



LEIPZIG 2017

SENIOR WORLD FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

16 July	09:00	Training session in "Grube halle Leipzig"	
17 July	09:00	Start of accreditation and weapon control in "Arena Leipzig"	
18 July	09:30	Referees meeting at Hotel " Hotel Marriott Leipzig"	
	10:30	Directoire Technique meeting at Competition Venue, Main hall in "Arena Leipzig"	
	12:00	<p>The following information is published at the Competition Venue and on the website:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - list of participants by countries men's epee, men's sabre, women's foil - list of participants by the initial ranking in men's epee, men's sabre, women's foil (information for each weapon will be published at 12:00 on the day preceding the event) 	
	15:00	Deadline for the delegations for making remarks on the published information (same deadline applies for each weapon on the day preceding the event)	
	16:00	The composition of the pools is published at the Competition Venue, at the official hotels and on the website (the same applies for each weapon on the day preceding the event)	
19 July	08:30	Men's epee individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T 64
	12:30	Men's sabre individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T 64
	15:30	Women's foil individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T 64

20 July	08:30	Women's epee individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T 64
	12:30	Women's sabre individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T 64
	15:30	Men's foil individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T6 4
21 July	08:30	Men's sabre individual	DE of T 64 - final
	09:40	Women's foil individual	DE of T 64 - final
Opening ceremony			
22 July	09:00	Women's sabre individual	DE of T 64 - final
	10:10	Men's epee individual	DE of T 64 - final
23 July	08:30	Women's epee individual	DE of T 64 - final
	09:40	Men's foil individual	DE of T 64 - final
24 July	08:30	Women's foil team	DE T 32 , Semi-finals, bronze medal match, final
	10:00	Men's sabre team	DE T 32, Semi-finals, bronze medal match, final
25 July	08:30	Men's epee team	DE T 32, Semi-finals, bronze medal match, final
	09:15	Women's sabre team	DE T 32, Semi-finals, bronze medal match, final
Closing ceremony			
26 July	08:30	Men's foil team	DE T 32, Semi-finals, bronze medal match ,final
	10:00	Woman's epee team	DE T 32, Semi-finals, bronze medal match, final



CONFIRMATION AND ACCREDITATION

1 The accreditation office will be opened till the end of the World Championships in "Arena Leipzig"

2 Neither the fencers nor the coaches will have an access to the competition area without their valid accreditations

3 The presence of a fencer is confirmed once he/she is registered at the FIE website.

4 The participation of athletes in individual and team events is validated when collecting their accreditations, no later than 14h00 the day before athletes have their first competition. Fencers do not need to present themselves at the Directoire Technique.

5 Federations who have not yet made their payments are asked to settle their accounts with FIE Secretary Treasurer Mm. Salhi or FIE by 12:00 on 18 July, 2017

INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION

At 12h00 on the day preceding the event the Directoire Technique will publish at the Competition Venue in "Arena Leipzig" and on the internet:

- the List of participants by country.
- the List of participants by initial ranking.

15h00 is the deadline for all remarks, objections or withdrawals presented to Directoire Technique.

- No changes will be accepted after this deadline.
- At 16h00 - on the information boards at the Competition Venue in "Arena Leipzig".
- At 17h00 - in the official hotels and in the pigeon boxes the Directoire Technique will publish the following information:
 - Final composition of the pools.
 - Time and piste allocation.
 - Competition format.
 - List of the 16 exempted fencers.
 - The final Direct Elimination table of 64 will be displayed every evening of the respective qualifications days at the Competition Venue information points, on the website, at the official hotels and in the pigeon holes.

TEAM COMPETITION

The Directoire Technique must be notified of any changes related to the teams by 10h00 the day prior to the event.

