

# 2009 Annual Report of the Executive Committee

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Ladies and Gentlemen,

This annual report takes into account the events which occurred throughout 2009.

#### **OBITUARIES**

The International Fencing Federation has suffered the loss of several friends:

#### Mr Vladimirs Aleksejevs (LAT)

Passed away on 25 June 2009. He was the Secretary General of the Latvian Fencing Federation and an international FIE referee.

### Mr Joe Eden (GBR)

Passed away on 20 September 2009 at the age of 94.

He was a life-time advocate of junior sport and received the silver medal of the British Fencing Association (BFA) in 1983. In 1995, he became Vice-President of the BFA and, in 2002, he received the gold medal from the FIE for his work.

### Mr Boubacar DIOUF (MLI)

Mr Boubacar DIOUF passed away on 17 October 2009 in Bamako. He was the President of the Malian Fencing Federation and an important sport personality in his country. He passed away after a heart attack.

### Mrs Maria Paola (Titti) Bresciano (ITA)

Mrs Maria Paola Bresciano passed away on 30 October following a long illness. She was well known in Italian fencing and was the spouse of Lioniero Del Maschio, the President of the Mediterranean Fencing Confederation, and the mother of Paolo Azzi, the Vice-President of the Italian Fencing Federation.

### Mrs Ecaterina Stahl (ROU)

Passed away on 25 November 2009 after a long illness.

This important personality in Romanian fencing was born on 31 July 1946 and was a member of the national women's foil team for over twenty years.

She was Junior World Champion in Rotterdam (1965), Individual Senior World Champion in Budapest (1975) and Team World Champion in Havana (1969). She won six other world medals and competed in five editions of the Olympic Games where she won 2 team bronze medals.

#### Maitre Gérard Rousseau (FRA)

Passed away on 20 December 2009 after a long illness.

Gérard Rousseau was a member of the Refereeing Commission of the FIE and a delegate at many world championships as well as at the Sydney Olympics. He was an international referee at the three weapons.

We express our deepest sympathy to the families and federations of the deceased.

### 1. ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES

### 1.1 MANAGEMENT

The management activities of the FIE continued with intensity.

**The Executive Committee met** on 25 January 2009 in Paris (FRA), on 25-26 April 2009 in Lausanne (SUI), on 27 June 2009 in Budapest (HUN), on 4 October 2009 in Antalya (TUR) and on 20 November 2009 in Palermo (ITA).

The yearly **General Assembly** of the FIE took place on 4 April 2009 in Belfast (GBR).

The 2009 Congress was held on 21 and 22 November 2009 in Palermo (ITA).

**26 Executive Committee consultations** were conducted by fax and email throughout the year, when an urgent decision was needed.

The measures adopted by these decision-making bodies were regularly communicated to the FIE members, via **11 Information Letters** and **17 Urgent Letters**.

The letters and their annexes were sent to the National Federations, the Members of Honour, the Members of the Executive Committee and the Presidents of the Confederations by electronic mail.

The various rankings of the FIE were also sent to the National Federations by electronic mail.

#### 1.2 AD HOC COMMISSION

During the World Championships in Antalya, the Ad Hoc Coaches Commission was created. The National Federations were able to present and elect candidates.

During its first meeting, which was also in Antalya, the commission put together a certain number of technical proposals to be studied by the Executive Committee.

#### 1.3 CALENDAR

**171 World Cup tournaments** took place during the 2008/2009 season, 69 of these were junior tournaments, 75 senior tournaments (including 27 GP) and 27 team tournaments.

### 1.4 REFEREEING EXAMS

The following refereeing exams were organised:

Continent	City	Dates	Examiners
Asia	Singapore (SIN)	10-15 July 2009	Ferjani Salah, Husain Aya Wael
Europe	Plovdiv (BUL)	3-8 July 2009	Mamedov Ilgar, Siesto Marco
Africa	Dakar (SEN)	1-5 August 2009	Smith Keith, Janka Claus
America	Caracas (VEN)	1-5 October 2009	Ferjani Salah

The results of these exams were:

City	Zone	Weapons	Candidates	Passes
Singapore (SIN)	AO	3	22 F / 13 E / 8 S	20 F / 11 E / 7 S
Plovdiv (BUL)	EU	3	17 F/ 25 E / 14 S	16 F / 24 E / 13 S
Dakar (SEN)	AF	3	6F/2E/7S	6F/2E/7S
Caracas (VEN)	AM	3	5F/6E/4S	5F/6E/4S

### 1.5 DOPING

The fight against doping continued throughout the season and there were 2 cases of doping in FIE competitions.

- **546 doping controls were carried out** during the 2008/2009 season during the World Cup competitions (not including the World Championships and Zonal Championships), including:
  - 207 controls during Junior World Cups
  - 225 controls during Senior World Cups
  - **81** controls during Team World Cups (3 athletes per competition instead of 4 in 2008)
  - 33 controls during Satellite Competitions
- The FIE conducted out-of-competition doping controls on 14 athletes in 2009.

### 1.6 WEBSITES

#### www.fie.ch

In December 2009, the FIE website was revamped. In addition, the following features were added:

- Automation of the entries of Members of Honour, Commission members, Presidents and Secretary Generals by the NFs.
- Photos and info of the Presidents and Secretary Generals are displayed
- RSS feed for journalists was created on the results page
- Recently updated documents are displayed on the home page

#### Statistics:

	Total	World Champs
Visits	994,925	124,695
Pages visited	7,094,606	
Pages visited the most	Calendar, ranking, athlete cards	
Keywords	Fie, Fencing, Fie.ch	
Added to favourites	78.3 %	
Search engines	Google, Yahoo, MSN	
Website submission	Google and Yahoo: 1 in top 10	

### Video sites

In December 2009, the FIE became equipped with a video site - also meant for photos and news - produced in partnership with Swiss Timing. The FIE decided to pay for all the expenses associated with making the fencing images available so that Internet users can access them for free.

# 2. SPORTING ACTIVITIES

# 2.1 WINNERS OF THE OFFICIAL 2008-2009 RANKINGS

# Official Junior Ranking

Women's Epée		Men's Epée		
1. POCHKALOVA Anfisa 2. HURLEY Courtney 3. NELIP Ewa 4. FIAMINGO Rossella 5. ZUIKOVA Julia 6. KOLOBOVA Violetta 7. MOSLER Dominika 8. SUN Yujie	UKR USA POL ITA EST RUS POL CHN	<ol> <li>ADAMOV Anton</li> <li>HEREY Anatoliy</li> <li>POKORNY Richard</li> <li>GLEBKO Anton</li> <li>MARCHAL Virgile</li> <li>FERRARIS Luca</li> <li>PROKHOROV Dimitry</li> <li>BOYADZHIEV Kristian</li> </ol>	RUS UKR CZE RUS FRA ITA ISR BUL	
Women's Foil		Men's Foil		
1. KAZHIKINA Ekaterina 2. PRESCOD Nzingha 3. BATINI Martina 4. VOLPI Alice 5. DE COSTANZO Valentina 6. KREISS Fanny 7. LYCZBINSKA Marta 8. WOHLGEMUTH Olivia	RUS USA ITA ITA HUN POL AUT	1. LARI Tommaso 2. JEFFERIES Edward 3. FOCONI Alessio 4. TONY HELISSEY Jean-Paul 5. AVOLA Giorgio 6. CHAMLEY-WATSON Miles 7. BRAUN Marius 8. ZHEREBCHENKO Dmitry	ITA GBR ITA FRA ITA USA GER RUS	
Women's Sabre		Men's Sabre		
<ol> <li>PETO Reka</li> <li>KOVALEVA Viktoriya</li> <li>SINIGAGLIA Lucrezia</li> <li>KEDZIORA Katarzyna</li> <li>KHARLAN Olga</li> <li>GAVRILOVA Julia</li> <li>VECCHI Irene</li> <li>DAMU Dora</li> </ol>	HUN RUS ITA POL UKR RUS ITA HUN	1. SAVICH Boris 2. SZILAGYI Aron 3. HARTUNG Max 4. HOMER Daryl 5. SBRAGIA Stefano 6. WAGNER Benedikt 7. GALL Csaba 8. NYDAM Barron	RUS HUN GER USA ITA GER HUN USA	

