

CHESS IN MULTI-SPORT GAMES COMMITTEE

REPORT

FIDE CONGRESS, ONLINE ZOOM MEETING, 13 DECEMBER 2023

CHESS IN MULTI-SPORT GAMES

- The Chess in Multi-Sport Games Working Group started its work in December 2021.
- ► The main objective of this Group is to promote chess into all kind of multisport games such as regional, continental, international and Olympic Games. The goal is to incorporate chess into as many sporting events as possible.
- The members of this Working Group include the representatives of the four continents who are experts in this field. Some of the them are the members of their National Olympic Committees or have been worked there before.
- According to the suggestion of the FIDE Management Board as of March 1, 2023, the FIDE President Arkady Dvorkovich has signed the resolution on the 11 May 2023 to establish the new FIDE Committee "Chess in Multi-Sport Games".

Members of the Committee:

- 1. Mohd Al-Mudahka (QAT) FIDE International Director, Coordinator
- 2. Victor Bologan (MDA) FIDE Executive Director, Coordinator
- 3. Danara Shovunova (RUS) Secretary
- 4. Lukasz Turlej (POL) FIDE Secretary General
- 5. Berik Balgabaev (RUS) Advisor to the FIDE President
- 6. Nigel Short (ENG) FIDE Director for Chess Development
- 7. Mario Ramirez Barajas (MEX) President of the Mexican CF, member of the NOC Mexico
- 8. Mario Petrucci (ARG) President of the Argentinian CF, member of the NOC Argentina
- 9. Azzedine Brahim Djelloul (ALG) President of the Algerian CF
- 10. Majlinda Pilinci (ALB) General Secretary of the Albanian CF, former member of the Executive Board of NOC Albania
- 11. Francisco Carapinha (CPV) President of the Cape Verde Chess Federation

CHESS & NOCs

A circular letter was sent by the FIDE Office to all national chess federations affiliated to FIDE to provide the information about the status of inclusion of chess into the NOCs.

- ▶ 137 federations recognized as sport
- 81 federations members of the NOCs
- ▶ 18 federations affiliate status to NOCs
- ▶ 14 federations associate status to NOCs



CHESS REPRESENTATION ON ALL CONTINENTS

- **AFRICA**
- **AMERICAS**
- **ASIA**



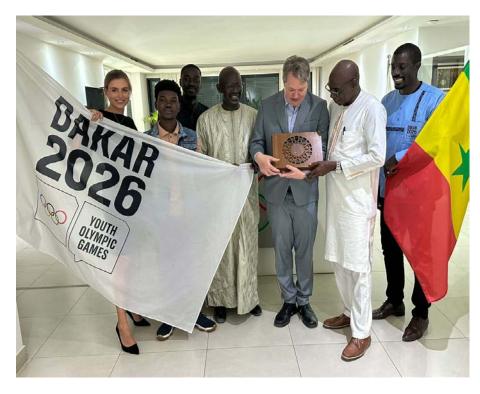


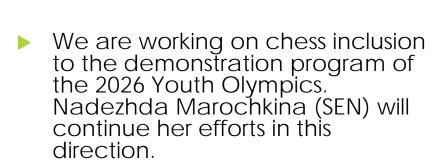














N° 2023/137 CNOSS/SG Dakar, le 08 Décembre 2023

Le Secrétaire Général

A Madame Marochkina Nadezhda Vice-Président Confédération Africaine Des Echecs

Madame la Vice-Présidente,

Nous avons bien reçu votre lettre en date du 31 Août 2023, reçue le 06 Décembre 2023, relative à votre demande d'inclusion des échecs au programme des J.O.J Dakar 2026 comme sport de démonstration et nous vous en remercions.

Cela dit, nous vous informons que le Comité Exécutif du CIO a déjà validé les trentecinq (35) sports au programme des J.O.J Dakar 2026.

C'est pourquoi, nous sommes au regret de vous faire savoir que nous ne pourrons pas l'inclure aux J.O.J DAKAR 2026 comme sport de démonstration.

En vous remerciant de l'intérêt que vous portez à l'organisation de ce premier évènement olympique en Afrique, nous vous prions de bien vouloir agréer **Madame** la **Vice-présidente**, l'expression de nos sentiments sportfis.



