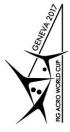
FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE



GENEVA FIG ACRO WORLD CUP GENEVA, SWITZERLAND 25 - 27 MAY 2017 B CATEGORY



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Event ID: 14925

Dear affiliated Member Federation,

Following the decision of the FIG Presidential Commission, the Gymnastics Federation of **SWITZERLAND** has the pleasure to invite your Federation to participate in the aforementioned official FIG World Cup.

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	10 minutes from Geneva Airport/Railway		
VENUE	Centre Sportif Bois-des-Frères (Sports Complex)		
DATE	From May 25th to May 27th, 2017		
LOCATION	Geneva, Switzerland		
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	Competition and warm-	up hall : 55 x 37m x 8 (high), one of the most beautiful		
	Sports Complex in Swit	zerland (European prize of metallic construction in 1989),		
APPARATUS		Geneva Airport/Railway Cointrin.		
SUPPLIER	Competition and Training Floor - Janssen Fritsen Warm-up Floor - Dima			
PROVISIONAL	Tuesday, May 23th	Arrival of all Delegations		
SCHEDULE		Free Training (warm-up and training floors)		
		Podium Training with music (afternoon only)		
	Wednesday, May 24th Arrival of all Delegations			
		Orientation Meeting		
		Podium Training with music as per schedule		
	Thursday, May 25th	Judges Meeting		
		Opening Ceremony		
		Qualification - 1st Exercise		
	Friday, May 26th	Judges Meeting		
	0-1	Qualification - 2nd Exercise		
	Saturday, May 27th	Judges Meeting		
		Finals		
		Award Ceremony		
	Sunday, May 28th	Banquet & Farewell Party Departure of all Delegations		
PARTICIPATION	19	petitions consist of Qualifications and Finals in all 5		
	categories.			
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	Participation in the Qualifications:			
	All competitors must take part in the qualifications.			
	 In case of a tie at any place, the tie breaking rules as set up for the W Championships shall be applied. Nevertheless the gymnasts not qualified the finale and with some final energy will receive the some World Cup points. 			
	the linais and with sa	me final score will receive the same World Cup points.		
	Participation in the Finals: Category A and B tournaments must offer a Final in all 5 categories.			
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		with no more than 2 per NF/per category from the		
		for the Finals. If there are less than 9 units, only 6 will		
	•	with no more than 2 pairs or groups per NF.		
		Organizing Member Federation has not qualified in any nate one participation in max. 1 category of its choice.		
		n in the finals is therefore 8+1 participants in one category		
	 and 8 in the other four categories. Such "Wild Card Participant" must have participated in the respective category in the qualification. 			
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	World Cup Competitions may exceptionally be combined with oth Competition.			
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		countries registered in a category. In case of such a		
	less than 4			
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	member Federations (NF).		
	 The participating member Federations (NF) may cancel its participation in a specific category without any penalty or payment for fees, accommodation and meals already booked, in case of less than 4 participating countries in that category after the definitive deadlines. Procedure and deadlines for the cancellation of a category by the LOC or participation by the NF is as follows: FIG shall inform LOC and NF about the participation, within 5 days after the Definitive registration deadline. LOC and NF have the possibility to cancel the event (in a specific category) respectively their participation within 5 days after information by the FIG. Such notification must be sent by e-mail or fax to the FIG. Cancellations after this deadline will not be accepted. 		
"HORS CONCOURS" GYMNASTS	The Organizing Member Federation is allowed to add only for the of "hors concours" competitors. These competitors are in addition to participants of the Organizing Member Federation's competitors; the named before the start of the qualifications and cannot qualify for the will have to start first. The Organizing Member Federation is allowed to name 1 Men's Pair, Pair, 1 Mixed pair, 1 Women's Group and 1 Men's Group as "hor competitors.	, 1 Women's rs concours"	
FEDERATIONS INVITED	The Organising Member Federation must invite all FIG Member Federations who have paid their annual membership fee for Acrobatic Gymnastics.		
SIZE OF DELEGATION AND FIG LICENCE	Participation is limited to 3 "units" per NF in each category. Only senior gymnasts in good standing with the correct age and holding a valid FIG License may participate. The Organizing Committee will be responsible for checking the validity of the gymnast' Licenses. No gymnasts will be accepted without a valid FIG License at the deadline of the Nominative Registration. The Organising Member Federation (OMF) may limit the participation with criteria to be defined by the OMF. Those criteria must be approved by the FIG.		
	The maximum size of the invited delegation is as follows:		
	Head of delegation Team Manager (if 4 and more units) (if 8 and more units) Coaches (if 1 units) (if 2 to 5 units) (if 6 to 8 and more units) (if 9 and more units) (if 9 and more units) Gymnasts (3 units per category) Medical Doctor Paramedical Staff (if 1 to 3 units) (if 4 and more units) Judges A unit being a pair or a group.	1 1 2 1 2 3 4 39 1 1 2 2 2	
AGE LIMITS	Out of competition gymnasts will not be accepted Age limit: minimum 15 years (born in 2002 or before)		
JUDGES AND JURIES	The number of Juries (judges' panels) may be decided by the organiz federation depending on the number of participating competitors and ju		

