

FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE



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To: The Gymnastics Federations of:

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SUBJECT: FIG AGE GROUP PROJECT INTRODUCTION CAMP - FOR RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS – Singapore, March 17-19, 2015

Dear President,

We are pleased to invite your coaches or technical experts to attend, at FIG expense, the introduction of this new FIG Program.

The FIG has recently completed a full age group technical development and competition program for Rhythmic Gymnastics which includes a full series of physical and technical tests for body elements and dance preparation and apparatus handling as well as recommended competition rules and compulsory exercises for all apparatus across all age groups.

The FIG intends to introduce this program around the world for federations that are not highly developed in rhythmic gymnastics. The FIG, with support from the IOC, is funding the introduction of this program initially in three areas of the world – South-East Asia is one of those areas. The future intention is that the FIG will annually send experts to conduct a training camp in your region in order to provide further education and monitor progress of your athletes and coaches towards the identified tests and routines.

SPECIFICALLY, YOUR FEDERATION IS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE WITH ONE RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS COACH OR TECHNICAL LEADER THAT WILL BE FULLY FUNDED BY THE FIG TO ATTEND THIS EVENT. This person should be one that can present the information to your federation so that you can decide about its possible implementation in your country.

YOUR FEDERATION MAY REGISTER ADDITIONAL COACHES BUT AT YOUR EXPENSE. THE HOST FEDERATION MAY PARTICIPATE WITH UP TO TEN COACHES BUT ONLY THE FIRST ONE ON THE REGISTRATION LIST WILL BE FUNDED BY THE FIG.

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Dates for this Rhythmic Age Group Project Introduction Camp:

Arrival of experts and participating coaches	March 16, 2015
FIG Age Group Project Introduction Camp	March 17-19
Departures	March 20 (or after 6pm March 19)

Accommodation for participants and FIG Experts:

V Hotel Lavender

70 Jellicoe Road, Singapore 208767

Tel: +65 6345 2233

Website: www.vhotel.sg/lavender

Venue for all lectures:

Singapore Sports Hub

Hall 1, OCBC Arena 3 Stadium Drive, #01-33 S(397630)

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Visa:

Please check the Visa requirements from your country of origin.

Other information

The deadline for the registration and inscription for this Introduction Rhythmic Age Group Project Camp is **Friday, February 6, 2015** after which the invitation will be extended to other federations.

PLEASE GO AHEAD WITH THE BOOKING OF FLIGHT TICKETS (ECONOMY FARE) FOR YOUR COACH. HOWEVER, PLEASE HAVE THE COST OF THE TICKET APPROVED BY THE FIG OFFICE BEFORE YOU PAY FOR IT. YOUR TRANSFER FROM/TO AIRPORT/HOTEL WILL BE ARRANGED AND YOUR FLIGHT TICKET WILL BE REFUNDED ONLY UPON RECEIPT OF THE ENCLOSED REGISTRATION FORM.

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An exact schedule of the camp and other necessary information will be sent to you soon after the registration deadline by Hardy Fink, the Director of FIG Education & Academy Programs.

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Please note that you will receive additional correspondence regarding various details and instructions about this Rhythmic Age Group Introduction Camp from the following authorized persons:

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Enclosure: Registration form