## FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE





FIG RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS WORLD CUP "GAZPROM GYMNASTIK-WELTCUP STUTTGART 2014" STUTTGART (GER) 22 - 23 MARCH 2014 INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS A CATEGORY



## DIRECTIVES

## Event ID: 6371

Dear FIG Affiliated Member Federation,

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

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LOCATION	Stuttgart, Baden-Württemberg, Germany		
DATE	From <b>22-23 March</b> 2014		
VENUE	Porsche-Arena Stuttgart		
	Mercedesstraße 50		
	70372 Stuttgart - Germany		
APPARATUS	Spieth Gymnastics (Esslingen, Germany)		
SUPPLIED	The exact definition of the Apparatus supplied equipment will be published on the FIG		
	website.		

PROVISIONAL	20 March:	Arrival day			
SCHEDULE	20 March:	Training and Podium Training			
SCHEDULE		Orientation Meeting			
	22 March:	Judges instruction			
		All-Around Individual (4 apparatuses)			
		All-Around Group (2 routines)			
		(and qualification for the finals)			
	23 March:	Judges instruction			
		Finals Individuals and Finals Group			
	24 March:	Departure Day			
COMPETITION		ions and Series consist of Qualifications (All-Around) and			
FORMAT		also be a qualification for the apparatus finals.			
	The Organizing Member F	ederation has chosen the following competition format:			
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	Competition for Individu	al All-Around and by apparatus and			
	Groups All-Around and				
	World Cup competitions	may exceptionally be held in conjunction with other events			
		arly separated in the competition schedule (no other			
		orld Cup competition days) and do not hinder the World cup			
	competitions, its training a	nd warm-up in any way.			
PARTICIPATION	Individuals				
	Participation in the Qualific	ations:			
	All Individual gymnast	s have to participate in the Qualifications.			
	Participation in the Finals:				
	The top eight (8) g	ymnasts per apparatus from the All Around competition			
	(qualification) will part				
	In addition, if the Orga	anising 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 Qualific	ations:			
	All Groups have to par	ticipate in the Qualifications.			
	Participation in the Finals:				
		os of each Group Routines will qualify for the Finals.			
"HORS		on 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				
O TIMINAO TO	Federation's competitors, and they must be named at the time of the closing of the				
	nominative registration.				
	Ū.	irst and they cannot qualify for the final			
	They are not eligible to				
	They will not receive W				
	They must not appear of the second seco				
FEDERATIONS		d to the following FIG member Federations who must be			
INVITED	invited by the Organising N				
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	Individual Competitions				

	<ul> <li>All Federations who have gymnasts in the top 18 at the last World Championships in the qualifying Competition (CI, All around) (maximum of 2 gymnasts per Federation), plus 1 wild card for the host country if not represented in the top 18. These places are at the free choice of the participating Federations.</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>			
	The top twelve (12) Groups from the Card for the Organising Member Fed	eration should it not be q	ualified.	
	In addition, the current Olympic All-A     allowed to participate, should they no	t be qualified.	· ·	
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	1	Gibup	1
	Head of Delegation	1	1	1
	Team Manager	-		
	Coach	max. 1 per gymnast	1	
	Gymnasts (all eligible gymnasts)	1 or 2 (+ Champions)	6	
	Doctor	1	1	1
	Physiotherapist	1	1	1
	Judges	2	2	2
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AGE LIMITS	16 years (born in 1998 or before)			
AGE LIMITS JUDGES AND JURIES				