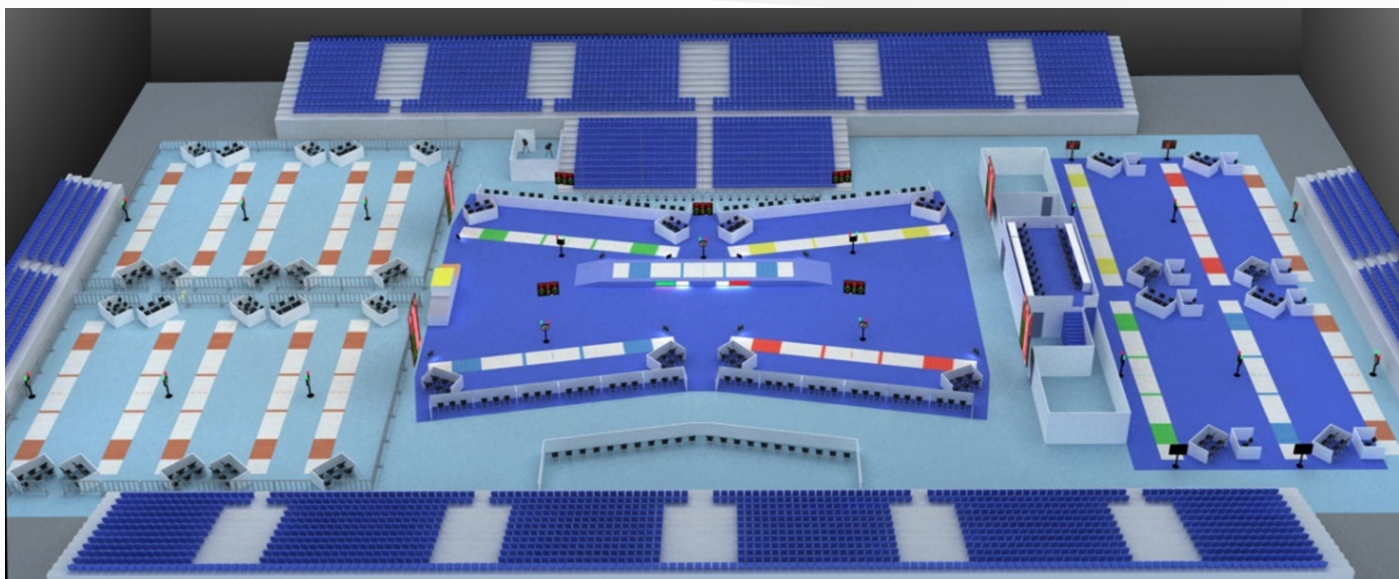
Direct Elimination tables of 64 (32) will be posted at the Competition Venue on the day preceding the team event at 16h00.

Team events T 64-1 place, 3 place will be held during one day.

- Preliminary tables will be fenced at the Preliminary Hall , color pistes and pistes N 5-8.
- Qualifying matches T 9-16 will be held at preliminary competitions hall.
- Qualifying matches T 5-8 will be held on the color pistes N 5-8

COMPETITION VENUE

(SEE ATTACHED 3D PLAN)

