

Monday, 18 November 2019

To the National Federations of Europe,
Asia-Oceania and Panamerica

RE: BUDAPEST COACHING ACADEMY 2020

Dear Ms President, Dear Mr President,

In 2020, the FIE Budapest Coaching Academy will take place for three months, as follows:

Epée: from January 20 to April 18, 2020

Sabre: from April 22 to July 20, 2020

Foil: from September 17 to December 15, 2020

Arrival: the day before the course starts. Departure: the day after the course finishes.

Level of course: 2

Format: 8 students per weapon (6 from Europe, 2 from Panamerica/ Asia-Oceania)

The course will be held in English from Monday to Friday (09:00-13:00 and 15:00-19:00). Classes of psychology, physiology, sport theory and biomechanics will be taught, as well as coach education classes and practice.

At the end of the programme, an examination of practice will take place and give, if the participant is successful, an FIE-recognised diploma.

To be eligible, the applicants **must** meet the following requirements:

- **Hold a level-3 coaching diploma**
- **Have coaching experience for 7 years at least**
- **Hold an FIE or national licence**
- **Confirm s/he will be a fencing coach at her/his National Federation for two years time after graduating from the Budapest Coachinh Academy**
- **Speak and understand English well**
- **Be in good physical health**

The FIE takes in charge the accommodation and meals but not the travel costs.

The documents to send to training.camp@fie.ch are:

- A passport copy
- A recent color photo
- The university diploma/enrolment copy
- A doctor's certificate proving the candidate is in good health
- A short biography (experience in fencing, name and location of the club, name of the coach)
- A reference letter from the National Federation, stamped and signed by the President
- The FIE application form duly filled in and signed by the candidate

Deadlines:

Epee session: **December 9, 2019.** Result of admission announced on December 13, 2019.

Sabre session: **February 3, 2020.** Result of admission announced by February 14, 2020.

Foil session: **June 1, 2020.** Result of admission announced by June 12, 2020.

Important notes:

- 1) Out of Schengen countries candidates need a visa. The Academy will help with an invitation letter but can't guarantee the obtention of the visa
- 2) The Academy does not reimburse any transportation fees and other costs
- 3) The students must have a health insurance covering the stay in Budapest (medical fees, assistance, accident, repatriation)
- 4) The applicants must provide the FIE with the health insurance proof covering the stay in Budapest (for medical fees, assistance, accident, repatriation)
- 5) The students must bring their own coaching equipment for practice

Should you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact the FIE Sport Department.

Best regards,

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FIE Sport and Technical Director