

## CHIEF ARBITER REPORT

TOURNAMENT World Cadets Chess Championships

PLACE AND DATE Poços de Caldas, MG, BRA  
21 to 31 August 2017

VENUE CENACON Convention Center

46 FLAGS ALG, ARG, AUS, AZE, BRA, BOL, BUL, CAN, CHI, CHN, COL, CZE, DEN, ECU, ENG, FID, FRA, GER, GRE, HUN, IND, ITA, JPN, KAZ, LAT, LUX, MEX, MGL, MOZ, NZL, PAR, PER, PLE, POL, RSA, RUS, SRI, SLO, SLK, SRB, TUR, UAE, URU, USA, UZB, VIET

SCHEDULE

Rd	Date	Hour
1	2017/08/22	16h
2	2017/08/23	10h
3	2017/08/23	17h
4	2017/08/24	15h
5	2017/08/25	15h
6	2017/08/27	15h
7	2017/08/28	10h
8	2017/08/28	17h
9	2017/08/29	15h
10	2017/08/30	15h
11	2017/08/31	09h

COMENTS The tournament schedule announced on the FIDE web site has been followed with no changes. The technical meeting has been held on aug 21st - 21h30 after the arriving of all delegations.

PLAYING AREA

The tournament was held in the CENACOM Convention Center. The playing hall was pretty good, with enough space for players & spectators and excelente air-conditioning and lighting. A large digital countdown device was installed in the playing hall 30 minutes before the begining of each round. The Chief Arbiter and FIDE Technical Delegate were regularly announcing in the playing zone that 5 to 1 minute was left for the games start. Mineral water, coffee and tea were provided to the participants in the playing zone.

PLAYING SYSTEM	The games were played in 11 rounds, swiss system, involving about 450 players.
PAIRINGS	The pairings were published on the Chess-Results web site after the end of the previous round. The pairing was performed in the swiss manager software.
TIE-BREAK CRITERIA	TB 1: result of Direct encounters between the tied players TB 2: Buchholz Cut 1 TB 3: Buchholz TB 4: the great number of games played with black pieces TB 5: the great number of wins
RATE OF PLAY	40 moves in 90 minutes, followed by 30 minutes for the rest of the game, with a 30 seconds cumulative increment from move 1, for each player.
ARBITERS	[Number  FIDE ID  Federation  Surname], Name  Title Position  1. 2110598 BRA Bento, Antonio IA (A) Chief Arbiter 2. 3003973 Uruguay de San Vicente, Sabrina IA (B) Deputy Chief Arbiter 3. 6701787 El Salvador Hernandez, Erick IA (B) Deputy Chief Arbiter 4. 2122545 BRA Mourao, Elcio Conte Lofredo IA (D) Sector Arbiter 5. 2133750 BRA Caetano, Pedro de Mendonca IA (D) Sector Arbiter 6. 2121859 BRA Konrath, Marcelo FA (D) Sector Arbiter 7. 2151480 BRA Albuquerque Junior, Wellington S. NA Arbiter 8. 2141221 BRA Tonini, Lindomar NA Arbiter 9. 2146630 BRA Lot, Adriana Padovani IA (D) Sector Arbiter 10. 24158836 Russia Vereshchagin, Igor IA (D) Sector Arbiter 11. 2195321 BRA De Aquino, Claudia Mariano NA Arbiter 12. 2129639 BRA Lima, Alexandre De Oliveira IA (D) Sector Arbiter 13. 2129876 BRA Rodrigues, Jhonas Silva NA Arbiter 14. 2109085 BRA Borges, Guilherme Deola NA Arbiter 15. 3403513 CHI Castro Guerra, Mario NA Arbiter 16. 2176297 BRA Macedo, Maice Barbara Miranda de NA Arbiter
APPEALS COMMITTEE	The members of the Appeals Committee were: David Jarrett as Chairman, IA Jorge Vega and FM Aviv Friedman as effective members. IM Bernado Rosseli Mailhe and GM Darcy Lima as reserve members. No appeals have been submitted.
TECHNICAL EQUIPMENTS	Electronic clocks from DGT has been used for the games. The model of the clocks was DGT 2010. During all rounds games, from boards 1, 2 and 3 of each category, were transmitted on-line on the Internet.
ACOMMODATIONS	All players and principals stayed in 3 Hotels. The conditions provided by the hotels were pretty good and no complains were made to the organizers.
CLOSING CEREMONY	The Closing Ceremony took place on Ago 31st, in the Playing Hall, after the last round.

