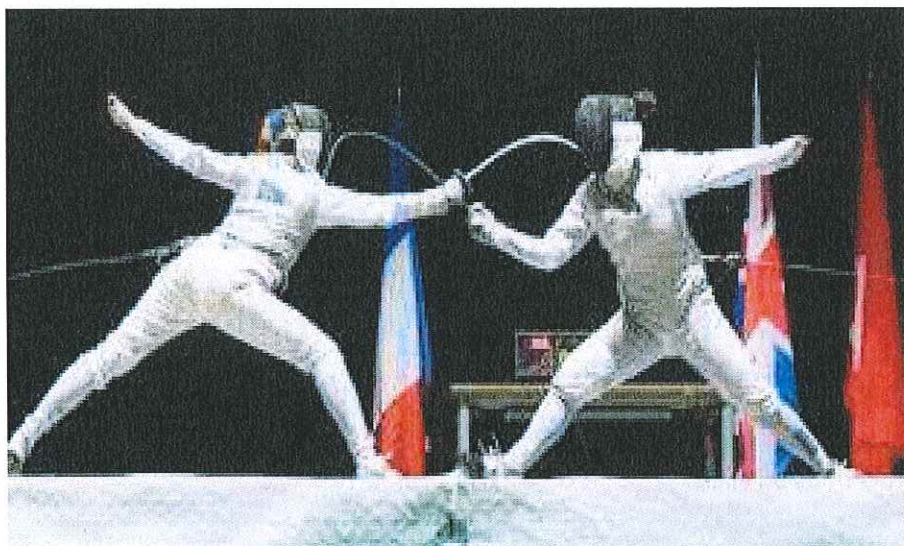




**Conseil International du sport militaire
(FRANCE)**

INVITATION

46th World Military Fencing Championship 2018



From 11th to 17th december 2018, NANCY

CISM

“Friendship through Sport”



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To:

The president of CISM

Official CISM Representative

The Vice President for CISM Europe

The CISM secretary General

The president and Members of the CISM Sport Committee in Fencing

The Chiefs of delegation of CISM Member Nations (see invitations list)

Representatives of the CISM Partners and sponsors

Within the framework of the International Military Sports Council (CISM), the French delegation will organize the 46th World military fencing championship. This event will take place at Nancy from December 11th to 17th, 2018.

I have the honor to invite a team from your country to take part in this world championship.

ENCLOSED:

- Distribution List;
- Program;
- General Information;
- Annex 1 - Preliminary Agreement;
- Annex 2a - Final Entry – Composition of the Mission;
- Annex 2b – Final Entry – Commitment by the Chief of Mission;
- Annex 3 – Final Entry – Travel data.



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To the Chiefs of Delegation of the following CISM Members Countries:

