



 **FIE Men’s and Women’s Foil World Cup**

*FIE World Cup in Men’s Foil, Individual and Teams*

**1 to 4 May 2024**

Dear Friends,

It is with great pleasure that I invite you to the **Men’s and Women’s Foil World Cup** on behalf of the Fencing Federation of **Hong Kong, China**, which will be held at **Hong Kong, China** on **1 to 4 May 2024.**

Detail of the competition as follows:

**Organizers**:

**Hong Kong Fencing Association**

**Room 1011, Olympic House, 1 Stadium Path, So Kon Po, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong**

Telephone: (+852) 2504 8106

Email: competition@hkfa.org.hk

**Competition venue**

Hall 10, AsiaWorld Expo

Hong Kong International Airport, Lantau, Hong Kong

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**Schedule of the Competition:**

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| **INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION** |
| Tuesday | WEAPON CONTROL |
| 30/4/2024 | 10:00 – 21:00 | Weapons Control & Registration Open |
| Wednesday | WOMEN’S INDIVIDUAL PRELIMINARY ROUND |
| 1/5/2024 | 7:30 | Weapons Control & Registration Open |
| 9:00 | Beginning of round of pools |
| Followed by | Preliminary table |
| Thursday | MEN’S INDIVIDUAL PRELIMINARY ROUND |
| 2/5/2024 | 7:30 | Weapons Control & Registration Open |
| 9:00 | Beginning of round of pools |
| Followed by | Preliminary table |
| Friday | MEN’S & WOMEN’S INDIVIDUAL FINAL ROUND |
| 3/5/2024 | 7:30 | Weapons Control Opens |
| 9:00 | Women’s Table of 64 to Quarter Finals |
| 10:00 | Men’s Table of 64 to Quarter Finals |
| 18:00 | Semi Finals, Finals |

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| **TEAM COMPETITION** |
| SATURDAY | MEN’S & WOMEN’S TEAM EVENTS |
| 4/5/2024 | 7:30 | Weapons Control Opens |
| 8:00 | Men’s & Women’s Table of 32 to Quarter Finals |
| 15:30 | Bronze Medal Match |
| Followed by | Finals |

The schedule is approximate. The precise schedule of events will be determined after the close of payment deadline but will not be final until the day before competition begins.

**Participation**

Each national federation may enter a maximum of 12 fencers. The organising country may enter up to 30 fencers plus the number needed to make up the pools.

Team participation is open to all countries and limited to one team per weapon per country.

**Entry**

Every competitor is required to be licensed for the 2023-2024 season.

No fencer is allowed to take part in an official event of the FIE unless he or she is at least 13 years old on 1 January in the year of the competition.

Entries of fencers, teams and referees can only be made at the FIE website, [www.fie.org](http://www.fie.org), respecting the deadlines specified in the FIE Rules (cf. o.54).

**Entry fee**

Individual competition: **EUR 60.** Team competition: **EUR 400.**

The entry fee is paid for each national delegation by bank transfer to the following account no later than **19 April 2024**:

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| ***Name of Bank*** | ***The Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation*** |
| ***Bank Address*** | ***1 Queen’s Road Central, Hong Kong*** |
| ***Swift Code*** | ***HSBCHKHHHKH*** |
| ***Beneficiary Name*** | ***Hong Kong Fencing Association*** |
| ***Beneficiary Account Number*** | ***#499-507507-838*** |
| ***Beneficiary Address*** | ***1011 Olympic House, 1 Stadium Path, So Kon Po, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong*** |

The entry fee can also be paid at registration before the start of the competition.

**Referee Obligation**

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

**Formula**

Individual competitions – 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.

Team competitions – Integral direct elimination with a direct elimination table which may be incomplete. All places in the table up to 16th place will be fought for. From 17th place onwards teams will be classified, within each round of the table, according to their initial place in the table. The first four teams will be placed in the direct elimination table according to the current official team ranking of the FIE (cf. o.86); the remaining ranked teams will be placed in the table by drawing of lots in pairs. The teams that are not classified will occupy the last places in the table, and will be separated by drawing of lots (cf. o.42-o.47).