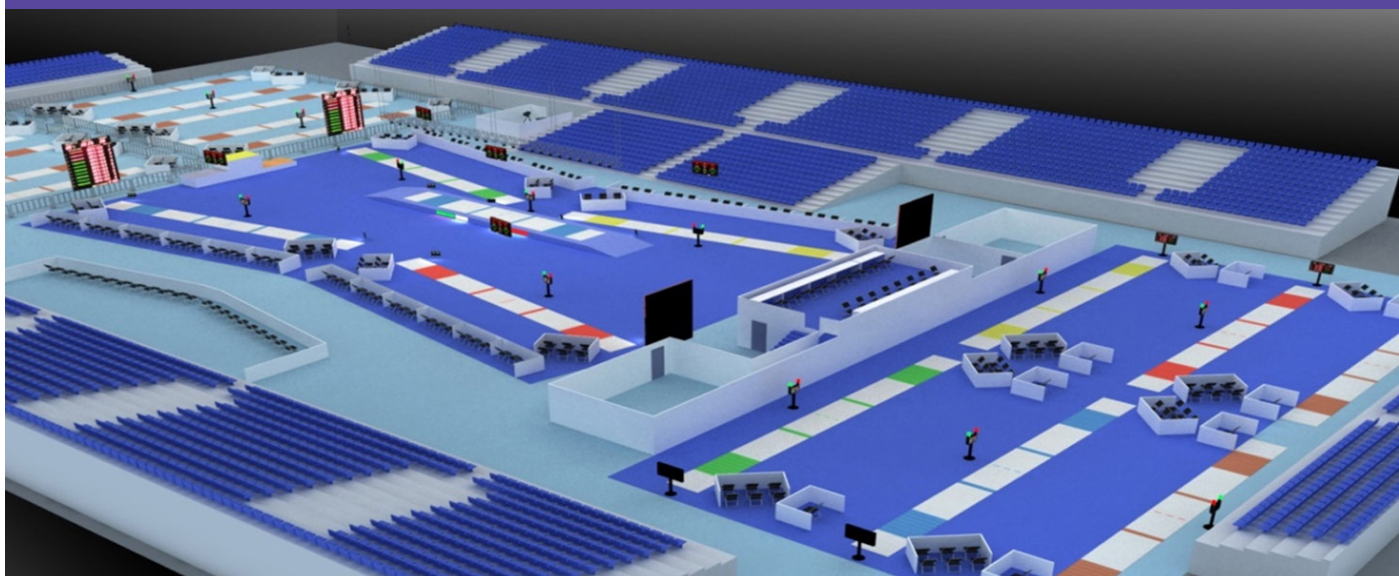


The Competition Venue

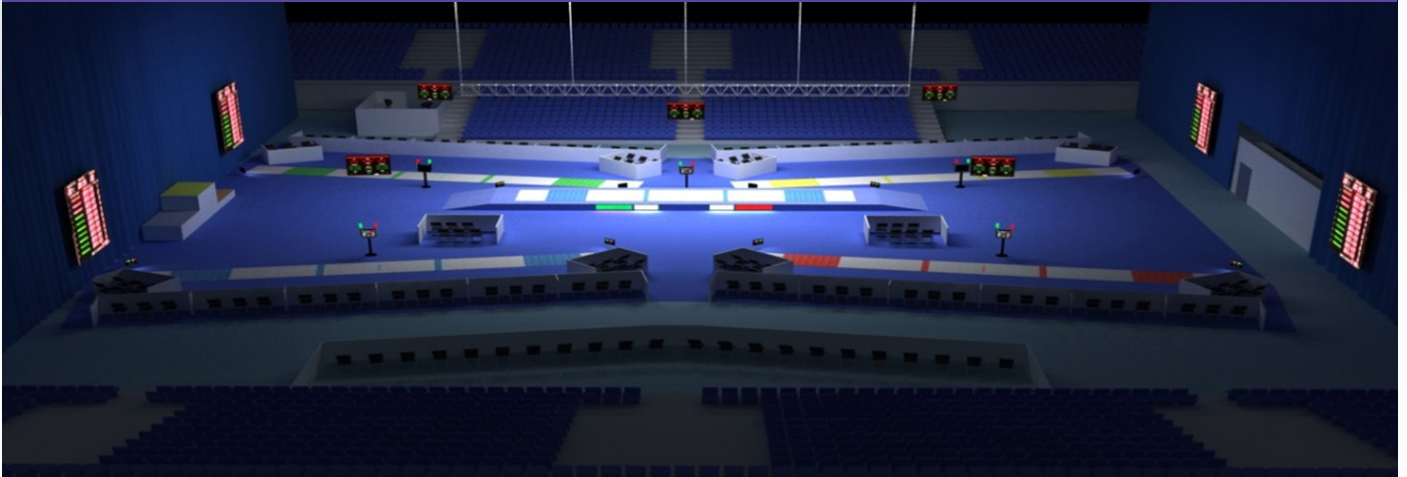
("Arena Leipzig") is subdivided as follows:

Ground floor: Warming up area – 10 pistes

First floor: Main Hall 4 color pistes and color pistes N 5-8



Final podium, Call Room, Referees' Room, DT, Mixed Zone



Preliminary Hall N 2 (pistes, N 21-28)



Preliminary Hall N 9-18



OFFICES AND ROOMS

FIE President's office	Competition Venue / Southern input
FIE Administration and Treasury (Bureau FIE)	Competition Venue / Southern input
Directoire Technique, Commission Referee's Delegates	Competition Venue / main hall
Medical Delegates	Competition Venue / main hall
Accreditation and Information	Competition Venue / 1 floor
Equipment Control	Competition Venue / 1 floor main hall
Communication, information and results for the delegations	Competition Venue / main hall
Press Room and press gallery	Competition Venue / 1 floor
Doping Control	Competition Venue / 1 floor
Accreditation and Information	Competition Venue / 1 floor