YOUTH OLYMPICS 2026, SENEGAL



OLYMPIC ESPORTS SERIES

GM SAMVEL TER-SAHAKYAN

GM OLEKSANDR BORTNYK

3 GM ALEXEY SARANA 4 GM BASSEM AMIN

5 GM MAKSIM CHIGAEV

6 GM NGUYEN NGOC TRUONG SON

7 GM ALEKSANDR RAKHMANOV

8 GM GOH WEI MING KEVIN

9 GM TIN JINGYAO

10 IM IRENE SUKANDAR



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2023 Olympic Esports Series, Singapore

The Olympic Esports Series (OES) is a global virtual and simulated sports competition created by the International Olympic Committee in collaboration with International Federations and game publishers. International Chess Federation and Chess.com are proud to bring chess to the Series. It marks a new stage in the cooperation with the International Olympic Committee since FIDE was recognised as an international sports federation by the IOC in 1999.

EUROPE:

2023 European Games, Krakow, Poland



2023 European Games, Krakow, Poland







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2024 13TH AFRICAN GAMES, ACCRA, GHANA

Chess has been confirmed as part of the official program among 23 official sports

2023 Pan-American Games, Santiago, Chile

- The president of FADA and member of the FIDE Chess in Multi-sport Games Committee, Mario Petrucci, had a meeting with the President of the International Olympic Committee, Thomas Bach, in the framework of the Santiago Pan-American Games 2023, where he discussed a possible chess inclusion in the Olympic Games.
- The IOC President Thomas Bach receives "The Silver Queen", the highest award of the FIDE AMERICA (CCA) from the member of the FIDE Chess in Multi-sport Games Committee Mario Petrucci.





2023 Pan-American Games, Santiago, Chile

Chess was presented in the ESPORTS category with the open and women's finals taking place online on chess.com from October 26-27, 2023.



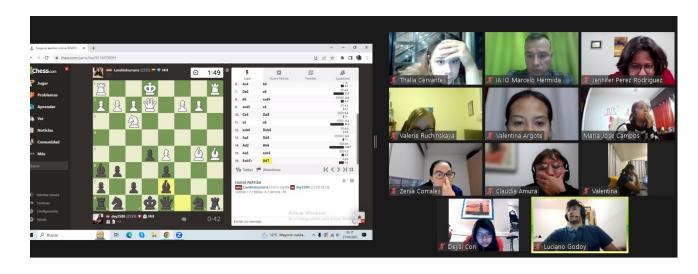
PANAM SPORTS

CONOCE LOS JUEGOS QUE ESTARÁN EN EL PRIMER CAMPEONATO PANAMERICANO DE ESPORTS CHILE 2023

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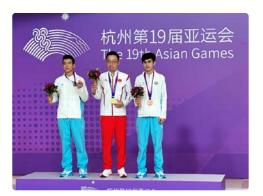
El entusiasmo por los deportes electrónicos en Las Américas apenas comienza. El impulso estará en su nunto más alto durante el Primer Campennato

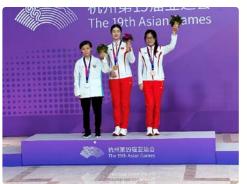


2023 Pan Arab Games, Algeria

earned the UAE the first two gold medals in the 15th Pan Arab Games, which are presently being hosted in Algeria, by taking first place in both the men's and women's team categories.









2023 Asian Games, China, Hangzhou, 23 September – 08 October



Histórica reunión del máximo nivel para incorporar al ajedrez en el calendario olímpico, juegos sudamericanos 2022

3 años atrás







2022 South American Youth Games, Rosario, Argentina

AMERICAS:



2022 South American Youth Games, Rosario, Argentina

2025 IV South American Youth Games, San Luis, Argentina

Chess has been confirmed as part of the official program



o de los Funes

San Luis capital, Juana Koslay y Potrero de los Funes sueñan con organizar los IV Juegos Suramericanos de la Juventud 2025:

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Victor Bologan visits East African countries (Madagascar, Mauritius, Seychelles)

On October 29, the FIDE Executive Director and the Coordinator of the Chess in Multi-sport Games Committee Victor Bologan visited Seychelles, where he had a meeting with the officials of the Seychelles Olympic and Commonwealth Games Association. The possibility of chess inclusion on the list of sports disciplines for the Indian Ocean Island Games (IOIG) was discussed.

