

## XXVIII SPANISH INTERNATIONAL – MADRID 21<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> May 2015

“Villa de Madrid”

Tournament graded as “**INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE**” in BWF calendar

<b>Venue</b>	<b>POLIDEPORTIVO MUNICIPAL “MARQUÉS DE SAMARACH”</b> Paseo Imperial, 18 Zip Code 28005 Madrid – Spain																												
<b>Spanish Host Institutions</b>	Spanish Ministry of Sports (Consejo Superior de Deportes) Sports General Management of Community of Madrid Sports General Management of City Council of Madrid Badminton World Federation Badminton Europe Confederation Spanish Badminton Federation Madrid Badminton Federation																												
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<b>Date</b>	From <b>21 to 24 May 2015</b>																												
<b>Total Prizes</b>	<p><b>Total prizes money: 15,000 US \$ = 13,363 € (currency from 2 March 2015)</b></p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>MS</th> <th>WS</th> <th>MD</th> <th>WD</th> <th>MXD</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Winner</td> <td>1,336 € (1,500 \$)</td> <td>1,336 € (1,500 \$)</td> <td>1,603 € (1,800 \$)</td> <td>1,603 € (1,800 \$)</td> <td>1,603 € (1,800 \$)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Runner Up</td> <td>891 € (1,000 \$)</td> <td>891 € (1,000 \$)</td> <td>980 € (1,100 \$)</td> <td>980 € (1,100 \$)</td> <td>980 € (1,100 \$)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Semi Finals</td> <td>290 € (325 \$)</td> <td>290 € (325 \$)</td> <td colspan="3">All prices in € <sup>(1)</sup></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Taxes Foreigner players: 24´75% will be deducted due to Spanish law taxes. Spanish players: 21% will be deducted due to Spanish law taxes.</p>						MS	WS	MD	WD	MXD	Winner	1,336 € (1,500 \$)	1,336 € (1,500 \$)	1,603 € (1,800 \$)	1,603 € (1,800 \$)	1,603 € (1,800 \$)	Runner Up	891 € (1,000 \$)	891 € (1,000 \$)	980 € (1,100 \$)	980 € (1,100 \$)	980 € (1,100 \$)	Semi Finals	290 € (325 \$)	290 € (325 \$)	All prices in € <sup>(1)</sup>		
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<b>Events</b>	All Five: Men Singles, Women Singles, Men Doubles, Women Doubles and Mixed Doubles MS: 32 WS: 32 MD: 24 WD: 24 XD: 24
<b>Nº of Courts</b>	Five Tinsue Courts
<b>Official Shuttlecock</b>	YONEX AS-50
<b>Referee &amp; Deputy</b>	Referee: Michael Nemeč (AUSTRIA) E-mail: michael.nemec@outlook.com Deputy referee: Carmen Martínez (SPAIN)
<b>Eligibility</b>	The tournament will be played in full accordance with the Laws of Badminton and Competition Regulations adopted by the BWF and is also played in accordance with the Badminton Europe Circuit Regulations.
<b>Entries</b>	<p>Entries must be submitted no later than Tuesday 21th April 2015 at 23.59 BWF HQ time (GMT +08.00).            Players can't be entered unless they already have a BWF ID-number.            In case you wish to enter players who do not have a BWF ID-number, please contact the BWF office well in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can get a BWF ID-number before the closing date of the tournament.            No late entries will be accepted.            Online entries:  <a href="http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=C2307D02-5270-4F20-913E-F9EDD863FDFF">http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=C2307D02-5270-4F20-913E-F9EDD863FDFF</a>.</p> <p>Any player not showing up at the tournament, without having been withdrawn in advance, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an additional amount of US\$ 500,00 for the inconvenience caused by the "no show" (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).</p> <p>According with BE Circuit Regulations            3.3. It is required that every event in a particular BE Circuit tournament has at least 8 competitors (i.e. actual competitors, not merely entries). If the required number of competitors is not met, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking. In accordance with regulation 10.5 in Appendix 6 to BWF's General Competition Regulations, an event must contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the hosting Association. If an event does not contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the hosting Association, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking. BADMINTON EUROPE is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.) because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings.</p>

