# FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE





# FIG RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS WORLD CUP PESARO (ITA) 11 – 13 APRIL 2014 INDIVIDUALS AND GROUP B CATEGORY



# **DIRECTIVES**

**Event ID: 6373** 

Dear FIG affiliated Member Federation,

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

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LOCATION	Pesaro, March		
DATE	From <b>11</b> to <b>13 April</b> 2014		
VENUE	Adriatic Arena		
		nc – 61122 Pesaro - Italy	
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	Website:	www.rgworldcup-pesaro.it	
		with 1 platform for the competition and 3 platforms for training, plus 2	
	other gymnasiums inside with 2 platforms each for training.		
APPARATUS	JANSSEN & FI	RITSEN - RG Floor Art. 652/653	

SUPPLIED	
PROVISIONAL	09 April: arrival of delegations
SCHEDULE	10 April: training and Podium training – orientation meeting and judges' instruction
	11 April: qualification
	12 April: qualification 13 April: finals
	13 April: finals 14 April: departure of delegations
COMPETITION	The World Cup Competitions and Series consist of Qualifications and Finals.
FORMAT	The All-Around will also be a qualification for the apparatus finals.
	The Organizing Federation has chosen the following competition format:
	Competition for Individual All-Around and by apparatus and
	<ul> <li>Groups All-Around and Group routines (5 / 3+2).</li> </ul>
	World Cup competitions may exceptionally be held in conjunction with other events provided those are clearly separated in the competition schedule (no other
	competitions during the World Cup competition days) and do not hinder the World cup
	competitions, its training and warm-up in any way.
PARTICIPATION	Individuals
	Participation in the Qualifications:
	All Individual gymnasts have to participate in the Qualifications
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	Participation in the Finals:
	The top eight (8) gymnasts per apparatus from the All Around competition (qualification) will participate in the Finals
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	• In addition, if the Organising Member Federation has not qualified for the finals, it may participate in one final, at its free choice. The Wild Card gymnast will have to
	start first.
	The participation in the Finals is limited to 2 gymnasts per apparatus per Federation.
	Group competitions: Participation in the Qualifications:
	All Groups have to participate in the Qualifications.
	Participation in the Finals:
	The top eight (8) groups of each Group Routines will qualify for the Finals.
"HORS	In the Individual competition the Organizing Member Federation is allowed to add only
CONCOURS"	for the qualifications a maximum of four (4) "hors concours" competitors. These
GYMNASTS	competitors are in addition to the official participants of the Organizing Member
	Federation's competitors, and they must be named at the time of the closing of the nominative registration.
	normative registration.
	They will have to start first and they cannot qualify for the final
	They are not eligible to receive prize money
	They will not receive World Cup points
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FEDERATIONS INVITED	The Organizing Member Federation must invite all Member Federations according to the following principles:
INVITED	Tollowing principles.
	Individual Competitions
	All FIG member Federations who have gymnasts in the top 40 at the last World
	Championships in the qualifying Competition (CI, All-Around) are entitled to
	participate with two (2) gymnasts. These places are at the free choice of the

participating Federations.

- All other FIG member Federations in good standing are entitled to participate with one (1) gymnast.
- In addition the current All-Around Olympic Champion and the current All-Around World Champion are invited. These places are in addition to the two (2) places mentioned above. They are nominative.

#### **Group Competitions**

One (1) Group per member Federation in good standing.

## SIZE OF DELEGATION AND FIG LICENSE

Only senior gymnasts in good standing with the correct age and holding a valid FIG License may participate. The LOC 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 maximum size of the invited delegation is as follows:

	Individual	Group	Joint
Head of Delegation (HD)	1	1	1
Team Manager (TM)	-	1	1
Coach	max. 1 per gymnast	1	
Gymnasts	1 or 2 (plus Champions)	6	
Doctor	1	1	1
Physiotherapist	1	1	1
Judges	2	2	2

#### **AGE LIMITS**

16 years (born in 1998 or before)

#### JUDGES AND JURIES

The number of Apparatus Juries (judges' panels) may be decided by the organizing member federation depending on the number of participating competitors and judges.

The Apparatus Juries are set up by a draw - directed by the FIG Technical Delegatefrom the judges present at the event.

The composition of the Jury is the following:

- 4 D judges (min. Cat II), 4 E judges (min. Category III).
- Priority will be given to the highest categories.