	(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 Mem the FIG will invite such judge			
FIG TECHNICAL	The FIG Technical Delegate			
DELEGATE AND	FIG.			i be designated by the
EC MEMBER	The FIG Technical Delegate	will serve as President	of the Super	ior Jury
REGISTRATION	Provisional, Definitive and N		-	•
DEADLINES	via the FIG website (http://w			
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	Provisional registration	November 21 <sup>st</sup> , 2013	(4 months	prior to the event)
	Definitive registration:	January, 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2014		prior to the event)
	Nominative registration	February, 21 <sup>st</sup> , 2014	(4 weeks p	rior to the event)
	Late registrations are subject	t to fines as follows:		
	Fine for missing or late Pro	visional Registration (if	any)	CHF 500
	Fine for missing or late De		21	CHF 750
	Fine for missing or late No			CHF 500
	Registrations made after th	e gymnasts' drawing of	lots will not	be accepted and the
	Delegations will not be author			•
DRAWING OF LOTS	The gymnasts' drawing of	-		-
	(SUI) within two weeks after		nominative re	egistration.
ENTRY FEES	No Entry Fee will be applied			
ACCOMMODATION	The LOC will offer three different Hotel categories, one of them being a "low-cost hotel"			
	(e.g. Hotel Etap), one a 4**** (e.g. Hotel Europe) and one a 5*****-hotel. Prices for hotels in March 2014 are not yet given by the hotels. They will be available			
	later in 2013. The prices range will be approximately as follows:			
	double room single room			
	Cat. 2* 135 EUR per room 90 EUR per room			
	Cat. 4* 170 EUR per room 140 EUR per room			
	Cat. 5* 215 EUR per room 190 EUR per room			
	All categories include:			
	- Accommodation in single/double room (Double rooms can only be booked with a			
	partner)			
	- Breakfast			
	- Banquet			
	- Free transportation from St	uttgart airport or railway	station to th	e hotel and back/ free
	transportation from hotel to the competition hall and back.			
	The prices charged for the h	otal rooms will not avea	ad the usual	hotal ratas While the
	Accommodation Form must be returned to the LOC by 17 January 2014 at the very latest, the Hotel rooms will be allocated on a "first come, first serve" basis.			
	The costs for the accommodations must be paid to the LOC by as follows:			
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	At the time of the Definitive e costs must be paid to the LC		•	
	Accommodation costs will be			
	50% of the Accommodation			5
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	<ul> <li>Cancellation policy:</li> <li>The whole amount will be refunded for cancellations submitted before 17 January</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>The whole amount will be refunded for cancellations submitted before 17 January 2014.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>For any partial or total cancellation until 31 January 2014, 50% of the whole</li> </ul>
	accommodation costs will be refunded.
	For any partial or total cancellation after 31 January 2014, no money will be refunded
	refunded.
	The invited participating federations must pay for the accommodation expenses of their delegation members, except for the below mentioned gymnasts for whom
	accommodation will be paid by the Organising Member Federation (from the official arrival day to the official departure day
	• the top eight (8) gymnasts in the All-Around from the previous World Championships present at the event
	• the top eight (8) 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
	For additional days, these costs are to be borne by the respective National Federations. The costs for the accommodations must be paid to the LOC by 31
MEALS	January 2014 as follows: see rates above. LOC will provide lunch and dinner in the venue for all delegation members at their own
MEALO	expenses. The costs for lunch and dinner will be <b>20 EUR</b> each per person. To order
	the meals for your delegation please send the Meals Form to the LOC until 21 February 2014.
	The invited participating federations must pay for the meals expenses of their
	delegation members, except for the below mentioned gymnasts for whom full board will
	be paid by the Organising Member Federation (from the official arrival day to the official departure day):
	• the top eight (8) gymnasts in the All-Around from the previous World Championships present at the event
	<ul> <li>the top eight (8) gymnasts in each apparatus from the previous World Championships present at the event</li> </ul>
	• the top three (3) Groups in the All Around from the previous World Championships present at the event
FINAL BANQUET	A final banquet will be held on 23 March. Entrance is free for all delegation members.
INTERNATIONAL	The invited participating federations must pay for the International travel costs of their
TRANSPORTATION	delegation members.
LOCAL	The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the LOC by 21 February 2014 Local Transportation between Stuttgart airport/train station and the hotels and between
TRANSPORTATION	the hotels and the competition venue will be provided by the LOC for all delegation
	members who booked their accommodation through LOC.
VISA	Please verify immediately with your travel agent or the <b>German</b> Embassy or Consulate
	in your country if a visa is required for your travel to Germany. The LOC will be happy to assist each Delegation member with an official invitation letter, provided that the
	request is made before 21 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
INSURANCE	city the visa application support letter must be sent to. 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: 2.50 EUR per person/day.					
ACCREDITATION	All officials and delegation members will need an					
	competition halls. The accreditation office will be					
FINANCIAL	Federations which have not fulfilled their financia					
OBLIGATIONS	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					
	but the LOC will not guarantee the hotel booking STB Marketing und Event GmbH	, meals and local transportation.				
BANK ACCOUNT	Bank Name: Baden-Wuerttembergische Bank					
	IBAN: DE 64 6005 0101 0002 8827 14					
	BIC: SOLADEST					
	Each participating member Federation is kindly	requested to integrate the payment's				
	purpose as follows: RG World Cup < <your feder<="" th=""><th></th></your>					
	The participating federation is responsible for co	overing all bank fees in connection with				
	the bank transfers.					
TIE BREAKING	In case of a tie at any place, the tie-brea	king rules as set up for the World				
RULES	Championships shall be applied.					
	The gymnasts with same final score will receive	• •				
	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	5.000				
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	Individuals by apparatus Groups All Around	5.000				
	Groups Finals 5 and 3+2 each	5.000				
	The Prize Money, free of any deductible taxes, w					
	Individuals All Around:					
	Ranking	Total of 5'000				
	1	1'500				
	2	1'200				
	3	1'000				
	4	600				
	5 400					
	6	300				
	Individuale par apparature					
	Individuals – per apparatus:					
	Ranking	Total of 5'000				
	1	1'500				
	2					
	3	1'000				
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		4		000		
		4		600		
		<u> </u>		<u>400</u> 300		
	Groups All Around:					
		Ranking		Total of 5'000	0	
		1		2'500		
		2		1'500		
	3 1'000					
	<u>Groups – per routi</u>	ne (5 and 3+2) e	each:			
		Ranking		Total of 5'000	0 -	
		1		2'500		
		2		1'500		
		3		1'000		
	No prize money v competition.	vill be given, if	there are less	than 4 participatir	ng federations per	
	"Wild Cord Cympo	ot" will receive n	adala and priza	manav		
ASSIGNMENT OF	"Wild Card Gymna				st will be published	
WORLD CUP					ns provided that all	
POINTS FOR THE						
RANKING LIST	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 c	ombined)				
	All around Exercise with 5 ap	oaratus				
	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 <b>by name</b> .					
	For the Groups (All Around and Apparatus), World Cup Points are assigned to the <b>Federation</b> .					
	The Groups are listed by Federation only.					
	Rank Points					
			Individuals	Groups		
		1	50	50		
		2	45	45		

