



# QATAR FENCING FEDERATION

## Fencing GRAND PRIX QATAR 2021

FOIL - Men & Women- SENIOR - INDIVIDUAL

DOHA - QATAR - 26 to 28 March 2021



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### 1. INVITATION (V1.15 as per 13/02/2021)

**A toutes les Fédérations Nationales d'Esgrime**

La Fédération d'Esgrime du Qatar a l'honneur et le plaisir d'inviter votre Fédération à participer au Grand Prix de Fleuret masculine et féminine, qui sera organisé à Doha – Qatar, du 26 au 28 mars 2021.

Nous vous remercions pour votre collaboration et nous nous réjouissons de vous voir parmi nous.

**Fédération d'Esgrime du Qatar**

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**To all National Fencing Federations**

The Qatar Fencing Federation will be pleased to welcome all members of the FIE to participate in the upcoming Fencing Grand Prix Foil men & women, that will take place from 26 to 28 March 2021 in Doha, Qatar.

We thank you for your usual collaboration and we look forward to seeing you in Qatar.

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## 2. SANITARY MEASURES – COVID 19 / Specific Rules

We are all aware of the impact of Covid-19 on sports events. Therefore, Doha Grand Prix 2021 will be organized differently than the previous editions. All participants must strictly respect the following sanitary measures instructed by the Ministry of Public Health (MOPH).

This competition will be organized in a “bubble” system.

“Bubble” is an umbrella term for the isolated Competition Venue, the Hotel and buses in the transportation of the Delegations.

Participants are not allowed to leave the “bubble” between arrival and departure from the official hotels. Due to the followed Protocol’s epidemiological provisions, the probability of a COVID-19 infection is very low within this bubble.

No spectators will be allowed to the competition venue

### **PCR tests:**

a) Some airline companies have regulations regarding PCR Covid-19 tests. Therefore, you must check requirements of your Airline company, as they might request the result of a negative PCR test done before you arrive to Qatar and when you depart from Qatar. As an example, Qatar Airways requires from all travellers to provide a negative result of Covid-19 PCR test done 48 - 72 hours before they board their flight.

Dual passport holders must use the same passport they have travelled with for the PCR test.

b) All participants will be subject to a compulsory PCR test upon arrival to Hamad International Airport, performed by Ministry of Public Health (*cost will be borne by Local Authorities*). All participants must stay isolated in their Hotel room until they receive the result of their PCR test. Results will be provided to the delegations by the organiser’s official Doctor within 8 to 12 hours.

c) For the participants who will need a PCR test before leaving Qatar (please check with your airline company), please be informed that one PCR test will be performed in Hotel 48 - 72 hours before departure from Qatar. The cost of PCR tests will be covered from the subsidy of the FIE.



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### Stay in Qatar

d) Participants must arrive to Qatar at least **3 days** before the competition (Tuesday March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 for the men and Wednesday March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021 for women).

e) Participants can start training if the result of their PCR test for Covid-19 performed at the airport is negative.

f) Any participant tested Positive to Covid-19 will not be authorized to take part in training or in the competition. The participant will be quarantined for 14 days in the official declared hotel by the State of Qatar (*cost will be borne by Local Authorities*).

g) It will not be allowed to circulate outside the hotel (The official hotels will be considered as "Safety bubbles").

h) All participants will only be allowed to circulate escorted by official transportation between hotel and competition venue.

### i) Other documents

Please send the filled in following questionnaires:

Via email to: [qatargp2021@gmail.com](mailto:qatargp2021@gmail.com)

**Before 05 March 2021:**

"Appendix B" (COVID-19 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY)

and

"Appendix C" (COVID-19 SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE FOR FIE EVENT) of the FIE outline of risk-mitigation requirements

Which are available on: <https://fie.org/fie/documents/other-documents>



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### 3. COMPETITION INFORMATION

#### COMPETITION HALL

Aspire Dome: Aspire Zone - Doha, Qatar

#### TRANSPORT

The Local Organizing Committee will provide the official transportations from airport to the official hotels and to the competition Venue. Only these official transportations must be used.

