

ASIAN JUNIOR AND CADET FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS
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Date and Place:	The Asian Juniors and Cadets Fencing Championships will be organized by an Asian City designated by the Fencing Confederation of Asia, during the first half of each year.
Events:	<p>Minimum of 24 events:</p> <p>a) Six (6) individual events for Cadet: Men and Women Foil, Epee, and Saber b) Six (6) individual events for Juniors: Men and Women Foil, Epee, and Saber c) Six (6) Cadet team events: Men and Women Foil, Epee, and Saber d) Six (6) Junior team events: Men and Women Foil, Epee, and Saber</p>
Awards:	<p>a. For individual events: One gold, one silver, and two bronze medals to the top 4 fencers and diploma to the top 8 fencers</p> <p>b. For team events: Four gold medals for the champion team, four silver medals for the second placed team, and two sets of 4 bronze medals for the two losing teams in the semi-finals, and diploma to the members of the top eight teams.</p>
Entries:	<p>a. Individual events: maximum of four (4) fencers per country, except that the host country is allowed to enter a maximum of 6 fencers each in all cadet individual event.</p> <p>b. Team events: One (1) team per country consisting of three (3) fencers and (1) reserve</p>
Venue:	<p>a. Must provide at least thirteen (13) competition pistes, including the four colored and one Finals podium, and at least six (6) training pistes.</p> <p>b. Must install “barriers” to secure and limit access to competition area.</p> <p>c. Must have appropriate areas/rooms for Weapon’s Control. Call room, Referee’s Lounge, DT Area, team boxes, Medical area.</p> <p>d. Must provide at all times Medical service with at least one Doctor.</p>
Competition Venue Equipment:	<p>a. Must use at least two (2) computers/laptops each with IT system licenses from “Engarde” or “Fencing Time” and capable for access to “live results”</p> <p>b. Must have VIDEO REFEREEING (at the four colored and finals pistes) and LIVE STREAMING from DE tableau 32.</p>
Specific Rules:	<p>1. <u>Cadet Individual events:</u></p> <p>a. Seeding of fencers will be based on the current Asian Cadet Ranking.</p> <p>b. There will be one round of pools followed by the Direct Elimination.</p> <p>c. 20% will be eliminated from the round of pools.</p> <p>d. The two losing semifinalists will be declared as joint Third Place finishers and do not have to fence off, while the other fencers will be ranked from 5th place down.</p> <p>2. <u>Cadet Team events:</u></p> <p>a. Seeding of teams will be based on the results of the individual events of the cadet fencers belonging to the teams. This seeding is arrived at by adding together the positions obtained by their best three team members in the Cadet individual event. On the other hand, if a fencer did not take part in the individual competition, but is participating in the team event, he will be assigned position equal to the total number of fencers appearing in the individual cadet ranking plus one.</p>

- b. Competition will be done on Direct Elimination **without** classification matches.
- c. The Losing teams will be classified, within each round of the table, according to their initial place in the table.
- d. The two losing teams in the semifinals will be declared as joint Third Place finishers.

1. Junior Individual events:

- a. Seeding of fencers will be based on:
 - i. the current FIE World ranking;
 - ii. followed by those fencers without FIE world ranking (by drawing lots).
- b. There will be no exempted fencer
- c. There will be one round of pools to eliminate 20% followed by Direct Eliminations.
- d. The two losing semi-finalists will be declared joint third placers and do not have to fence off, while the other fencers will be ranked 5th place down.

2. Junior Team events:

- a. Seeding of the teams will consider the current FIE World team ranking as follows:
 - i. the first four teams will be placed in the direct elimination table according to the current official team ranking of the FIE (cf.o.100, o.101, o.102.1);
 - ii. the remaining FIE ranked teams will be placed in the table by drawing of lots in pairs (cf. o.102.1);
 - iii. Teams without FIE ranking will occupy the last places in the table and based on the final ranking in the individual competition of the 3 best fencers belonging to the teams.

The fencers in the teams who do not have a ranking in the individual competition take the last place +1. (cf. ad.9.4.3).
- b. The table will be drawn up based on the ranking of the teams entered, at the latest one hour after the quarter finals of the individual event (cf. o.102.2)
- c. All places in the table up to 16th place will be fought for. From 17th place onwards teams will be classified, within each round of the table, according to their initial place in the table.
- d. The two losing teams in the semi-finals will both receive the FCA bronze medals but will have to fence off to determine their FIE ranking as 3rd and 4th placers.

Equipment:	Must observe use of standard FIE equipment.
Registration:	<p>Deadline for registration is no later than 7 days from start of competitions. FIE member Fencing Federations in Oceania must be invited to participate.</p> <p>Entries for Junior events must be registered thru the FIE Website while entries for Cadet events must be registered thru the FCA website. Federations are also required to send copies of entries (for both Cadet and Junior events, directly to the organizing/host federation</p>
Referees:	<p>The FCA will assign and invite all the Referees to be assigned for the Championships. All such referees must be acceptable FIE licensed referees and must all be under the direct supervision and control of the DT.</p> <p>At least three (3) Neutral Referees and minimum of twenty two (22) FIE licensed Referees from other Asia/Oceania countries</p>
Entry Fees:	The amount of entry fees to be charged to participating fencers shall be determined in consultation with the FCA President.
Officials:	<p>FIE will nominate/assign:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) One FIE Technical Delegate b) A member of the FIE Referees Commission from outside Asia - to act as chief Referee Delegate. <p>FCA will nominate/assign:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) One FCA Technical Delegate b) The President of the Directoire Technique who may come from outside Asia c) Another member of the Directoire Technique from the FCA Technical Commission d) A member of the FCA Referees Commission as Deputy Referee Delegate e) A SEMI Delegate f) A Medical Delegate <p>Host Country will nominate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) One qualified of Directoire Technique from Host country b) One (1) Protocol Officer c) Two (2) Computer Operators knowledgeable of the “Engarde” or “Fencing Time” IT system d) Two (2) DT Staff/personnel e) Medical Team

For the proper and efficient implementation and organization of the Asian Juniors and Cadet Fencing championships, the HOST must be willing and agreeable to provide the following:

1. Competition venue with sufficient FIE standard equipment and training facilities
2. Meeting Room for FCA official meetings
3. Diploma and Certificate of Participation (Must include FCA logo, and signed jointly by the President of FCA and Host Federation

4. Accommodation (room and board) for FIE and FCA Presidents and Secretary General (or their official representatives). The courtesy may be given to the OFC President if present;
5. Accommodation (**room and full board**) and stipend for the Official FIE and FCA Technical Delegate, if any;
6. Air tickets, accommodation (**room and full board**) and stipend of all designated competition officials and referees, the FIE Assigned Technical Delegate and the FIE Referees Commission
7. Official invitations must be released at least four (4) months before competition date.

On the other hand, the Fencing Confederation of Asia will provide the following:

1. Official Designation as Host/Organizer
2. Right to organize FIE Referees Examination (upon approval of the FIE)
3. Supply of Official FCA Medals for the competition

The following condition must be included as part of the responsibilities of the host Federation:

To provide the FIE and the FCA each a CD file containing pictures of the competition, particularly a group picture of medal winners per event/weapon, some pictures of the Opening Ceremonies, of actual competition, and others that maybe of interest during the competition. These pictures in CD file must be submitted within one week from the completion of the competition.