	The Juries are set up by a draw - directed by the FIG Technical Representation from the judges present at the event. Priority will be given to the judges of highest category.			
	A jury must consist of one Chair of Judges' Panel, 4 Artistic, 4 Difficulty judges. No panel may include more than one member from a single fede			
	the CJP and D judges) Please see also "General and ACRO Specific Judges' Rules".			
	The FIG Technical Representative will serve as President of the Superior Jury.			
	Each participating federation must provide minimum one judge. Failure to do so will result in a fine of Swiss Francs 2'000 to be paid to the Organizing Member Federation.			
	The Organizing Member Federation is responsible that there are enough FIG brevetted judges present with the appropriate category of brevet for their function. Should there not be sufficient judges, the Organizing Member Federation may propose to the FIG for approval the name of neutral additional judges to complete			
	the panels (plus 1 reserve). These judges, once approved, have to be invited at the cost of the Organizing Member Federation. Should the Organizing Member Federation fail to propose names for additional judges, the FIG will invite such			
FIG TECHNICAL DELEGATE AND EC MEMBER	judges at the cost of the Organizing Member Federation. The FIG Technical Delegate and EC member (if applicable) will be designated by the FIG. The FIG Technical Delegate will serve as President of the Superior Jury.			
REGISTRATION DEADLINES	Definitive and Nominative Registrations must be made exclusively on-line via the FIG website (<u>http://www.fig-gymnastics.com</u>) or accordingly. These registrations will only be accepted from FIG Gymnastics Member Federations.			
	Definitive registration:March 15th, 2017(2 months prior to the event)Nominative registrationApril 26th, 2017(4 weeks prior to the event)			
	Last registrations are subject to fines as follows:			
	Fine for missing or late Definitive registration	CHF 750		
	Fine for missing or late Nominative registration	CHF 500		
	Registrations and payments made after the gymnasts' drawing of lots will not be accepted and the Delegation members concerned will not be authorized to participate.			
DRAWING OF LOTS	The drawing of lots will take place at the FIG Headquarters in Lausanne (SUI) two weeks after the closing date of the nominative registration. After publication of the draw on the FIG website, the member Federation will be given an opportunity to modify the position of their gymnasts' starting order within 3 days by using the official document to be found on FIG website			
ENTRY FEES	The entry fees, if any, have to be approved by FIG. The non-reimbursable cost for the Entry Fee is of <u>CHF 70</u> per gymnast. The invited participating federations must pay for all entry fees. At the time of the definitive registration (<u>March 15th, 2017</u>), 100% of the entry fee must be paid to the OC. The entry fee is not refundable.			

ACCOMMODATION	**** Stars Hotel (Option 1) SUITE NOVOTEL, Cointrin (40 rooms), 10 minutes from Geneva Airport/Railway		
	Hotel to Sports Complex : 10 minutes by bus / 20 minutes by foot The costs per person/night in this hotel are as follows :		
	CHF 240 single room CHF 160 double room CHF 130 triple room		
	*** Stars Hotel (Option 2) IBIS BUDGET, Cointrin (120 rooms), 10 minutes from Geneva Airport/Railway		
	Hotel to Sports Complex : 10 minutes by bus / 20 minutes by foot The costs per person/night in this hotel are as follows : CHF 200 single room		
	CHF 150 double room CHF 120 triple room		
	IBIS, Petit-Lancy (40 rooms), 20 minutes from Geneva Airport/Railway Hotel to Sports Complex : 20 minutes by bus		
	The costs per person/night in this hotel are as follows :		
	CHF 200 single room CHF 150 double room		
	** Stars Hotel (Option 3)		
	IBIS BUDGET , Petit-Lancy (50 rooms), 20 minutes from Geneva Airport/Railway Hotel to Sports Complex : 20 minutes by bus		
	The costs per person/night in this hotel are as follows :		
	CHF 180 single room CHF 130 double room		
	CHF 110 triple room		
	All accommodations include breakfast, meals, banquet and local transport.		
	The prices charged for the hotel rooms will not exceed the usual hotel rates. While the Accommodation Form must be returned to the LOC by March 15th, 2017 at		
	the very latest, the Hotel rooms will be allocated on a "first come, first serve" basis. The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of		
	their delegation members.		
	At the time of the Definitive Registration (March 15th, 2017), 50% of the		
	accommodation costs must be paid to the LOC. Entries without the payment of the 50% of the accommodation costs will be		
	considered as invalid and will be refused. The remaining 50% of the accommodation costs must be paid by <u>April 26th.</u> <u>2017</u> .		
MEALO	Accommodation costs are not refundable after <u>April 26th, 2017</u> .		
MEALS	Full board is included in accommodation costs. Breakfast will be served at the hotel.		
FINAL BANQUET	Lunch and dinner will be served in the Sports Complex. The accommodation, booked through the LOC, includes the banquet and farewell		
	party ticket for official delegation members (head of delegation, team manager, coach, judge, gymnast, medical or paramedical staff).		
	The delegation may purchase additional banquet tickets for CHF 60 per person. The total amount must be paid with the Nominative Registration by April 26th ,		
	2017.		

