FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE



FIG RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS WORLD CUP PESARO (ITA) 07 - 09 APRIL 2017 INDIVIDUAL AND GROUP



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DIRECTIVES

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Dear FIG Affiliated Member Federation,

Following the decision of the FIG Executive Committee, 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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LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (LOC)	C.O.L. «Turismo & Sport Contact Person: Alessandra Balducci Via Gagarin, snc - 61122 Pesaro Tel: +39 0721 400272 - Fax:+39 0721 400317 e-mail: commit@rgworldcup-pesaro.it website: www.rgworldcup-pesaro.it	
LOCATION	Pesaro, Marche Region, Italy	
DATE	7 - 9 April 2017	
VENUE	Adriatic Arena Via Gagarin, snc – 61122 Pesaro - Italy Tel: +39 0721 400272 Fax: +39 0721 400317 E-mail: adriaticarena@aspes.it - Website: www.adriaticarena.it	

	Central Arena with:
	- 1 platform for the competition
	- 3 platforms for training
ADDADATUS	- plus 2 other gymnasiums inside with 2 platforms each for training PASTORELLI
APPARATUS SUPPLIED	Floor RG1 Ref. 02675 RG Floor 14 x 14 meters (made up of RG carpet Floor Ref.
	01139 + RG plywood plate Ref. 02676)
	Training hall(a): 7
	Training hall(s): 7 Warm-up area: 3
	Competition hall: 1
APPARATUS CONTROL	The presence of at least one Technician from the Official Apparatus Manufacturer will be guaranteed by the Organizing Member Federation for the installation of the RG competition floors in the competition hall, the warm-up hall, and the training hall(s), as well as throughout the duration of training, podium training, warm-up and competition.
	The Technical Delegate, accompanied by the Technician of the Apparatus Manufacturer will proceed to the apparatus control in the competition hall, warm-up hall and training hall(s) prior to training and competition.
	The Apparatus control includes the check of the dimensions of the RG competition floors which must respect the valid FIG Apparatus Norms. All floors must be set up correctly and the RG competition floors in the different halls must be identical.
PROVISIONAL	05 April: Arrival of delegations
SCHEDULE	06 April: Training and Podium training Orientation meeting
	Judges' instruction
	07 April: Qualification
	08 April: Qualification
	09 April: Finals10 April: Departure of delegations
	World Cup Competitions must be separate and distinct competition, and may not be combined with any other Competitions.
COMPETTION	Individuals
FORMAT	 All-Around which serve as qualification for the Apparatus Final: All Individual gymnasts have to participate in the All-Around qualification
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PARTICIPATION	Apparatus Finals:
	 The top eight (8) gymnasts per apparatus from the All-Around qualifying Competition participate in the Finals
	Group competitions:
	All-Around which serve as qualification for the Routine Final:
	All Groups have to participate in the Qualifications
	Final Group Routines:
	The top eight (8) groups of each Group Routines will qualify for the Finals.
FEDERATIONS INVITED	All FIG Member Federations in good standing are invited.
SIZE OF	Only senior gymnasts in good standing with the correct age and holding a valid FIG
DELEGATION AND FIG LICENSE	License at the time of registration until the end of the competitions may participate.
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No gymnasts will be accepted without a valid FIG License at the deadline of the Nominative Registration.

	Individual	Group	Joint
Head of Delegation	1	1	1
Team Manager (for Groups only)	-	1	1
Coach	max. 1 per gymnast	1	
Gymnasts	2	6	8
Medical Doctor	1	1	1
Paramedical Staff	1	1	2
Judges	2	2	2

The maximum size of the invited delegation is as follows:

AGE LIMITS

16 years in the year of the competition

JUDGES AND JUDGES' PANELS

Competitions will be evaluated by two Judges' Panels as follows:

- 4 Difficulty (D) Judges (min. cat. 2)
- 6 Execution (E) Judges (min. cat. 3)
- 2 Line (L) and 1 Time (T) Judges (min. cat. 3)

Priority will be given to the highest categories.

