



Espoo Fencing Club (EM) has the honor to invite you for  
**Espoo Fencing Challenge 2017:**  
**EUROPEAN CADET CIRCUIT (U17)**

<b>Category</b>	<b>EFC Cadets Epee – U17 men and women (born on January 1st, 2001 and later)</b>
<b>Date</b>	18.-19.11.2017
<b>Venue</b>	Otahalli Sporthall, Otaranta 6, 02150 Espoo, FINLAND (Helsinki Region)
<b>Organizer</b>	Espoo Fencing Club in co-operation with the Finnish Fencing and Pentathlon Association, e-Mail: <a href="mailto:terho.mustonen@fencing-pentathlon.fi">terho.mustonen@fencing-pentathlon.fi</a> / Tel.: +358-503026882
<b>Competition formula</b>	<b>Individual event:</b> one round with pools followed by direct elimination without repechage. <b>Team event, separately for men and women.</b> Formula will be published after entry dead line.
<b>Entries</b>	<b>All individual and team entries must be made through fencer's national federation via the EFC website at the latest Tuesday, 14th November 2017.</b> Entry fee: 20 € per fencer and 50 € per team. To be paid at check-in registration.
<b>Programme</b>	<b>Saturday, November 18th:</b> 09:30h men's epee 12:00h women's epee <b>Sunday, November 19th:</b> 09:00h-16:00h team competition Entries for teams must be done respecting deadline as in individual competition (also fencers in teams). No more than 5 teams per federation. The order of matches is decided by draw. Any kind of team is allowed to participate (club teams, national teams and mixed teams of different clubs), not just the national teams. Teams composed from different countries can be created day before team event. Last call: 30 minutes before scheduled time.
<b>Equipment</b>	FIE standard equipment will be required, i.e. 800N clothing, 1600N mask and FIE approved blades. Printing of the fencer's name on the back of the jacket and national symbols are not required. Masks and weapons have to be approved at weapon control before the competition starts.
<b>Weapon Control</b>	<b>Friday, November 17th:</b> from 18:30h to 21:00h at the venue. <b>Saturday, November 18th:</b> from 08:00h to 12:00h at the venue.
<b>Referees</b>	Referees for team competitions should be provided by participating teams: 1-2 teams/1 referee, 3 or more teams/2 referees and by organisers. Referees must be also entered via the EFC website by the National Federations! Penalty fee for missing referee is 500 euros. <b>PLEASE NOTE:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- On Saturday 1 hour before start of the competition will be held seminar with delegate of EFC referees commission</li><li>- participation at seminar of all referees is mandatory</li></ul>
<b>Information</b>	For general information please contact Mrs. Lena Tallroth-Kock, phone + 358 50 3362464 or email <a href="mailto:lena.tallroth-kock@fencing-pentathlon.fi">lena.tallroth-kock@fencing-pentathlon.fi</a> . More information will be available closer to the event: Finnish Fencing and Pentathlon Association: <a href="http://www.fencing-pentathlon.fi">www.fencing-pentathlon.fi</a>
<b>Transportation Info</b>	See the details <a href="http://www.espoofencing.info/transportations">www.espoofencing.info/transportations</a>
<b>Web site</b>	<a href="http://www.espoofencing.info">www.espoofencing.info</a>
<b>Accommodation</b>	See later in this invitation our special offer!



## ESPOO FENCING CHALLENGE ACCOMODATION (RECOMMENDATION)

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Gulf of Finland's peaceful shores are home to designer hotel in Espoo. Idyllically situated on the Gulf of Finland, the Radisson Blu Hotel, Espoo welcomes travelers and to the Log Out Zone.

The organizing committee has agreed with Radisson Blu Hotel, Espoo favorable prices for fencers. The hotel is located only 50 meters from the venue, we recommend!

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- triple room 109 EUR / per night

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**NOTE: There will be limited number of rooms with this special rate. Offer is valid until 10.11.2017.**

Please use code code: "CCE17" with your internet reservation.

**Note: All participants are highly recommended to make early hotel reservation.**