SEYCHELLES:



Victor Bologan visits East African countries (Madagascar, Mauritius, Seychelles)

MADAGASCAR:



Victor Bologan visits East African countries (Madagascar, Mauritius, Seychelles)

During his business visit to the Mauritius Islands Victor Bologan met Secretary General of the Mauritius Olympic Committee Hedley Han, the Honourable Minister of Youth, Sports and Leisure of the country Stephane Toussaint, the President of the Mauritius Chess Federation Hurrynarain Bhowany, its Vicepresident Patrick Li Ying and Treasurer Jay Andhin. The agenda of the visits included the discussion of various initiatives on how to promote chess on the island and in the region.

MAURITIUS:



INTERNATIONAL/CONTINENTAL LEVEL

Title	▼	Next	↓ ↑ Location ▼	Scope J	Elem. ▼	Notes ▼
World Masters Games		2022	<u>Japan, Kansai</u>	International Age		
World Games		2022	United States, Birmingham	International		
World Festival of Youth and Students		2022	Portugal, Lisbon	International Age		
Senior Olympics		2022	Florida, Lauderdale	International Age		
SELL Student Games		2022	<u>Latvia, Riga</u>	International Age		
						Formerly known as World Interuniversity
PCU Games		2022	Belgium, Antwerp	International Age		Games.
Mind Sports Olympiad		2022		International		Reduced in size after 2000.[5]
Maccabiah Games		2022	<u>Israel,Jerusalem</u>	International		
International Children's Games		2022	United Kingdom, Coventry	International Age		
Huntsman World Senior Games		2022	United States, St. George, Utah	International Age		
						Organized by Global Esports Federation,
						different from International Esports
Global Esports Games		2022	<u>Turkey,Istanbul</u>	International		<u>Federation.</u>
FIA Motorsport Games		2022	France, Marseille	International		
<u>Défi sportif</u>		2022	Canada, Quebec	International Disable	ed	
CPLP Games		2022	<u>East Timor, Dili</u>	International Age, L	.anguage	
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Commonwealth Games		2022	United Kingdom, Birmingham	International Colonia	ial ties, Langu	Nations.
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INTERNATIONAL/CONTINENTAL LEVEL

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	Australian Masters Games	2021 (2022 Hold)	Australia, Perth	International	Age	
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INTERNATIONAL/CONTINENTAL LEVEL

2023 Olympic Esports Series, Singapore (23-24 June)	Chess Event Finals, www.chess.com
2026 Olympic Youth, Senegal	need to include chess to the cultural program, Nadezhda Marochkina (Senegal)
2023 European Games, Krakow, Poland (21 June - 02 July)	as exhibition sport, pairs blitz chess champ
2023 19th Asian Games, China, Hangzhou, (23 Sept - 8 Oct 2023)	chess is included
2023 Pan-American Games, Santiago, Chile (20 Oct - 5 Nov)	Esport category, online open & women' finals
2023 CSIT (International Workers and Amateurs in Sports Confederation) WORLD SPORTS GAMES, 5-10 September, Cervia, Italy	
2024 FISU World University Championship, Kampala, Uganda (25-30 June)	
2024 13th African Games, Accra, Ghana (8-23 March)	
2024 6th Asian Indoor & Martial Arts Games, Thailand, Bangkok - Chonburi province (24 Feb-06 March)	
2025 World Masters Games, Taipei, Taiwan, (17-30 May 2025)	
2025 Par American Junior , Asuncion, Paraguay	
2025 4th Asian Youth Games, Uzbekistan, Tashkent	
2025 7th Asian Indoor & Martial Arts Games, Saudi Arabia, Riyadh	
2026 African Youth Games, Lesotho, Maseru	
2026 Asian Games, Japan, Aichi-Nagoya (19 Sept - 04 Oct)	to organize a meeting of Arkady with Japan at the Asian Games in China Nov 2023
2027 Pan American, Colombia	to prepare letter to Mr Ivic
2027 World Masters Games, Kansai, Japan (14-30 May 2027)	
2027 Indian Ocean Games, Comoros	
2029 5th Asian Youth Games, Cambodia, Phom Phen	
2030 Asian Games, Qatar	chess is included

