



Umpires and Referees Committee

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5th of March 2024

Dear friends from all **European Table Tennis Associations**,

The European Table Tennis Union has the great pleasure to invite International Umpires (preference given to young umpires) for officiating at the

2024 EUROPEAN YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS ***12th – 21st of July 2024, in Malmö (SWE)***

Additionally, as part of ETTU Development program also young (26 years or below) candidates, who are regional umpires are invited to be nominated by their association. Each association can nominate additional up to 2 candidates for this event. These candidates have to attend the training course as described below.

The organizer offers free hospitality in a double room from dinner on 11th of July, to breakfast on 22nd of July for 10 umpires and to breakfast on 21st of July for all other umpires. The organizer recommends umpires to choose Copenhagen Airport (CPH) in Denmark, where staff will help match officials to take the train directly to Hyllie Station (appr. 15 minutes), where the accreditation is located. It's very important to start with picking up the accreditation, which is necessary to have for free buses to the venue and most of the hotels.

The daily allowance will be:

- Gold and Blue Badge umpires shall receive a daily allowance of 50 EURO for each working day.
- White Badge and Blue Badge in Progress umpires shall receive a daily allowance of 45 EURO for each working day
- Other match officials shall receive a minimum allowance of 35 EURO for each working day.

One of the main objectives of ETTU URC is to support match officials in their development and therefore following activities will be offered during this event:

- Advanced Umpires Training AUT 11th of July
- Advanced Rules Exam 11th of July
- Evaluations during the event
- Training Umpire Course for Female umpires and young umpires
 - 1 training session online before the event
 - 2 training sessions during the event onsite
 - Working during the event – practical work



The nominees, or their Associations, are responsible for all related travel and insurance costs. Please note that by submitting a nomination, the Association confirms its responsibility to ensure the nominee has sufficient financial support for airfare.

The application shall arrive **until 25th of March, 12 pm** at urc@ettu.org
Only applications on the **attached form** and submitted by the Association will be considered.

The selection will be made before 05th of April and the umpires will be informed immediately after. Selected umpires may not be replaced by the Associations concerned except with the prior authorization of the ETTU URC.

Thank you very much for your helpful cooperation.
Best regards.

ETTU URC