# Official Senior Ranking

Women's Epée	Men's Epée			
1. BRANZA Ana 2. SIVKOVA Anna 3. HEIDEMANN Britta 4. SZASZ Emese 5. FLESSEL-COLOVIC Laura 6. SHUTOVA Lubov 7. TOL Sonja 8. MOELLHAUSEN Nathalie	ROU RUS GER HUN FRA RUS NED ITA	1. GRUMIER Gauthier 2. SCHMID Sven 3. ROTA Alfredo 4. FIEDLER Joerg 5. BOCZKO Gabor 6. ABAJO Jose Luis 7. FERNANDEZ Silvio 8. PIZZO Paolo	FRA GER ITA GER HUN ESP VEN ITA	
Women's Foil		Men's Foil		
<ol> <li>ERRIGO Arianna</li> <li>VEZZALI Valentina</li> <li>NAM Hyun Hee</li> <li>JEON Hee Sook</li> <li>DI FRANCISCA Elisa</li> <li>GRUCHALA Sylwia</li> <li>SHANAEVA Aida</li> <li>BIRIOUKOVA Julia</li> </ol>	ITA ITA KOR KOR ITA POL RUS RUS	1. BALDINI Andrea 2. JOPPICH Peter 3. GLONEK Radoslaw 4. KRUSE Richard 5. CASSARA Andrea 6. OTA Yuki 7. LE PECHOUX Erwan 8. GETZ Kurt	ITA GER POL GBR ITA JPN FRA USA	
Women's Sabre		Men's Sabre		
<ol> <li>ZAGUNIS Mariel</li> <li>KHARLAN Olga</li> <li>VELIKAIA Sophia</li> <li>DIATCHENKO Ekaterina</li> <li>BIANCO Ilaria</li> <li>VERGNE Carole</li> <li>PERRUS Leonore</li> <li>NAGY Orsolya</li> </ol>	USA UKR RUS RUS ITA FRA FRA HUN	1. LIMBACH Nicolas 2. DUMITRESCU Rares 3. MONTANO Aldo 4. TARANTINO Luigi 5. DECSI Tamas 6. PASTORE Giampiero 7. LOPEZ Nicolas 8. PILLET Julien	GER ROU ITA ITA HUN ITA FRA FRA	

# Official Team Ranking

Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's
Epée	Epée	Foil	Foil	Sabre	Sabre
1. ITA 2. POL 3. GER 4. FRA 5. ROU 6. RUS 7. HUN 8. CAN	1. HUN 2. FRA 3. ITA 4. GER 5. POL 6. SUI 7. UKR 8. RUS	1. ITA 2. RUS 3. GER 4. POL 5. FRA 6. CHN 7. USA 8. HUN	1. ITA 2. RUS 3. GER 4. CHN 5. FRA 6. GBR 7. JPN 8. USA	1. UKR 2. RUS 3. USA 4. CHN 5. FRA 6. ITA 7. POL 8. HUN	1. ITA 2. HUN 3. ROU 4. BLR 5. FRA 6. USA 7. RUS 8. CHN

# 2.2 2009 Junior / Cadet World Championships

These championships took place in **Belfast (GBR) from 4 to 13 April 2009.** The Officials and Referees designated by the FIE were:

# Officials:

THULLBERG	Pierre	SWE	President of the Technical Directorate
BERNARDINI	Raniero	ITA	Member of the Technical Directorate
TSOUKHLO	Evgueni	RUS	Member of the Technical Directorate
GROUPIERRE	Victor Sergio	ARG	Member of the Technical Directorate /Head of Protocol
THORNTON	Mavis	GBR	Member of the Technical Directorate
MURPHY	Andrew	GBR	Member of the Technical Directorate
FIORE	Antonio	ITA	Delegate of the Medical Commission
HALSTED	Clare	GBR	Delegate of the Medical Commission
DOS SANTOS	Jose Eduardo	POR	Delegate of the SEMI Commission
HUGGINS	Janet	GBR	Delegate of the SEMI Commission
RIKHTMAN	Semen	RUS	Delegate of the SEMI Commission
EL MOTAWAKEL	Mohamed	EGY	Head Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
SIESTO	Marco	ITA	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
MAMEDOV	llgar	RUS	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
HUSAIN	Aya Wael	KUW	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
KIM	Chang Gon	KOR	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
FERJANI	Salah	TUN	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission

# Referees:

ALG	MEZAGHCHA	Samir	HKG	ZHENG	Kangzhao
ARG	ROVITTI	Guillermo	HUN	KAPOSVARI	Zsolt
AUS	BAKER	David	IRI	REZA	Peykarara
AUT	CSAR	Barbara	ITA	PISTACCHI	Marco
CAN	KUZNETSOV	Alexey	JPN	HASHIMOTO	Hiroshi
CHI	VASQUEZ	Rodrigo	KOR	SEO	Sang Won
CHN	LU	Jianming	KUW	RASHED	Shabab Al Shmali
EGY	ABDEL FATTAH	Hussein	MDA	PAGHIEV	Mihail
ESP	VAZQUEZ	Daniel	ROM	GHEORGHE	Florin
FRA	BRUNO	Gaby	RUS	ZHURAVLEVA	Natalia
GBR	SACH	David	SEN	TOURE	Pape Khassoum
GBR	THORNTON	Mike	SIN	WONG	Liang Hun James
GBR	WESLEY	Suzannah	SVK	KRALIK	David
GBR	HAYNES	Matthew	SWE	MAGNUSSON	Martin
GBR	HUNTER	lan	TUN	FERJANI	Mohamed Ayoub
GBR	PAYNE	Nick	TUR	GUCLUER	Ilgin
GBR	MOORE	Steve	UKR	GUTTSAYT	Vadym
GBR	BARTON	Huw	VEN	LIENDO	Juan
GEO	SAKHVADZE	David	VIE	PHAM	Anh Tuan
GER	BOECKER	Jens	USA	WASHBURN	Charles
GRE	DOUVIS	Andreas			

# Results - Cadet Individual Events

Women's Epée			Men's Epée		
1	BUDAI Dorina	ITA	1	GLAZKOV Nikita	RUS
2	HOLMES Katherine	USA	2	KASE Robin	SWE
3	XU Angi	KOR	3	LEOMBRUNO Marco	ITA
3	BATINI Camilla	ITA	3	SANTARELLI Andrea	ITA
5	SUN Yujie	CHN	5	SHI Zhibo	CHN
6	FRATINI Gaia	ITA	6	BODOCZI Nikolaus	GER
7	TOPIC Toncica	CRO	7	SEEVE Teemu	FIN
8	STRELNIKOV Daria	ITA	8	PORTES Jozef	POL
	Women's Foil			Men's Foil	
1	PRESCOD Nzingha	USA	1	NISTA Lorenzo	ITA
2	KIEFER Lee	USA	2	LUPERI Edoardo	ITA
3	LAVRENOVA Veronika	RUS	3	SANITA Andre	GER
3	VOLPI Alice	ITA	3	MASSIALAS Alexander	USA
5	JELINSKA Martyna	POL	5	GAROZZO Daniele	ITA
6	ALEKSEEVA Viktoriya	RUS	6	LEE Kwang Hyun	KOR
7	KIM Min Jeong	KOR	7	KONTOCHRISTOPOULOS	Nikolao GRE
8	KULHANEK Iman	NED	8	KWAK Seung Yong	KOR
	Women's Sabre			Men's Sab	re
1	WHEELER Diamond	USA	1	IBRAGIMOV Kamill	RUS
2	VARHELYI Kata	HUN	2	WILLAU Matthias	AUT
3	NAVARRIA Caterina	ITA	3	STATSENKO Yevgeniy	UKR
3	GLON Nicole	USA	3	VALKAI Ferenc	HUN
5	CIARAGLIA Marta	ITA	5	TSAP Yuriy	POL
6	MAGYAR Zsanett	HUN	6	BERRE Enrico	ITA
7	LI Fei	CHN	7	WROBEL Mariusz	POL
8	KIRIANOVA Elizaveta	RUS	8	SUNG Jun Mo	KOR

