



# Rules & Regulations

Fencing



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## Foreword

Dear participants of the European Maccabi Games Berlin 2015,

The Rules & Regulations at hand, provide the guidelines of the European Maccabi Games 2015 in Berlin. The Rules & Regulations regulate the execution of the sports competitions.

The Organising Committee and the sports federations, in most cases the Berlin sports federations, execute the competitions at the European Maccabi Games in close cooperation with one another. Insofar, the Rules & Regulations at hand are a joint product of the EMG2015 Organising Committee and the implementing sports federations.

We hope that the Rules & Regulations at hand will be the basis for sportsmanlike and fair sports competitions and an unforgettable European Maccabi Games Berlin 2015.



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## 1. Organisation

- a. The Fencing Committee of the 14th European Maccabi Games will be responsible for the Fencing Competitions of the 14th European Maccabi Games.
- b. The Fencing Competitions will be conducted according to the International Fencing Rules and Regulations, the French text will be binding.
- c. Participation in the competition is open to any athlete who is in possession of a Participant Card, issued by the Organising Committee of the 14th European Maccabi Games and registered for the Fencing competitions.

## 2. Venues & Times

- a. The Fencing Committee of the 14th European Maccabi Games will determine the venues and times of the Fencing competitions and teams will be notified accordingly.
- b. The Fencing Committee is authorized to change the venues and times of the competitions these decisions will be final.

## 3. Teams

- a. Each participating country may enter up to six competitors for each of the individual events.
- b. Each participating country may enter one team of 3 (+1 replacement) competitors for the team competitions. Replacement is not required.
- c. Due to less number of entries its allowed to create mixed teams with females and males, according to point 3b.

## 4. System of Competition

### 4.1 Events (Individuals)

- a. Competitions will be held for:
  - Juniors Male
  - Juniors Female
  - Open Male and Open FemaleJuniors and Open competitions will be combined, because of the less number of entries. The best Juniors of each weapon will be awarded.
- b. Male: Individual competitions will be held in SABRE, FOIL and EPEE.
- c. Female: Individual competitions will be held in SABRE, FOIL and EPEE.

### 4.1.1 System of competition

- a. The competitions will be conducted according to F.I.E. regulations and according to the number of entries.
- b. Female: Due to the less number of entries, competitions in 2 weapons has to be fight for each starter. The results will be combined for an overall result (Open Female and Juniors Female). The weapon choose has to be register until 22nd July 2015.

## **4.2 Events (Teams)**

- a. (Mixed)Team competitions will be held in FOIL and SABRE according to point 3. The teams has to be register until 22nd July 2015.
- b. Female: No team competitions will be held.
- c. Men's EPEE: Let's play together: 2 Maccabi Teams (USA and GER) and 2 regional teams (OSC Potsdam and "Berlins best")

### **4.2.1 System of competition**

- a. Mixed FOIL/ SABRE: 5 points - best of 5, public draw of opponents, direct elimination, fight for 3rd place, final
- b. Men's EPEE: relay, qualification round, semifinal, fight for 3rd place, final

## **5. Ball Specifications & Equipment**

- a. Equipment specifications of F.I.E. are valid. Equipment has to be certified by Fencing Committee before competition start in the venue.
- b. Shop for fencing equipment (allstar, Uhlmann) is available in the venue.

## **6. Officiating**

- a. The Fencing Committee will select a Referees Committee, which in turn will appoint the referees of the competition.

## **7. Image rights**

- a. During the tournament it will be photographed by the Berliner Fechterbund e.V. for marketing purposes. With participation its automatically agreed, that Berliner Fechterbund e.V. have image rights and can use it for marketing purposes, also commercial. A transfer to third parties is excluded.

## **8. General**

- a. These regulations are but one part of the complete 14th European Maccabi Games Regulations, and must be read along with the instructions found in "Basic Regulations and Disciplinary Procedures".
- b. In the event of a discrepancy between the regulations written here and those appearing in the "Basic Regulations", the regulations written here will apply and be binding.