

Handbook: A. Administrative Subjects

02. Non-Elected Commissions

1.1.1 Each Commission shall consist of:

- A Chairman appointed by FIDE President
- A Council consisting of a Secretary and up to 3 members appointed by the Chairman of the Commission or Committee and approved by FIDE President.
- 8 members with consultative status: 4 to be appointed by the Chairman of the Commission and 1 each nominated by the Continental Presidents.
- two women members appointed by the Commission Chairman

1.1.2 Members of the Council should be appointed on the basis of experience and expertise in the area of competence of the respective Commissions and Committees.

1.1.3 Where possible, all Continents should be represented in Commissions.

1.1.4 If a member of the Council retires, or is inactive, he may be replaced for the remaining time of his assignment.

1.1.5 The period of appointments shall normally be for 4 years commencing right after the session of the General Assembly (GA) devoted to the election of FIDE Officials. Notwithstanding, FIDE President may replace any Chairman, Councillor or member of any commission at any point in time on any non-elected commissions.