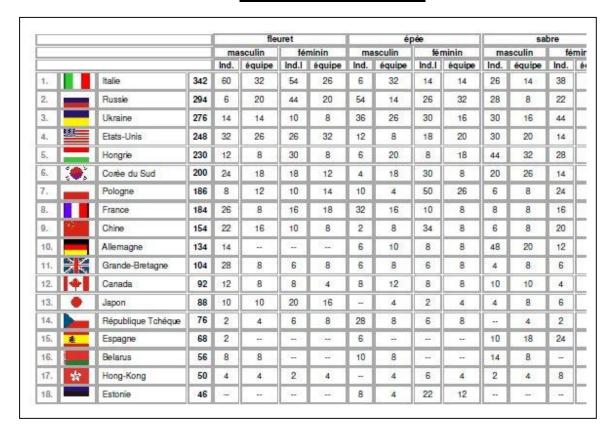
# Results - Junior Individual Events

1 SUN Yujie CHN 1 ADAMOV Anton 2 NELIP Ewa POL 2 HEREY Anatoliy 3 POCHKALOVA Anfisa UKR 3 MARCHAL Virgile 3 MOSLER Dominika POL 3 GLEBKO Anton 5 SEREGINA Eugeniya RUS 5 SEIDL Julian 6 CHOI In Jeong KOR 6 BOYADZHIEV Kristian	RUS UKR FRA RUS CZE BUL
3POCHKALOVA AnfisaUKR3MARCHAL Virgile3MOSLER DominikaPOL3GLEBKO Anton5SEREGINA EugeniyaRUS5SEIDL Julian	FRA RUS CZE
3 MOSLER Dominika POL 3 GLEBKO Anton 5 SEREGINA Eugeniya RUS 5 SEIDL Julian	RUS CZE
5 SEREGINA Eugeniya RUS 5 SEIDL Julian	CZE
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C CLICULA Lagran KOD C DOVADZUIEV Kaiatian	BUL
6 CHOI In Jeong KOR 6 BOYADZHIEV Kristian	
7 LEE Soon Hwa KOR 7 LAHTINEN Alexander	FIN
8 ZUIKOVA Julia EST 8 POKORNY Richard	CZE
Women's Foil Men's Foil	
1 KAZHIKINA Ekaterina RUS 1 LARI Tommaso	ITA
2 VOLPI Alice ITA 2 JEFFERIES Edward	GBR
3 KREISS Fanny HUN 3 MEINHARDT Gerek	USA
3 BATINI Martina ITA 3 FOCONI Alessio	ITA
5 KIM Yoon Ha KOR 5 SHI Jialuo	CHN
6 NISHIOKA Shiho JPN 6 FAUSSER Paul	FRA
7 WOHLGEMUTH Olivia AUT 7 BRAUN Marius	GER
8 PRESCOD Nzingha USA 8 LEE Seung Woong	ITA
Women's Sabre Men's Sabre	
1 KHARLAN Olga UKR 1 HARTUNG Max	GER
2 VECCHI Irene ITA 2 SZILAGYI Aron	HUN
3 PETO Reka HUN 3 HOMER Daryl	USA
3 NAVARRO Araceli ESP 3 SAVICH Boris	RUS
5 GAVRILOVA Julia RUS 5 WAGNER Benedikt	GER
6 KEDZIORA Katarzyna POL 6 GALL Csaba	HUN
7 LI Fei CHN 7 SBRAGIA Stefano	ITA
8 BULICA Mihaela ROU 8 TRINKAL Andrey	UKR

### **Results – Junior Team Events**

Women's Epée	Men's Epée	Women's Foil	Men's Foil	Women's Sabre	Men's Sabre
1. RUS	1. ITA	1. USA	1. ITA	1. UK	1. HUN
2. POL	2. UKR	2. ITA	2. USA	2. ITA	2. KOR
3. USA	3. HUN	3. RUS	3. RUS	3. RUS	3. GER
4. HUN	4. KOR	4. FRA	4. KOR	4. FRA	4. ESP
5. UKR	5. FRA	5. JPN	5. CHN	5. HUN	5. UKR
6. ITA	6. RUS	6. POL	6. UKR	6. POL	6. ITA
7. EST	7. CAN	7. KOR	7. POL	7. CHN	7. USA
8. SWE	8.GER	8. EGY	8. JPN	8. USA	8. CAN

### **Junior Nations' Grand Prix**



# **Participation**

Ī	Number of fencers	1060
	Number of nations	80

Weapons	Cadets	Juniors	
	<b>Note:</b> Note: Note	<b>Note:</b> Note: Note	Teams
Women's Epée	77	102	23
Men's Epée	103	139	34
Women's Foil	70	88	21
Men's Foil	84	114	23
Women's Sabre	68	72	17
Men's Sabre	47	96	21
Total	449	611	

# 2.3 2009 SENIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The World Championships were held in Antalya (TUR) from 30 September to 9 October 2009.

The **Officials** and **Referees** designated by the FIE were:

# Officials:

BERNARDINI	Raniero	ITA	President of the Technical Directorate
KRALIK	Julius	SVK	Member of the Technical Directorate
GROUPIERRE	Victor	ARG	Member of the Technical Directorate, Head of protocol
TSOUKHLO	Evgueni	RUS	Member of the Technical Directorate
L00	Luan Luan	SIN	Member of the Technical Directorate
KALENDER	Mustafa	TUR	Member of the Technical Directorate
PHILBIN	Hilary	GBR	Member of the Technical Directorate
EL MOTAWAKEL	Mohamed	EGY	Head Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
SMITH	Keith	GBR	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
JANKA	Claus	GER	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
SIESTO	Marco	ITA	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
HUSAIN AYA	Wael	KUW	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
MAMEDOV	llgar	RUS	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
HARMER	Peter	AUS	Delegate of the Medical Commission
MUSTAFA MOUR	AD Maha	GBR	Delegate of the Medical Commission
DE CHAINE	Daniel	USA	Delegate of the SEMI Commission
EBERL LOPEZ	Maria	CHI	Delegate of the SEMI Commission
ELZEFTAWI	Gamil	EGY	Delegate of the SEMI Commission

