

Media Guide
The Epee Grand Prix and World Team Championships
Women's Foil and Men's Sabre
Rio de Janeiro 2016
22-27 April

General information about the host city and country

The Epee Grand Prix and World Team Championships in Women's Foil and Men's Sabre 2016 will be held in Rio de Janeiro (Brazil) from 22nd to 27th April 2016. The competition will take place at two sites: EsEFEx – Urca and Carioca Arena 3 – Olympic Park

The addresses are as follows:

Preliminares / Preliminaries

Escola de Educação Física do Exército – EsEFEx Arena. Avenida João Luiz Alves, Urca, Rio de Janeiro, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Finais / Finals

Carioca Arena 3. Avenida Embaixador Abelardo Bueno, 3401, Barra da Tijuca, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Host city: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Official language: Portuguese

Currency: Real

On 10 February 2016, 1U\$ = R\$ 3,98. The exchange rate is set by the Banco do Brasil It may be subject to slight fluctuations every day. Currencies can be exchanged at banks and most hotels (according to the legal limit, please enquire beforehand)

Here is a list of coins and notes currently in use in Brazil:

5, 10, 20, 50, 100, Reais notes

1 Real coins

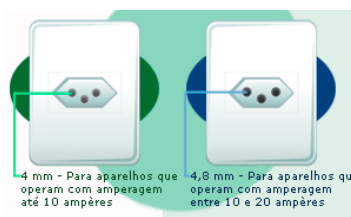
0.01– 0.5 – 0.10 – 0.25 – 0.50 Real cent coins.

Time: Central European Time (UTC / GMT -4)

Electricity Voltage: 110 V | Frequency: 50Hz

Type electrical plug

Country telephone code:+55



Wireless telephone networks: There are 3 main operators in Brazil: Vivo, TIM, Claro, Oi. The network is shared and offers nationwide 4G coverage.

International calls: Dial the country calling code. Check that your telephone contract covers international calls.

Opening hours:

Shops: 10:00 am – 10:00 pm (Monday to Saturday)

Banks: 10:00 am – 16:00 pm (Monday to Saturday)

Pharmacies: 9:00 am – 7:00 pm

Weather in April: Minimum temperature: 22° / Maximum temperature: 27°.

2- Organisation structure

2.1. FIE Executive Committee

President Alisher Usmanov (RUS)

Secretary General Frederic Pietruszka (FRA)

Secretary Treasurer Jacek Bierkowski (POL)

Vice-Presidents Ana Pascu (ROU), Giorgio Scarso (ITA), Wei Wang (CHN)

2.2. FIE Head Quarter offices

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3- Visa applications

Kindly check the visa requirements to the country of destination before making your ticket reservations. Those who need visa assistance and/or visa support, please contact brasilesgrima@brasilesgrima.com.br no later than March 10th . Information for visa applications must be returned to us as soon as possible.

4- Programme

Friday – April 22, 2016 EsEFEx Arena
Preliminary table of the Men's Epee
Preliminary table of the Women's Epee

Saturday – April 23, 2016 Carioca Arena 3
Table of 64 of Women's Epee
Final of Women's Epee

Sunday – April 24, 2016 Carioca Arena 3
Table of 64 of Men's Epee
Final of Men's Epee

Monday – April 25, 2016 EsEFEx Arena
Table of 32 of Team Men's Sabre
Table of 32 of Team Women's Foil

Tuesday – April 26, 2016 Carioca Arena 3
Quarter Finals of Team Women's Foil
Table of 5-8 of Team Women's Foil
Semi Finals of Team Women's Foil
Match for the seventy place of Team Women's Foil
Match for the fifth place of Team Women's Foil
Third place of Team Women's Foil
Final of Team Women's Foil

Wednesday – April 27, 2016 Carioca Arena 3
Quarter Finals of Team Men's Sabre
Table of 5-8 of Team Men's Sabre
Semi Finals of Team Men's Sabre
Match for the seventy place of Team Men's Sabre
Match for the fifth place of Team Men's Sabre
Third place of Team Men's Sabre
Final of Team Men's Sabre

5 - Accommodation and transport

Hotel bookings and cancellations are the responsibility of participants.

