



SENIOR FENCING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS MOSCOU 2015

INFORMATION FOR DELEGATIONS





I - SCHEDULE OF EVENT

Official detailed schedule for each day will be published the previous day at 16h00

	09h00 18h00	Equipment and weapon control Training session				
FROM 10 JULY	09h00 18h00	Start of accreditation				
	10h00 13h00	Start of the payments of the individual & team entry fee				
	10h00 14h00	Referees meeting at Hotel "Holiday Inn Sushevskyi"				
12 JULY	11h00 12h00	Directoire Technique meeting Competition Venue (Main hall "Olimpiysky")				
	12h00	The following information are published at the Competition Venue and on the website: - list of participants by countries in women and men sabre - list of participants by the initial ranking in women and men sabre [information for each weapon will be published at 12h00 on the day preceding the event]				
	15h00	Deadline to make remarks on the displayed information [same deadline applies for each weapon on the day preceding the event]				
	16h00	The composition of the pools is published in the Competition Venue, in the official hotels and on the website [the same applies for each weapon on the day preceding the event]				
10 11117	10h00	Women's sabre individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64			
13 JULY	12h30	Men's sabre individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64			
	10h30	Women's sabre individual	DE of 64, semi finals, final			
	11h40	Men's sabre individual	DE of 64, semi finals, final			
14 JULY	09h00	Men's epee individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64			
	14h00	Women's epee individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64			
	OPENING CEREMONY					





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	11h00	Women's epee individual	DE of T64, semi finals, final		
15 JULY	12h10	Men's epee individual	DE of T64, semi finals, final		
	09h00	Men's foil individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64		
	13h00	Women's foil individual	Pools, Preliminary DE up to T64		
	08h30	Women's foil individual	DE of T64, semi finals, final		
14 11117	10h00	Men's foil individual	DE of T64, semi finals, final		
16 JULY	10h30	Women's sabre team	Preliminary DE up to T8		
	12h20	Men's sabre team	Preliminary DE up to T8		
	11h10	Women's sabre team	DE of T8, semi finals, final		
	13h50	Men's sabre team	DE of T8, semi finals, final		
	09h00	Women's epee team	Preliminary DE up to T8		
	10h30	Men's epee team	Preliminary DE up to T8		
	11h45	Women's epee team	DE of T8, semi finals, final		
18 JULY	12h45	Men's epee team	DE of T8, semi finals, final		
	08h30	Women's foil team	Preliminary DE up to T8		
	10h30	Men's foil team	Preliminary DE up to T8		
19 JULY	09h00	Women's foil team	DE of T8, semi finals, final		
	12h15	Men's foil team DE of T8, semi finals, final			
	CLOSING CEREMONY				





II - CONFIRMATION AND ACCREDITATION

- 1. The accreditation will remain operational until the end of the World Championships. ("Olimpiyskiy"- 3 floor)
- 2. Neither the fencers nor the coaches will have access to the competition area without their valid accreditations
- 3. The attendance of a fencer is confirmed once is registered at the FIE website
- 4. The participation of athletes in individual and team events is validated when collecting their accreditation, no later than 14h00 the day before athletes have their first competition. Fencers do not need to present themselves at the Directoire Technique
- 5. Federations who have not yet made their payments are asked to settle their accounts with FIE Secretary Treasurer Mr. Jacek Bierkowski or FIE by 12h00 on 12 July, 2015





III - INDIVIDUAL COMPETITIONS

- At 12h00 on the day preceding the event the Directoire Technique will publish at the Competition Venue and on the internet the following information:
 - the list of participants by country
 - the list of participants by initial ranking

15h00 is the deadline for all remarks, objections or withdrawals presented Directoire Technique. No changes will be accepted beyond this deadline.

- The Directoire Technique will publish at 16h00 on the information panels in the Competition Venue, at 17h00 in the "pigeon holes" and the official hotels: Holiday Inn Sushevskyi, Cosmos and Azimut the following information:
 - final composition of the pools.
 - times and piste allocation
 - competition format
 - list of the 16 exempted fencers
 - The final Direct Elimination tables of 64 will be displayed every evening of the respective qualifications days at the Competition Venue information points, on the website, at the official hotels and in the "pigeon holes".

IV - TEAM COMPETITIONS

- The Directoire Technique must be notified about any changes related to the teams by 10h00 the day preceding the event.
- Direct Elimination tables of 64 (or 32) will be posted in the Competition Venue the day preceding the team event at 16h00.
- Preliminary tables will be fenced in the Preliminary Hall and on the color pistes no. 1-4. Qualifying matches T 9-16 will be fenced on the day of the respective preliminaries.
- Final Direct Elimination tables of 8 will be posted after the Preliminary Competition (T64, T32, T16).