# Referees:

ALG ARG AUT	GANA Ahmed ROVITTI Guillermo CSAR Barbara	MEX POL POR QAT	RIOS RIVERA Juan Carlos KIELPIKOWSKI Piotr MACHADO Miguel JOHAR Khalid
CHI	VASQUEZ Rodrigo	ROU	FLOREA Marius
CHN	CHU Shi Cheng	RUS	ZHURAVLEVA Natalia
CUB	MOLA FUENTES Walfrido	SEN	TOURE Pape Khassoum
EGY	EL ARABY Tamer Mohamed	SIN	LEONG Dennis Kok Seng
ESP	VAZQUEZ Daniel	SWE	MAGNUSSON Martin
FRA	GABY Bruno	TUN	REBAI Mohamed
GBR	PAYNE Nick	UKR	GUTTSAYT Vadym
GEO	SAKHVADZE David	USA	KLINKOV Ariana
GER	VOGEL Bodo	VEN	LIENDO Juan
GRE	LYBEROPOULOS Constantinos	VIE	PHAM Anh Tuan
HUN	KAPOSVARI Zsolt	TUR	GUCLUER Ilgin
IRI	POURSALMAN Alireza	TUR	PALABIYIK Cihan
ITA	LO SCHIAVO Gaspare	TUR	GULEN Burcin
JOR	RAHHAL Bilal	TUR	YAMAC Haluk
JPN	AZUMA Matsuo	TUR	ELMALI Hakan
KOR	CHOI Myung Jin	TUR	KONTER Guclu
KUW	ABDULKARIM AI Shamlan	TUR	SENER Halim
MDA	PAGHIEV Mihail		

# Results - Individual Events

Women's Epée				Men's Epée	
1	SHUTOVA Lubov	RUS	1	AVDEEV Anton	RUS
2	SCHALM Sherraine	CAN	2	TAGLIARIOL Matteo	ITA
3	POCHKALOVA Anfisa	UKR	3	JEANNET Jerome	FRA
3	TOL Sonja	NED	3	ABAJO Jose Luis	ESP
5	HEIDEMANN Britta	GER	5	VIDEIRA Joaquim	POR
6	FLESSEL-COLOVIC Laura	FRA	6	MADRIGAL SARDINAS Guillermo	CUB
7	XU Anqi	CHN	7	MIKOLAJCZAK Krzysztof	POL
8	DMOWSKA-ANDRZEJUK Danuta	POL	8	JUNG Seung Hwa	KOR
	Women's Foil			Men's Foil	
1	SHANAEVA Aida	RUS	1	BALDINI Andrea	ITA
2	JEON Hee Sook	KOR	2	ZHU Jun	CHN
3	DI FRANCISCA Elisa	ITA	3	SEDOV Artem	RUS
3	ERRIGO Arianna	ITA	3	JOPPICH Peter	GER
5	VEZZALI Valentina	ITA	5	CASSARA Andrea	ITA
6	BIRIOUKOVA Julia	RUS	6	GLONEK Radoslaw	POL
7	KOROBEINIKOVA Larisa	RUS	7	GETZ Kurt	USA
8	GUYART Astrid	FRA	8	SHI Jialuo	CHN
	Women's Sabre			Men's Sabre	
1	ZAGUNIS Mariel	USA	1	LIMBACH Nicolas	GER
2	KHARLAN Olga	UKR	2	DUMITRESCU Rares	ROU
3	VERGNE Carole	FRA	3	TARANTINO Luigi	ITA
3	NAGY Orsolya	HUN	3	DECSI Tamas	HUN
5	VELIKAIA Sophia	RUS	5	MONTANO Aldo	ITA
6	DIATCHENKO Ekaterina	RUS	6	ZALOMIR Gelu Florin	ROU
7	KHOMROVA Olena	UKR	7	OH Eun Seok	KOR
8	JOZWIAK Bogna	POL	8	LUKASHENKO Vladimir	UKR

# Results - Team Events

Women's Epée	Men's Epée	Women's Foil	Men's Foil	Women's Sabre	Men's Sabre
1. ITA	1. FRA	1. ITA	1. ITA	1. UKR	1. ROU
2. POL	2. HUN	2. RUS	2. GER	2. FRA	2. ITA
3. GER	3. POL	3. GER	3. RUS	3. CHN	3. HUN
4. FRA	4. GER	4. ROU	4. CHN	4. RUS	4. RUS
5. RUS	5. SUI	5. CHN	5. JPN	5. ITA	5. CHN
6. ROU	6. KOR	6. KOR	6. GBR	6. USA	6. BLR
7. HUN	7. ITA	7. USA	7. FRA	7. POL	7. USA
8. CHN	8. UKR	8. UKR	8. POL	8. GER	8. FRA

Weapons	Individual	Team
Women's Epée	118	24
Men's Epée	162	29
Women's Foil	85	18
Men's Foil	125	25
Women's Sabre	104	21
Men's Sabre	95	22

# **Senior Nations' Grand Prix**

# **Participation**

Number of fencers	689
Number of nations	81

Rank	Nation
1	ITA
2	RUS
3	GER
4	FRA
5	CHN

# 2.4 2009 VETERAN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Veteran World Championships were held in **Moscow (RUS) from 23 to 26 September 2009.** The Officials designated by the FIE were:

### Officials:

Lutz	SCHIRRMACHER	GER	President of the Technical Directorate
llgar	MAMEDOV	RUS	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
Ryszard	SZCZEPANSKI	POL	Delegate of the Medical Commission
Semion	RIKHTMAN	RUS	Delegate of the SEMI Commission

# **Event Results**

Women's Epée 50-59				Women's Epée 60+	
1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	CHERNOVA Liudmila SMITH Kate AUBAILLY Corrine STOIBER Iris IBOLYA Hoffman Nemethne KIRCHEIS Astrid FERDINANDY Gyorgyi MIDGLEY Janice	RUS GBR FRA GER HUN GER HUN USA	1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	GARDINI Iris DEMAILLE Marie-Chantal MARTIN Brigitte SOMEROJA Maria-Liisa BEDROSIAN Patricia KALLUS Diane GREUNKE Brigitte MAYOROVA Lubov	ITA FRA FRA FIN USA USA GER RUS
	Men's Epée 50-59			Men's Epée 60+	
1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	DRAGONETTI Walter TISHKO Mikhail KLUGE Rainer ZAGORSKYY Anatoliy LE LOUARN Serge GUTIERREZ Marcos FANTONI Adolfo ZAYTSEV Alexsandr	USA UKR GER UKR FRA ESP ITA RUS	1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	BJERCH-ANDRESEN Hen JOHNSON Ralph COCHRANE Robert FEDOROV Nikolay PARDUCCI Andrea DAMAS Fernando ROBERT Jean YETER Haluk	NOR GBR USA RUS ITA ESP FRA AUS
	Women's Foil 50-59	1,00	0	Women's Foil 60+	AUS
1 2 3 3 5 6 7	CHERNOVA Ludmila WALTERS Anne-Marie KENESSY-GASPARIN Katalin KNORR Eva VERHAVE Michelle KIRCHEIS Astrid STARKS-FAULKNER Jenette HALE Caron	RUS USA USA GER USA GER USA GBR	1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	PALM Kerstin ARSKAYA Nadezhda COOKSEY Janet SOMEROJA Marja-Liisa DEMAILLE Marie Chantal MAIYOROVA Lubov GORIUS Barbel LUTTON Patricia	SWE RUS GBR FIN FRA RUS GER USA
	Men's Foil 50-59			Men's Foil 60+	
1 2 3 3 5 6 7	BLASCHKA Robert GALVAN Maurizio LECUYER Francois TROIANO John AKERBERG Thomas ENGELHARD Ralph SIBERT Paul	AUT ITA FRA GBR SWE GER GBR	1 2 3 3 5 6 7	NAKAJIMA Isao IDE Eiichi DE BARTOLOMEIS Arturo STEFFEN Burkhard HAMBARZUMIAN Heik KING Ronald KAWAGUCHI Daizo	JPN JPN ITA GER USA USA JPN

