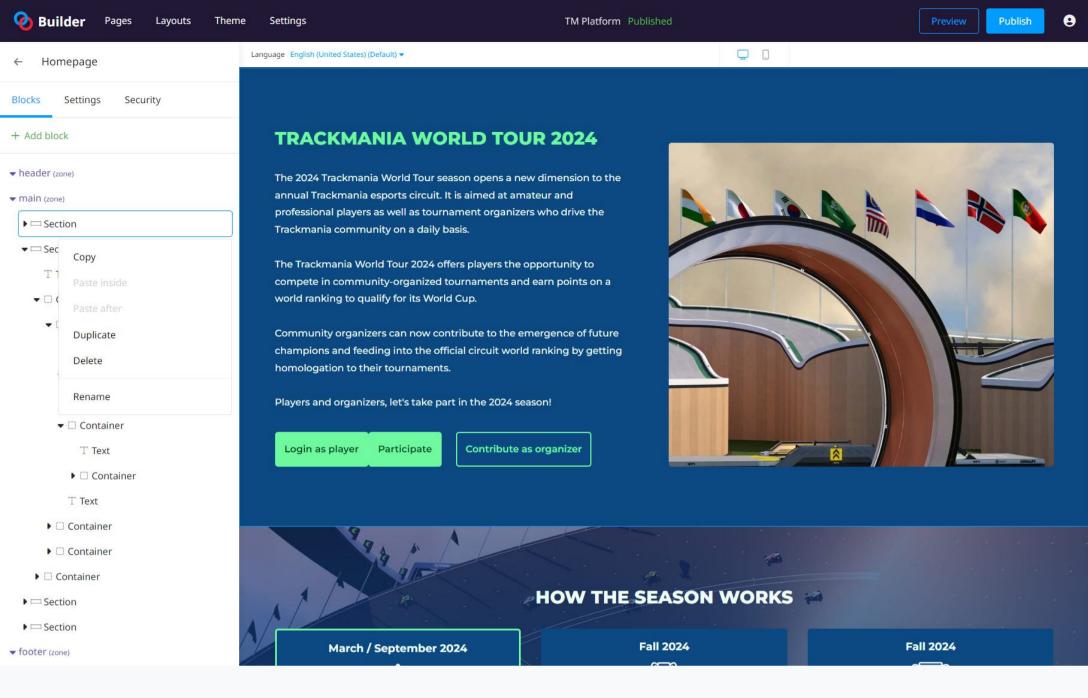
In 2024, the Trackmania World Tour takes a more community-oriented turn with the creation of a dedicated platform developed and managed with Toornament. Players have the opportunity to participate in 1v1v1v1 tournaments organized by the community, and accumulate points in a world ranking to qualify for the World Cup.



TRACKMANIA WORLD TOUR 2024

The 2024 Trackmania World Tour season opens a new dimension to the annual Trackmania esports circuit. It is aimed at amateur and professional players as well as tournament organizers who drive the Trackmania community on a daily basis.