D.A.Multicom provides the unique booking desk for the event's official accommodation. Services include transport from the airport to the hotel, concierge service, shuttles to the competition and transport from hotel to the airport.

To book, please contact **D.A.Multicom** as soon as possible
Monday to Friday from 09.00 am to 12.30 pm and 13.30 pm to 18.00 pm GMT

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Please specify your dates of arrival and departure and the airport or railway station via which you are travelling.

Please note that you should book as early as possible to ensure that your requirements are met. Bookings will only be confirmed when **D.A.Multicom** receives full payment. Penalties will be incurred for any changes or cancellations.

Please fill out the following form and send it to the following address: daniel@damulticom.com.br

Accommodation and transport - form

Information about your company or media to be completed

Company/Media
Name
Address
Mobile phone
Email

Information about your stay:

Arrival time
Date:
Flight information
Number of people:
Airport:

Departure time:
Date:
Flight information
Number of people:
Airport:

5 – Accreditation

5.1 - General information:

Each journalist or person working for the press will receive a personalised accreditation badge that they will have to wear in a visible manner throughout the competition.

Access to the competition sites is secured and checked by security guards. The badge will give you access to the competition and press areas. Badges may not be lent to any third party or used to allow the access of any non-accredited third party to the competition sites.

Badges will have the holder's photograph. You must therefore send an identification photograph (passport format) as soon as possible, and by 25 March 2016, when you apply for accreditation with the FIE.

5.2 - Press accreditation form

Please go to <http://fie.org/media/press/9> to register online.

5.3 – Accreditation centre

Upon arrival, media and press professionals are requested to go to the accreditation centre.

The accreditation centre is at the Carioca Arena 3. Avenida Embaixador Abelardo Bueno, 3401, Barra da Tijuca, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

The "Press" accreditation bank will be indicated on site by staff and signage.

Information will be posted on the competition's official website www.brasilesgrima.com.br.

Below are the opening hours of the accreditation banks:

Date Time

22 April 2016 8 am – 4 pm

23 April 2016 8 am – 4 pm

24 April 2016 8 am – 4 pm

25 April 2016 8 am – 4 pm

26 April 2016 8 am – 4 pm

27 April 2016 8 am – 4 pm

5.4 - Loss of accreditation

If your accreditation badge is lost, stolen, damaged or other, please notify the accreditation centre as soon as possible. A copy can be provided subject to the presentation of a valid identification document that corresponds to the document initially declared to the accreditation centre.

The Organising Committee will confiscate badges in the event of unauthorised or excessive use.

6 - Media services

6.1 – Media areas

Upon arrival, media and press professionals must go to the accreditation centre at the Carioca Arena 3. Avenida Embaixador Abelardo Bueno, 3401, Barra da Tijuca, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

A free wired Internet connection will be available upon request. A press room in the gymnasium will be available for journalists, with tables, chairs, power supply and internet connection. A "Press" area will be marked out in the stands.

Mixed zone

At the Carioca Arena 3, where the semi-finals and finals will be held, a mixed zone will be set up where the athletes exit. Journalists must apply during the day of the competition to be registered on the mixed zone schedule.

Results

Each day, the programme will be posted at the reception of the Carioca Arena 3 and will be available to all. A copy of this information will also be posted in the press room.

Photographers

Photographers will have a dedicated space at the competition sites. Any equipment is the responsibility of its owners. The Organising Committee accepts no responsibility for any damage to or loss of equipment.

Ceremonies

Medal presentations

The medal presentation ceremony will take place every evening after the finals at the Carioca Arena 3. Athletes will be given a medal and a diploma. The winner's hymn will be played in the stadium and the finalists' flags will be raised.

Websites:

Official site of the Brazilian Fencing Federation: www.brasilesgrima.com.br

Official site of the International Fencing Federation: www.fie.org

Contacts:

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