For countries that have no category I, II or III judges, category IV are allowed to judge Execution provided they have been registered by their federation on the nominative entry.

The participating Member Federations must send minimum one qualified judge as mentioned above. Failure to do so or if a participating Federation sends a judge with Category IV (instead of Category I, II or III) will result in a fine of Swiss Francs 2'000.- to be paid to the Organizing Member Federation.

The Organizing Member Federation is responsible for guaranteeing enough FIG brevetted judges present with the appropriate category of brevet for their function, plus at least one Reserve judge.

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.

Such invitation must be made through the respective Member Federation.

	Should the Organizing Member Federation fail to propose names for additional judges,			
	the FIG will invite such judges at the cost of the Organizing Member Federation.			
FIG TECHNICAL	The FIG Technical Delegate and EC member (if applicable) will be designated by the			
DELEGATE AND	FIG.			
EC MEMBER	The FIG Technical Delegate			
REGISTRATION			ns must be made exclusively on-line	
DEADLINES	via the FIG website (http://v	<u>vww.fig-gymnastics.com</u>	or accordingly.	
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	Provisional registration	09 December 2013	(4 months prior to the event)	
	Definitive registration:	10 February 2014	(2 months prior to the event)	
	Nominative registration	10 March 2014	(4 weeks prior to the event)	
	Late registrations are subje	ct to lines as follows.		
	Fine for missing or late P	rovisional Registration	CHF 500	
	Fine for missing or late D Registration	efinitive	CHF 750	
	Fine for missing or late N Registration	ominative	CHF 500	
			of lots will not be accepted and the	
	Delegations will not be auth			
DRAWING OF LOTS	,	-	the FIG Headquarters in Lausanne	
ENTRY FEE	(SUI) within two weeks afte	Y	nominative registration.	
ENTRY FEES	The non-reimbursable cost	ior the Entry Fee is.		
	Euro 40.00 per individu	al aymnast and		
	Euro 120.00 per froup	•		
	Euro 120.00 per Group			
	The invited participating Federations must pay for all Entry Fees. At the time of the			
			of the Entry Fee must be paid to the	
	LOC. The Entry Fee is not refundable. Entries without payment of the Entry Fees will be			
	considered as invalid and will be refused.			
ACCOMMODATION	The hotels' prices are per person and per day in a bed and breakfast basis, and include			
	the tourist taxes:			
	Five Stars Hotel:	<b>,</b>		
	Double Room: € 165.00			
	Single Room: € 205.00	)		
	Four Stars Hotel:			
	Triple Room: € 78.00	)		
	Double Room: € 83.00			
	Single Room: € 112.00			
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	Three Stars Hotel:			
	Triple Room: € 63.00	)		
	Double Room: € 65.00			
	Single Room: € 90.00			
	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 10 February 2014 at the very			
	latest, the hotel rooms will be allocated on a "first come, first serve" basis.			
	The invited participating fed	derations must pay for t	the accommodation expenses of their	
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delegation members, except for the below mentioned gymnasts for whom accommodation will be paid by the LOC (from the official arrival day to the official departure day): • the top three (3) gymnasts in the All-Around from the previous World Championships present at the event • the top three (3) gymnasts in each apparatus from the previous World Championships present at the event • the top three (3) Groups in the All Around from the previous World Championships present at the event. The costs for the accommodations must be paid to the Organising Member Federation as follows: 100% from 10 February to 10 March 2014. In case of cancellation, costs will be refunded as follows: before 10 March 2014: 80% of the total amount before 25 March 2014: 50% of the total amount from 25 March 2014: no refund The invited participating federations must pay for the meals expenses of their delegation **MEALS** members, except for the below mentioned gymnasts for whom meals will be paid by the LOC (from the official arrival day to the official departure day): • the top three (3) gymnasts in the All-Around from the previous World Championships present at the event • the top three (3) gymnasts in each apparatus from the previous World Championships present at the event • the top three (3) Groups in the All Around from the previous World Championships present at the event Meals can be taken in a site inside Adriatic Arena (new catering), booking and buying coupons through the LOC. The cost of the meals are per person and per meal (lunch/dinner):18.00 Euro. While the Meals Form must be returned to the Organising Member Federation by 10 February 2014 at the very latest, the costs for the meals must be paid to the LOC by 10 March 2014. In case of cancellation costs will be refunded as follows: before 25 March 2014: 50% of the total amount from 25 March 2014: no refund The Final Banquet will take place on 13 April 2014 and will be offered by the LOC. **FINAL BANQUET** Only Delegations (accredited members) and invited people can participate. The invited participating federations must pay for the International travel costs of their INTERNATIONAL delegation members. **TRANSPORTATION** The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the LOC by 10 March 2014. Local transportation costs will be covered by the LOC as follows: LOCAL the LOC will take in charge transportation costs for all accredited people from the **TRANSPORTATION** airports of Ancona (40 minutes from Pesaro), Rimini (40 minutes from Pesaro) and Bologna (120 minutes from Pesaro) to hotels, and from hotels to Adriatic Arena (and vice – versa), only if hotel reservations are made through the LOC. The LOC recommends Rimini or Ancona as airports of arrival and departure. If there