A platform faithful to the game and its history

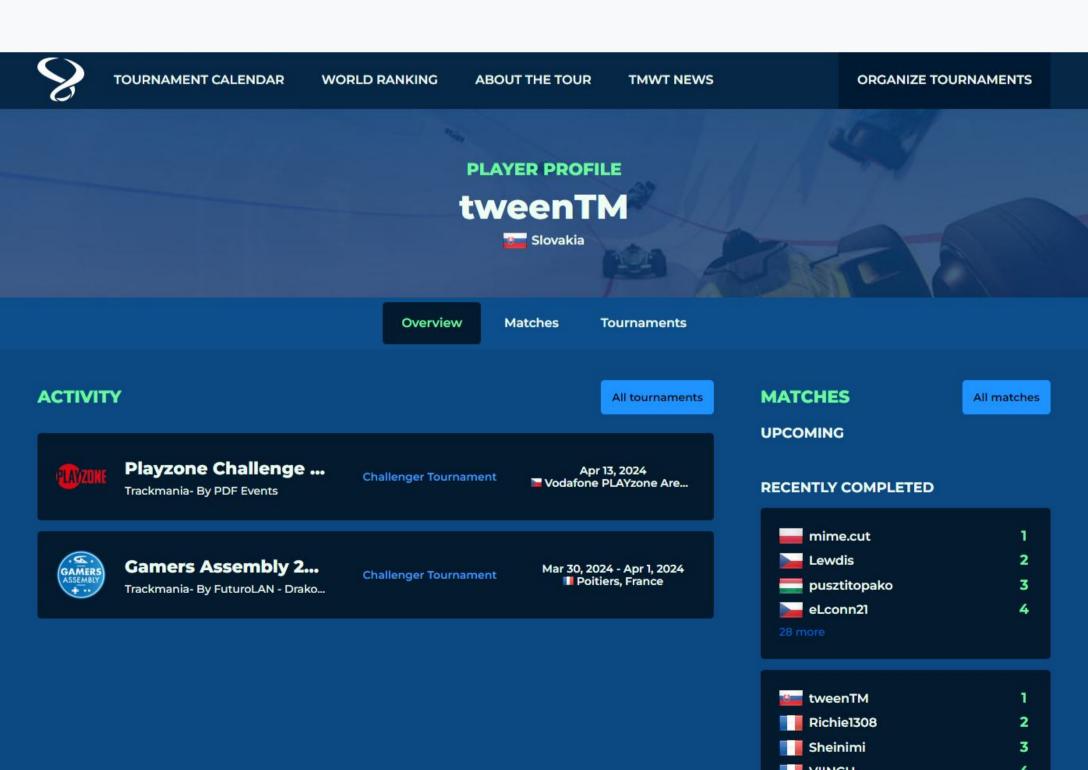
With such a strong history and identity, the creation of a dedicated Trackmania platform requires great care to adapt to the codes and colors of the game. Thanks to the Toornament website builder, the platform was completely mingled into the design of the Trackmania.com official website. From colors to menus, buttons and fonts, the entire tournament platform was able to adopt the graphic charter in order to create a seamless user experience.

This mimetization work was also carried out on the mobile version of the tournament platform. Finally, as the Trackmania World Tour is aimed at an international audience, the interface is available in several languages like its parent website. To perfect the symbiosis, the tournament platform is available on the custom domain name https://www.trackmania.com/esports.

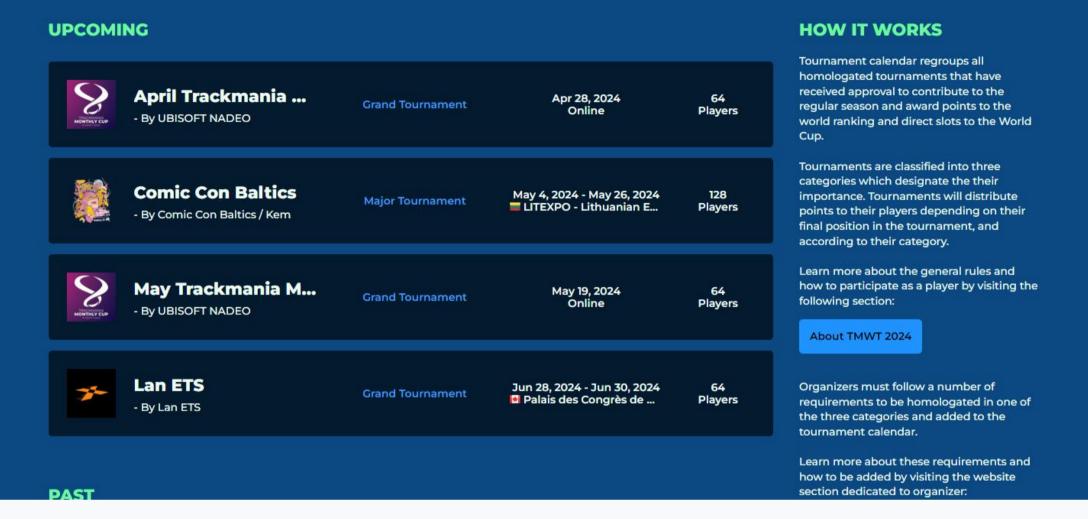
The player at the center of a successful integration

The adaptation of the tournament platform also focused on the player experience to make it as fluid and integrated as possible. Working hand in hand with the studio and the publisher made it possible to integrate the authentication of Trackmania players on the platform through their UBISOFT Connect account. Thus, no need to create a new account, the players can identify themselves and generate their account on the platform without any effort.

