



# ASIAN YOUTH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022

## 13<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> OCTOBER 2022, Bali-Indonesia

### REGULATIONS

#### 1. Invitation

The Indonesian Chess Federation (PERCASI) on behalf of the Asian Chess Federation (ACF) and FIDE has the honour to invite all Asian National Chess Federations to participate in the 2022 Asian Youth Chess Championships and Asian Youth Rapid and Blitz Championships, which will be held in Bali, Indonesia. This event will be held from 13<sup>th</sup> (arrival) to 22<sup>nd</sup> (departure) October 2022.

#### 2. Eligibility of Participants

2.1 Entitled player must not have reached his/her respective birthday before January 1st, 2022:

Under 8 : Born on or after 1st January 2014	Under 14 : Born on or after 1st January 2008
Under 10 : Born on or after 1st January 2012	Under 16 : Born on or after 1st January 2006
Under 12 : Born on or after 1st January 2010	Under 18 : Born on or after 1st January 2004

2.2 Every Asian National Chess Federation can register only one Official Player in each category (maximum of 12 official players). No replacement from other category can be made in case there is no Official Player in one category.

2.3 All Champions in last year's edition are entitled with personal rights to play in this year's event according to their eligible category as Official Players if the stipulation of article 2.1 is met. One Head of Delegation (HOD) is accommodated on the expense of the Organizing Committee (OC).

2.4 Other than Official Players, federations may register players who shall be classified as Additional Players. A FIDE endorsed chess academy can send its trainees (maximum one player per category) as Additional Players.

2.5 All persons, besides the players and HOD, shall be classified as Accompanying Persons. A federation may register any number of Additional Players and Accompanying Persons but only upon confirmation of availability by the OC. The National Federation shall be responsible for the costs of their Additional Players and Accompanying Persons.

### **3. Registration and Travel**

- 3.1** The Registration form must be filled by National Federation officials and delivered to the OC before the registration deadline.
- 3.2** Each participant shall register to the OC by 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022 which is the Registration deadline. The participant must pay a registration fee, which is compulsory and represents a confirmation of participation and includes accreditation and transportation from and to Bali International Airport and the official hotel.
- 3.3** After the Registration deadline, no official and additional players will be accepted (see article 5.1 and 5.2).
- 3.4** All travel expenses must be paid by the participants or their Federation. Only members of ACF's Federation are entitled to submit the registration forms. Individual applications will not be accepted.
- 3.5** For security and organizational reasons and in accordance with FIDE tournament regulations, all National Delegations shall use the official hotel(s) designated by the OC.

### **4. Information about Visas**

- 4.1** Those who need visas must submit their data before 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022.
- 4.2** The OC will issue invitations only after all the pre-payments are made (see article 5.3).

### **5. Financial Regulations & Payments**

#### **5.1 Entry Fee:**

The Entry Fee is **USD 75** for an Official Player and **USD 150** for an Additional Player. After the deadline of 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022, the OC reserves the rights to refuse or decline a late registration, or accepting if there is availability with a penalty of **USD 50** for each entry.

#### **5.2 Registration Fee:**

The Registration Fee is **USD 100** for each participant (official player, additional player, HOD, and accompanying persons) by 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022. The OC reserves the right to refuse or decline a late registration.

#### **5.3 Prepayment:**

A fifty percent (50%) prepayment of the cost for board and lodging (hotel at full board basis) must be paid by the deadline of 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

#### **5.4 Bank Account**

Beneficiary Name:	<b>Persatuan Catur Seluruh Indonesia</b>
Beneficiary Address:	Pintu VI Gelora Bung Karno, Senayan, Jakarta
Beneficiary Bank Name:	<b>Mandiri Bank</b>
Bank Address:	Jalan Trunojoyo M I No. 135, Jakarta Selatan 12160
Bank Branch Nama:	Mandiri Sub Branch Office - KCP Jakarta PLN Pusat
Bank Account Number:	<b>126-000-4700-745</b>
Bank SWIFT CODE:	<b>BMRIIDJA</b>
Account Currency:	IDR
Country Name:	Indonesia

**5.5** Each National Federation will be invoiced by the OC. Payments should be made by the federation and not by individuals. When payments are confirmed, the OC will send to the participating federation the confirmation of the hotel reservations. All confirmed registrations will be notified via email.

**5.6** All payments must be finalized upon arrival. Players will not be paired until all payments and fees are cleared.

## **6. Venue & Hotel – Board & Lodging**

**6.1** The Official Hotel (4stars) are The Grand Inna Kuta Hotel and The Kuta Beach Heritage Hotel. Distance between these two hotels is about 400 meters or 5 minutes away on foot. The Official Venue is the Grand Inna Kuta Hotel, which is also the official hotel.

**6.2** Federations should book through the Organizing Committee. Selection of the Hotel will be done by the OC on first come first served basis.

**6.3** If there is increased demand or late registrations accepted, the OC may offer additional hotels of similar quality on basis of availability.

**6.4** Official players and one HOD are offered full board accommodation from 13<sup>th</sup> October 2022 (arrival) to 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2022 (departure). Any additional dates will be charged at full rate of the hotel subject to availability. Hotel Rates for additional players and accompanying persons on full board basis are as below:

<b>ROOM</b>	<b>PRICE</b>
SINGLE	<b>USD 95</b> per person per night
DOUBLE	<b>USD 65</b> per person per night

## **7. Technical Regulations**

**7.1** The tournament will be played using the Swiss System with 9 rounds. Where there are fewer than 5 federations or 10 players in a category, that category may be merged according to FIDE regulations to qualify for direct titles.