## PRIZES &amp; MEDALS

The 1st to the 3rd places chess players has received gold, silver and bronze medals. From the 4 th to 6th places the chess players has received commemoratives medals. The best team (USA) has received a beautiful trophy.

**U-12 Open**

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|---------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Tsay Vincent –         | USA – 8,5 |
| 2. CM Sindarov Jakovhir – | UZB – 8,5 |
| 3. FM Murzin Volodar –    | RUS – 8,5 |

**U-12 Girls**

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|---------------------------|-----------|
| 1. WFM Dyvia Deshmukh –   | IND – 9,5 |
| 2. WFM Matus Natassja –   | USA – 8,5 |
| 3. WCM Kairbekova Amina – | KAZ – 8,5 |

**U-10 Open**

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|------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Zhou Liran –        | USA – 9,5 |
| 2. Xu Arthur –         | USA – 8,5 |
| 3. CM Sidarov Islombek | UZB – 8,0 |

**U-10 Girls**

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|---------------------|-----------|
| 1. WCM Wei Iaqing – | CHN – 9,0 |
| 2. WCM Gaal Zsoka – | HUN – 8,5 |
| 3. Wang Elen –      | USA – 7,5 |

**U-8 Open**

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|------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Enrikian Aren –     | USA – 9,0 |
| 2. Mishra – Abhimanyu  | USA – 8,5 |
| 3. Tenuunbold Battulga | MGL – 8,5 |

**U-8 Girls**

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|----------------------------|-----------|
| 1. WCM Rouda Essa –        | UAE – 9,5 |
| 2. WCM Khamdamova Afruza – | UZB – 9,0 |
| 3. WCM Chen Yining –       | CHN – 8,0 |

ORGANIZATION  
COMMITTEE

The Organizing Committee headed by GM Darcy Lima has performed again an excellent work and showed a great ability in organizing a chess event of such very high level. The whole Committee did their best concerning all details of the event and succeeded to achieve very high standards.

## MEDICAL CARE

Medical servise (phisician and nurses) were available during all event for the participants.

## AUTOMATIC TITLES

The following players has achieved 8 (eight) automatic titles, seven of them conditionally:

U12 Open – FM Title

Tsay, Vincent USA 30931835 [\(B.0.62\)](#)

Sindarov Javokhir UZB 14205483

U10 Open – CM Title (B.0.62)

Zhou Liran USA 30931967

Xu Arthur Zihan 30913144

U10 Girls – WCM Title (B.0.62)

Wang Ellen USA 30932459

U8 Open – CM Title (B.O.62)  
 Emrikian Aren C USA 30929296  
 Mishra Abhimanyu USA 30920019  
 Tenuunbold Battulga MGL 4903412

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ANTI-ETHICAL  
 BEHAVIOUR

The Australian delegate had a very bad behavior during the technical meeting. He has been rude and tried to demoralize the head of the technical meeting a couple of times. He seemed very upset and had the clear intention to disturb the technical meeting progress by bringing up questions not concerned to technical subjects. He also had threatened to prosecute for futile reasons the FIDE delegate, Mr. David Jarrett. He had indeed got an anti-ethical behaviour.

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CONCLUSION

The World Cadets Chess Championships 2017 has been organized on a high level and it has been a big success.

All results are available at the Chess-Results site.

<http://www.chess->

[results.com/tnr295094.aspx?lan=10&art=1&rd=11&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984](http://www.chess-results.com/tnr295094.aspx?lan=10&art=1&rd=11&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984)

PGN games also are available at Chess-Results site.

<http://www.chess->

[results.com/tnr295097.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984](http://www.chess-results.com/tnr295097.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984)

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[results.com/tnr295099.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984](http://www.chess-results.com/tnr295099.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984)

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[results.com/tnr295100.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984](http://www.chess-results.com/tnr295100.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984)

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[results.com/tnr295101.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984](http://www.chess-results.com/tnr295101.aspx?lan=10&art=0&turdet=YES&flag=30&wi=984)

All requirements mentioned in the FIDE Handbook for organizing this top-level chess tournament were completely fulfilled.

All participants (players, principals etc.) were satisfied and we had lots of positive feedback about the event.

I would like also to mention the great sportsmanship of all players showed during the whole event. 'Note 10' for players education and fairplay .

It was a fantastic pleasure working as the Chief Arbiter in this very successful event.

All the relevant information of the event is attached.

I think that the rate of play is not proper for Tournaments with 6 to 8 years boys & girls.

The rate of play of 90 minutes + 30 seconds would be most interesting and adequate.

IA Antonio Bento – WCCC 2017 – Chief Arbiter

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