By logging in through UBISOFT Connect, players have their own profile page listing their activity on the platform: complete list of matches and results, participation in tournaments, rankings, social information etc. The Trackmania World Tour 2024 platform becomes a real hub for the players and their competitive practice.



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Facilitate the competitive practice of the game

The collaboration between Ubisoft Nadeo and Toornament made it possible to integrate game options directly into the tournament management tool of the Trackmania platform.

The tournament organizer can generate and control online match servers by configuring a wide choice of game settings. The participants simply use the match link provided to join their server and compete. Finally, once the match is over, the results are updated in the tournament management tool and displayed automatically on the Trackmania platform.

Thanks to this integration, organizers and players alike can organize and participate in Trackmania World Tour 2024 tournaments with ease.

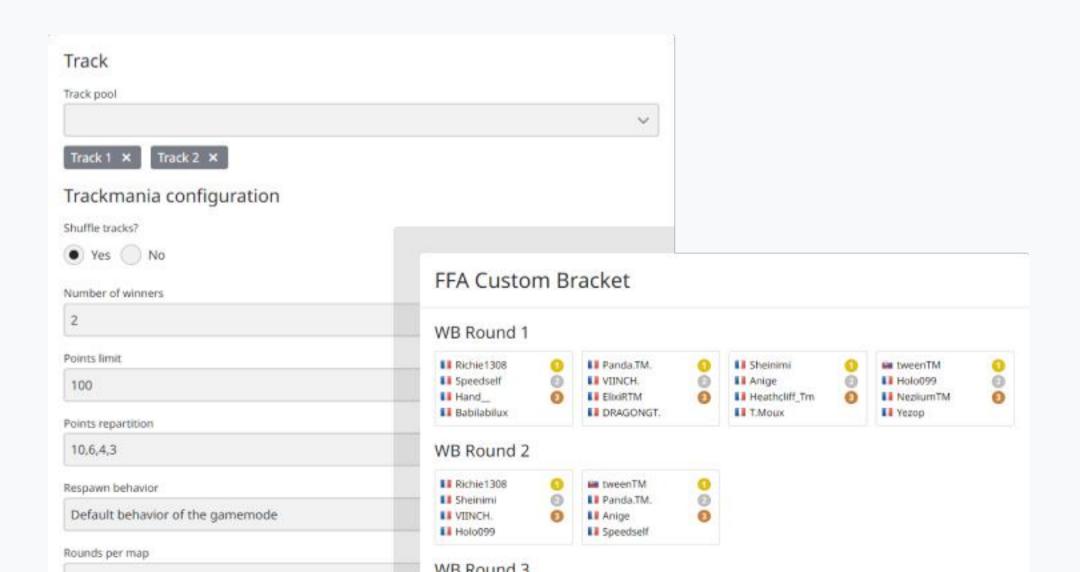
A turnkey tool for specific organizer needs

With the platform, organizers can manage the entire process of organizing their tournament: information, registration, placement, match management, etc.

But, the Trackmania World Tour 2024 brought its own challenge as it requires very specific match formats and tournaments, far from the standards of other esports games. The official competition format requires organizers to manage matches with 4 players and qualification stages with dozen of simultaneous players. Their scores need to be calculated with either points or duration. Furthermore, the organization of Trackmania tournament involves several stages to seed and gradually eliminate players until the final ranking.

These very specific needs were met thanks to the extreme flexibility of Toornament's competition management tool. Indeed, Toornament allows organizers to manage both score metrics, free for all matches and multi-stage tournaments.