	are not convenient flights in those airports for participating delegations, it will be guaranteed free transportation to/from Bologna airport.
VISA	Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the Italian Embassy or Consulate in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Italy. The LOC will be happy to assist each Delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that the request is made before 10 February 2014 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 LOC 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: Euro 30.00 per person/day.
ACCREDITATION	Accreditation of all Delegations will take place at their arrival in the Adriatic Arena. Heads of Delegations have to check names of their own delegation members, hotel reservations and payments.  Heads of Delegation have to bring to accreditation office:  • a CD with the national anthem and the national flag (cm 140X100)  • 1 copy in high resolution of each fiche for individual D&E  • 1 copy in high resolution of each fiche for group D&E  • certification of insurance for all delegation members covering illness, accidents, repatriation  In order to speed accreditation procedures, please send to the LOC (commit@rgworldcup-pesaro.it) a photo of each member of the delegation (in electronic format .ipeg or .ipg) together with the nominative registration.  Note: Photos taken upon arrival shall be charged to the National Federations at a cost of € 10.00 each.
FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS	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 this World Cup.  Federations which have not fulfilled their financial obligations towards the LOC by the given deadline in the Invitation/Directive, may still have the possibility to participate, but the LOC will not guarantee the hotel booking, meals and local transportation.
BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION	Beneficiary name: C.O.L. "Turismo & Sport"  Bank name and address: BANCA PROSSIMA – Piazza Ferrari, 10 – 20121 Milano Account Number: 100000013980  IBAN: IT 07 F033 5901 6001 0000 0013 980  BIC: BCITITMX  Each participating member Federation is kindly requested to integrate the payment's purpose as follows: RG WORLD CUP – PESARO – It is highly suggested to indicate your delegation/country name.  The participating federation is responsible for covering all bank fees in connection with the bank transfers.

## TIE BREAKING RULES

In case of a tie at any place, the tie-breaking rules as set up for the World Championships shall be applied.

The gymnasts with same final score will receive the same World Cup points.

If there is still a tie, the points of the respective ranking are added and divided by the number of tied gymnasts / groups.

#### Example:

- 1, 1, 3 (points for rank 1 and 2 is added and divided by 2)
- 1, 2, 2, (points for rank 2 and 3 is added and divided by 2)

The same principle applies to the prize money.

#### **PRIZE MONEY**

The organising member federation must pay the following minimum Prize Money (amounts in Swiss Francs – CHF):

Individuals All Around	2.500
Individuals by apparatus	2.500
Groups All Around	2.500
Groups Finals 5 and 3+2 each	2.500

The Prize Money, free of any deductible taxes, will be distributed in Euro as follows:

#### **Individuals All Around:**

Ranking	Total of 2'500
1	750
2	600
3	500
4	300
5	200
6	150

#### <u>Individuals – per apparatus</u>:

Ranking	Total of 2'500
1	750
2	600
3	500
4	300
5	200
6	150

#### Groups All Around:

Ranking	Total of 2'500
1	1'250
2	750
3	500

# Groups – per routine (5 and 3+2) each:

Ranking	Total of 2'500
1	1'250

2	750
3	500

No prize money will be given, if there are less than 4 participating federations per competition.

"Wild Card Gymnast" will receive medals and prize money.

The prize money will be delivered only to Heads of Delegation.

# ASSIGNMENT OF WORLD CUP POINTS FOR THE RANKING LIST

In principle, the results and the updated FIG World Cup Ranking List will be published on the FIG web site within 24 hours after the end of the competitions provided that all procedures before and after the competitions are duly respected by the Organizing Member Federation.