8	LEE Philipp	IRL	8	RAFALSON Eugeniy	RUS
	Women's Sabre 50-5	59		Women's Sabre 60+	
1 2 3 5 6	HUTCHISON Jane TURNER Delia BELKINA Elena RIZHKOVA Larisa EYRE Jane REGUIGNE Patricia	GBR USA RUS RUS USA FRA	1 2 3 3 5 6	LANGTON Marguerite O'LEARLY Eleen FRITH Vivien GARDINI Iris EARL Silvia GREUNKE Brigitte	RSA USA GBR ITA GBR GER
7	AUBAILLY Corinne	FRA	7	TACHIBANA Yoshiko	JPN
8	CERBONI Bousquet	FRA	8	MYERS Margaret	GBR
	Men's Sabre 50-59			Men's Sabre 60+	
1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	ETROPOLSKI Vasil ANTINORO Enrico JACOBSON David TASS Atilio ALEXEEV Alexander CARRARA Vittorio COULTER Barry RUNYUN Joshua	BUL ITA USA USA RUS ITA GBR USA	1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	COHEN Richard PANON Patrice FILIPPI Fabrizio SEXTON Ray CARMINA Riccardo BONEHILL Richard PETELIN Igor SCHERBAKOFF Alex	GBR FRA ITA USA ITA GBR RUS AUS
	Men's Epée 70+			Men's Foil 70+	
1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	AFTANDILOV Gari CHOUVIAT Jean-Pierri FISHER Wolfgang KILBERTH Hans BUCHER Peter CAPPELLI Ferdinando BOITEL Jean-Paul MONTI Luigi  Men's Sabre 70+	RUS FRA GER GER SUI ITA FRA ITA	1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	AFTANDILOV Gari FISHER Wolfgang CHANG Tung-Shan KAMUTI Eno RAVELING Bette PRELIN Igor MIERNIK Marcel PILKINGTON Jamec	RUS GER USA HUN GER RUS USA GBR
	WEILS SADIE 10+				
1 2 3 3 5 6 7 8	AFTANDILOV Gari NETTINGSMEYER Wolf CAPPELLI Ferdinando GERENDAS Joszef URBAN Peter AULT Alan RAVELING Bette CWYNARSKI Mark	RUS GER ITA GER HUN GBR GER GBR			

### 2.5 2009 CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

# 2.5.1.1 Senior European Championships

These championships took place in Plovdiv (BUL) from 13 to 19 July 2009. The **officials** designated by the FIE were:

THULLBERG Pierre	SWE	President of the Technical Directorate
SENER Halim	TUR	Member of the Technical Directorate
JORGENSEN Norman	DEN	Member of the Technical Directorate
STOYANOV Dimitar	BUL	Member of the Technical Directorate
SMITH Keith	GBR	Head Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
MADTINI Diabord	ALIT	Delegate of the CEMI Commission

MARTIN Richard AUT Delegate of the SEMI Commission SZCZEPANSKI Ryszard POL Delegate of the Medical Commission

# The **referees** designated by the FIE were:

CSAR Barbara	AUT	Mateev Niokolay	ISL
VALIYEV Fikrat	AZE	Ivanov Alexander	ISR
BASTYNS Olivier	BEL	Russo Marco	ITA
LAHOTSKA Maxim	BLR	Paghiev Mihail	MDA
BOROSAK Mirna	CRO	Heeren Alexander	NED
HEJRSKOV Mads-Vetli	DEN	Borsodi Andras	NOR
CHERUBINO Gianmarco	ESP	Nowinowski Dariusz	POL
GROENHOLM Peter	FIN	Machado Miguel	POR
WIART Renaud	FRA	Florea Marius	ROM
SACH David	GBR	Butakov Andrei	RUS
SAKHVADZE David	GEO	LAMON Janine	SUI
ROTH Peter	GER	KRALIK David	SVK
LYBEROPOULOS Constantino	s GRE	Gucluer Ilgin	TUR
KAPOSVARI Zsolt	HUN	Guttsayt Vadym	UKR

	Women's Epée		Men's Epée				
1	HEIDEMANN Britta	GER	1	SCHMID Sven	GER		
2	SIVKOVA Anna	RUS	2	ROBEIRI Ulrich	FRA		
3	SHEMYAKINA Yana	UKR	3	BOCZKO Gabor	HUN		
3	FLESSEL-COLOVIC Laura	FRA	3	GRUMIER Gauthier	FRA		
5	SZASZ Emese	HUN	5	FIEDLER Joerg	GER		
6	LOGOUNOVA Tatiana	RUS	6	NIKISHIN Bogdan	UKR		
7	MILLS Noam	CRO	7	JEANNET Jerome	FRA		
8	EMBRICH Irina	EST	8	ABAJO Jose Luis	ESP		
	Women's Foil		Men's Foil				
1	VEZZALI Valentina	ITA	1	BALDINI Andrea	ITA		
2	WAECHTER Katja	GER	2	KRUSE Richard	GBR		
3	ERRIGO Arianna	ITA	3	HALSTED Laurence	GBR		
3	VARGA Gabriella	HUN	3	WESSELS Andre	GER		
5	CHANAEVA Aida	RUS	5	BARRERA Stefano	ITA		
6	MAITREJEAN Corrine	FRA	6	GLONEK Radoslaw	POL		
7	GOLUBYTSKYI Carolin	GER	7	JOPPICH Peter	GER		
8	STAHL Cristina	ROU	8	KHOVANSKY Alexey	RUS		

	Women's Sabre		Men's Sabre			
1	KHARLAN Olga	UKR	1	RESHETNIKOV Veniamin	RUS	
2	DIATCHENKO Ekaterina	RUS	2	PILLET Julien	RUS	
3	PUNDYK Galyna	UKR	3	PASTORE Gianpiero	UKR	
3	MARY Solenne	FRA	3	HUEBNER Bjoern	GER	
5	VOUGIOUKA Vassiliki	GRE	5	LIMBACH Nicolas	GER	
6	WIECKOWSKA Irena	POL	6	PINA Jorge	ESP	
7	PELEI Andreea	ROU	7	LAPKES Dmitri	BLR	
8	KEDZIORA Katarzyna	POL	8	KOVALEV Nikolay	RUS	

V	Vomen's	Men's	Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's
	Epée	Epée	Foil	Foil	Sabre	Sabre
1.	ROM	1. HUN	1. ITA	1. ITA	1. UKR	1. ITA
2.	POL	2. SUI	2. RUS	2. RUS	2. RUS	2. ROM
3.	SUI	3. ITA	3. FRA	3. GER	3. ITA	3. FRA
4.	GER	4. POL	4. POL	4. GBR	4. HUN	4. HUN
5.	HUN	5. FRA	5. GER	5. FRA	5. FRA	5. BLR
6.	FRA	6. UKR	6. UKR	6. POL	6. POL	6. RUS
7.	ITA	7. RUS	7. ROM	7. AUT	7. GER	7. GER
8.	RUS	8. NOR	8. HUN	8. ESP	8. ROM	8. ESP

### 2.5.1.2 Junior European Championships

These championships took place in Odense (DEN) from 31 October to 6 November 2009.

