



## ARBITERS' COUNCIL

### FA AND IO SEMINARS IN TRIESTE – SEPTEMBER 2019

FUNDED FOR 40 FEMALE PARTICIPANTS (20+20)

#### 1. GENERAL

The European Chess Union, with the cooperation of the Italian Arbiters' Commission on behalf of Italian Chess Federation and the FIDE Development Commission organises a multiple-field training event especially dedicated to female participants.

The objective of the event is to develop women's activity in Chess as per the priorities set by the European Chess Union for the available FIDE Development Fund for Europe.

Hence, the European Chess Union hosts two Seminars: FA Seminar and IO Seminar to be held concurrently with the Trieste International Chess Festival that runs on September 01-08, 2019, in the City of Trieste, with special provisions for 40 places for female participants funded through the program. For those 40 places, will be covered full board accommodation and FIDE exam fee.

Both the Seminars will be held in English language.

#### 2. VENUE AND DATES

The venue will be the city of Trieste, Italy, close to the Slovenian and Austrian borders, connected to the Italian, Austrian and Slovenian railway network. International Airports in Trieste (40 km), Venice (155 km) and Ljubljana (115 km).

The seminars will be hosted in Ippodromo di Montebello, Piazza de Gasperi 4, Trieste TS – Italy c/o the Restaurant Hall.

The event will run from Sunday, Sep. 1 to Saturday, Sep. 7, 2019.

#### 3. SCHEDULE

Sunday, Sep. 1	FA Seminar // arrival day
Monday, Sep. 2	FA Seminar // 6 hours (09:00 – 12:00 / 15:00 – 18:00)
Tuesday, Sep. 3	FA Seminar // 6 hours (09:00 – 12:00 / 15:00 – 18:00)
Wednesday, Sep. 4	FA Seminar // 7 hours (09:00 – 12:00 / 15:00 – 19:00)
Wednesday, Sep. 4	IO Seminar // arrival day
Wednesday, Sep. 4.	IO Seminar // 4 hours (15:00 – 19:00)
Thursday, Sep. 5	FA Seminar // examination test (09:00 – 11:00)
Thursday, Sep. 5	FA Seminar // departing day
Thursday, Sep. 5	IO Seminar // 7 hours (09:00 – 12:00 / 15:00 – 19:00)
Friday, Sep. 6	IO Seminar // 7 hours (09:00 – 12:00 / 15:00 – 19:00)
Saturday, Sep. 7	IO Seminar // examination test (09:00 – 12:00)
Saturday, Sep. 7	IO Seminar // departing day

#### 4. ACCOMMODATION

Hotel Milano \*\*\*, Via Carlo Ghega, 17, 34132 Trieste TS – Italy

Single room: euros 67,00 euros per night, B&B (including taxes)

Double room: euros 79,00 per night, B&B (including taxes)

Meals in agreement facilities: euros 18,00 per meal.

#### 5. PARTICIPANTS

5.1. For each Seminar 30 places are available for participants from European Federations.



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5.2. Among them 20 places per seminar, 40 in total are funded by the project: participants will be granted full board accommodation, free participation and coverage of Fide Exam fee.

Travel expenses are not covered.

The 40 free places for participants will be selected according to the following criteria in order:

- Federations Members: one at least places out of 40 will be granted to each federation applies.
- Rest participants will be selected according their chess experience & strength.
- One female applicant may apply for one or both seminars but can be approved for 1 depending the number of applications.

After the deadline, if the applications were more than 40 (20+20) ECU will make a list of the people entitled to be funded and confirm the applications.

5.3. For the remaining 10 places per seminar, the participant will pay a fee of 50 euros including the seminar and the Fide Exam fee.

The participants themselves will cover accommodation and travel expenses.

## **6. APPLICATIONS**

Applicants requiring an unfunded position may apply sending an email to [t.delega@gazeta.pl](mailto:t.delega@gazeta.pl) with copy to [ecu.secretary.general@gmail.com](mailto:ecu.secretary.general@gmail.com) submitting application form (only section A).

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The deadline is **Friday July 19<sup>th</sup>**.

After the deadline, ECU will make the selection according to the abovementioned criteria and confirm the participation. People applying for unfunded positions may pay the fee within 7 days from the confirmation and send the receipt to the abovementioned addresses. After this term, applicants will be dismissed and the position reassigned.

Before booking tickets or accommodation all the applicants may wait for a confirmation coming from ECU after July 19<sup>th</sup>.

## **7. CONTACTS**

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## **8. ANNEXES**

- Application form

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