#	Nom/Name	Abbr.	#	Nom/Name	Abbr	#	Nom/Name	Abbr
1	Afghanistan	AFG	47	Espagne, Royaume / Spain, Kingdom	ESP	94	Nigéria, R.F. / Nigeria, R.F.	NGR
2	Afrique du Sud / South Africa	RSA	48	Estonie, R. / Estonia, R.	EST	95	Norvège, Royaume / Norway, Kingdom	NOR
3	Albanie, R. /Albania, R.	ALB	49	Etats-Unis d'Amérique / United States of America	USA	96	Oman, Sultanate	OMA
4	Algérie, R.P.D./ Algeria, R.P.D.	ALG	50	Ex-Rép. yougoslave de Macédoine / Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	MKD	97	Ouganda, R. Uganda, R.	UGA
5	Allemagne, R.F. / Germany, F.R.	GER	51	Finlande, R. / Finland, R.	FIN	98	Ouzbékistan / Uzbekistan	UZB
6	Angola, R	ANG	52	France, R	FRA	99	Pakistan, R. islamique	PAK
7	Arabie Saoudite, Royaume/ Saudi Arabia, Kingdom	KSA	53	Gabon, R.	GAB	100	Palesline, Etat de / Palestine, State of	PLS
8	Argentine, R. / Argentina, R	ARG	54	Gambie, R / Gambia R.	GAM	101	Paraguay, R.	PAR
9	Arménie / Armenia	ARM	55	Géorgie, R. / Georgia, R.	GEO	102	Pays-Bas, Royaume, The Netherlands, kKngdom	NED
10	Autriche, R. / Austria, R.	AUT	56	Ghana, R	GHA	103	Pérou, R. / Peru, R.	PER
11	Azerbaïdjan	AZE	57	Grèce, R. / Greece, R.	GRE	104	Philippines	PHI
12	Bahrein, Royaume / Bahrain, Kingdom	BRN	58	Guatemala, R	GUA	105	Pologne, R. / Poland, R.	POL
13	Bangladesh	BAN	59	Guinée R. / Guinea, R.	GUI	106	Portugal, R.	POR
14	Barbade / Barbados	BAR	60	Guinée-Bissau, R.	GBS	107	Qatar, Etat / State of Qatar	QAT
15	Bélarus / Belarus	BLR	61	Guinée Equatoriale, R	GEQ	108	Roumanie / Romania	ROU
16	Belgique, Royaume / Belgium, Kingdom	BEL	62	Hongrie, R. / Hungary, R.	HON	109	Russie, Fédération / Russia, Federation	RUS
17	Bénin, R. / Benin, R.	BEN	63	Inde, R. / India, R.	IND	110	Rwanda, R	RWA
18	Bolivie, R. / Bolivia, R.	BOL	64	Indonésie / Indonesia	IDN	111	Senega, R.	
19	Bosnie-Herzégovine / Bosnia Herzegovina	BIH	65	Iran, R. islamique / Islamic R. of Iran	IRI	112	Serbie / Serbia	SRB
20	Botswana, R.	BOT	66	Iraq / Irak	IRK	113	Sierra Leone, R	SLN
21	Brésil, R.F. / Brazil, F.R.	BRA	67	Irlande, R / Ireland, R..	IRL	114	Slovaquie, R. / Slovakia, R.	SVK
22	Bulgarie, R. / Bulgaria, R.	BUL	68	Italie, R. / Italy, R.	ITA	115	Slovénie, R. / Slovenia, R.	SLO
23	Burkina Faso	BUR	69	Jamaïque	JAM	116	Soudan, R. / Sudan, R.	SUD
24	Burundi, R.	BDI	70	Jordanie, Royaume hachémite/Jordania	JOR	117	Sri Lanka, R	SRI
25	Cabo Verde, R.	CPV	71	Kazakhstan, R	KAZ	118	Suède, Royaume : Sweden? Kingdom	SWE
26	Cameroun, R.	CMR	72	Kenya	KEN	119	Suisse, Conféd. / Switzerland, Confed.	SUI
27	Canada	CAN	73	Kirghizistan	KGZ	120	Suriname, R	SUR
28	Centrafricaine, Rep / Central African R.	CAF	74	Koweït, Etat / Kuwait, State	KUW	121	Swaziland, Royaume	SWA
29	Chili, R. / Chile, R.	CHI	75	Lesotho	LES	122	Rép. Arabe Syrienne / Syrian Arab rep.	SYR
30	Chine, R.P. / China, P.R.	CHN	76	Lettonie / Latvia	LAT	123	Tanzanie, Rép.-Unie / United R. Tanzania	TAN
31	Chypre, R. / Cyprus, R.	CYP	77	Liban, R. / Lebanon, R.	LBN	124	Tchad, R./ Chad, R.	CHA
32	Colombie / Colombia	COL	78	Libye / Libya	LBA	125	Rép. Tchèque / Czech Republic	CZE
33	Comores, Union des / Comoros, Union of	COM	79	Lituanie, R. / Lithuania, R.	LTU	126	Thaïlande, Royaume	THA
34	Congo, R.	CGO	80	Luxembourg, G.D.	LUX	127	Togo, R.	TOG
35	Congo, R. D.	COD	81	Madagascar, R	MAD	128	Trinité & Tobago	TRI
36	R.P.D. Corée / D.P.R. of Korea	PRK	82	Malawi	MAW	129	Tunisie, R. / Tunisia, R.	TUN
37	Corée, R./ Korea, R.	KOR	83	Mali, R.	MLI	130	Turquie, R. / Turkey, R.	TUR
						131	Turkménistan / Turkmenistan	TKM
38	Côte d'Ivoire, R	CIV	84	Malte / Malta	MLT	132	Ukraine	UKR
39	Croatie, R. / Croatia, R.	CRO	85	Maroc, Royaume / Morocco, Kingdom	MAR	133	Uruguay, R. orientale	URU
40	Danemark, Royaume / Denmark, Kingdom	DEN	86	Mauritanie, R. islamique	MTN	134	Venezuela, R.	VEN
41	Djibouti, R.	DJI	87	Monaco	MCO	135	Viet Nam, R	VIE
42	République Dominicaine / Dominican R.	DOM	88	Mongolie, Etat / Mongolia, State	MNG	136	Yémen, R / Yemen, R.	YEM
43	Egypte, R. arabe / Egypt, Arabic R.	EGY	89	Monténégro	MNE	137	Zambie, R / Zambia, R.	ZAM
44	Emirats Arabes Unis / United Arab Emirates	UAE	90	Myanmar	MYA	138	Zimbabwe, R.	ZIM
45	Equateur / Ecuador	ECU	91	Namibie / Namibia	NAM			
			92	Nepal/Nepal	NEP			
46	Erythée / Eritrea	ERI	93	Niger, R	NIG			

