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INVITATION

A Toutes Les Fédérations Nationales d'Escrime,

La Fédération d'Escrime du Qatar à l'honneur et le plaisir d'inviter votre fédération à participer au Grand Prix Epée Masculine, qui sera organisé à Doha – Qatar, du 11-12 Février 2011.

Nous vous remercions pour votre collaboration et nous nous réjouissons de vous voir parmi nous.

Cordiales salutations,

To All National Fencing Federations,

The Qatar Fencing Federation will be pleased to welcome all members of the FIE to participate in the upcoming Fencing Grand Prix Epee Men, that will take place on 11-12 February 2011 in Qatar.

We thank you for your usual collaboration and we look forward to seeing you in Qatar.

Yours sincerely,

Saoud Bin Abdulrahman Al-Thani
Secretary General – Qatar Olympic Committee
Vice President d'Honneur – FIE
President – Qatar Fencing Federation



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GRAND PRIX 2011



EPEE – MEN – SENIOR – INDIVIDUAL
DOHA – QATAR – 11 to 12 February 2011



REGULATIONS

PROGRAMME

Friday - 11/2/2011

Individual Event

08:00 - Fencers Call + Registration

08:30 Heats

Saturday -- 12/2/2011

Individual Event (continued)

09:00 - 64 Fencers Schedule

18:00 - Finals

ENTRY FEE

The entry fees are fixed at 100 Euro per fencer for the individual event to be paid to the organizers at the moment of registration (FIE Regulations).

ENROLMENT

The Registration will be on the FIE web site www.fie.ch and entries will be accepted until 7 days before the competition. The national federations are requested to mail the attached forms to the Qatar Fencing Federation.

FENCING GRAND PRIX

Form A: Non Nominative, not later than 1 January 2011

Form B: Nominative not later than 1 January 2011

All forms should be returned to:

Organising Committee: Qatar Fencing Federation

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ANTI-DOPING CONTROL

Anti-Doping Control will be done at the end of the tournament under the responsibility of the competition official physician in accordance with the FIE rules.

REWARDS:

Total prize money of US\$ 20,000 will be offered as follows:

INDIVIDUAL

1 st Place:	10,000 US\$
2 nd Place:	5,000 US\$
3 rd Place:	2,000 US\$
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5 th to 8 th Place:	1,000 US\$

Souvenirs will be offered to all the participants

REMARKS

The tournament organizers have the right to modify the competition schedule depending on the number of the Fencers registered. The first 16 Fencers of the current Grand Prix Classification must confirm their participation on Thursday 11 February 2011 at 20:00 at the latest.

ENTRY VISA

In order to obtain a visa, participants are requested to send by fax the entry Form A as well as a copy of their passports and one ID photo. The Organising Committee will take care of the necessary formalities.

ACCOMMODATION

Hotel reservation will be done for each delegation by the Organising Committee before 1 January 2011. The Organising Committee selected the following Official Hotels:

- **Le Park Suite (****)** Single: 125\$ (Includes Breakfast + Dinner)
Twin: 160\$ (Includes Breakfast + Dinner)
- **Le Grand Hotel (****)** Single: 125\$ (Includes Breakfast + Dinner)
Twin: 160\$ (Includes Breakfast + Dinner)

TRANSPORT

The Organising Committee will provide the transportation from airport to the hotel and to the competition area.



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Organising Committee
Qatar 2011


PREVIOUS RESULTS

(List of Honor)

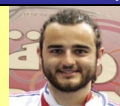
1ST Tournament:

WORLD CUP – DOHA QATAR 2004		(Total Prize: 12,000 US\$)	
MARIK Christophe	AUT		


2nd Tournament:

GRAND PRIX QATAR 2005		(Total Prize: 27,000 US\$)	
SCHMID Sven	GER	1 st	

3rd Tournament:

GRAND PRIX QATAR 2006		(Total Prize: 31,000 US\$)	
BOISSE Eric	FRA	1 st	


4th Tournament:

GRAND PRIX QATAR 2007		(Total Prize: 31,000 US\$)	
JEANNET Jerome	FRA	1 st	


5th Tournament:

GRAND PRIX QATAR 2008		(Total Prize: 31,000 US\$)	
ZAWROTNIAK Radoslaw	POL	1 st	

6th Tournament:

GRAND PRIX QATAR 2009		(Total Prize: 31,000 US\$)	
ROTA Alfredo	ITA	1 st	

7th Tournament:

GRAND PRIX QATAR 2010		(Total Prize: 31,000 US\$)	
FIEDLER Joerg	GER	1 st	



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GOLDEN SWORD PRIZE (Started since 2008)



QATAR FENCING MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM

Qatar Fencing Federation (QFF) is pleased to announce the launch of its membership scheme as an initiative to promote the sport throughout the globe. This program consists of three classifications each with different categories and privileges.

Features: A unique design, gold plated, filled with diamonds and jewellery, the sword is worth U\$100,000 approximately, and is one of the special attraction of Grand Prix.

1- Golden Card

This prize is awarded to the fencer who is participating in the Grand Prix championships in Qatar for the sixth consecutive year and has achieved five points.

Privileges:

- 1- The fencer will receive US\$ 5000 as prize money
- 2- Business-class air ticket, in addition to full board accommodation for one time
- 3- A special gift from the federation

2- Platinum Card

This prize is awarded to the fencer who is participating in the Grand Prix championships in Qatar for the sixth consecutive year and has achieved three points.

Privileges:

- 1- The fencer will receive US\$ 2000 as prize money
- 2- Economy-class air ticket
- 3- A special gift from the federation

3- Silver Card

This prize is awarded to the fencer who is participating in the Grand Prix championships in Qatar for the sixth consecutive year and has achieved two points.

Privileges:

- 1- Economy-class air ticket
- 2- A special gift from the federation
- 3- No charges will be incurred for his participation in next Qatar Grand Prix

Points' schedule:

Ranking	Points
First place	5
Second Place	3
Third Place	2

Note:

The fencer can move from his approved card to the higher card by collecting more points. For example; if the player of the golden card secured second place next year, he would raise his points tally to six and if he finishes third, he can raise his points tally to five, which meets the conditions of Platinum card and so on. The fencers' results and their participating year from the beginning of Qatar Grand Prix championship will be counted.