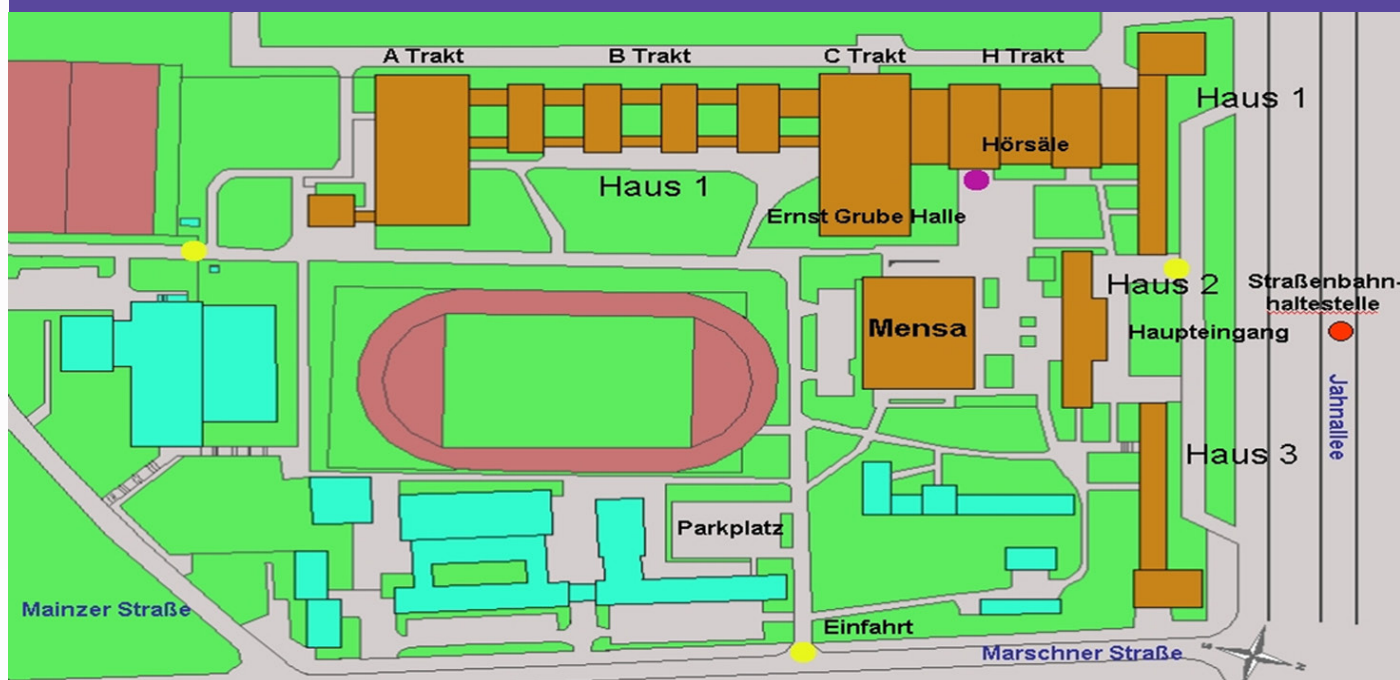
Total number of pistes available for the competition is 29

Preliminary Hall: equipped with 24 pistes.

Official warm-up zone throughout the whole period of competitions: pistes N 9-24

Training Venue:

The official training venue (Ernst-Grube-Hall – Jahnalle 59 - Leipzig) has 20 pistes available for training purposes.



The training hall is open: 09:00-19:30 every day from July, 16th

EQUIPMENT AND WEAPON CONTROL

On July 17th and 18th all equipment will be accepted for control according to the following:

- All the fencers must present weapons and equipment of the whole team at the same time (after accreditation) to the weapon control room the day before individual events.
- All the equipment must be in good condition and conform to the FIE rules.
- In the table N 1 you will find the list and number of equipment to be controlled.