By bringing everything together on the same tool, the work of organizers is truly simplified and centralized.





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Register on the platform and play homologated tournaments to earn points in the World Ranking. At the end of the season, the best 32 ranked players will qualify for the Playoffs and World Cup stages of the Trackmania World Tour 2024.



A complete and inclusive competitive ecosystem

The Trackmania World Tour 2024 offers an inclusive competition circuit, open to players and allowing independent organizers to contribute.

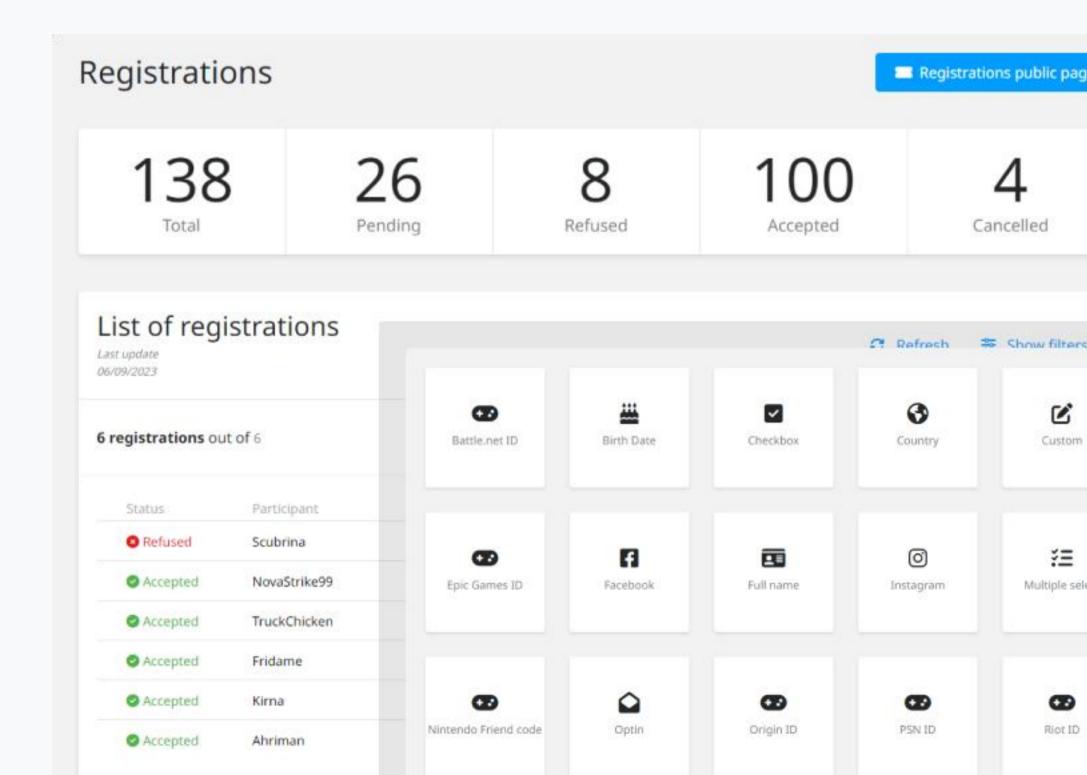
Organizers can request their tournament integration in the competition circuit which will then receive a category based on different competitive criteria. Then, depending on their results in these tournaments, players earn points in the world rankings of the competition circuit.

The Trackmania platform did not require any custom development work to classify the tournaments, give points to players and generate the world ranking. The Toornament management tool natively provides all the functionalities to manage competition circuits and ranking generation in a very flexible way.

Data ownership and management entrusted to the customer

The Trackmania World Tour platform is fully in line with Toornament's policy of creating a white label experience and total separation between its customers. Indeed, the platform has its own namespace, separating all user data from other existing Toornament platforms, including the public one at Play.toornament.com.

This strict separation is accompanied by **full ownership of the platform data given to Ubisoft Nadeo**. The platform dashboard allows them to monitor the data, manage, edit and export it for their own uses.





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