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**UZBEKISTAN CHESS FEDERATION**

  
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**REGULATIONS**

**11<sup>th</sup> International Chess Tournament, Tashkent (OPEN),  
Memorial of Georgy Agzamov, the first grandmaster of Uzbekistan**

**1. Tournament Classification**

The Tournament is organized with the following objectives:

- Popularization and development of chess in Uzbekistan,
- Preservation and multiplication of cultural and sports traditions,
- Development of skills of Uzbekistan chess players.

**2. Host Organizations.**

The general management organization of the competition is carried out by the Uzbekistan Chess Federation (hereinafter UCF), in cooperation with the Ministry of Culture and Sports of Uzbekistan.

The direct management of the tournament is entrusted to the Board of Arbiters.

**3. Time and Venue.**

The Tournament takes place in the city of Tashkent from May 1<sup>st</sup> (arrival) till May 11<sup>th</sup> (departure), 2017. Final registration is on May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 from 10.00 to 16.00.

**4. Tournament System.**

The Tournament is a 9-round Swiss in two groups – main group A and group B for the juniors under 12 years.

Time controls: 90 minutes and a 30-second increment per move starting from move one.

**5. Tournament Participants and Conditions.**

**The participation is free of charge for:**

- Junior Uzbekistan champions 2017 under 14, 16, 18 years,
- Three places from Uzbekistan Men and Women's Championship Final 2016,
- Places 1 to 3 in the Uzbekistan Senior Championship 2016 (men),
- Chess players with international titles IM, GM;
- Chess players with FIDE rating not less than 2400.

**Fees for the participants in the A Group:**

- For chess players with FIDE rating 2300-2399, the tournament fee is 50 US dollars,
- For chess players with FIDE rating 2200-2299 — 75 US dollars,
- For chess players with FIDE rating 2100-2199 — 100 US dollars,
- For chess players with FIDE rating 2000-2099 — 120 US dollars,
- For chess players with a rating below 2000 — 150 US dollars,
- For chess players without FIDE rating - 175 US dollars,
- A 50% discount is provided for seniors 60 years old or older.

**Fee for the participants in the B Group – 100 US dollars.**

Residents of Uzbekistan should transfer their fees to the mentioned below account in Uzbek soums according to Central Bank's conversion rate at the moment of payment in view of their FIDE rating on 1 April 2017, no later than 25th April 2017.

<b>Account</b>	2021 2000 5001 7827 6001	<b>INN 201710234</b>	
<b>Name of bank</b>	TASHKENT REGIONAL BRANCH OF NATIONAL BANK	<b>MFO</b> 00401	<b>OKONH</b> 98500

Non-residents of Uzbekistan pay their fees in USA dollars in view of their FIDE rating on 1 April 2017 on the mentioned below USA dollars account. Upon registration they have to provide the bank receipt:

Uzbekistan Chess Federation	Account: 2021 2840 2001 7827 6007
S.W.I.F.T.: NBFAUZ2X	Address: 98A Uzbekistan str., Tashkent, Uzbekistan
Bank name: TASHKENT REGIONAL BRANCH OF NATIONAL BANK OF UZBEKISTAN	

**The UCF will consider all the applications and selectively, upon a compulsory preliminary agreement, accepts 10 grandmasters with FIDE rating more than 2500 on the following conditions:**

Full-board single room and return of airfare (1-month, economy class) not exceeding 600 euro.

Accommodation is provided from 1<sup>st</sup> May (after 14.00) from 11<sup>th</sup> May (before 12.00).

Upon agreement with UCF grandmasters – grandmasters - members of national Uzbekistan team will be provided with accommodation during the event. In addition, UCF reserves the right to accept chess players with outstanding achievements and merits on special conditions.

#### **6. Accommodation.**

The official hotel of the tournament is Hotel "Uzbekistan" \*\*\*\* with special prices for participants, registered by the Uzbekistan Chess Federation, immigration registration in Uzbekistan is guaranteed. Participants and accompanying persons, who wish to stay in the "Uzbekistan" Hotel, should send applications to UCF for booking and transfer payment to the USA dollars account of UCF according to the sent invoice.

#### **7. Determination of winners and prizes.**

Winners are determined by number points scored and, in case of a tie, by the following tie breaks:

1) Direct encounter, 2) Performance, 3) The number of wins, 4) Buchholz.

**If participants have equal scores their prizes will not be shared and will be distributed according to the abovementioned tie breaks. If one player wins in two nominations, prizes are not summarized.**

**The general prize fund is 20 000 US dollars.**

#### **Price fund in the A Group:**

- 1st place – 4 000 US dollars
- 2nd place – 3 000 US dollars
- 3rd place – 2 000 US dollars
- 4th place – 1 300 US dollars
- 5th place – 900 US dollars
- 6th place - 800 US dollars
- 7th place - 700 US dollars
- 8th place - 600 US dollars
- 9th place - 500 US dollars
- 10th place - 400 US dollars
- 11th place - 300 US dollars
- 12th place - 200 US dollars

**Special prizes:**

**Women, if not less than 10 participants**

1st place – 900 US dollars

2nd place – 700 US dollars

3rd place – 500 US dollars

**Juniors under 20:**

1st place - 500 US dollars

2nd place - 300 US dollars

**Girls under 20:**

1st place - 200 US dollars

**Veterans:**

1st place - 400 US dollars

2nd place - 200 US dollars

3rd place - 100 US dollars

**Price fund in the B Group:**

1st place – 400 US dollars

2nd place – 300 US dollars

3rd place – 200 US dollars

4th place – 150 US dollars

5th place – 100 US dollars

**Special prizes:**

**Girls, if not less than 10 participants:**

1st place – 150 US dollars

2nd place – 100 US dollars

**Best junior under 8:**

1st place – 50 US dollars

**Best junior under 10:**

1st place – 50 US dollars

**8. Visas**

Participants, that need visa to enter Uzbekistan, must register before 1<sup>st</sup> April 2017 and send necessary documents.

**9. Financing.**

Payments for the prize fund and Arbiters, transfer, accommodation and board for invited participants and the Chief Arbiter of the tournament will be covered by UCF and tournament fees.

Travel expenses of participants and arbiters to the venue and back and per diems will be covered by sending organizations.

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