# Results - Junior Individual Events

	Women's Epée		Men's Epée			
1.	FIAMINGO Rossella	ITA	1.	CUPR Michal	CZE	
2.	SEREGINA Eugeniya	RUS	2.	MAKIYENKO Yevgeniy	UKR	
3.	PAJU Nelli	EST	3.	HERPE Ido	ISR	
3.	POCHKALOVA Anfisa	UKR	3.	BRUTTINI Lorenzo	ITA	
5.	BERGDAHL Johanna	SWE	5.	JUSSIFOV Kenan	EST	
6.	JAHN Cheryl	GER	6.	HALLER Rudolf	GER	
7.	BATINI Camilla	ITA	7.	BINO Gabriele	ITA	
8.	KOCK Catharina	FIN	8.	ADAMOV Anton	RUS	
	Women's Foil			Men's Foil		
1.	MONACO Beatrice	ITA	1.	GAROZZO Daniele	ITA	
2.	CALISSI Olga Rachele	ITA	2.	SANITA Andre	GER	
3.	KAZHIKINA Ekaterina	RUS	3.	NAKIS Theodoros	GRE	
3.	UDREA Maria	ROU	3.	LECOCQ Hans Joachim	BEL	
5.	DERIGLAZOVA Inna	RUS	5.	KOMISSAROV Dmitry	RUS	
6.	MOSKOVSKA Anastasiya	UKR	6.	GATAI Robert	HUN	
7.	ROMANUS Stephanie	GER	7.	PLOCHARSKI Filip	POL	
8.	LYCZBINSKA Marta	POL	8.	FITZGERALD Jamie	GBR	
	Women's Sabre		Men's Sabre			
1.	GREGORIO Rossella	ITA	1.	SZILAGYI Aron	HUN	
2.	BULICA Mihaela	ROU	2.	HUEBERS Richard	GER	
3.	ILLARIONOVA Anna	RUS	3.	BOTEZATU Maxim	RUS	
3.	SINIGAGLIA Lucrezia	ITA	3.	WILLAU Mathias	AUT	
5.	BUJDOSO Alexandra	GER	5.	WAGNER Benedikt	GER	
6.	VARHELYI Kata	HUN	6.			
7.	KEDZIORA Katarzyna	POL	7.	SBRAGIA Stefano	ITA	
8.	PAIZI Marina	GRE	8.	NUCCIO Riccardo	ITA	

# Results - Junior Team Events

٧	Vomen's Epée		Men's Epée	V	lomen's Foil		Men's Foil	V	Vomen's Sabre		Men's Sabre
1.	ITA	1.	HUN	1.	ITA	1.	ITA	1.	POL	1.	GER
2.	EST	2.	ISR	2.	RUS	2.	RUS	2.	GER	2.	UKR
3.	RUS	3.	ITA	3.	POL	3.	HUN	3.	UKR	3.	ITA
4.	GBR	4.	POL	4.	UKR	4.	GER	4.	HUN	4.	RUS
5.	HUN	5.	GER	5.	HUN	5.	GBR	5.	RUS	5.	POL
6.	SWE	6.	SWE	6.	GER	6.	BLR	6.	ITA	6.	HUN
7.	GER	7.	CZE	7.	ROU	7.	DEN	7.	GBR	7.	ESP
8.	ROU	8.	UKR	8.	SVK	8.	POL	8.	ISL	8.	BLR

# 2.5.2 Asia – Oceania

# 2.5.2.1. Senior Asian Championships

These championships took place in **Doha (QAT) from 13 to 19 November 2009**. The **officials and referees** designated by the FIE were:

Ji Dao	Ming	CHN	President of the Technical Directorate
Ziad	Feriani	TUN	Member of the Technical Directorate
Wael Aya	Husain	KUW	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission

### Referees:

Yefei JIANG	CHN	Richard FUENZALIDA	PHI
Saoud G AL ZAMEL	KUW	Boodratana TRAI	THAI
Myung Jin CHOI	KOR	Aik Ghee NEO	SIN
Kang-Zhao ZHENG	HKG	Qasim Abdulla YAHYA	QAT
Alaa A. FALAH	IRQ	Abdulaziz AL AMODI	QAT
Ghodratollah REZAEE TADI	IRI	Zamal AL SHAMMARI	QAT
Hiroshi HASHIMOTO	JPN	Fahad AL YAMI	QAT
Bilal RAHHAL	JOR	Ahmed AMIR HOSSEIN	QAT
Yevgeniy DYAOKOKIN	KAZ		

Women's Ep	ée	Men's Epée		
1. LUO Xiaojuan	CHN	1. PARK Kyoung Doo	KOR	
2. XU Anqi	CHN	2. JUNG Seung Hwa	KOR	
3. JUNG Hyo-Jung	3. JUNG Hyo-Jung KOR		KOR	
3. OH Yun Hee			CHN	
5. SUN Yujie	CHN	5. LI Guojie	CHN	
6. YEUNG Chui Ling	HKG	6. ALIMZHANOV Elmir	KAZ	
Women's Fo	oil	Men's Foil		
1. NAM Hyun Hee	KOR	1. OTA Yuki	JPN	

2. DAI Huili	CHN	2. ZHU Jun	CHN	
3. JEON Hee Sook	3. JEON Hee Sook KOR		KOR	
3. MORI Yuki	JPN	3. HA Tae-Kyu	KOR	
5. IKEHATA Kanae	JPN	5. LEI Sheng	CHN	
6. HONG Seo In	KOR	6. HUANG Liangcai	CHN	
Women's Sab	re	Men's Sabre		
1. NI Hong	CHN	1. KIM Jung Hwan	KOR	
1. NI Hong 2. CHOW Tsz Ki	CHN HKG	1. KIM Jung Hwan 2. OH Eun Seok	KOR KOR	
2. CHOW Tsz Ki	HKG	2. OH Eun Seok	KOR	
2. CHOW Tsz Ki 3. ZHU Min	HKG CHN	<ul><li>2. OH Eun Seok</li><li>3. ZHONG Man</li></ul>	KOR CHN	
2. CHOW Tsz Ki 3. ZHU Min 3. KIM Keum Hwa	HKG CHN KOR	2. OH Eun Seok 3. ZHONG Man 3. YAMAMOTO Koji	KOR CHN JPN	

Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's
Epée	Epée	Foil	Foil	Sabre	Sabre
1. KOR	1. KOR	1. KOR	1. JPN	1. CHN	1. CHN
2. CHN	2. KAZ	2. CHN	2. CHN	2. KOR	2. JPN
3. HKG	3. CHN	3. JPN	3. KOR	3. HKG	3. KOR
4. JPN	4. JPN	4. HKG	4. HKG	4. JPN	4. KAZ
5. TPE	5. HKG	5. KAZ	5. IRI	5. KAZ	5. IRI
6. VIE	6. AUS	6. SIN	6. QAT	6. THA	6. HKG
7. KAZ	7. MAS	7. AUS	7. KAZ	7. SIN	7. KUW
8. IRI	8. KUW	8. IND	8. MAS	8. IND	8. MAS

# **2.5.3.** America

# 2.5.3.1. Senior Pan-American Championships

These championships took place in **San Salvador (ESA) from 2 to 9 July 2009.** The **officials** and referees designated by the FIE were:

FERJANI	Salah	TUN	Delegate of the Refereeing Commission
CERVANTES	Angeles	MEX	President of the Technical Directorate
SAUCEDO	Lucas Guillermo	ARG	Referee
FINARDI	Luciano	BRA	Referee
MOLA FUENTES	Walfrido	CUB	Referee
KUZNETSOV	Alexey	CAN	Referee
DIAZ FARFAN	Angel	MEX	Referee
BAKER	Bradley	USA	Referee
FINARDI MOLA FUENTES KUZNETSOV DIAZ FARFAN	Luciano Walfrido Alexey Angel	BRA CUB CAN MEX	Referee Referee Referee Referee