**Doping**

Doping control will be done according to FIE rules.

**Accommodation**

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| **Hong Kong SkyCity Marriott Hotel (5-star)** |
| Address: | International Airport, 1 Sky City Rd E, Lantau Island<https://maps.app.goo.gl/vA3qswp3azqwzx2M7> |
| * **Directly connected to AsiaWorld Expo with 2-minute walk**
* In-room internet access
* Free admission to the sauna, steamroom, fitness centre and swimming pool, subjected to the availability
 |
|  | **Deluxe King Room** | **Deluxe Double** |
| Occupancy | 1 person | 2 persons |
| Breakfast | 1 pax | 2 pax |
| Area | 35 sqm | 35 sqm |
| Discounted Price per night | HK$1,340 | HK$1,470.00 |
| Service Charge | 10% | 10% |
| Booking link | <https://www.marriott.com/events/start.mi?id=1709713951983&key=GRP> |
| Enquiry | mhrs.hkgap.reservations@marriott.com(852) 3969 1888 |
| **Regala Skycity Hotel (4-star)** |
| Address: | International Airport, 1 Sky City Rd E, Lantau Island<https://maps.app.goo.gl/7nDHstMNHMDZSkbH6> |
| * **Directly connected to AsiaWorld Expo with 2-minute walk**
* In-room internet access
* Free admission to the gymnasium and swimming pool, subjected to the availability
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|  | **Garden View Room - Single** | **Garden View Room - Double** |
| Occupancy | 1 person | 2 persons |
| Breakfast | 1 pax | 2 pax |
| Area | 17 sqm | 17 sqm |
| Discounted Price per night | HK$900 | HK$1,000 |
| Service Charge | 10% | 10% |
| Booking link | <https://www.booking.regalhotel.com/default.aspx?s=YvRhJMpcTR6fPBJqeEub5JfrhlUhqeWrKj86Js1xBTu7pA4Wo5Tw6w==> Group Code: FoilWCHK |
| Enquiry | stay@skycity.regala-hotels.com(852) 3556 3213 |
| **Regal Airport Hotel (5-star)** |
| Address | 9 Cheong Tat Road, Hong Kong International Airport Chek Lap Kok, Lantau Island<https://maps.app.goo.gl/i37ghp6QxUSeMXFd8> |
| * **Directly connected to Hong Kong International Airport with 2-minute walk**
* Shuttle bus will be provided to access the competition venue
* In-room internet access
* Free admission to the health club and swimming pool, subjected to the availability
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|  | **Superior Room - Single** | **Superior Room - Double** |
| Occupancy | 1 person | 2 persons |
| Breakfast | 1 pax | 2 pax |
| Area | 27 sqm | 27 sqm |
| Discounted Price per night | HK$1,100 | HK$1,250 |
| Service Charge | 10% | 10% |
| Booking link | <https://www.booking.regalhotel.com/default.aspx?s=YvRhJMpcTR6fPBJqeEub5JfrhlUhqeWrKj86Js1xBTu7pA4Wo5Tw6w==> Group Code: FoilWCHK |
| Enquiry | stay@airport.regalhotel.com (852) 2286 6888 |

**Transport**

Airport transfer will be provided for the guests who stay in Hong Kong Skycity Marriott Hotel and Regala Skycity Hotel and shuttle bus services to and between hotel and competition venue will be provided for the guests who stay in Regal Airport Hotel. Please kindly complete the Arrival & Departure form ([download link](https://hkfa01-my.sharepoint.com/%3Ax%3A/g/personal/info_hkfa_org_hk/EZRFspVudRJJs-emtiYjJlEBmaqxoPsEjdK-lK8_ZEfr3Q?e=hDJTNK)) and send to competition@hkfa.org.hk by **19 April 2024**.

**Visa Support**

Kindly check for visa requirements to **Hong Kong SAR** before making your ticket reservations in the link below. Those who need visa assistance and/or visa support, please contact **competition@hkfa.org.hk**no later than **1 April 2024**.

<https://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html>

**Further information and contact person**

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Warm regards,

**Yeung Wing Sun A.N.W.**

**Chairman**

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