1	Weapon	3	4	3	4	3	4
2	Body wire	2	4	3	4	3	4
3	Mask wire	2	4			2	4
4	Electric Jacket	1	2			1	2
5	Mask (no visor)	1	2	1	2	1	2
6	Under-plastron	1	2	1	2	1	2
7	Jacket	1	2	1	2	1	2
8	Breeches	1	2	1	2	1	2
9	Sabre glove					1	2
10	Glove	1	2	1	2		
11	Conductive T-Shirt	1	2			1	2
		FOIL		EPEE		SABRE	
		MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX	MIN	MAX

- All the equipment must be put in the fencing bags and the electric equipment must be placed separately (points 2-5, 9, 11 Table N 1). The weapons (point 1) must be placed in a separate bag.
- Control of the non-electric equipment (points 6-8,10 table N 1) and masks will be held at the weapon control room in athlete's presence
- The country logos must be printed on the both sides of the fencing breeches.

- The name of the athlete and the name of the country must be printed in a blue color at the back; the size of the letters should be between 8 and 10 cm high. All the prints must be readable.
- At the weapon control room weight of the point will not be checked. During the preliminary competitions, before the direct elimination round, a referee checks the weapon at the fencing piste before each bout.
- The athlete must present no less than 3 weapons and no less than 3 electric wires.
- After collecting the weapons and equipment, it is necessary to check the presence of marking.

Weapon control will be held every day starting from 17 of July

09:00 – 14:00 – equipment reception

14:00 – 18:00 – equipment collection

17 of July all kinds of weapon will be accepted for control.

From 18 of July - only those weapon which will be used next day.

- In the Call Room the minimum number of weapon requested from the fencers is 3, the minimum number of body wires is 2.
- For the weapon and equipment control process an automated electronic control system will be used. If the quantity of equipment does not correspond to the abovementioned table per teams, the terminal will not give the requested coupon for the weapon control.
- Each fencer must appear on the piste in clothing conforming to the rules as follows: wearing of national strips (logos) is compulsory on both legs, and all the logos worn by the fencers of the same team must be identical.
- **During the World championships there will be the possibility to print a name and a nationality of fencers on the back of a jacket!**

This service will be represented by suppliers of fencing equipment (a trade zone)

MEDICAL STATIONS

Medical stations will be at the following places

1. Main Hall

2. Preliminary Hall

3. Warm-up Area

ACCESS TO THE FENCING AREA

Only the designated fencers, referees and piste staff are granted access to the pistes. No access will be granted to the colored pistes, podium fencing area without sports shoes and long pants.

Athletes in the fencing area must keep their belongings in closed fencing bags at the end of the piste.

Individual competitions:

- One coach per athlete and per piste is allowed to stay in team box.
- Athletes should be present in Call Room 30 minutes prior to the beginning of DE T 32 (the first check of company StM).
- Coaches cannot be present in call room.
- The coach representing the athlete must wear sports suit (long pants are obligatory)

Team competitions:

- the team captain and one more person is allowed to stay in the box reserved for teams (Only 6 persons).
- The coaches representing the athlete must wear sports suit (long pants are obligatory).

All fencers and referees must appear at:

- The piste 15 minutes before the beginning of the pools.
- The piste 10 minutes before the beginning of the match Pre DE (T 128, T 64).
- **Athletes should be present in The Call Room 30 minutes before the beginning of the DE T 32 (the first check of company StM)**
- **Athletes should be present in The Call Room 20 minutes before the beginning of the DE T 16, T 8**

INFORMATION POINTS

Two fixed information points are at the Competition Venue:

- The information board will be on the corridor wall at the main entrance for athletes.
- Information screens and display monitors in the Competition Venue will be placed in:
 - Accreditation room
 - Call Room and Referees 'Room
 - Press Room
 - VIP and Presidents' Room
 - FIE office
 - DT

Two fixed information points are at the Competition Venue (continue):

- The catering restaurant-the qualification hall- the rest zone/VIP restaurant- the entrance of the athletes' complex - near the VIP stands- the entrance of the Competition Venue- the vendors' room all public and athlete meeting places.
- There will be many posts related to the pistes and services on color cardboard signs and totems.