<b>Entry Fees</b>	<p><b>42 EUROS</b> /player in singles.  <b>31 EUROS</b> /player in doubles. (<b>62 EUROS</b> per combination in doubles)  Money-transfer or payment must be done at:  <b>(See Entry fee form attached)</b></p> <p>Bank: <b>LA CAIXA</b>  <b>Swift Code: CAIXESBBXXX</b>  <b>IBAN ES04 2100 2383 2502 0023 4988</b></p> <p><b>Please note that according with Spanish laws, it is not allowed to pay entry fee in cash. Only bank transfer is permitted.</b></p>	
<b>Draw</b>	<p>Draw will be made by Badminton Europe and it will be confirmed by the referee.</p>	
<b>Withdrawals</b>	<p><b>Withdrawals</b>  <i>22.1 Any withdrawal after the Sunday immediately preceding the draw, for any reason whatsoever, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an amount of US\$ 150,00 for the inconvenience caused by the withdrawal (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).</i></p>	
<b>Advertising Clothing</b>	<p>Players are advised that clothing and advertising must conform to the BWF General Competition Regulations at BWF Statutes Book and "Clothing regulations" written in the Badminton Europe Circuit Regulations must also be obeyed (name on the back, same colours etc.).</p> <p>For all BEC Circuit tournaments the name on the back of the shirts is mandatory at all time during play for the semi-finals and finals. For International Challenge tournaments, the name on the back of the shirt is mandatory for all matches at all time during play in the main draw. A player failing to wear the name on the back of his/her shirt when mandatory shall be penalised by an administrative fine of 100,00 EUR."</p> <p>"It is mandatory for the semi-finals and finals that partners in doubles wear the same colour of the T-shirt and shorts/skirts. Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 100,00 EUR."</p>	
<b>Other key dates</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- World Ranking date used for M&amp;Q Report: 23 April 2015</li> <li>- M&amp;Q Report Release date: 24 April 2015</li> <li>- World Ranking date used for seeding and draw: 30 April 2015</li> <li>- Last day of withdrawal without penalty: 3 May 2015</li> <li>- Draw Date: 5 May 2015</li> </ul>	
	Thursday 21 May 2015	Team Managers' meeting: Time TBC.
	Thursday 21 May 2015	Competition starts-Qualification: 11.00 AM
	Friday 22 May 2015	Competition starts-Main Draw: 9.00 AM
	Saturday 23 May 2015	<p>Quarter finals: Start at 10.00 AM  Semi finals: Start at 4.00 PM</p>

	Sunday 24 May 2015	Finals: 09.30 AM (Order of Play To Be Confirmed by Referee) Awards ceremony: after each final
<b>Visas</b>	Deadline to send to FESBA full list of Players and Officials before 19 <sup>th</sup> of April. After this day, no visa application will be written by FESBA. <b>(See visa form attached)</b> <a href="mailto:internacional@badminton.es">internacional@badminton.es</a>	
<b>Insurance</b>	Participants must arrange their own insurance for health, travel and property. FESBA will not be offering any financial assistance to compete in this competition.	
<b>Airport</b>	<p><b>Madrid International, Barajas</b> <b>INTERNATIONAL ARRIVALS Terminal 1 &amp; 4</b></p> <p>Transport service is only available for those players staying in the official hotel and doing the bookings through official travel agency before deadline for doing it (see Hotel Booking Form attached).</p> <p>FOR YOUR INFORMATION: There is a new train service available: Barajas Airport – Pirámides (<i>close to venue and official hotels</i>). One way ticket: 2.40€. <a href="#">INFO</a></p>	
<b>Official Hotel</b>	See hotel booking form attached	
<b>Departures</b>	<p><i>In accordance with BE Circuit Regulations:</i> 9.5. <i>Players shall not plan their departure less than two (2) hours after their last match is planned to conclude. If a player is unable to compete due to early departure, he/she may be penalised by removal of ranking points and return of awarded prizes. BADMINTON EUROPE shall propose to BWF that the gained BWF ranking points are also removed.</i></p>	