Only CISM active member nations have the right to participate in CISM Events (CISM Regulations, Article 1.10)



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A. General Program of the Championship

Tuesday 11 december	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrival of Participants
Wednesday 12 december	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcome address / Technical meeting• Training / Welfare• Opening ceremony
Thursday 13 december	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Epée men• Sabre men• Foil women
Friday 14 december	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Epée women• Foil men• Sabre women
Saturday 15 december	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Epée men team• Sabre men team• Foil women team
Sunday 16 december	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Epée women team• Foil men team• Sabre women team• Closing ceremony• Gift exchange and closing banquet
Monday 17 december	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Departures of all participants.

Notes:

1. *The timing could be modified during the technical meeting according with the number of competitors for each weapon.*
2. *The team competition (4 athletes for each country) will be realized only in case at least 4 teams for women and 8 team for men will be registered.*



B. Composition of the Mission

- Chief of mission/team captain: 1
- Coach: 3
- Physician: 1
- Competitors male: 12
- Competitors female: 12
- International Referee FIE License: mandatory 1 by weapon when there is a team: 3 athletes.
- CSC Fencing member: 1
- Total:33 persons if three teams in different weapons

C. Access to the Location of the Competition.

- The travel cost to the host country and respective return will occur under the responsibility of the participating country.
- The organizer will ensure the transportation from the place of arrival in the host country to the place of stay and the transport during the competitions as well.
- By military plane (Air base 133 NANCY with authorization), Civil plane (Metz – Nancy – Lorraine international airport) by train (station of Nancy or Lorraine TGV), by bus or car (join the Sports center of VANDOEUVRE, 3 rue de Gembloux, 54500 Vandoeuvre).

D. Conditions of Stay

- Normal board and lodging will be at the expenses of the organizers.
- Participants who ask for services not covered by the Organizers, such as special requirements, additional drinks; laundry etc. must pay the respective extra expenses.
- The missions will be guests of the French Armed Forces from 11th to the 17th of December 2018. Organization will not host missions before and after the date of the competition.
- Additional people will not be accepted without official written permission of the Organizers.
- The organizers will provide the medical assistance only for the first aid. Further costs incurred for medical care (hospitalizations, surgical operations or special treatments, repatriation in case of illness or accidents) are to be borne by the participants.

E. Anti-doping

- Anti-Doping tests will be conducted in accordance with the CISM Regulations – Chapter IX, CISM
- Anti-Doping Rules, the concerned CISM Sports Regulations, the concerned



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International Federation Rules, and all WADA rules, mainly the World Anti-Doping Code, and the International Standard for Testing.