V - COMPETITION VENUE

The Competition Venue ("Olimpiskiy") is divided as follows:

First floor: Training area, Team boxes, Main Info Desk, Main Hall (4 color pistes and final podium), Call Room, Referees' Room, Directoire Technique, Preliminary Hall (pistes no 5-28), color pistes no. 1-4, Weapons Control, Mail Boxes, Medical Room, Mixed Zone.



Second floor: VIP Offices, Press Centre, VIP lounge, Doping Control - Total number of pistes available for the competition is 33

Preliminary Hall: equipped with 24 pistes

Warm-up area: pistes no. 21-28 are available throughout the whole competition

Training Venue: the official training venue has 18 pistes for training purposes. The training hall is open: 09ho0-13h00 and 14h00-19h00 each day from July, 10.





VI - EQUIPMENT AND WEAPON CONTROL

On July 10th, 11th and 12th all equipment will be accepted for control according to the following time schedule:

- From 08:00 equipment reception for checking
- From 14:00 equipment delivery

From the 13th July only the equipment for the next day's event will be accepted for control according to the above schedule. It is requested to group each type of equipment in different bags.

- The electric parts to be packed into a bag (points 1-4, tab. 1).
- The weapons to be packed in a separate bag.
- Not electric part of the equipment (points 5-9, tab. 1) and masks in another bag.

The list and quantity of the equipment accepted at weapon control:

		Foil		Epee		Sabre	
		min	max	min	max	min	max
1	Weapon	3	4	3	4	3	4
2	Body wire	2	4	3	4	3	4
3	Mask wire	2	4			2	4
4	Electric Jacket	1	2			1	2
5	Mask (no visor)	1	2	1	2	1	2
6	Under-plastron	1	2	1	2	1	2
7	Jacket	1	2	1	2]	2
8	Breeches]	2	1	2]	2
9	Sabre glove	1	2	1	2	1	2

During the weapon control the required pressure on the point d'arret will not be checked! In the Call Room the minimum number of weapon requested from the fencers is 3, the minimum number of body wire is 2.

For the weapon and equipment control process an automated electronic control system will be used. If the quantity of equipment does not correspond to the above table per teams, the terminal will not give the requested coupon for the weapon control.

Each fencer must appear on the piste with clothing conforming to the rules as follows: the wearing of national strips (logos) is compulsory on both legs, and all the logos worn by the fencers of the same team must be identical.

The name and the nationality of the fencer has to be printed on the back of the jackets conforming with the rules of the FIE.

During the World Championships it will be possible to print the name and the nationality of the fencers on the jacket! This service will be offered by fencing equipment suppliers.





VII - MEDICAL STATIONS

Medical stations will be at the following places

- 1) Main Hall
- 2) Preliminary Hall
- 3) Warm-up Area

VIII - ACCESS TO THE FENCING AREA

Only the designated fencers, referees and piste staff are granted access to the pistes. No access will be granted to the colored pistes, podium fencing area without sport shoes and long pants. Athletes in the fencing area must keep their belongings in closed fencing bags at the end of the piste.

• Individual competitions

- one coach per athlete and per piste is allowed to stay team box
- athletes should be present in Call Room rooms for 30 minutes prior to the beginning DE T32
- coaches cannot be present in call room

• Team competitions

- the team captain and one more person are allowed to stay in the box reserved for teams (only 6 persons)
- all fencers and referees must report to:
 the piste 15 minutes before the beginning of the pools
 the piste 10 minutes before the beginning of the match Pre DE(T128,T64)
- -athletes should be present in The Call Room 30 minutes before the beginning of the DE T32
- athletes should be present in the Call Room 20 minutes before the beginning of the DE T 16, T8

IX - OFFICES AND ROOMS

FIE President's office	Competition Venue / Southern entrance			
FIE Administration and Treasury (Bureau FIE)	Competition Venue / Southern entrance			
Directoire Technique, Referee's Delegates	Competition Venue / main hall			
Medical's Delegates	Competition Venue / main hall			
Accreditation and Information	Competition Venue / 3rd floor			
Equipment Control	Competition Venue / main hall			
Communication, information and results for the	Competition Venue / main hall			
delegations	· ·			
Press Room and press gallery	Competition Venue / 3rd floor			
Press gallery- Press room	Competition Venue / 3rd floor tribune			
Accreditation and Information	Competition Venue / 3rd floor Southern entrance			





X - INFORMATION POINTS

Two fixed information points are at the Competition Venue:

- the first posting area will be near the wall of the Directoire Technique
- the second bulletin board will be on the wall at the main entrance for athletes Screens and display monitors in the Competition Venue will be placed at the following places:
 - 1) Accreditation room
 - 2) Call Room and Referees' Room
 - 3) Press Room
 - 4) VIP and Presidents' Room
 - 5) FIE offices and the Directoire Technique
 - 7) Catering restaurant
 - 8) Qualification hall
 - 9) Casual zone/VIP restaurant
 - 10) At the entrance of the athletes' complex
 - 11) Near the VIP stands
 - 12) The entrance of the Competition Venue
 - 13) The vendors' room
 - 14) All public and athlete meeting places.