	Women's Epée			Men's Epée	
1	HURLEY Courtney	USA	1	LIMARDO Ruben	VEN
2	CAMPBELL Lindsay	USA	2	MATTERN Cody	USA
3	LUGO Eliana	VEN	3	KELSEY Weston	USA
3	ROJAS Karilin	VEN	3	BOISVERT-SIMARD Hugues	CAN
5	HURLEY Kelley	USA	5	LIMARDO Francisco	VEN
6	JIMENEZ LUNA Jesica	PAN	6	MEJIAS Wolfgang	VEN
7	MILLAN Andrea	MEX	7	BAJGORIC Tigran	CAN
8	LAVOIE Gabrielle	POL	8	GOLDANI Lucio	POL

	Women's Foil			Men's Foil	
1	PRESCOD Nzingha	USA	1	GETZ Kurt	USA
2	SUAREZ Yulitza	VEN	2	MEINHARDT Gerek	USA
3	SINGH Ambika	USA	3	LALONDE TURBIDE Etienne	CAN
3	ROSS Nicole	USA	3	CHAMLEY-WATSON Miles	USA
5	RINCONES Marianny	VEN	5	SHIMBO Heitor	BRA
6	COMERFORD Shannon	CAN	6	PRYMACK Anthony	CAN
7	RYAN Kelleigh	CAN	7	GAUDREAU-POLLENDER Julien	CAN
8	KWAN Monica	CAN	8	RODRIGUEZ Carlos Eduardo	VEN
	Women's Sabre			Men's Sabre	
1	ZAGUNIS Mariel	USA	1	ROGERS Jason	USA
2	SCHNEIDER Daria	USA	2	WILLIAMS James	USA
3	AKSAMIT Monica	USA	3	BEAUDRY Philippe	CAN
3	GRENCH Eileen	PAN	3	MOREHOUSE Timothy	USA
5	WOZNIAK Dagmara	USA	5	IGOE Benjamin	USA
6	OVTCHINNIKOVA Olga	CAN	6	RINCONES ALMAO Eliecer	VEN
7	BENITEZ Alejandra	VEN	7	JANSEN Hernan	VEN

Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's
Epée	Epée	Foil	Foil	Sabre	Sabre
1.USA	1. VEN	1. USA	1. USA	1. USA	1. USA
2.CAN	2. CAN	2. CAN	2. BRA	2. VEN	2. VEN
3.VEN	3. USA	3. VEN	3. CAN	3. CAN	3. CAN
4.MEX	4. MEX	4. MEX	4. MEX	4. MEX	4. MEX
5.BOL	5. GUA	5. BRA	5. VEN	5. ESA	5. ESA
6.ESA	6. ESA	6. ESA	6. ESA	6. BRA	6. GUA
	7. BOL	7. GUA	7. BOL	7. DOM	7. BOL
		8. BOL	8. GUA	8. GUA	

# 2.5.4. **AFRICA**

# 2.5.4.1. Senior African Championships

These championships took place in  $\bf Dakar$  (SEN) from 5 to 9 August 2009. The officials and  $\bf referees$  designated by the FIE were:

BERNARDINI	Raniero	ITA	President of the Technical Directorate
FERJANI	Salah	TUN	Refereeing Delegate
MEZAGHCHA	Samir	ALG	Referee
OUEDRAOGO	Julien	BUR	Referee
ALY	Sherif	EGY	Referee
GABY	Bruno	FRA	Referee
KAPOSVARI	Zsolt	HUN	Referee
ZAJI	Abdelilah	MAR	Referee
DJIBO	Hassan	NIG	Referee
RAIZMAN	Alex	RSA	Referee

	Women's Epée			Men's Epée	
1	BESBES Sarra	TUN	1	ALAA EL DIN FAYZ Ayman	EGY
2	ABDEL AZIZ Mona	EGY	2	EL KAFRAWY Ahmed	EGY
3	BEN CHAABANE Imene	TUN	3	SEIF EL DIN Mohaned	EGY
3	EL SAYED Aya	EGY	3	FERJANI Mohamed Ayoub	TUN
5	HOSSAM Eman	EGY	5	EL SAGHIR Ahmed	EGY

6	ABD EL AZIZ Sara	EGY	6	6 RAMI Aissam N	
7	KEMP Caroline	RSA	7	7 MALAHE Michael	
8	NDONG Aminata	SEN	8	EBENGI Cedrick	COD
	Women's Foil			Men's Foil	
1	BOUBAKRI Ines	TUN	1	EL SAYED Alaa El Din	EGY
2	EL GAMMAL Shaimaa	EGY	2	FOUAD Tarek	EGY
3	JABRI Haifa	TUN	3	FERJANI Mohamed Ayoub	TUN
3	SHABAN Iman	EGY	3	MADGY Tarek	EGY
5	ATIF Hanane	MAR	5	SMANDI Mohamed	TUN
6	EL BATRAWY Farah	EGY	6 VILJOEN Jacques I		RSA
7	FAZZANI Mariem	TUN	·		RSA
8	EL SADI Nada	EGY	8	KAMOUN Karim	TUN
	Women's Sabre			Men's Sabre	
1	BESBES Azza	TUN	1	KEITA Mamoudou	SEN
2	FATHALLI Chaima	TUN	2	BEN CHAABENE Iheb	TUN
3	BEN CHAABANE Amira	TUN	3	3 SAMIR Mahmoud E	
3	BESBES Hela	TUN	3	SAKRANI Souhaieb	TUN
5	SARR Adja Yacine	SEN	5	SMANDI Hichem	TUN
6	YASSER Mena Allah	EGY	6	GHAZI Tamim	EGY
7	YANSANE Ndeye Saly	SEN	7	GHAZY Mannad	EGY
8	TOURE Anna N.seck	SEN	8	ABD EL GHAFOUR Mahmoud	d EGY

Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's	Women's	Men's
Epée	Epée	Foil	Foil	Sabre	Sabre
1. TUN 2. EGY 3. RSA 4. SEN 5. COD	1. EGY 2. TUN 3. MAR 4. RSA 5. SEN 6. MLI	1. TUN 2. EGY 3. MAR 4. SEN	1. EGY 2. TUN 3. RSA 4. SEN 5. MAR 6. MLI 7. TOG 8. CIV	1. TUN 2. SEN 3. MAR 4. TOG	1. TUN 2. EGY 3. SEN 4. MAR 5. COD 6. MLI 7. TOG

#### 3. AID FROM THE FIE TO THE NATIONAL FEDERATIONS AND CONFEDERATIONS

Within the framework of the Confederations Development Plan, the FIE organised and financed various actions for a total budget of 2,040,000 CHF.

#### I. Participation

#### **Participation in FIE meetings**

The FIE invested the following amounts for the President of each federation to attend the FIE meetings:

- 2009 General Assembly in Belfast: 66 Federations received aid from the FIE for their plane tickets and hotel rooms, total: 76,387 CHF
- 2009 Congress in Palermo: the confederations received 233,700 CHF for the plane tickets and hotel rooms of the Presidents of the 134 Member Federations of the FIE.

#### Participation in the 2009 World Championships

The FIE invested a total of 386,329 CHF for the participation of 3 athletes per national federation competing in the 2009 World Championships:

- 2 athletes per federation for the 2009 J/C World Championships (75 federations):
   178,789 CHF
- One athlete per federation for the 2009 Senior World Championships: 207,540 CHF

#### **II. Material Aid**

#### 2009 J/C World Championships

80 National Federations competing in the 2009 J/C World Championships received 5 full fencing outfits. The amount paid by the FIE came to 197,945.98 euros, taking into account that the partnership with Allstar allowed a discount of:

- 50% off the retail price up to 110,000 euros
- 20% off the retail price above 110,000 euros

### African Championships

Senegal was granted material aid for the organisation of the African Championships.

#### Other

The following also received material aid: Paraguay, Jordan, Sri Lanka, Palestine, Afghanistan, Thailand, Syria, Myanmar, Iraq and Lebanon.