- The number and type of tests, as well the athletes to be tested shall be determined by the CISM Anti-Doping Commission. These procedures will follow the concerned CISM Test Distribution Plain (TDP).
- In case an athlete has a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE), the Chief of Delegation should send this TUE to the CISM GS until 30 days before the Opening Ceremony. This TUE will be submitted to the TUE Commission to analysis and further approval.

F. Uniforms.

- Uniforms are mandatory for the ceremonies (winter ceremony dress). No uniform, no ceremony
- Sport attire marked with country name will be worn outside ceremonial events, during the competition.
- The missions are requested to bring one national flag and their respective national anthem in a CD version.

G. Customs and Visa Procedures.

- For information regarding passport and visas for entry into France, please contact the French Embassy in your country or the respective Embassy serving your country in France.

H. Weather Conditions

- In December, temperature can range from 15°C to -10°C. Rain and snow are possible

I. Registration Forms Deadlines.

- Preliminary Agreement (Annex 1) Not later than: **10/09/2018**
- Final Entry (Annex2a), composition of the mission (Annex2c) and commitment by the chief of Mission (Annex3): not later than: **15/10/2018**

J. Correspondence.

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PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT

To be returned before 10/09/2018:

Major Vinclair: eric.vinclair@intradef.gouv.fr;
Adjudant Cazolles: nicolas.cazottes@intradef.gouv.fr

NATION:

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS:

	Officials	Athletes	CSC members	Referees	Total
Men					
Women					
Total					<input style="border: 2px solid black;" type="text"/>

MEANS OF TRANSPORT: _____

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: _____

Your Contact	Rank/Name	
	Phone	
	Fax	
	E-Mail	



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ANNEX 2a

FINAL ENTRY - COMPOSITION OF THE MISSION

To be returned before: 15/10/2018

Major Vinclair: eric.vinclair@intradef.gouv.fr;

Adjudant Cazolles: nicolas.cazottes@intradef.gouv.fr

NATION :

Function	Sexe	Rank	1 ^{er} Name	Last Name	Weapon	Note
1. Chief of Mission						
2. Coach						
3. Coach						
4. Coach						
5. Physio						
6. International referee FIE license						
7. International referee FIE license						
8. International referee FIE license						
9. athlète						
10. athlète						
11. athlète						
12. athlète						
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	Function	Sexe	Rank	1 ^{er} Name	Last Name	Weapon	Note
30.	athlète						
31.	athlète						
32.	athlète						
33.	CSC member						

In strict compliance with applicable **CISM Regulations – Chapter VII, Art. 7.21 and Art. 7.22, I**, the undersigned Chief of Delegation, hereby officially confirm that all athletes representing my nation in the CISM event are on active duty in my nation's Armed Forces. I understand that sanctions may be imposed against my nation, my mission, my team, individual athletes, or myself for violation of this provision (**CISM Regulations Chapter I, Art. 1.12**).

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: _____



ANNEX 2b

FINAL ENTRY - COMMITMENT BY THE CHIEF OF MISSION

NATION :

The undersigned, Chief of Mission declare that he has read the **CISM Regulations** and moreover understood the following prescriptions:

Article 1.10. RIGHTS OF MEMBER NATIONS

- A. Active member nations have the right to:
 - 2. Be invited top all CISM Championships.
- B. Inactive member nations have the same rights as active member nations except that:
 - 2. They do not participate in any CISM event until they have met their financial obligations.

Article 7.21. PARTICIPATION - MILITARY STATUS

- A. Only military personnel on active duty in Armed Forces may take part in competitions organized by CISM.
- B. No one may be recalled to active duty in the Armed Forces for the purpose of participating in a CISM competition. In the case of an intermittent military service, the athletes regularly recalled may not take part in CISM competitions, under any circumstances, if more than 18 months have elapsed between this recall and the end of their last call to arms.
- C. Exceptions to the above may be authorized by the General Assembly, upon recommendation of the Board of Directors.
- D. All military participants in a CISM event shall be in possession of proper documentation which signifies active military service of the member nation he represents. The documentation can be:
 - 1. A valid military identity card for those athletes who are authorized to present their military identity cards abroad,
 - 2. A form of verification (in English and/or French) of military status accompanied by a passport.
- E. By signing the final entry, the Chief of Delegation confirms the military status of the participating athletes. If there are last minute changes in the participation of the athletes, the verification file may be signed by the Chief of Mission, but shall be confirmed by the Chief of Delegation by official letter.
- F. If one of these documents is not available, participation is refused.



