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Badminton Austrian Open 2024

Umpires Invitation



23TH TO 26TH MAY 2024
RAIFFEISEN SPORTPARK GRAZ

International Series Tournament
Part of the BEC Elite Circuit



To: Badminton Europe Member Associations
From: Austrian Badminton Association (ÖBV)
Subject: Umpires for Austrian Open 2024

Date: 06.01.2024

We have the pleasure to invite one of your Umpires to the

Austrian Open 2024

You can find more information online at autopen.at



Date Thursday, May 23rd to Sunday, May 26th 2024

Venue Raiffeisen Sportpark Graz (raiffeisen-sportpark.at)
Hüttenbrennergasse 35, 8010 Graz

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Accommodation Best Western Plaza Graz (<https://plazahotels.de/hotel-graz/>)
Conrad-von-Hötzendorf-Straße 60, 8010 Graz (approx. 700m from the venue)
Umpires are expected to share twin rooms with a colleague.

For extra nights the room rates will be: Single € 119.- / Twin € 129.- incl. breakfast

Transport Transport will be provided from and to Graz Airport (GRZ) or Graz Main Station (Graz Hbf).
No transport between hotel and venue (10min walking distance).

Umpires are expected to arrive on Wednesday, May 22nd before the Umpires Briefing (time of arrival at the airport should be latest 05:00pm to be able to attend the briefing) and depart no later than Monday, May 27th.

Provisional Schedule

Thursday, May 23 rd	– 09:00am – Qualification 1 st + 2 nd round
Friday, May 24 th	– 09:00am – Qualification 3 rd round + Main Draw 1 st round
Saturday, May 25 th	– 09:00am – Main Draw 2 nd round + Quarterfinals
Sunday, May 26 th	– 09:00am – Semifinals

The Finals will start on Sunday, May 26th app. at 02:00pm.

Compensation The organizer will cover the accommodation costs.

Officials will receive meal vouchers (breakfast at the hotel, lunch and dinner at the restaurant at the venue) during the tournament.

Briefing

The Umpires Briefing will be held on Wednesday, May 22nd at 07:00pm at the venue.

Reception

A welcome reception and dinner is planned for Wednesday, May 22nd after the Briefing (app. 08:00pm) at the hotel.

Intent to participate

If you intend to send an umpire to our tournament please inform us before

March 15th 2024
via the [online form](#).



Travel details to be sent as soon as available (latest by May 3rd).

Confirmation

During this event there will be a BEC-assessment towards accredited level with up to 6 participants.

Therefore we will be accepting a maximum of 10 foreign umpires.

Acceptance will be subject to your country not receiving a BEC selection to the assessment, as we intend to offer neutrality through a range of attending nations.

The TOC-Austria will do the selection shortly after BEC has published the candidates for assessment.

Please don't make any travel arrangements before receiving confirmation of participation.

Kind regards

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Austrian Badminton Association

Technical Officials Committee

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