#### III. Actions specific to each Confederation

For 2008-2009, the Development Plan of each confederation defined actions specific to each Confederation and they received subsidies from the FIE on top of the aid and amounts mentioned above.

In July 2009, each confederation received for these specific actions:

Europe: 146,094 CHF

Africa: 20,000 CHF for the participation of the athletes in the African Championships

America: 74,437 CHF

Asia: 69,513 CHF in material aid

Oceania: 23,190 CHF

### IV. Prizes given to athletes during the World Championships

#### 2009 J/C World Championships

In partnership with the foundation "For the Future of Fencing", the medallists in each cadet weapon and each junior weapon at the 2009 J/C World Championships received an equipment voucher from FIE's partner Allstar/Uhlmann:

Fencer ranking 1st: 1500 USD voucher

Fencer ranking 2<sup>nd</sup>: 1000 USD Fencer ranking 3<sup>rd</sup>: 500 USD

These prizes amounted to a total of 42,000 USD.

#### 2009 Senior World Championships

In partnership with the foundation "For the Future of Fencing", the athletes and teams with medals in each weapon of the 2009 Senior World Championships received the following prizes:

### **Individual Events**

Fencer ranking 1<sup>st</sup>: 10,000 USD Fencer ranking 2<sup>nd</sup>: 5,000 USD Fencer ranking 3<sup>rd</sup>: 3,000 USD

### **Team Events**

Team ranking 1<sup>st</sup>: 10,000 USD Team ranking 2<sup>nd</sup>: 5,000 USD Team ranking 3<sup>rd</sup>: 3,000 USD

These prizes amounted to a total of 234,000 USD.

#### IV. Fencer training camps

Since 2002, the FIE has organised 14 one-week camps before the World Championships, covering all the technical, organisational aspects as well as the costs involved for the participants up until the end of the individual championships.

In 2009, the FIE organised a preparatory camp for the Junior and Cadet World Championships in Belfast: 25 fencers in the three weapons.

In detail, the following objectives were pursued:

□ Encourage and facilitate the participation of all the National Federations at the World
Championships
□ Offer a week of intensive preparation to fencers who do not always have enough training
partners to allow them to aim for the international top-level
□ Help young talented fencers discover all of that is involved content and structure-wise in a
modern training session
□ Enable the athletes to benefit from the advice of very experienced fencing masters and for
them to set their hearts on putting this advice into practice
☐ Ensure a first contact with the international fencing elite in the best conditions possible so as
to encourage them to increase their efforts and for them to return to their training halls as
fencing examples

#### VI. Training course for coaches

The main goals aimed were: the ability to teach the basics correctly and to consciously use the teaching methodology.

The training course schedule was set at 30 hours a week, spread out over 10 sessions.

Each course ended with an exam and the awarding of diploma.

The same type of training was held on each continent in all weapons.

The FIE covered the teaching and participants' expenses there.

### **Europe**

A foil course took place in Bucharest (ROU) from 1 September to 30 October 2009. 14 individuals from 10 European countries (Bulgaria, Croatia, Finland, Holland, Sweden, Romania, Ukraine, Great Britain, Serbia and Moldova) followed this course.

The experts teaching were: Alek MOVSHOVICI (Russia), a university professor in Moscow, and Petru KUKI (Romania), former coach of the national Romanian team.

#### Asia

A sabre course took place in Tokyo (JPN) from 15 September to 15 November.

14 individuals from 13 Asian countries (Palestine, Jordan, Malaysia, Qatar, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Vietnam, India, Iran, Japan, Hong Kong, Thailand and Australia) attended this course.

The experts teaching were: Krzsystof GZEGOREK (Poland), an excellent former sabreur and National Technical Director for 15 years, and Tadeusz PIGULA (Poland), a sports teacher and former coach of the national Polish sabre team.

#### **America**

An épée course took place in Mexico City (MEX) from 1 October to 30 November.

21 individuals attended this course from 13 American countries: Honduras, Colombia, Canada, Ecuador, Dominican Republic, Nicaragua, Argentina, Chile, Brazil, Peru, El Salvador, Mexico and Uruquay.

The experts teaching were: Danka Sandor (HUN) and Rozsvari Nandor (HUN).

# VII. Training and professional development schools for fencing masters and continental centres

**In Dakar,** the training school founded in 1999 perfectly fulfils its role. Without this school, the development of African fencing would have remained an impossible task. The school had the following initial aims:

- To train fencing masters to benefit the new African federations
- To retrain the African fencing masters
- To help the new federations set up
- Top-level training for the African fencers

The international school for fencing masters EIMA opened its doors to a new class of students (the 5<sup>th</sup>) in October 2008. This new class has eight students: Senegal (2), Côte d'Ivoire (2), DR of Congo (2), Niger (1) and Tunisia (1).

The first year of studies focuses entirely on learning about fencing and the knowledge of anatomy and physiology needed to practice the profession of fencing master well.

Furthermore, the first year student familiarises himself/herself with the texts that govern the International federation and the African Fencing Confederation.

During the second semester of the first year, the students start participating in the Senegalese national championships. In 2009, they represented their country at the African Championships held in Dakar. This gave them the experience of an international competition. Later on in the year, the students from Congo who were members of their national fencing team took part in the World Championships in Antalya.

In addition to these students, two of the best fencing masters among those who graduated in 2006 and 2008 are living in Dakar to train with the Senegalese fencers in decent conditions in order to be able to represent their country in the international competitions. This makes it possible to evaluate at the same time the option of opening a top-level training section at EIMA.

The second year of the course started in October 2009.

The teaching will be mostly based around how to teach fencing, research and top-level training, refereeing and additional modules relating to sports psychology, marketing and knowledge of the Olympic movement.

It will end with a final exam, under the supervision of FIE experts, for the diploma of FIE fencing master.

The teaching is ensured by the following fencing masters:

- Pape TOURE (Senegal) and John KAMATE (DR Congo), Sabre
- Julien OUEDRAOGO (Burkina Faso), Foil
- Seydou COLY (Senegal) taught épée during the first year. He then left EIMA and will be replaced by Baytir Sidy DIOP (Senegal)

In Beijing, the Asian Centre

A sabre training camp was held in Beijing from 5 to 25 February 2009, bringing together 29 athletes from 15 Asian countries.

3 Chinese experts were chosen:

- Mr Jiang Yei Fei
- Mr Zhang Shi Yong
- Mr Li Qing Feng

#### In Melbourne, a centre for Oceania

The Oceania Fencing Confederation and the FIE established an awareness programme for the Olympic Committees of the different countries on the continent to create new national fencing federations.

The programme notably plans to send the fencing masters on technical training courses.

This FIE training school provides a unique opportunity for Oceania to encourage the vocation of fencing master and to perfect the teaching of the already existing fencing masters.

In Australia, these courses are part of the national accreditation system of professional competence.

In 2009, the Oceania Fencing Master Academy (OFMA) coordinated 5 level-1 courses in different States/Territories of Australia: in Perth, Melbourne, Canberra, Sydney and Brisbane.

10 coaches were accredited or re-accredited by OFMA in 2009:

Level 1: 7 Level 2: 2 Level 3: 1

#### IX. Olympic Solidarity Courses

#### Indonesia

Weapon: Epée For: coaches

Date: 24-30 October 2009

Expert appointed: Xing XU (CHN)

#### Sierra Leone

Long course "Development of the National Structure"

For: coaches and instructors from several areas of the country

Date: 25 October to 10 November 2009, 15-22 March 2010 and 10-15 May 2010

Expert appointed: Julien Ouedraogo (BUR)