XI - CONFIRMATION OF RESULTS

- 1) The fencers are responsible for checking if the results in their pool and the Direct Elimination sheets are recorded correctly. The screens placed in different locations will allow a quick verification of the updated results of the round of pools and Direct Elimination matches.
- 2) To avoid any kind of error the Directoire Technique will publish the results of the pools and the list of qualified and eliminated fencers as soon as the round of pools is over. Delegations must submit any protest to the Directoire Technique within 10 minutes. After this deadline, the ranking will not be modified.
- 3) The Direct Elimination tables, together with the schedule and pistes, will be posted after this 10 minutes period and after each round of the Direct Elimination.
- 4) Only documents presented at the information stand are official (result of preliminary competitions of groups, an individual ranking)
- 5) No calls will be made via microphone.





XII - RUNNING OF THE INDIVIDUAL DE TABLE

- For T64 all fencers must be present in the official warm-up area (pistes 20-28) 40 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their matches.
- Fencers must report to the Call Room (without weapon control) 20 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their matches to be lead to the colored pistes at the scheduled time. Coaches are not allowed to be in the Call Room.
- The winners of the T64 matches will be lead back to the Call Room for carrying out of procedure of wireless equipment immediately.
- Equipment Control in the Call Room will be from T32 (in earlier stages equipment control will be made on the piste).
- Wireless system is to be used from the T32 at all three weapons. Wireless system will be controlled in the Call Room. Foil and sabre fencers must provide their own conductive t-shirts.

Attention! Athletes should have T-shirts for wireless fencing with control mark! Sabre and foil conductive T-shirts are different.

- The athletes' conductive T-shirts (foil and sabre) are to be checked and approved (sealed) by the weapon control's officials under the supervision of a member of the FIE's SEMI Commission in the Call Room. The control mark (stamp) will be verified by the referee once the fencers appear on piste.
- The SEMI delegates will remit the weapons in closed fencing bags, which will be carried by volunteers who will escort the athletes to the colored pistes.
- The bag is to remain closed for the entirety and put in the team box under the supervision of the volunteer. During the one minute break, or when it is needed, the volunteer will bring to the athlete a chair, a towel, some water and the spare weapon.
- Athletes are to leave the Call Room ready to fence, mask in hand and weapon already plugged into their body wires.

Attention! In case the fencer does not report to the Call Room at the appointed time (according to time specified in the schedule) the sanction in the rules (art t.120) will apply.





XIII - RUNNING OF THE TEAM DE TABLE

- For the T 64, T32 and T16 teams must report to the piste 10 minutes before the scheduled beginning of their bouts.
- After the termination of the preliminary competitions, all teams being part of the final stage
 of tournament (T8) should hand over masks to representatives of company in charge with
 wireless fencing for installation procedure by the wireless equipment. Representatives of the
 teams can receive the masks next day or for 2 hours prior to the beginning T8 (a final stage
 of tournament of teams).
- Teams being part of the competitions T8 should arrive in Call Room for 30 minutes prior to the beginning of competitions.
- The winners of the T8 matches will be lead back to the Call Room immediately.
- Equipment Control in the Call Room will be from T8 (in earlier stages equipment control will be made on the piste). Equipment will be controlled in the Team Boxes during the matches.
- Wireless system will be used from the T8 at all three weapons. Wireless system will be controlled in the Call Room. Foil and sabre fencers must provide their own conductive t-shirts.

Attention! Sabre and foil conductive t-shirts are different.

- The athletes' conductive T-shirts (foil and sabre) are to be checked and approved (sealed) by the weapons control officials under the supervision of a member of the FIE's SEMI Commission in the Call Room. The control mark (stamp) will be verified by the referee once the fencers appear on piste.
- The teams will have designated areas, sectioned off by barriers, near the colored pistes and pistes 1-4. Team members must remain within these areas during the team matches.
- From the T8, weapons are to be remitted to volunteers by the SEMI delegates in closed fencing bags. The volunteers will escort teams to the colored pistes. The bags are to remain closed for the entirety of the team matches.

Attention! In case the team does not report to the Call Room at the appointed time (according to time specified in the schedule) the sanction in the rules (art t.120) will apply.





XIV - VIDEO-REFEREEING AND DESIGNATION OF REFEREES AND VIDEO-CONSULTANTS

VIDEO REFEREEING

Video-refereeing is used in all three weapons from the T64 at the individual events and starting from the T16 (sabre and foil) and T8 (epee) at the team competitions.

DESIGNATION OF REFEREES AND VIDEO-CONSULTANTS

The designation of referees and video-consultants is done according to art. t.37 and t.38 of the Technical Rules.