## 1.WOM Report for FIDE Council (30 September, 2020)

WOM has been having numerous meeting with Continental chess organisations to discuss the issues of mutual cooperation.

## • African Chess Confederation

-As a result of meeting with the President of ACC Mr.Ncube Lewis, Women
Commission has been created within ACC and a member of WOM Mrs Susan
Namangale appointed a chairperson of the given commission.
-Waiting for ACC General Council meeting to approve the allocation to women chess in Africa (should be around 5K)

## • Asian Chess Federation

-ACF in cooperation with WOM and supported by PDC organized Online camp for Girls U-20 for all Asian Chess which took place between 1-20 August, 2020. 47 hours of professional trainings for 66 talented girls with such renown trainers as A.Jussupow, V.Bologan, L.Psakhis, Aagaard and definitely two stars of the camp V. Anand and J. Polgar. Impressions about the camp by WOM Secretary could be found on the following link <u>https://wom.fide.com/2020/09/05/asian-online-chess-campfor-girls-u-20-acknowledgments-of-wom-secretary/</u>

-ACF in cooperation with WOM and supported by PDC organized a participation of 5 women in FIDE Online Trainer Seminar in Russian at the end of June.

## • European Chess Union

-ECU in cooperation with WOM and Events Commissions and supported by PDC organized an International Organisers Webinar at the end of July. With 31 participants, among whom were 16 females this Webinar was one of the largest IO Seminar organised in the last years. The lecturers of the Webinar were International Organisers: Mr. Theodoros Tsorbatzoglou and Mr.Ozgur Solakoglou with the assistance of Chairperson of FIDE Women's Commission Eva Repkova.

- ECU Council approved organizing Online FIDE Arbiters Seminar in October-November 2020.

- Confederation of Chess for Americas
  - CCA has some projects regarding how to empower women and WOM is waiting for their submission for approval

2. The idea of Women Amateur tournament is being discussed with numerous persons. To be finalized with Continental Federations and their readiness to contribute.

3. The meeting was held with chesslang.com and ways of cooperation are being discussed.

4. Numerous meetings were held with Events, Social, Trainers and Arbiters Commission to discuss common projects.