



2018 世界击剑锦标赛
WORLD FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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MEDIA GUIDE



1. GENERAL INFORMATION ON HOST COUNTRY AND HOST CITY

The 2018 World Fencing Championships will be held from July 19th to 27th, 2018 at the Wuxi Sports Center Gym, China. Wuxi is an excellent tourist destination in China. There are many scenic spots in Wuxi, such as Yuantouzhu (Turtle-Head Peninsula), Grand Buddha at Ling Shan, CCTV Wuxi Movie/TV Base (Town of Three Kingdoms, Town of Water Margin, Town of Tang Dynasty), Plum Garden, Li Garden, Huishan Ancient Town, Dangkou Ancient Town, Donglin Academy, Chongan Temple, Nanchang Temple, etc. Guo Moruo, a well-known poet, wrote a poem in praise: The superb view of the Taihu Lake, after all, lies in the Turtle-Head Peninsula.

THE ADDRESS OF THE VENUE IS:

Wuxi Sports Center Gym, No. 1500, West Taihu Lake Avenue, Binhu District, Wuxi.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Host city	Wuxi,China
Official language	Chinese
Currency	RMB
Time	Local time:UTC/GMT+08:00
Electricity	Electric current: 220 V (50Hz)
Country Code	Telephone Country Code: +86
Business Opening Hours	Shops: 9:30am-22:00pm
Weather	Average temperature in July: 34 °C
Vaccination	There is no need to be vaccinated in China

2. ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE

INTERNATIONAL FENCING FEDERATION

FIE President	Alisher Usmanov
FIE Secretary General	Emmanuel Katsiadakis

CHINESE FENCING FEDERATION

President	Haibin Wang
Secretary General	Aihua Xiao

3. VISA

3.1 VISA REQUIREMENTS

For details on visa application procedures and the Visa Application Form, please refer to the official Event website:
<http://www.wuxifencing2018.cn/html/mtzn.html>

Mailbox:	m18362366358@163.com
Contact:	Xiu Zheng
Telephone:	+86 18362366358

3.2 NOTES

If foreign media need to bring camera equipment to China, you need to go through special procedures when entering customs. Please pay attention.

4. ACCOMMODATION AND TRANSPORTATION

4.1 ACCOMMODATION

The official hotel: Wuxi SHUYI Hotel
<http://m.dianping.com/appshare/shop/96172848>
No.399 Jianzhu Road, Binhu District, Wuxi
Telephone: +86 0510-66829888

4.2 AIRPORT TRANSFER

Arrival time:

Date:

Flight details:

Number of persons:

Airport:

Departure time:

Date:

Flight details:

Number of persons:

Airport:

The hotel is 1.2 km away from the venue, within 10 minutes' walk.
All items (accommodation, transportation) are at your own expense.
See annex 1.

5. ACCREDITATION

5.1 GENERAL INFORMATION

Accreditation begins three months before the start of the event and ends on the 4th of July.

5.3 ACCREDITATION CENTER

Venue Accreditation Center.

5.2 ACCREDITATION FORM

Register online, please click on the following link:
<http://www.wuxifencing2018.cn/html/mtzn.html>

5.4 ONE-DAY PASS

Only professional media are allowed to use the press card/AIPS certificate to get one-day pass, a personal ID card is not enough. The accreditation card must be worn at all times and be clearly visible. Security personnel will control all areas. The accreditation card is non-transferable and cardholders are not allowed to take another person beyond the checkpoint.

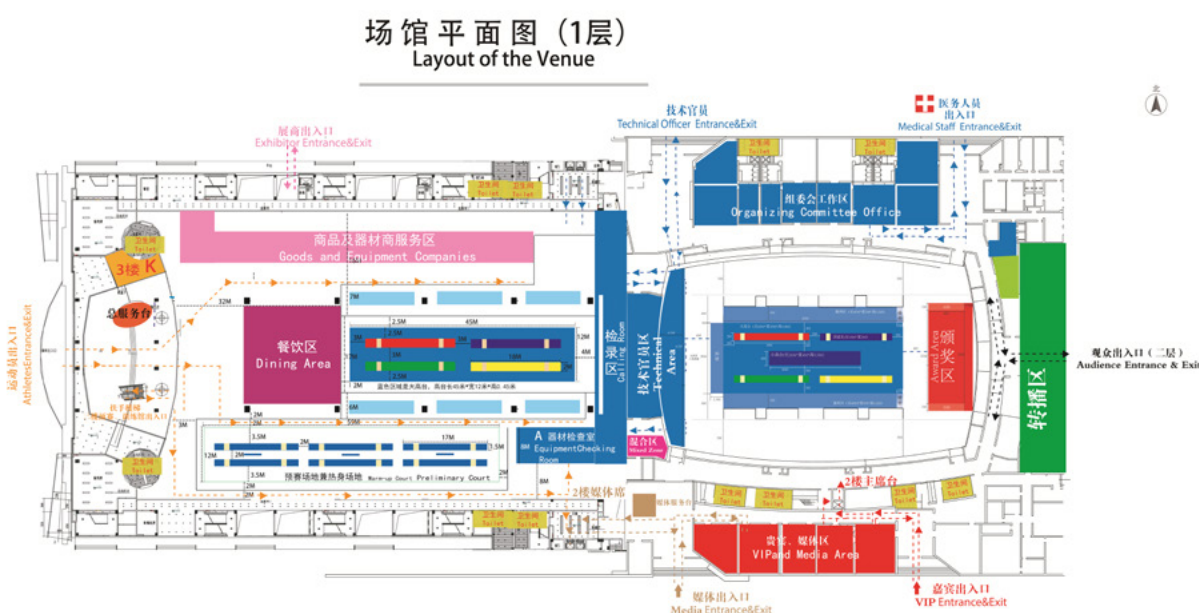
5.5 LOSS OF ACCREDITATION

Any lost or damaged cards should be reported to the certification center. Duplicate cards can be obtained only if proof of identity can be established.

