



UMPIRES INVITATION



We have the pleasure to invite your umpire to the Nantes International Challenge 2023, which will be held at the **Salle métropolitaine de la Trocardière**
Rue de la Trocardière, 44400 Rezé, France
from the 15th to the 18th of June 2023.

The event is part of the BEC Elite Circuit
International Challenge Tournament
And a World Ranking Tournament

Tournament's schedule:

Day	Round	Courts	Doors Open	Start	End
Thursday	Qualification (max 100 matches)	5	7:30	9:00	21:00
Friday	Main drawn Round 1 (56)& 2 (40)	5	7:30	9:00	21:00
Saturday	Quarter finals (20)	3	7:30	9:00	15:00
	Semi-finals (10)	2		16:00	21:00
Sunday	Finals	1	8:00	10:00	17:00

The invitation is on following terms:

1. The organizer will pay for accommodation (full board) and meals for the umpires.
2. All umpires are expected to share rooms with their colleagues (Twinrooms). You will stay at the Citadines Apart'hotel Confluent Nantes (2 Av. Anne Cazeneuve, 44200 Nantes).
3. All travelling expenses to/from Nantes will be on the account of the umpires or their National Association. The organization provides transport from Nantes airport and Nantes train station to the venue and the hotel.
4. All umpires are expected to arrive on Wednesday June 14th before umpires briefing at the venue at 20:00 (to be confirmed). They could leave on Sunday 18th not before 16:00.
5. Umpires have to wear the all black uniform.

Please inform us if you intend to send umpires to our tournament not later than April 15th 2023 to umpires@nantes-international.fr in order to put together our umpires' team.

Please mention:

- Name
- Gender
- Mobile phone number
- Email address
- Umpires grade of your nominee

As soon as possible after that date, we will confirm the nominations.

Please do not book any travel arrangements until umpire nominations have been confirmed.

The travel details should be sent not later than June 1st, 2023

We look forward to hear from you!

Best regards,

Adeline Sergent
Event Director