REGIONAL LEVEL

Title ▼	Next	↓ ↑ Location ▼	Scope 3	Elem.	Notes
Youth Parapan American Games	2022	Colombia, Bogota	Regional	Disabled, Age	
TAFISA European Sport for All Games	2022	<u>Italy, Perugia</u>	Regional		
Special Olympics USA	2022	United States, Orlando	Regional	Disabled	
South American Youth Games	2022	Argentina, Rosario	Regional	Age	confirmed as an cultural & exhibition sport
South American Games	2022	Paraguay, Asunción	Regional	Ŭ	,
Mediterranean Games	2022	Algeria, Oran	Regional		confirmed as an exhibition sport
					Combined With South American
FISU America Games	2022	Mexico, Mérida	Regional	Age	University Games.
European Youth Olympic Festival	2022	Slovakia, Banská Bystrica	Regional	Age	
European Universities Games	2022	Poland, Łódź	Regional	School	
European Championships (multi-sport event)	2022	Germany, Munich	Regional		
<u>EuroGames</u>	2022	Netherlands, Nijmegen	Regional	Sexual orientation	
Central American Games	2022	El Salvador, Santa Tecla	Regional		
CANUSA Games	2022	<u>Canada, Hamilton</u>	Regional	Age	
Bolivarian Youth Games	2022	Bolivia, Sucre	Regional	Colonial ties, Age	
Bolivarian Games	2022	Colombia, Valledupar	Regional	Colonial ties	
Asian Para Games	2022	China, Hangzhou	Regional	Disabled	
Asian Games	2022	China, Hangzhou	Regional		
ASEAN University Games	2022	Thailand, Ubon Ratchathani	Regional	School	
All-Africa University Games	2022	<u>Kenya, Nairobi</u>	Regional	School	
African Youth Games	2022	Ethiopia, Addis Ababa	Regional	Age	
South Asian Games	2023	Pakistan, Lahore	Regional		

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Parapan American Games	2023	Chile, Santiago	Regional	Disabled	
Pan Arab Games	2023	<u>Iraq, Baghdad</u>	Regional		
Pan American Games	2023	Chile, Santiago	Regional		
Pacific Games	2023	Solomon Islands, Honiara	Regional		
Island Games	2023	Guernsey, Guernsey	Regional		
Games of the Small States of Europe	2023	Malta, Valletta	Regional	Population size	
European Masters Games	2023	Finland, Tampere	Regional	Age	
European Games	2023	Poland, Kraków	Regional		
East Asian Youth Games	2023	Mongolia, Ulaanbaatar	Regional	Age	
Asia Pacific Masters Games	2023	South Korea, North Jeolla	Regional	Age	
ASEAN Para Games	2023	Cambodia, Phnom Penh	Regional	Disabled	
					Rabat, Morocco host inaugural African
African Para Games	2023	Ghana, Accra	Regional		Para Games in 2020 but cancelled.
African Games	2023	Ghana, Accra	Regional		
					Focus on traditional sports and
TAFISA World Sport for All Games	2024	Russia, Nizhny Novgorod	Regional		games(TSG).
Junior Pan American Games	2025		Regional	Age	
Asian Youth Para Games	2025	Uzbekistan, Tashkent	Regional	Disabled, Age	
Southeast Asian Games	2021 (2022 Hold)	Vietnam, Hanoi	Regional		CONFIRMED AS AN OFFICIAL SPORT
					Persian Gulf regional nationals multi-sport
GCC Games	2021 (2022 Hold)	Kuwait,Kuwait	Regional		event
Asian Youth Games	2021 (2022 Hold)	China, Shantou	Regional	Age	
Central American and Caribbean Games	2022 (2023 Hold)	El Salvador, San Salvador	Regional	(ii)	CONFIRMED AS AN OFFICIAL SPORT
South American Masters Games	, i	Chile, Santiago	Regional	Age	