**7.2** The rate of play will be:

- a. Standard 90 minutes for the whole game with an increment of 30 seconds per move starting from move one.
- b. Time Control for Rapid 15 minutes + 10 seconds and 7 rounds.
- c. Time Control for Blitz 3 minutes + 2 seconds and 9 rounds.

**7.3** In the last round, players from the same Federation who have scored more than 50% shall not be paired to play each other if alternate pairings are available, unless the Chief Arbiter announces otherwise before the start of the age group / category.

**7.4 Tiebreak:** The final ranking order of players is determined by the number of points scored. The tiebreak shall be decided as follows:

- a. Direct Encounter,
- b. Greater Number of Wins, forfeits counted (a pairing bye is not a forfeit)
- c. Buchholz Cut 1,
- d. Buchholz Cut 2,
- e. Greater Number of Wins with Black Pieces.

**7.5** In case the above still does not produce a decision, top players shall be given the same medals but titles shall be decided by Sonneborn Berger system.

**7.6** The Continental President for Asia, after consultation with the organizing federation, shall nominate the Technical Delegate and Chief Arbiter, Deputy Chief Arbiters and the necessary assistant arbiters and other officials.

**8. Schedule:**

TIME: CENTRAL INDONESIA TIME-BALI (GMT + 8 HRS)		
DATE	TIME	REMARK
Thur, 13th Oct	After 14:00	Arrival / Check-in
	21:00	Technical Meeting
Fri, 14th Oct	9:00	Opening Ceremony
	10:00	Rapid Championship
Sat, 15th Oct	9:00	Round 1
	15:30	Round 2
Sun, 16th Oct	9:00	Round 3
	15:30	Round 4
Mon, 17th Oct	9:00	Round 5
	15:30	Round 6
Tues, 18th Oct	Free Day	
Wed, 19th Oct	9:00	Round 7
	15:30	Round 8
Thur, 20th Oct	9:00	Round 9
Fri, 21st Oct	10:00	Blitz Championship
	17:00	Closing Ceremony & Prize Giving
Sat. 22nd Oct	Before 12:00 noon	Departure

## **9. Prizes**

- 9.1** The top three players in each event will be awarded gold, silver and bronze medals.
- 9.2** Three best Federations, by ranking of medals collected in all categories in Standard Chess, will receive a trophy. For ranking, the number of gold medals will be considered first, and if there is a tie, then the number of silver medals, and if there is still a tie, then the number of bronze medals. If finally this is still tied, then the total number of medal winners in Standard, Rapid and Blitz applies.
- 9.3** Team Medals - will be awarded based on the total score of the top three players of a country. Countries with less than 2 players will not be eligible for a team award. In case of any tie, the tie-break scores of each player shall be considered.
- 9.4** The champions of Asian Youth Championships shall have the personal right to participate in the World Youth Championship of the corresponding age-category or a higher age-category if the stipulation age limit is met. This privilege may be exercised once exclusively in the subsequent year following the year of qualification.
- 9.5** E-Certificates of Participation shall be given to all participants.

## **10. Direct Titles**

- 10.1** Gold medalists of U18 categories shall be awarded the title of International Master (IM)/Woman International Master (WIM). 1st equal player shall get IM norm. The Silver & Bronze Medal winners shall be awarded the FIDE Master (FM)/Woman FIDE Master (WFM) title.
- 10.2** Gold medalists of U16 category shall be awarded the title of FM/WFM and an IM/WIM norm. 1st equal player will get FM/WFM title. The Silver & Bronze Medal winners shall be awarded the Candidate Master (CM)/Woman Candidate Master (WCM) title.
- 10.3** Gold medalists of U12 & U14 categories shall be awarded the title of FM/WFM. The Silver & Bronze Medal winners shall be awarded the CM/WCM title.
- 10.4** Gold, Silver & Bronze Medal (after tie break up to 3 players) winners of the U8 & U10 categories shall be awarded the CM/WCM title.
- 10.5** For a direct title to be awarded immediately an applicant has to have achieved at some time or other a minimum rating as follows: IM 2200, WIM 2000, FM 2100, WFM 1900, CM 2000, WCM 1800.

CATEGORY	IM/WIM	FM/WFM	CM/WCM
U-18	1 <sup>st</sup> -Title 1 <sup>st</sup> equal-Norm	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> -Title	N.A.
U-16	1 <sup>st</sup> -Norm	1 <sup>st</sup> equal-Title	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> -Title
U-14 & U-12	N.A.	1 <sup>st</sup> -Title	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> -Title
U-10 & U-8	N.A.	N.A.	1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> -Title
N.A.: Not applicable			

## 11. Appeals Committee and Technical Delegate

- 11.1** The Chairman of the Appeals Committee and Technical Delegate shall be nominated by the Continental President in consultation with the organizing federation.
- 11.2** The Appeals Committee shall be composed of three members and two reserves, all from different Federations, chosen from among the representatives of National Federations present. No member shall take part in a decision affecting a player of his own federation. (Unless both parties are from the same federation).
- 11.3** A protest against the decision of an Arbiter or the Chief Arbiter must be submitted to the Appeals Committee Chairman in writing within 15 (fifteen) minutes after the end of the playing session with protest fee of USD 200.
- 11.4** The Appeals Committee may also decide to refund the fee if it considers the appeal has merit. The decision of the Appeals Committee is final, binding and takes effect immediately.

## 12. Dress Code

All Players are obliged to wear uniforms that represent their national federation and/or the national flag. Shorts and slippers, sun glasses, sport caps and revealing attire are not allowed. Award winners should follow the dress code at the closing ceremony.

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