



**Badminton  
Confederation  
Africa**

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## EGYPT INTERNATIONAL 2018

On behalf of the **Egyptian Badminton Federation (EBF)**, we have the pleasure to invite your Association to participate in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the Egypt International 2018 (International Series) which will be held from Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2018 in Cairo. Information on the tournament are as follows:

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>EGYPT INTERNATIONAL 2018</b> International Series USD 10,000
<b>VENUE</b>	<u>Cairo Stadium Hall No. 4 (4 Courts)</u> Nasr city, Salah Salem Street, Cairo Stadium Cairo  Practice sessions can be arranged on arrival upon request and will be subject to court availability.
<b>DATES</b>	Thursday 25 – Sunday 28 October 2017
<b>EVENTS</b>	Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles and Mixed Doubles
<b>ENTRY FEE</b>	<b>\$30</b> per player and per event (for non-African players only)
<b>VISA</b>	Application for visa must be made to the Egyptian Embassy in your country or a neighbouring country. Support letter will be provided upon request from your association. Note that Egyptian Authorities will <b>NOT</b> issue any visa on arrival.

ACCOMMODATION	<p><u>Dar El Modraat Hotel – Cairo</u></p> <p>Price (Full board – Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Double Room: <b>USD 60 / Person</b></li> <li>▪ Single Room: <b>USD 80 / Person</b></li> </ul> <p>Check in/out at the hotel is at 12h00. The accommodation and meals charges must be paid immediately upon arrival. Facilities at the hotel include: Swimming Pool, Health club and Billiard.</p>	
AIRPORT	Cairo International Airport Airport Code : CAI	
REFEREE	Hassenkhan Hyderkhan (MRI) – BWF Accredited Referee Email: <a href="mailto:hhassenkhan@yahoo.com">hhassenkhan@yahoo.com</a>	
SHUTTLECOCK	RSL Tourney Number 1 (BWF Approved)	
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	<p>Local transportations will be provided free of charge to participants and officials.</p> <p>The Hotel is approximately 15 minutes from the Airport and the Badminton Hall is a 5 minute walk from the Hotel.</p>	
TEMPERATURE	In October, the temperature varies around 24°C during the day and at night it's around 19°C.	
KEYS DATES	Closing date of entries	Tuesday 25 Sep 2018
	Main and Qualifying Report World Ranking date	Thursday 27 Sep 2018
	Main and Qualifying Report publish on BCA webpage	Friday 28 Sep 2018
	Seeding Report World Ranking date	Thursday 4 Oct 2018
	Seeding Report publish on BCA webpage	Friday 5 Oct 2018
	Last day of withdrawal without penalty	Monday 8 Oct 2018
	DRAW	Tuesday 9 Oct 2018

<b>PRIZE MONEY (USD 10,000)</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>MS</b>	<b>WS</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>WD</b>	<b>XD</b>
	<b>Winner</b>	1200	1200	400	400	400
				400	400	400
	<b>Runner up</b>	650	650	200	200	200
				200	200	200
	<b>Semi</b>	250	250	75	75	75
				75	75	75
	<b>Semi</b>	250	250	75	75	75
				75	75	75
	<b>Quarter</b>	100	100	No Prize Money		
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<b>ENTRIES</b>	<p>All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System. Entries must be submitted no later than <b>Tuesday 25 September 2018 at 23h59 BWF HQ (Kuala Lumpur) time (GMT + 08.00)</b></p> <p>Member Associations must log on to the Egypt International 201 at:  <a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=3AD3A5FD-BC97-4923-80EB-48882B98D01B">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=3AD3A5FD-BC97-4923-80EB-48882B98D01B</a></p> <p>If you require a username and password to submit your entries online, please contact Mr Ramachandran <a href="mailto:s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org">s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org</a> BWF Senior Events Officer. All entries must be confirmed by the National Association. Organizers are allowed to refuse entries if players are on the current BWF banned list. No late entries will be accepted.</p>					
<b>DRAW SIZES</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Entries – Main Draw</b>		<b>No. of Entries – Qualifying draw</b>		
		<b>Direct</b>	<b>Qualifiers</b>			
	<b>Men's Singles</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>64</b>		
	<b>Women's Singles</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>32</b>		
	<b>Men's Doubles</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>16</b>		
	<b>Women's Doubles</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>		
<b>Mixed Doubles</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>			

BWF ID	<p>Players cannot 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, you can now generate new BWF IDs for your players via Tournament Software.</p> <p>If ever you need help to generate new BWF IDs, please contact BWF or BCA (for African countries) well in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can be assigned BWF ID-numbers before the closing date of the tournament.</p>															
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TEAM MANAGERS' MEETING	<p><b>Wednesday 24 Oct 2018 @ 18h30</b> in the meeting room of the official Hotel or the hall. The tournament will start later on the same day. These schedules are subject to change, please contact the organisers for more details.</p>															
WITHDRAWALS	<p>Withdrawal of players without penalty is <b>Monday 8 October 2018</b>. Players withdrawing after Monday 8 October 2018 or no-show will have to pay a fine of US\$ 150 and US\$ 500 respectively.</p>															
INSURANCE	<p>Participants must arrange their own insurance for health, travel and property. The organisers will not be responsible for any medical costs.</p>															
CONDITIONS	<p>The tournament will be played on a knock-out system and in full accordance with the General Competition Regulations of the BWF and the instructions of Badminton Confederation Africa. Competitors must be prepared to play at the times determined for the events for which they have entered.</p> <p>All prizes (including prize money) will be distributed during the official prize giving ceremony after the finals. Players shall not plan their departure before the prize giving ceremony; the organisers will not award medals and prize monies before the finals.</p>															

	<p>According to the BWF General Competition Regulations, there is no world ranking points for an International with less than 8 entries in (MS, WS, MD, WD and XD). In such a case, the tournament may be cancelled and the organisers will not take any responsibility for any arrangements that may have been already made.</p>
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We are at your complete disposal for any additional information you may need, don't hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully,




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