REGIONAL LEVEL

2022 South American Games, Asuncion, Paraguay, (1-12 October)	
2022 Youth South American Games, Rosario, Argentina (28 April-8 May)	confirmed as an cultural & exhibition sport
2022 Bolivarian Games, Colombia	
2022 South Asian Games, Halong Bay, Vietnam (7-19 May)	confirmed as an official sport
2022 Mediterranean Games, Algeria (25 June- 06 July)	confirmed as an exhibition sport
2023 Caribbean & Central American Games, El Salvador (23 June - 08 July)	officially as an official sport
2023 SEA Games, Cambodia, Phnom Penh, (5-16 May)	
2023 15th Pan Arab Games (5-15 July 2023)	in the program
2023 1st Youth Gulf Cooperation Council Games, UAE	
2024 Bolivarian Games, Peru	President of NCF of Peru is trying to include chess into the program
2024 1st Indoor Martial Arts Games, Saudi Arabia	
2025 IV South American Youth Games, San Luis, Argentina (27 March - 05 April)	confirmed chess in the program
2025 Youth South American Games, Uruguay	target to be in the program
2026 Mediterranean Games, Taranto, Italy (13 - 22 June)	to ask Erald to assist
2026 South American Games, Rosario, Argentina	chess is in the program
2026 4th Gulf Cooperation Council Games, Qatar	

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Chess is included into the official program of the XXIV Central American & Caribbean Games, to be held in San Salvador, 23 June 08 July 2023.
- Chess is included into the exhibition and cultural program to the Youth South American Games 2022, Rosario, Argentina, 28 April-8 May 2022.
- Chess is included into the official program of the South Asian Games 2022, Halong Bay, Vietnam, 7-19 May 2022.
- Chess is included into the program of the Mediterranean Games 2022, Algeria, 25 June- 06 July 2022, as an exhibition sport.



10900 Wilshire Boulevard Suite 700 Los Angeles, California 90024

April 3, 2022

Dear Presidents, Dear Secretaries General,

We are pleased to provide an update regarding the sports programme of the Olympic Games Los Angeles 2028 and the process for the determination of new sports for potential inclusion.

In line with the Olympic Charter and Agenda 2020+5, the IOC Executive Board, upon recommendation of the Olympic Programme Commission, approved the following principles for the LA28 sports programme. These principles apply to all sports in the initial sports programme, as well as any potential new disciplines and sports added to the LA28 sports programme.

Theme	Principle
Cost and complexity	Optimise the sports programme, including any new sports, disciplines and events, to identify further venue and operational efficiencies and achieve a neutral result of programme economics.
	The overall athlete quota is maintained at 10,500 (including new sports).
Best athletes and athlete safety	The programme endeavours to engage the best athletes and ensures the motivation of current and emerging generations of best athletes to compete at the Olympic Games. The programme aids in optimising the physical and mental protection of athletes and endorses ongoing monitoring by IFs.
Popularity and host country interest	The sports, disciplines and events on the programme strengthen engagement and broadcast / digital audiences both internationally and within the U.S.
Uniqueness, universality, gender equality and	The programme excites and engages a young global audience, while respecting tradition and demonstrating that sport is for all. 50 percent female participation across the Games at quota, discipline and event level, where
relevance for youth Integrity and fairness	possible. The programme supports comprehensive and independent anti-doping programmes that effectively protect clean athletes.
	IFs to strengthen the prevention of competition manipulation by increasing awareness and education and enhancing refereeing and judging systems.
	IFs to comply with the "Basic Universal Principles of Good Governance".
Environmental sustainability	The programme protects and enhances the environment and fosters long-term sustainability.



LA28 will use these principles to lead the analysis and initial evaluation of potential new sports, and selected sports will be invited to participate in a formal Request for Proposal (RFP) process during Q2/Q3 2022. In parallel with a review of existing Olympic disciplines, LA28 will utilise this RFP process to potentially identify priority sports for proposed inclusion in the programme and submit a recommendation to the IOC for review.

Please take note of the following timeline for the new sport evaluation. LA28 will engage with select IOC - recognised IFs for potential inclusion as new sports in the programme following the IOC Executive Board Meeting in May 2022. The finalisation of OCOG proposed sports along with the disciplines for each sport will be completed in late Q2 2023.

Date	Action
May 2022	Select IFs invited by LA28 to formal new sport RFP process
June 2022	IF RFP responses due to LA28
July 2022	IF presentations to LA28

IFs selected to proceed to the new sport RFP phase will receive additional details regarding specific dates and expectations from LA28 in May. If you have any questions, please contact Andrew Hofer at the IOC Sports Department andrew.hofer@olympic.org, who will consolidate all questions and work with LA28 on providing answers in a timely manner.

Sincerely,

John Harper LA28 Chief Operating Officer Kit McConnell IOC Sports Director

LOS ANGELES 2028

Thank you!