Separate World Cup Series Ranking Lists are established beginning with the first World Cup event of the year and ending with the last World Cup event of the year as follows:

# Individual Gymnasts (A and B combined)

All-Around

Hoop

Ball

Clubs

Ribbon

#### Groups (A and B combined)

All-Around

Exercise with 5 apparatus

Exercise with 3 + 2 apparatus

according to the programme valid for the period of the competition.

For the Individual All-Around and Apparatus World Cup Series Ranking Lists, World Cup Points are assigned to the competitors **by name**.

For the Groups (All Around and Apparatus), World Cup Points are assigned to the **Federation**.

The Groups are listed by Federation only.

Rank	Points	
	Individuals	Groups
1	30	30
2	25	25
3	20	20
4	15	15
5	14	14
6	13	13
7	12	12
8	11	11
9	10	10

	10	9	9	
	11	8	8	
	12	7	7	
	13	6	6	
	14	5	5	
	15	4	4	
	16	3	3	
	17	2	2	
	18	1	1	
	In the case that there are less than four federations participating per apparatus or per category, no World Cup Points will be given.			
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	"Wild Card Gymnast" will not receive World Cup Points.			
WINNER OF THE	The winner of the annual World Cup is the gymnast or group with the highest number of points of the all World Cup Series Ranking Lists (Groups as well as All-Around for each			
ANNUAL WORD	apparatus) after the last event of the year.			
	If 8 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted			
	If 7 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted  (6.0 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted)			
	If 6 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted  (5 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted)			
	If 5 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted  If 4 and 2 World Cup Competitions take place per year, all points are accurated.			
	If 4 or 3 World Cup Competitions take place per year all points are counted			
	A special award ceremony will be held at the last World Cup Competition of the year in			
	which the World Cup winner will receive the World Cup.			
	In case of a tie at any place in the World Cup Series Ranking Lists after the last competition of the year, the tie will not be broken.			
EVENT MANAGER	Mrs. Paola Porfiri, OC President C.O.L. "TURISMO & SPORT"			
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MEDIA	Local Press Officer: Mr. David Ciaralli			
SOCIAL MEDIA	(david.ciaralli@federginnastica.it; stampa@federginnastica.it)  Facebook page, Twitter account			
MEDICAL	The medical service will be provided by the Italian Red Cross.			
SERVICES				
OFFICIAL	SAN SALVATORE			
HOSPITAL	Piazzale Cinelli, 4 - Pesaro Tel: + 39 0721 3611			
DOPING	The Organizing Member Federation will provide at its own charge a minimum of 4			
CONTROLS	doping controls for Individual gymnasts and 4 for Groups.			
	The anti-doping controls will be executed by doctors of Antidoping Control Committee of			
MARKETING	the CONI – Italian National Olympic Committee.			
TELEVISION	FIG advertising and publicity norms must be respected.  Host Broadcaster: RAI – Radio Televisione Italiana			
TEEL VIOLON	Person in charge: Mr David Ciaralli			
	The Organizing Member Federation will guarantee the production of a basic feed			
VIDEO CONTROL	(international signal) at least for the Final rounds.			
VIDEO CONTROL SYSTEM	The Organizing Member Federation will provide SONY Digital Video AV CHD Format + Hard disk control system to treat inquiries and to record all exercises of the competition			
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RULES AND	The competition must be organized under the following FIG rules, as valid in the year of			
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#### **REGULATIONS** the competition, except for any deviation mentioned in these directives: Statutes **Technical Regulations** Code of Points and relevant Newsletters Licenses Rules World Cup Rules for Rhythmic Gymnastics General Judges Rules Specific Judges' Rules for Rhythmic Gymnastics Medical Organization of the Official FIG Competitions **Doping Control Rules** Media Rules **Apparatus Norms** Advertising and Publicity Rules Regulations for Awards Ceremonies and subsequent decisions of the FIG Executive Committee **DEADLINES** SUMMARY **Provisional Registration (on line)** 09 December 2013 **Definitive Registration (on line)** 10 February 2014 Accommodation Form 10 February 2014 Visa Request Form 10 February 2014 Meals and Banquet Form 10 February 2014 Payment of the Entry Fee 10 February 2014 Payment of the Accommodation Costs 10 February 2014 / 10 March 2014 10 February 2014 / 10 March 2014 Payment of the Meals Travel Schedule Form 10 March 2014

Sincerely Yours, Rome. 27<sup>th</sup> June 2013



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Riccardo Agabio ITA National Federation President

10 March 2014