INTERNATIONAL	The invited participating federations must pay for the travel costs of their		
TRANSPORTATION	delegation members.		
	The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the LOC by March 15th, 2017.		
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	Transport to and from Geneva Airport/Railway to the official hotels, as well as from the hotel to the Sports Complex, are provided to all delegations that have booked		
	the accommodation through the LOC.		
	All delegations will be welcomed by a member of the LOC at Geneva Airport/Railway and will be escorted by public transportation to the hotel or the Sports Complex.		
VISA	Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Swiss Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Switzerland. The		
	Organizing Committee will be happy to assist each Delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made before <u>March 15th, 2017</u> to the LOC.		
	The request must include the function, full name, gender, date of birth, citizenship and passport number, passport expiry date, the arrival and departure dates of the		
	Delegation Member as well as the city the visa application support letter must be sent to.		
INSURANCE	The Host Federation, the Organizing Committee and the FIG will not be held responsible for any liabilities in case of accidents, illness, repatriation and the like.		
	The FIG Technical Regulations foresee that all participating Federations are responsible for making their own arrangements to have the necessary valid		
	insurance coverage against illness, accidents and for repatriation for all the members of their Delegation (except for gymnasts and judges).		
	The LOC will verify the insurance upon arrival of the delegation members (e.g. cover note or photocopy of the valid policy).		
	Delegation members with insufficient insurance cover must inform the LOC in advance. The LOC will subsequently offer insurance at the Federations own charge as follows: CHF 50 per person/day.		
ACCREDITATION	Accrediation will be given at the Sports Complex, 1st floor, at the arrival of the delegation.		
	The valid FIG gymnasts license must be presented and will be checked upon accreditation. Without a valid license, the gymnast will not be allowed to participate.		
	All the delegation members are required to wear accreditation cards all the time.		
	In order to accelerate the accreditation procedure, a photo of each delegation member is required and must be sent to the LOC together with the Definitive Registration by March 15th, 2017 .		
FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS	Each delegation must bring its national flag (150 x 100 cm). Federations which have not fulfilled their financial obligations towards the FIG (e.g. annual membership fees, unpaid invoices, etc.) will not be allowed to participate in these World Cups.		
	Federations which have not fulfilled their financial obligations towards the LOC by the given deadline in the Invitation/Directives, may still have the possibility to participate, but the LOC will not guarantee the hotel booking, meals, banquet and local transportation.		
BANK ACCOUNT	Each participating member Federation is kindly requested to integrate the payment's purpose as follows: Name of the Federation + ACRO WCUP'17.		

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	Payments in Swiss Francs only. No cheques, only bank transfers will be accepted.		
	Name of the Bank :	BANQUE RAIFFEISEN DU SALEVE	
	Adress of the Bank :	CASE POSTALE 160 / 1255 VEYRIER	
	Post Check Account Holder :	ASSOCIATION ACRO-GENEVE	
	Number of Account :	80187	
	IBAN :	CH93 8018 7000 0258 8424 8	
	Swift-BIC Code :	RAIFCH22187	
	The participating federation is	responsible for covering all bank fees in connection	
	with the bank transfers.		
CANCELLATION POLICY	The 50% of the accommodation costs will be refund by the LOC in case of cancellation by April 26th, 2017 .		
		claims or refunds will be accepted.	
TIE BREAKING RULES	In case of a tie at any place Championships shall be applied	e, the tie-breaking rules as set up for the World d.	
	The gymnasts with same final s	score will receive the same World Cup points.	
PRIZE MONEY		ory B Tournament, free of any deductible taxes, will	
	be distributed in Swiss Francs		
	Pairs and Groups		
	Gold : CHF 300 (per gym	unaet)	
	Silver : CHF 200 (per gymnast) Bronze : CHF 100 (per gymnast)		
	In case of a tie, the prize money will be added and divided by the number of gymnasts:		
	1, 1, 3 (prize money for rank 1 and 2 is added and divided by 2)		
	1, 2, 2, (prize money for rank 2 and 3 is added and divided by 2)		
	No prize money, medals and World Ranking Lists points will be given, if there are less than 4 participating Member Federations per category. This must be mentioned in the invitations.		
ASSIGNMENT OF		the updated FIG World Cup Ranking List will be	
WORLD CUP POINT		within 24 hours after the end of the competitions	
FOR THE RANKING		efore and after the competitions are duly respected	
LIST	by the Organizing Member Fec	leration.	
	Separate World Cup Series	Ranking Lists are established for every category	
		Cup event of the year and ending with the last World	
	Cup event of the year as follows:		
	Man'a Daire		
	 Men's Pairs Women's Pairs 		
	 Women's Pairs Mixed Pairs 		
	 Wixed Pairs Women's Groups 		
	 women's Groups Men's Groups 		
	Pairs are listed by name , but c	onsidered as an entity .	
	In case of change of partner, the Mixed Pair is considered as a new Pair.		
	Groups are listed by name, bu		