Cost: 10 yuan RMB

The accreditation card can be confiscated in case of unauthorized use.

6. THE MEDIA SERVICE



6.1 MEDIA AREAS

All media facilities are in the venue.

Facilities available to the media at the Media Center and Media Tribune:

- free cable internet connection
- free Wi-Fi Internet access

6.1.1 PRESS CENTER

The press conference hall will be fully equipped with working tables, network connections, lockers and high-speed photocopying machine, etc.

The opening hours for the news center are planned as follows:

Date	Time
July 19	One hour before the start of the competition - three hours after the end of the competition

6.1.2 MIXED ZONE

A mixed zone will be located at the point of exit for the athletes upon completion of their event. Rights holders (TV and radio) will have the opportunity to be the first to speak to the athletes, followed by ENG Crews, Agency and Written Press and Non-Rights holders.

6.1.3 CATERING

Snacks and refreshments will be available in the media area.

6.2 PRESS CONFERENCE

The registered media will be notified of the date, place and time of the official opening press conference in due course.

6.3 MEDIA INFORMATION

After the arrival of the journalists the following information will be provided:

The latest results of the games.

Provisional competitors list.

The number of participating countries and athletes.

Press releases.

7. PHOTOGRAPHER

7.1 LOCKERS WILL BE SET UP IN THE MEDIA CENTER.

7.2 PHOTOGRAPHERS' BIBS

The Organizing Committee will distribute bibs to accredited photographers, and only photographers wearing bibs will be allowed to enter the photographers' positions and other photographers' work areas.

7.3 PHOTOGRAPHERS' BRIEFING SESSION

Held on July 18, mainly explains photographic locations, photographers' regulations, dress codes, flash usage, etc., and ensures that all regulations are clearly understood.

8. EVENT SCHEDULE

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Website: <http://www.wuxifencing2018.cn/html/jsrc.html>

Day 1 July 19

Women's Epee	Pools, Preliminary DE up to 64	individual
Men's Sabre	Pools, Preliminary DE up to 64	individual

Day 2 July 20

Women's Foil	Pools, Preliminary DE up to 64	individual
Men's Epee	Pools, Preliminary DE up to 64	individual

Day 3 July 21

Women's sabre	Pools, Preliminary DE up to 64,	individual
Men's Foil	Pools, Preliminary DE up to 64,	individual

Day 4 July 22

Women's Epee	DE of 64,	Individual final
Men's Sabre	DE of 64,	Individual final

Day 5 July 23

Women's Foil	DE of 64,	Individual final
Men's Epee	DE of 64,	Individual final

Day 6 July 24

Women's Sabre	DE of 64,	Individual final
Men's Foil	DE of 64,	Individual final
Women's Epee	DE up to 8	Preliminary team
Men's Sabre	DE up to 8	Preliminary team

Day 7 July 25

Women's Epee	DE of 8	Final team
Men's Sabre	DE of 8	Final team
Women's Foil	DE up to 8	Preliminary team
Men's Epee	DE up to 8	Preliminary team

Day 8 July 26

Women's Foil Team	DE of 8	Final team
Men's Epee Team	DE of 8	Final team
Women's Sabre Team	DE up to 8	Preliminary team
Men's Foil Team	DE up to 8	Preliminary team

Day 9 July 27

Women's Sabre Team	DE of 8	Final team
Men's Foil Team	DE of 8	Final team

9. CEREMONIES

9.1 OPENING CEREMONY

The opening ceremony will be held on July 22.

9.2 AWARD CEREMONIES

Ceremonies will take place at the venue after the finals.

9.3 CLOSING CEREMONY

There will be a short closing between the two gold medal matches of the last day of the event.

10. CONTACTS

For further details about the 2018 World Championships, Wuxi, China, please contact:

Tournament official website:	www.wuxifencing2018.cn
FIE Official Website (FIE):	www.fie.org
Chinese Fencing Association website:	http://fencing.sport.org.cn/

11. OTHERS

11.1 THE CONCEPT OF THE LOGO DESIGN

Name: Fast as flash

Description:

1. The logo is composed in the shape of the letters “WX”, representing Wuxi, the host city of 2018 World Championships, highlighting the local identity of the logo.
2. At the same time, the figure is integrated into the shape of a fencer, further strengthening the theme of the fencing event.
3. Subtly integrated into a Wuxi Nianhua bay ancient building model to enhance the recognition.
4. The LOGO is modern, meaningful, easy to understand, and unforgettable, and it will leave a great first impression. It is suitable for printing and application in various media, which facilitates the extension of the later visual identification system (VI), and is suitable for various forms and occasions and is also able to meet the needs of different materials.



11.2 MASCOT



Annex 1.

Start	Distance (New Sports Center)	Transportation
Wuxi East Railway Station	25 kilometers	Take subway Line 2 to Wu'ai Plaza station, then take bus no.82 to the East Gate of Sports Center
Wuxi Railway Station	8 kilometers	Take bus no. 211 to the East Gate of Sports Center.
Su'nan Shuofang International Airport	23 kilometers	Take the airport line to EastWang Zhuang Road bus station, transfer bus no.766 to the South Gate of Sports Center.

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