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Article 7.24. PARTICIPATION OF AN INACTIVE MEMEBR NATION

Athletes or teams of an inactive member nation may not participate in any CISM event (art 1.10 of the Regulations).

Article 7.30. CHIEF OF MISSION

A. Chief of Mission

1. Chiefs of Mission shall be familiar with CISM regulations.
2. Missions must not only participate or be present at sports events, they are also required to participate in information conferences on CISM, study days, commemorative and cultural events and ceremonies organized by the host nation.

B. Conduct of a mission

1. The Chief of Mission is responsible for the behavior of his team in sports and general discipline. He shall ensure that members of his mission respect the rules and directives prescribed by CISM and organizers of the championship. The respect of schedules is particularly important as they form the basis for the effective conduct of competitions and ceremonies.
2. The Chief of Mission shall also enforce the rules concerning behavior and dress during the ceremonies. He plays an important role in promoting the CISM spirit among his mission, a spirit represented by friendly attitude towards other missions, courtesy towards organizers and fair-play in competition.

Article 8.6. ABSENCE OF A MISSION WITHOUT NOTIFICATION

If a mission which submits a preliminary agreement and/or final entry is absent without notifying the host nation in time, a sanction will be imposed (CISM Regulations, Art. 1.12).

Article 8.17. RULES OF STAY

A. General

1. The Chiefs of Mission are responsible for the discipline of their mission. The missions fall under the jurisdiction of the organizing nation. During events, all athletes present on the playing fields are equal before the jury, the referees and to themselves. No one may use his rank to impose his views on sports matters.

2. Civilian members of the missions shall conform to the discipline accepted by all other participants.

B. Military uniforms

1. Unless otherwise approved by the Official CISM Representative, all participants shall wear military uniform during official ceremonies such as the opening and closing ceremonies and medal-awarding ceremonies. Individuals without proper uniform will not be allowed to participate in the championship.

2. The presentation of medals takes place, in principle, during the closing ceremony. The presentation of medals may be done in sports uniform, if for



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organizational reasons it is not possible to wear military uniforms. This is the case e.g. when the presentation immediately follows a championship sports event. Sports uniforms shall respect the corresponding national criteria (training suit, sports shoes, etc.) Displaying the national flag on the podium by the recipient (athlete or team) at a medal awarding ceremony is forbidden. Individuals failing to respect these prescriptions shall not receive their medal(s) during the official ceremonies.

C. Forbidden actions

1. In conformity with the statutes and traditions of CISM, any political or religious propaganda during a CISM event, in particular the dissemination of documents, pictures, brochures, reviews, etc. is strictly forbidden.

2. Any contravention shall result in the exclusion of the mission from further competition and may result in additional sanctions (Regulations Art. 1.12).

Article 8.19. ACCOMODATIONS

E. All missions, including those of the host nation, shall be accommodated under the same conditions. If the conditions are in accordance with the CISM norms and standards, the missions are expected to accept the accommodation provided by the organizing nation.

G. (...) Any mission that does not accept the accommodations provided by the organizing nation and judged as adequate by the Official CISM Representative will not be allowed to participate in the championship.

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF MISSION

RANK/NAME: _____



FINAL ENTRY – TRAVEL DATA

To be returned before: 15/10/2018

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NATION :

	PLACE	DATE	FLIGHT Nr TRAIN Nr BUS Nr	TIME
ARRIVAL				
DEPARTURE				

MEANS OF TRANSPORT: _____

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE OF CHIEF OF DELEGATION

RANK/NAME: _____

Your Contact	Rank/Name	
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	Fax	
	E-Mail	