	One change of name in a	a Group is allowed but	in case of a second change of
	One change of name in a Group is allowed, but in case of a second change of name, the Group is considered as a new Group.		
	The World Cup Points are assigned to the competitors as follows: Finals: ranking from 1st to 8th place Qualifications: ranking from 9th to 16th place		
	Rank	World Cup Cat. B	7
	1	30	
	2	25	_
	3	20	
	4	18 16	_
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	or per category, no World "Wild Card Participants" w	less than four (4) federa Cup Points will be given vill not receive any World	ations participating per apparatus I Cup Points.
WINNER OF THE ANNUAL WORLD CUP	 "Hors concours competitors" will not receive World Cup Points. The winner of the annual World Cup per category is the individual gymnast / pair / trio / group with the highest number of points of the World Cup Series Ranking List after the last event of the year: A special award ceremony will be held at the last World Cup Competition of the year (Cat. A) in which the World Cup winner will receive the World Cup. 		
EVENT MANAGER	LOC President : Mr. Cesar SALVADORI Phone : +41 22 342 94 70 Email : acrobaticsgeneva@gmail.com		
MEDIA	All media representative (journalists, photographers, tv) must request an accreditation from the LOC as soon as possible to have access to the Sports Complex.		
SOCIAL MEDIA	To be confirm.		
MEDICAL	Medical service and first aid will be provided by the LOC during training and		
SERVICES	competitions.		
OFFICIAL HOSPITAL	Hôpitaux Universitaires Genève (HUG) Rue Gabrielle-Perret-Gentil 4 CH - 1211 Genève 14 Phone : +41 22 372 33 11 Website : www.hug-ge.ch		
DOPING CONTROLS	The 5 doping controls will		oping Switzerland.
MARKETING	FIG advertising and public	ity norms must be respo	atad

VIDEO CONTROL SYSTEM	The Organizer video control system will be used for internal and external signal (free live-streaming).		
RULES AND REGULATIONS	The competition must be organized under the following FIG rules, as valid in the year of the competition, except for any deviation mentioned in these directives: Statutes Code of Ethics Technical Regulations License Rules Code of Points and relevant Newsletters General Judges' Rules Specific Judges' Rules for Acrobatic Gymnastics Medical Organization of the Official FIG Competitions Doping Control Rules Media Rules Apparatus Norms Advertising and Publicity Rules Regulations for Awards Ceremonies 		
DEADLINES SUMMARY	Provisional Registration (on line) Definitive Registration (on line) Nominative Registration (on line) Accommodation Form (including meals) Travel Schedule Form Visa Request Form Payment of the Entry Fee Payment of the Accommodation Costs (50%) Payment of the Accommodation Costs (last 50%) Payment of the Extra Tickets of Final Banquet Payment of the fine for missing judge	January 9th, 2017 March 15th, 2017 April 26th, 2017 March 15th, 2017 March 15th, 2017 March 15th, 2017 March 15th, 2017 March 15th, 2017 April 26th, 2017 Upon accreditation	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	During the Geneva FIG Acro World Cup'17, we will also held the XVI Geneva International Acro Cup "GIAC'17" with the Swiss Development Plan and International Categories opened to National and Regional Teams as well as Club Teams (website : www.acrobaticsgeneva.ch).		

Sincerely Yours,

Aarau 8.11.2016 Place and date:



Schweizerischer Turnverband Geschäftsführer Ruedi Hediger Bahnhofstrasse 38 5000 Aarau

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Signature of the President or Secretary General of the FIG affiliated NF