

Travel Subsidy for Teams' Captains/Trainers

By the request of the European Chess Union and approval by the FIDE Development Commission, support of 25,000 euro will be distributed to 10 European Federations which will take part in the European Team Chess Championship 2019, in Batumi, Georgia (23rd October - 3rd November 2019).

The subsidy will amount 2500 euros for each federation application approved by the ECU and concerns the total expenses for a trainer/captain (travel, hotel expenses, and 1000 euros stipend).

For the support **eligible to apply are the European Federations which are placed in the FIDE development levels 2 to 5.**

ECU invites those federations, to express their interest to the European Chess Union by a letter **till Friday 19th of July 2019**, 16.00 CET. In the letter shall be included the name of the Trainer/Captain who shall be a licenced FIDE Trainer and if the federation will compete in open or women section or both.

If the number of requests exceeds the ten (10 x 2500 euros), ECU will select the applications with the following criteria in order:

1. Lowest development level from 5 to 2
2. The applicant federation competes also with a women team.
3. The level and experience of the proposed Captain/Trainer

Eligible European Federations to apply:

FIDE 2 to 5 Chess development levels			
1	Austria	2	Europe
2	Belgium	2	Europe

3	Bosnia and Herzegovina	2	Europe
4	Estonia	2	Europe
5	Faroe Islands	2	Europe
6	Finland	2	Europe
7	Ireland	2	Europe
8	Lithuania	2	Europe
9	Luxembourg	2	Europe
10	Moldova	2	Europe
11	Monaco	2	Europe
12	Montenegro	2	Europe
13	North Macedonia	2	Europe
14	Portugal	2	Europe
15	Scotland	2	Europe
16	Slovakia	2	Europe
17	Albania	3	Europe
18	Andorra	3	Europe
19	Kosovo	3	Europe
20	Malta	3	Europe
21	Wales	3	Europe
22	Cyprus	4	Europe
23	Guernsey	4	Europe
24	Jersey	4	Europe
25	Liechtenstein	4	Europe
26	San Marino	4	Europe