Not more than one judge per Federation per panel will be permitted except for Time and Line Judges.

The Judges' Panels are set up by a draw from the judges present at the event. The draw will be directed by the RG Technical Delegate.

The participating member federations must send minimum one qualified judge if they participate with individual gymnasts and one qualified judge if they participate with a group.

The Organizing Member Federation is responsible that there are enough FIG brevetted judges present with the appropriate valid category of brevet for their function. Should there not be sufficient judges as per the on-line nominative registration, or not sufficient cat. 1 and 2 judges, the Organizing Member Federation must propose to the FIG for prior approval of the Technical Delegate the name of neutral additional judges to complete the panels (plus 2 reserves). 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 Office in consultation with the Technical Delegate concerned will invite these judges at the cost of the Organizing Member Federation.

The Organizing Member Federation will apply a fine of CHF 2'000 per missing judge (to be paid to the LOC by 06 April 2017) should a federation fail to bring the required number of judges or judges without the requested qualification (brevet).

FIG TECHNICAL DELEGATE

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

The FIG Technical Delegate will be proposed by the FIG RG TC. He/she will serve as President of the Superior Jury.

Provisional, Definitive and Nominative Registrations must be made exclusively on-line via the FIG platform.

	Provisional registration	07 December 2016	(4 months prior to the event)
	Definitive registration:	07 February 2017	(2 months prior to the event)
	Nominative registration	07 March 2017	(4 weeks prior to the event)
	Late registrations are subject to fines as follows:		
	Fine for missing or late Pro	ovisional Registration	CHF 500
	Fine for missing or late De Registration	finitive	CHF 750
	Fine for missing or late No Registration	ominative	CHF 500
DRAWING OF LOTS	The gymnasts' drawing of (SUI) within two weeks after	-	the FIG Headquarters in Lausanne nominative registration.
	Registrations and payment accepted and the Delegation		nasts' drawing of lots will not be to participate.
ENTRY FEES	The non-reimbursable cost t	for the Entry Fee is of:	
	 Euro 50.00 per gym 	nast.	
	must be paid to the LOC.		ary 2017, 100% of the Entry Fee considered as invalid and will be
ACCOMMODATION	The Hotels prices are per prices. Five Stars Hotel: Double Room: € 170.00 Single Room: € 210.00 Four Stars Hotel: Triple Room: € 80.00 Double Room: € 85.00 Single Room: € 115.00	erson and per night, bed	d and breakfast and taxes (VAT and
	Three Stars Hotel: Triple Room: € 65.00 Double Room: € 68.00 Single Room: € 92.00		
	delegation members, exc	erations must pay for th cept for the below	ed the usual hotel rates. e accommodation expenses of their mentioned gymnasts for whom ne official arrival day to the official
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	The Organizing member Fe not chose the "low cost" cate		e the hotel at its discretion, but may e mentioned gymnasts.

The costs for the accommodation must be paid to the LOC as follows: deposit of 50% of the total due amount by 07 February 2017 settlement of the remaining 50% by 07 March 2017 Definitive Registrations not accompanied by the deposit of 50% will be considered as invalid and will be refused. In case of cancellation, costs will be refunded as follows: Before 20 March 2017: 50% of the total amount due From 20 March 2017: no refund the total amount due While the Accommodation Form must be returned to the LOC by 07 February 2017 at the very latest, the Hotel rooms will be allocated on a "first come, first serve" basis. The prices charged for the hotel rooms cannot exceed the usual hotel rates. The invited participating federations must pay for the meals expenses of their **MEALS** delegation 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 ranking from the Rio 2016 Olympic Games present at the event The top three (3) Groups in the All-Around ranking from the Rio 2016 Olympic Games present at the event The meals will be served as follows: Lunches: ONLY in a site inside the Adriatic Arena. The coupons must be ordered and paid to the LOC. Dinners: ONLY in the booked hotel The cost of the meals are per person and per meal: lunch €18.00 / dinner € 18.00. The Meals Form must be returned to the Organizing Member Federation and to the LOC by **07 February 2017** at the very latest. The 100% of the costs for the meals must be paid to the LOC within 7th March 2017. In case of cancellation costs will be refunded as follow: Before 20 March 2017: 50% of the total amount due From 20 March 2017: no refund the total amount due The Final Banquet will take place on 09 April 2017. **FINAL BANQUET** The tickets of the Final Banquet (€ 10.00/person) must be paid to the LOC by 07 March 2017. Only Delegations (accredited members) and invited persons can participate. The invited participating federations must pay for the International travel costs of their **INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION** delegation members. The Travel Schedule Form must be returned to the Organizing Member Federation and to the LOC by 20 March 2017. Local transportation costs will be covered by the LOC. 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 no convenient flights for participating delegations in those airports, the LOC will guarantee free transportation to/from Bologna airport.