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		3	40	40	
		4	35	35	
		5	30	30	
		6	25	25	
		7	20	20	
		8	18	15	
		9	16	10	
		10	14	5	
		11	12	4	
		12	10	3	
		13	9	-	
		14	8	-	
		15	6	-	
		16	4	-	
		17	2	-	
		18	1	-	
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	In the case that the			s participating per	apparatus or per
	category, no World	Cup Points will	be given.		
	"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				
ANNUAL WORD	of points of the all World Cup Series Ranking Lists (Groups as well as All-Around for each apparatus) after the last event of the year.				
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	If 8 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted				
	<ul> <li>If 7 World Cup Competitions take place per year, the best 4 are counted</li> </ul>				
	If 6 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 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 a	it any place in	the World Cup	Series Ranking I	Lists after the last
	competition of the	year, the tie will	not be broken.	-	
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DOPING	The Organizing Member Federation will provide	e at its own charge a minimum of 4		
CONTROLS	doping controls for Individual gymnasts and 4 for	0		
MARKETING	FIG advertising and publicity norms must be resp			
TELEVISION	Host broadcaster:			
	Südwestrundfunk			
	70150 Stuttgart			
	Germany			
	The Organizing Member Federation will guarar	tee the production of a basic feed		
	(international signal) at least for the Final rounds.			
VIDEO CONTROL	Scoring system including the video control system	stem will be provided by Sportlicht		
SYSTEM	GmbH, Berlin.			
RULES AND	The competition will be organized under the follow	<b>.</b>		
REGULATIONS	the competition, except for any deviation mention	ed in these directives:		
	Statutes			
	Technical Regulations			
	Licenses Rules			
	Code of Points and relevant Newsletters			
	General Judges Rules     Specific Judges' Rules for Phythmic Cympositics			
	Specific Judges' Rules for Rhythmic Gymnastics     Modical Organization of the Official EIG Competitions			
	Medical Organization of the Official FIG Competitions     Deping Control Pulse			
	Doping Control Rules			
	Media Rules			
	Apparatus Norms			
	Advertising and Publicity Rules			
	Regulations for Awards Ceremonies			
DEADLINES	and subsequent decisions of the FIG Executive Committee			
SUMMEAR	Provisional Registration (on line) 21 November 2013			
JUIVIIVIEAN	Definitive Registration (on line)	17 January 2014		
	Accommodation Form17 January 2014Payment of the Accommodation Costs (50%)17 January 2014			
	Payment of the Accommodation Costs (50%)31 January 2014Nominative Registration (on line)21 February 2014			
	Travel Schedule Form	21 February 2014		
	Visa Request Form	21 February 2014		
	Meals Form	21 February 2014		
	Payment of the Meals	21 February 2014		
	Payment of the fine for missing judge	21 February 2014		
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Sincerely Yours,

Frankfort, 27. June 2013



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