



FIE Grand Prix Competition
Men's & Women's Epee
April 29th till May 1st 2022

Dear Friends,

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to Grand Prix - Epee which will be held in Cairo, Egypt on April 29th till May 1st ,2022.

VENUE

Indoor Halls' Complex. Cairo Stadium, Nasr city, Cairo

ENTRIES

Entries to be received only through the FIE website as per FIE organization rules

ENTRY FEES

100 Euro Per Fencer

ENTRY

Open to all fencers with valid 2021-2022 FIE License.

Entries of fencers and referees can only be made at the FIE website, www.fie.org, respecting the deadlines specified in the FIE Rules (cf. o.61)

REFEREE OBLIGATION

The referees are designated by the FIE and delegations will not have to provide any referees.

FORMULA

One qualifying round of pools, a preliminary direct elimination table, a main direct elimination table of 64 fencers to qualify for a final by direct elimination



PARTICIPATION

Each national federation may enter a maximum of 12 fencers. The organising country may enter up to 20 fencers plus the number needed to make up the pools.

ORGANIZER

Egyptian Fencing Federation
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 <http://grandprix.fencingegypt.org/>

 <https://www.facebook.com/EgyFencing>

 https://www.instagram.com/egyptian_fencing_eff/

 <http://www.fencingegypt.org/>

DOPING CONTROL

A doping control test will be carried out as per FIE medical rules.

TRANSPORTATION

Internal Transportation from Airport to Hotel and vice versa costs 66 Euros per person.
Internal Transportation fees from the Official Hotel to venue and vice versa are included in the accommodation fees.

VISA

Kindly check visa requirements to Egypt before making your ticket reservations.
Those who need visa assistance or visa support, please contact : gpcairo@fencingegypt.org
no later than 20 days before the competition starts ,to be able to provide necessary assistance in case you need Federation support.

OFFICIAL HOTELS

Single BB

€ 150

Double BB

€ 185

Sonesta Hotel Tower & Casino Cairo



Classification: 5*

- Distance to venue: 2.1 Km / 7 min by Bus
- Check in: 15:00 / Check out: 12:00
- Meals served in hotel Restaurant
- Above rates are inclusive of 3pcs laundry per room per nights.
- Taxes are included in all above mentioned rates

Facilities:

- Bathroom
- Free WIFI Cable with flat screen TV
- Desk
- Hair dryer
- Safe deposit box

Holiday Inn Cairo City Stars



Classification: 5*

- Distance to venue: 7 Km / 15 min by Bus
- Check in: 15:00 / Check out: 12:00
- Meals served in hotel Restaurant
- Above rates are inclusive of 3pcs laundry per room per nights.
- Taxes are included in all above mentioned rates

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HOW TO MAKE A RESERVATION?

- In order to have the most suitable COVID protection mechanism, it is MANDATORY for all athletes and delegations to book transport and hotels among the official list through the organizer.

- For all booking , please download the booking forms from Grand Prix Cairo webiste :

<http://grandprix.fencingegypt.org/> Or

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1E1kQbsV02xoWvoJC00pdPQ5qWYYCSZ_X4AvCAxUyuroo/edit?usp=sharing

Fill the forms and send them to : gpcairo@fencingegypt.org

- The organizing committee will screen your reservation to confirm availability and send you a confirmation along with an invoice to be settled by bank transfer.

- Your booking will be confirmed after receiving a copy of your bank transfer.

- Kindly consider the bank transfer fees to be paid from your side as that the federation will not accept any discrepancies and any differences will be settled upon receiving the ID.

- Delegations not following this procedure will be denied access to the competition .

TERMS & CONDITIONS OF PAYMENT

The prices offered and the availability of the rooms are not guaranteed after 15/04/2022.

All payments to be received before arrival (transfer via bank account) and any extras could be settled upon receiving the accreditation card.

Please, check bank account details as follows :-

Bank Account details

Beneficiary's Name: Egyptian Fencing Federation

Beneficiary's address: Rue Elestade Elbahry, Nasr city. City and Country: Cairo – Egypt

Beneficiary's Bank: National Bank of Egypt

Swift code: NBEGEGCX056

Bank Account Number: 0563061045609302028 Branch Name: Youssef Abbas

IBAN:EG390003005630610456093020280



SCHEDULE OF THE COMPETITION

Thursday - April 28th at hotel

- 10:00 – 17:00 : Covid Rapid Testing
Weapon Control
Accreditation
Payment of Entry Fee
- 20:00 : Referees meeting at hotel

Friday- April 29th (Men's Qualification)

- 08:00 – 14:00 : Weapon Control at venue
14:00 – 19:00 : Weapon Control at venue / Women's
08:30 : Start of the Competition (Pools & Preliminary table up to 64)
20:30 : Termination of the Competition

Saturday - April 30th / (Women's Qualification)

- 08:00 – 14:00 : Weapon Control at venue
09:30 : Start of the Competition (Pools & Preliminary table up to 64)
20:30 : Termination of the Competition

Sunday -May 1st / T64 and finals for both weapons

- 08:30 : T64 Men
10:00 : T64 Women
18:00 : Semi Final & Final / Men & Women
20:30 : Award Ceremony



INFORMATION ABOUT CAIRO

How to get to Cairo – By Plane: Cairo International Airport Oruba Road, Heliopolis, Cairo
<http://www.cairo-airport.info> Tel: (+202)22655000

TOURISTIC PACKAGE

If you are planning to arrive one day before the competition starting date or will stay one more night in Cairo, The Egyptian Fencing Federation will be pleased to connect you with our Touristic partner to arrange one-day tour in beautiful Cairo.

For more information, please contact us through: gpcairo@fencingegypt.org

General

Currency: Egyptian Pound

Official Language: Arabic

Area Code: +2 for Egypt, followed by the number you wish to call.

Useful Numbers

Emergency police (122)

Fire brigade (180)

Ambulance services (123)

Tourist police (126)

COVID19 PROTOCOL

Following the rules of the Egyptian government and applying the FORMIR guidelines of the FIE the following protocol will be enforced:-

1. Rapid Antigen Test (RAT)

Every participant must undergo a Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) upon arrival.

The tests are free to athletes , referees and coaches.

Supplementary people must pay for the tests.

Identification of tested people is done via a bracelet. Losing the bracelet will require retesting for a fee of 70 Euros.

Being present in the weapon control and in the competition without the above-mentioned bracelet is associated with not having been controlled. It is an infringement to Covid regulations and may be pursued by law enforcement. Authorities have the right to control at any moment.

Also note that the validity of the RATs done at the competition are only valid for the event.



2 . Departure Test

If you need a departure test you have to make a reservation with the Organizing Committee. According to your home country regulations and test requirements, a test will be done on your own expenses. Noticing that the Antigen test costs 25 Euros, PCR test costs 70 Euros.

To guarantee that we will be able to handle the required testing volume you need to obligatory indicate the number / type of the required tests by February 18th, 2022 latest.

We will then confirm you this number and send you a form, in which you will need to write down the names of the people who will be tested, and send us this form by April 21st 2022 latest.

No test can be guaranteed that had not been registered within the deadlines.

3. Positive RAT

The Organizing Committee is required to transmit the full dataset of every person tested positive to the authorities. Legislation requires that persons tested positive to be isolated immediately. The isolation will last until the authorities lift it or a negative PCR-test is available.

If a RAT returns positive the tested person must immediately go to his room. If there is enough time a PCR test will be done to confirm the result of the RAT.

No PCR can be done on Friday after 17:00.

Hence if a person tests positive at a RAT after these deadlines the result is final and the person must stay in the room until further notice.