The arrival date must be Wednesday 05 April and the departure date Monday 10 April. If the participating Federations will arrive or depart in a different date, the LOC will apply an extra charge of € 28.00/person (Rimini, Ancona) and/or € 45.00/person (Bologna) for each extra transportation.

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 **07 February 2017** 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. 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.

Details on IMSSA procedure: https://www.imssa-sos.com/en/. Access code:

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ACCREDITATION

As in 2016 edition, the **SPORTCARE Digital Platform** developed by NESEA Srl will be available starting from two months before the event. The platform will allow each Delegation to create a profile and upload pictures, music (.mp3 or/and .wga) and anthems.

Accreditation of all Delegations will take place at their arrival in the Adriatic Arena. Heads of Delegations have to check information about their own delegation as regards of hotel reservations and payments.

The head of delegation will need to bring:

- Air tickets of all members of the delegation
- FIG License of each gymnast
- Certification of insurance for all delegation members covering illness, accidents, repatriation.
- Registration voucher printed from the SPORTCARE Digital Platform

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/Directives may still have the possibility to participate, but the LOC will not guarantee the hotel booking, meals and local transportation.

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BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION	Beneficiary name: C.O.L. "Turismo & Sport" Bank name and address: BANCA PROSSIMA – Piazza Ferr Account Number: 100000013980 IBAN: IT 07 F033 5901 6001 0000 0013 980 BIC: BCITITMX Each participating member Federation is kindly requested purpose as follows: RG WORLD CUP – PESARO. The participating Federation is responsible for covering all by the bank transfers.	to integrate the payment's	
TIE BREAKING RULES	In case of a tie at any place, the tie breaking rules for the RG World Championships as outlined in the current FIG Technical Regulation Section 3 shall be applied. After application of the tie breaking rules outlined in the current FIG Technica Regulation Section 3, if there is still a tie:		
	For participation to the Apparatus Final (Individual) and Fina • The tied gymnasts / groups will proceed to the final	I Routine (Group):	
	For Prize money: • The prize money of the tied ranks will be added and divided by the number of ties.		
	For World Cup Points: • The World Cup points of the tied ranks will be added and divided by the number of ties.		
	 For Yearly winner: The number of ranks of the three counting competition respective gymnast/group will be added and the gymnatotal will prevail. If there is still a tie, the total score of the three counting and the gymnast/group with the highest total will prevail. If there is still a tie, the total execution score of the the be added and the gymnast/group with the highest total prevail. 	nast/group with the lowest ng exercises will be added vail. ree counting exercises will	
PRIZE MONEY	The Prize Money paid by the Organizing Member Federation (free of any deductible taxes) will be distributed in CHF (or its equivalent in Euro) according to the requirement mentioned in the 2017-2020 RG World Cup Rules:		
	Individuals All Around	CHF 6'000	
	Individuals by apparatus	CHF 3'250	
	Groups All Around	CHF 3'500	
	Groups Finals 5 and 3+2 each	CHF 3'500.	

