



# GRAND PRIX 2020

ONE SERIES. NINE CITIES.

## MONTREAL.

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## **SABRE GRAND PRIX OF MONTREAL**

Grand Prix FIE, Men & Women events

**January 10, 11 and 12, 2020**

Dear friends,

On behalf of the Canadian Fencing Federation, it is with great pleasure that I invite you to participate in the Montreal Sabre Grand Prix, which will take place January 10, 11 and 12, 2020.

The competition will run as follows:

### **ORGANIZERS**

Canadian Fencing Federation  
Telephone : + 1 514 963-5017  
Email : [grandprixmtl2020@gmail.com](mailto:grandprixmtl2020@gmail.com)

### **VENUE**

IGA Stadium  
285, Gary Carter Street  
Montreal, Quebec  
Canada

### **RULES AND EQUIPMENT CONTROL**

Competition and equipment control will comply with FIE regulations. Weapon control will be available at the hotel the evening prior to the event (Holiday Inn & Suites, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.) and at the competition venue during the event.

### **PARTICIPATION**

Federations will be able to register up to 12 fencers. The organizing country may enter up to 20 fencers, plus the number of fencers needed to complete the pools.

### **REGISTRATION**

Each fencer must hold a valid international license for the 2019 - 2020 season.

No one may participate in an official FIE event, regardless of weapon, unless he or she is 13 years of age on the 1<sup>st</sup> of January of the year of the event.

Fencers can only register on the FIE website at [fie.org](http://fie.org), before Friday January 3rd, 2020 (midnight Lausanne hour).

## ENTRY FEES

Individual event: 100 € or 150 \$ CAD. The entry fees will be paid for each national delegation in cash, at least one hour before the start of competitions.

## COMPETITION SCHEDULE

### Thursday January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020

- 14:00 Publication of Pools at the IGA Stadium and on CFF website
- 18:00 - 20:00 Registration and Weapon control at The Holiday Inn & suites
- 19:00 Directoire technique meeting

### Friday January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020

- 08:00 - 9:30 Registration and Weapon control at the IGA Stadium
- 08:30 Referees' meeting
- 10:00 Men's Sabre Pools & Qualification table

### Saturday January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020

- 08:00 - 9:30 Registration and Weapon control at the IGA Stadium
- 09:00 Women's Sabre Pools & Qualification table
- 13:15 Direct Elimination Table of 64 Men's Sabre
- 18:00 Start of Men's quarter finals, semifinals and finals program

### Sunday January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020

- 07:00 - 8:30 Weapon control at the IGA Stadium
- 08:40 Direct Elimination Table of 64 Women's Sabre
- 14:00 Start of Women's quarter finals, semifinals and finals program

The schedule may be subject to change.

## REFEREES

The referees are appointed by the FIE and the delegations do not need to provide referees.

## FORMULA

Pool round, preliminary table of direct elimination, main table of 64 fencers & direct elimination finals.



## **DOPING**

An anti-doping test will be conducted in accordance with the FIE Rules.

## **HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS & TRANSPORTATION**

Please contact Mélissa Brodeur at the coordinates below if you wish to benefit from preferential hotel rates negotiated by the organizers and reside at the hotel from which the transport to the competition will depart:

**Mélissa Brodeur**, Sales and Banquet Manager

Holiday Inn & suites	<a href="mailto:banquet@himtl.com">banquet@himtl.com</a>
Montréal Downtown West	<a href="http://holidayinn.com">holidayinn.com</a>
1390, René-Lévesque West Bld	Telephone : +1 514 218-4023
Montreal (Quebec) H3G 0E3	Fax : +1 514 218-4026

The group code is : **GPE**

Transportation will be provided between the official hotel and the competition venue from Friday January 10<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 12<sup>th</sup>.

Accommodations are the sole responsibility of the participating delegations.

## **MONTREAL-TRUDEAU INTERNATIONAL AEROPORT**

Click on this [link for information about YUL](#).

## **GROUND TRANSPORTATION**

Click on this [link for information about the Société de transport de Montréal](#).

Click on this [link for information about Taxis](#) in the city of Montreal.

## **VISAS**

Be sure to check Canada's visa requirements before booking your flight tickets. People who need help getting a visa can contact Mathilde Cambus ( [grandprixmtl2020@gmail.com](mailto:grandprixmtl2020@gmail.com) ). The issuance of a visa can sometimes take several weeks and should be processed immediately.

To view the current list of countries whose nationals must obtain a visa to visit Canada, click on the following link : <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/visit-canada/entry-requirements-country.html> .

## REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL INVITATION

To assist with preparing an invitation letter for your delegation, we ask the national federations to complete the following form and return it by email to: [grandprixmtl2020@gmail.com](mailto:grandprixmtl2020@gmail.com)

The CFF will then send you a formal invitation letter which you will have to submit, accompanied with any required personal identification documents, to the Canadian consulate closest to you.

Participants are encouraged to apply as soon possible to make sure they receive the visa on time.

## TRAINING CAMP (JANUARY 3 TO 8, 2020)

A training camp will be organized by the Canadian Fencing Federation in Montreal at the National Fencing Center from January 3 to 8, 2020 (National Sport Institute - 4545, Pierre-de-Coubertin Avenue). The National Center is accessible by metro (green line - Viau station).

Access to services (physical preparation room, recovery baths...) will also be offered during this camp.

For more information about the training camp, please contact Benjamin Mañano, High Performance Director: [hpd@fencing.ca](mailto:hpd@fencing.ca)

For any additional information, please contact Yann Bernard, President of the Organizing Committee of the Grand Prix 2020 of Montreal, or Mathilde Cambus, Assistant to the Organizing Committee, at the coordinates following :

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Yours in sport,

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