#### PROGRAMME

<b>Tuesday 23/03/2021</b>	Arrival of participants of the <u>men's</u> event before midnight (23:59 pm)
<b>Wednesday 24/03/2021</b>	Arrival of participants of the <u>women's</u> event before midnight (23:59 pm) 15:00 to 20:00 - Training (Aspire)
<b>Thursday 25/03/2021</b>	09:00 to 12:00 & 16:00 to 20:00 - Training (Aspire) 10:00 to 20:00 - Weapon Control in Hotels
<b>Friday 26/03/2021</b>	09:45 - Fencers Call 10:00 – Poules Men ( Pre. DE 64) 10:00 to 20:00 - Weapon Control in Hotels
<b>Saturday 27/03/2021</b>	09:45 - Fencers Call 10:00 - Poules Women (Pre. DE 64)
<b>Sunday 28/03/2021</b>	09:00 – DE 64 – Women 10:30 - DE 64 – Men 18:00 – T4 - Women 18:50 – T4 - Men 19:40 – Final Women 20:05 – Final – Men

#### ENTRY

The entry of fencers must be done on the FIE web site [www.fie.org](http://www.fie.org) and entries will be accepted until 7 days before the competition. The entry fee is fixed at **100 €** per fencer to be paid to the organizers, by cash or credit card at the moment of registration.

#### ANTI-DOPING CONTROL

Anti-Doping Control will be done at the end of the tournament under the responsibility of the competition official physician in accordance with the FIE rules.

### REWARDS

#### **REWARDS: Prize money Men**

Total prize money of US\$ **11,000** will be offered as follows:

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place:</b>	5,000 US\$	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b>	1,500 US\$
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b>	3,000 US\$	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> ex Place:</b>	1,500 US\$

#### **REWARDS: Prize money Women**

Total prize money of US\$ **11,000** will be offered as follows:

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Place:</b>	5,000 US\$	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Place:</b>	1,500 US\$
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Place:</b>	3,000 US\$	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> ex Place:</b>	1,500 US\$

## 4. VISAS – EXCEPTIONAL ENTRY PERMIT (EEP)

**To enter in Qatar a compulsory visa called: “Exceptional Entry Permit” (EEP) for each participant will be issued by Ministry of Interior of Qatar. The process will be managed by Qatar Fencing Federation. It is not allowed to enter in Qatar without this permit. (cost will be borne by Local Organizing Committee)**

In order to obtain the EEP, participants are requested to fill (by typing) the “EEP Request Form” and send it as soon as possible by email to [visaqatgp2021@gmail.com](mailto:visaqatgp2021@gmail.com), at least **before March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**This EEP must be printed and shown at departure airport check-in**

The Local Organizing Committee will take care of the necessary formalities and can't guarantee the deliverance on time for received request after the deadline (05/03/2021).

## 5. HOTELS AND MEALS

### HOTELS

Hotel reservation must be done for each delegation only through the Local Organizing Committee before **March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021 (12:00 pm Qatar time (GMT+3))** at special rates.

Booking will be done with the "ACCOMMODATION FORM" sent to LOC by email [qatargp2021@gmail.com](mailto:qatargp2021@gmail.com)

After this date, late request will be subject to availability on the best available rates of the hotel.

Only **2 official hotels** have been dedicated for the event, participants aren't allowed to stay in other hotels.

These hotels will be considered as "safety bubble" and all sanitary measures will be taken for the safety of participants

All participants will have to stay in the official hotels below only, in order to ensure that the chain of safety and health measures is controlled and maintained throughout the stay.

Hotel prices are included 3 meals (full board accommodation) and transportation from Airport to Hotel and to Venue. (local transportation)

Athletes have to be accommodated in single room

Payment will be done by cash (USD) or credit card upon arrival

#### 1. **W hotel (\*\*\*\*\*):** West Bay, Doha - Qatar

<https://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/dohwh-w-doha>

Price for athletes after subsidy from the FIE (cf. Information letter 1-21):

Single room: US\$ **80, - /night/person (Full board)**

Price for other members of delegations:

Single room: **US\$150, - /night/person (Full board)**

Double room: **US\$90, - /night/person (Full board)**





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### 2. Ezdan Palace (\*\*\*\*\*): Al Shamal Road – Doha - Qatar

<https://www.ezdanpalace.qa>

Price for athletes after subsidy from the FIE (cf. Information letter 1-21):

Single room: US\$ 70, - /night/person (Full Board)

Price for other members of delegations:

Single room: US\$140, - /night/person (Full board)

Double room: US\$ 85, - /night/person (Full Board)



### MEALS

- ✓ While waiting for the result of the PCR Covid-19 test after arrival, meals will be distributed into the respective hotel rooms.
- ✓ After isolation has ended, an open buffet for breakfast, lunch and dinner will be available until the competition days, and also the day of departure of participants.
- ✓ During competition days, an open buffet will be available for breakfast and dinner. Lunch will be delivered in disposable containers at the Fencing venue.
- ✓ Participants must specify their food selection in advance (*i. e. Mutton, Chicken or Vegetarian*)