CONFIRMATION OF RESULTS

- The fencers are responsible for checking if the results in their pool and the DE sheets are recorded correctly. The screens placed in different locations will allow a quick verification of the updated results of the round of pools and DE matches.
- To avoid any kind of error the DT will publish the results of the pools and the list of qualified and eliminated fencers as soon as the round of pools is over. Delegations must submit any protest to the DT within 10 minutes. After this deadline, the ranking will not be modified.
- The DE tables, together with the schedule and pistes, will be posted after this 10-minutes period and after each round of DE.
- Only documents presented at the information stand are official (result of preliminary competitions of groups, an individual ranking)
- No calls will be made via microphone.

ORGANISATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL

Direct elimination table.

- For T 64 all fencers must be present in the official warm-up area (pistes 9-24) 40 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their matches.
- Fencers of T 64 must report to the Call Room (for weapon control) 20 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their matches to be led to the color pistes and pistes N 5-8 at the scheduled time. Coaches are not allowed to be in the Call Room.
- The winners of the T 64 matches will be led back to the Call Room for carrying out of procedure of equipment by StM (wireless) immediately.
- Wireless system is to be used from the T 32 at all three weapons. Wireless system will be controlled in the Call Room. Foil and sabre fencers must provide their own conductive t-shirts.
- **Attention! Athletes should have T-shirts for wireless fencing with control mark ! Sabre and foil conductive T-shirts are different.**
- The athletes' conductive T-shirts (foil and sabre) are to be checked and approved (sealed) by the weapons control officials under the supervision of a member of the FIE's SEMI Commission in the Call Room. The control mark (stamp) will be verified by the referee once the fencers appear on piste.
- The SEMI delegates will remit the weapons in closed fencing bags, which will be carried by volunteers who will escort the athletes to the color pistes.
- The bag is to remain closed for the entirety and put in the team box under the supervision of the volunteer. During the one minute break, or when it is needed, the volunteer will bring to the athlete a chair, a towel, some water and the spare weapon.
- Athletes are to leave the Call Room ready to fence, mask in hand and weapon already plugged into their body wires.
- **Attention! In case the fencer does not appear at the Call Room at the appointed time (according to time specified in the schedule) the sanctions according to the rules (art t.120) will be applied.**

ORGANISATION OF THE TEAM DIRECT

Elimination table.

- For the T 64, T 32 and T 16 teams must appear on the piste 10 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their bouts.
- After the termination of the preliminary competitions, all teams taking part in a final stage of tournament (T 8) should hand over masks to representatives of company StM for installation procedure of wireless equipment.
- Teams taking part in competitions T 8 should arrive in Call Room 30 minutes prior to the beginning of competitions (check of StM)
- The winners of the T 8 matches will be lead back to the Call Room immediately.
- Equipment Control in the Call Room will be from T 8 (in earlier stages equipment control will be made on the piste). Equipment will be controlled in the team boxes during the matches.
- Wireless system will be used from the T 8 at all three weapons. Wireless system will be controlled in the Call Room. Foil and sabre fencers must provide their own conductive t-shirts.
- **Attention! Sabre and foil conductive t-shirts are different.**
- The athletes' conductive T-shirts (foil and sabre) are to be checked and approved (sealed) by the weapons control officials under the supervision of a member of the FIE's SEMI Commission in the Call Room. The control mark (stamp) will be verified by the referee once the fencers appear on piste.
- The teams will have designated areas, sectioned off by barriers, near the color pistes and pistes 1-4. Team members must remain within these areas during the team matches.
- From T 8, weapons are to be remitted to volunteers by the SEMI delegates in closed fencing bags. The volunteers will escort teams to the color pistes. The bags are to remain closed for the entirety of the team matches.
- **Attention! In case the team does not appear the Call Room at the appointed time (according to time specified in the schedule) the sanctions according to the rules (art t.120) will be applied time specified in the schedule) the sanctions according to the rules (art t.120) will be applied.**

VIDEO-REFEREEING AND DESIGNATION OF REFEREES AND VIDEO-CONSULTANTS

Video-refereeing.

- Video-refereeing is used in all three weapons from the T 64 at the individual events and starting from the T 16 (sabre and foil) and T 8 (epee) at the team competitions.

Designation of referees and video-consultants.

- The designation of referees and video-consultants is done according to art. t.37 and t.38 of the Technical Rules.