Individuals All Around:

Ranking	Total of CHF 6'000
1	2'000
2	1'500
3	1'000

4	500
5	400
6	300
7	200
8	100

Individuals – per apparatus:

Ranking	Total of CHF 3'250
1	1'000
2	750
3	500
4	300
5	250
6	200
7	150
8	100

Groups All Around:

Ranking	Total of CHF 3'500
1	2'000
2	1'000
3	500

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

Ranking	Total of CHF 3'500
1	2'000
2	1'000
3	500

Should less than 4 federations participate in the World Cup competition (Individual Gymnasts and/or Groups), no prize money will be paid.

ASSIGNMENT OF WORLD CUP POINTS FOR THE RANKING LIST

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

Separate World Cup Ranking Lists for:

- Individual All-Around
- Individual per apparatus
- Group All-Around
- Group Routine

are established for the four World Cup Series, beginning with the first World Cup competition of the series and ending with the last World Cup event of the series (4 competitions).

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

For the Groups All-Around and Routine Ranking Lists, World Cup Points are assigned to the **Federation**. The Groups are listed **by Federation** only.

Rank	Points	
	Individuals	Groups
1	50	50
2	45	45
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	-

Should less than 4 federations participate per apparatus or per category in the World Cup competition (Individual Gymnasts and/or Groups), no World Cup Points will be given.

	Cup competition (Individual Gymnasts and/or Groups), no World Cup Points will be given.
YEARLY WINNER	The yearly winner of the World Cup Series is the Gymnast/Group with the highest number of points of each of the World Cup Series Ranking List of the respective year, after the last event of the series, counting the 3 best results out of 4. A special award ceremony will be held at the last World Cup Competition of the year in which the winning gymnasts/groups shall receive a Cup.
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EVENT MANAGER	Mrs. Paola Porfiri, LOC President / C.O.L. "TURISMO & SPORT" E-mail: commit@rgworldcup-pesaro.it
MEDIA	Local Press Officer: Mr. David Ciaralli david.ciaralli@federginnastica.it; stampa@federginnastica.it.
SOCIAL MEDIA	Facebook page, Twitter account
MEDICAL SERVICES	The medical service will be provided by the Italian Red Cross.
OFFICIAL HOSPITAL	SAN SALVATORE Piazzale Cinelli, 4 - Pesaro Tel: +39 0721 3611
DOPING CONTROLS	The Organizing Member Federation will provide at its own charge a minimum of 4 doping controls for Individual gymnasts and 4 for Groups.

	The anti-doping controls will be executed by doctors of Antidoping Control Committee of the CONI – Italian National Olympic Committee.
MARKETING	FIG advertising and publicity norms must be respected.
TELEVISION	Television coverage is compulsory.
	The Organizing Member Federation must guarantee the production of a basic feed (international signal). The International signal must be available for the FIG and its Right holders free of charge at the international Broadcasting Centre or at the Gateway without any limitations and free of any access fees.
	The production of a basic feed (international signal) will be guaranteed by: FGI – Italian Gymnastics Federation Person in charge: Mr. David Ciaralli
SCORING, RESULT SERVICE AND VIDEO CONTROL	The Organizing Member Federation will provide a scoring and result service, including a high quality video system which will allow the recording, storage and provision of compilation of the recorded images for the Difficulty Judges, the Superior Jury and the President of the Superior Jury. The videos will be sent to the FIG within one week after the competition. The name of this system is:Tecnovideo Elettronica S.n.c.
RULES AND REGULATIONS	The competition will 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 World Cup Rules for Rhythmic Gymnastics Licenses Rules Code of Points and relevant Help Desk 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)	07 December 2016 07 February 2017	
Definitive Registration (on line)		
Nominative Registration (on line)	07 March 2017	
Accommodation Form	07 February 2017	
Visa Request Form	07 February 2017	
Meals Form	07 February 2017	
Payment of the Entry Fee	07 February 2017	
Payment of the Accommodation Costs	07 February 2017: First 50% 07 March 2017: second 50%	
Payment of the Meals	07 March 2017	
Payment of the Final Banquet	07 March 2017	
Travel Schedule Form	20 March 2017	
Payment of the fine for missing judge	06 April 2017	

Sincerely Yours,

Rome, 30th June 2016

IL PRESIDENTE

Prof. Riccardo Agabio

