



European Senior Championships 2018

Novi Sad (Serbia)

16 to 21 June 2018

INFORMATION for DELEGATIONS

I – Officials and designated referees

POZDNYAKOV	Stanislav	RUS	EFC President
SLUPSKI	Jacek	POL	General Secretary, protocol
KRALIK	Julius	SVK	EFC Sport Director DT, member ex officio
MATEEV	Nikolay	ISL	President of Directoire technique
LAMMER	Dieter	GER	Member of Directoire technique
RACKOVIC	Nikola	SRB	Member of Directoire technique
FERJANI	Salah	TUN	Referee's Comm. Delegate FIE
SHAMIS	Vladislav	RUS	Referee's Comm. Delegate EFC
PAGLIACCIA	Alessandro	ITA	Medical Commission delegate
WAUTERS	Piet	BEL	SEMI Commission delegate

EFC Referees:

MADOYAN Artash	ARM	GROSS Gregory	ISR
BRIGOLA Peter	AUT	ARMATA Gaspare	ITA
VALIYEV Fikrat	AZE	PALCINSKAS Mindaugas	LTU
DELATTRE Jeffrey	BEL	BORSODI Andras	NOR
WANG Xiangqi	CHN	KIELPIKOWSKI Piotr	POL
OSTROVSKI Denis	EST	HEJRSKOV Mads - Vetli	DEN
GROENHOLM Peter	FIN	FLOREA Marius	ROU
LIMBARDET Christophe	FRA	NAGIMOV Rail	RUS
SPEAKMAN Adrian	GBR	CIVIERO Ambre	SUI
MCHEDLIDZE Zaza	GEO	CELLER Pavol	SVK
LANGE Robert	GER	GUCLUER Ilgin	TUR
KOSA Miklos	HUN	BAKUM Andrii	UKR

FIE referees:

IVANKOVIC Michael	CAN	KOVRIJNYKH Andrei	RSA
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Referees provided by organising federation:

GUBANOV Andrei	BLR	DOUVIS Andreas	GRE
BOROSAK Mirna	CRO	ILIC Danjela	SRB
ALY Sherif	EGY	KOVACEVIC Miljan	SRB
VALEJO Guillermo	ESP	KOVRILIJA Ana	SRB

II – Programme of the events (details can be modified)

15 June	08h00	Start of initial weapon control –Delivery of accreditation cards and athletes presence confirmation		
	10h00	<i>EFC Ordinary Congress</i>		
	15h00	DT Meeting		
	18h00	Posting of pools		
	19h00	Meeting of Referees		
16 June	09h00	Foil Men	Individual	Opening Ceremony 16h30 Finals 17h00
	13h00	Sabre Women	Individual	
17 June	09h00	Epee Men	Individual	Finals 17h00
	11h00	Foil Women	Individual	
18 June	09h00	Epee Women	Individual	Finals 17h00
	12h00	Sabre Men	Individual	
19 June	09h00	Foil Men	Teams	Finals 17h00
		Sabre Women	Teams	
20 June	09h00	Epee Men	Teams	Finals 17h00
		Foil Women	Teams	
21 June	09h00	Epee Women	Teams	Finals 17h00 Closing Ceremony
		Sabre Men	Teams	

NB: detailed schedule will be published every day for following day by 16h00. Transport: from official hotels will be provided by OC with information available in hotels.

III – General rules of the Tournament

The competitions are organised in principle according to **FIE Rules in force**. However, it should be stressed the following:

- 1) Name and nationality on the back of fencers are obligatory
- 2) National colours – obligatory
- 3) Video refereeing – will be available
- 4) Wireless system – will not be used
- 5) In a respect of current FIE decision mask with new security measures is optional
- 6) Breast protection in foil with new technical characteristics is mandatory (see FIE letter, 8 May 2018).
- 7) New kind of glove– obligatory
- 8) General information in details about venue and hotels are available on web site of Championships: <http://www.eurofencingns2018.com>

IV – Confirmation of presence

1) Final confirmation of participation at individual and team competitions must be done within delivery of accreditation cards (further only AC); this proceeding replaces any kind of confirmation of presence at the DT.

2) The AC will be distributed only to head of delegations or mandated by him, following possible payment of entry fees. The entry fees were defined by the organisers as follows:

Individual fee 60 €
Referees fee 70 €
Team fee 300 €

3) The accreditation of fencers must be done not later than the day before concerned competition by 12h00.

FIE defined principles are adopted also for EFC Championships, where accreditation cards (AC) are issued for delegations under conditions as follows:

- a) Any AC for athlete is personal with photo of the person
- b) ACs are issued for officials of delegations with concerned NOC indication (National Olympic Code) photo and name. The number of cards is proportional by 75% to the number of participants in individual competitions.

Besides quota for officials, President and General Secretary of concerned delegation present at Championships are entitled to obtain their personal AC. /Ref. EFC Handbook of regulations updated May 2014/. **In case, their names and photos should be sent to the OC.**

V - Competitions

Entries in competitions must be done **at FIE web site by 08 June 2017.**

Will be posted:

- 1) **at 12h00** the day before the event
 - a) List of participants by country
 - b) List of participants by initial seeding
- 2) **15h00** is deadline for possible complaints or giving up from competition to be submitted to the DT. No changes will be carried out after deadline.
- 3) **at 16h00** will be posted (except first day)
 - a) Final version of pools
 - b) Detailed schedule of competitions, pistes and time assignment for the next day
 - c) Formula of the competition
 - on screens and on the wall
 - upon demand to interested delegations
 - in official hotels (little bit later)
- 4) **Criteria for initial ranking of fencers**
 1. FIE senior ranking
 2. The places of non ranked fencers will be randomly drawn

VI – Team competitions

- 1) Initial ranking of teams will be established upon current FIE teams ranking (Art. o.47.1).
- 2) Any modification concerning team's composition must be presented to the DT by 13h00 the day before the competition.

VII - Venue

Only concerned fencers, referees and piste personnel are entitled to enter inside of barriers. Chairs for fencers in the pools and direct elimination phase will be installed as it is for team events, where possible, from the beginning of Championships.

Fencers have to keep their bags closed during their fights of matches. Fencers and referees are entitled to enter inside of barriers to indicated pistes 15 minutes before the start of fights.

VIII – Information points

The information and results will be available on the venue on the wall and on screens of TV installed in the hall. The same refers to official hotels.

IX – Results confirmation

- 1) Responsibility lies with the fencers at verifying results of pools and bout sheets of direct elimination in order to control correct registration of results. Several screens and posted documents will allow prompt control of results.
- 2) In order to avoid some mistakes DT will publish results of pools and list of qualified and eliminated fencers after pools. Any complaint should be brought to DT within a deadline of **5 minutes after published results**.
- 3) **In general no calls by microphone will be used.**

X –Organisation of direct elimination table

- 1) **The fencers should be present in call room 15 minutes before indicated time schedule.**
- 2) **The fencers qualified for T 16 should join the call room on time in order to deliver their equipment for the control preceding their next bouts.**
- 3) **Special places for coaches at direct elimination will be prepared, which will be used from the beginning of competitions and thus will be used also at pools and team events by the fencers.**

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