Regulations of the 14th World Xiangqi Championship April 28th, 2015

I. Organizers: World Xiangqi Federation (WXF)

II. Host Organizers: German Xiangqi Association (DXB)

III. Co-organizers: University of Applied Languages (SDI)

IV. Supported by: Munich City Government, Chinese Consulate General in Munich

V. Date and Venue:

Date: Aug. 21th -27th, 2015

Venue: University of Applied Languages (SDI Munich)

Baierbrunner Strasse 28, D-81379 Munich, Germany

VI. Competition Events:

1. Men's Team

2. Men's Individual

3. Non-Chinese/ Non-Vietnamese Individual (Men)

4. Women's Individual

5. Non-Chinese/ Non-Vietnamese Individual (Women)

VII. Competition Events: Competition Methods:

1. The Xiangqi Rules officially approved by the WXF will be applied in the competition (Note: same as the Rules of Asian Xiangqi Federation).

2. Men's Individual shall be a nine (9) round competition, using the Swiss System with one (1) game for each match.

3. For Women's Individual, the competition system and number of rounds of the matches will be determined in accordance with the number of the players registered.

4. For Men's Team, the result of a team will be based on the individual places of the top two (2) players from the same team.

5. For Non-Chinese/ Non-Vietnamese Individual, the results shall be calculated separately.

VIII. Entry:

1. Each Association may enter one (1) team leader, two (2) male players and one (1) female player. However, this quota does not apply to Non-Chinese/ Non-Vietnamese players, i.e. the number of entry is not limited.

2. Completed entry forms (with seal of association) and recent electronic passport-size color photographs of all members, must be emailed or faxed to the Organizing Committee not later than June 1st, 2015.

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IX. Prize Award:

1. The first eight (8) places in Men's Team event will be awarded. Trophies and certificates will be given to 1^{st} , 2^{nd} and 3rd places; other places will receive certificates.

2. The first eight (8) places in Men's Individual and Men's Non-Chinese/Non-Vietnamese Individual will be awarded. Trophies, certificates and prize money will be given to 1st, 2nd and 3rd places; other places will receive certificates and prize money.

3. The first six (6) places in Women's Individual will be awarded, Trophies, certificates and prize money will be given to 1^{st} , 2^{nd} and 3rd places; other places will receive certificates and prize money. The first three (3) places in Women's Non-Chinese/Non-Vietnamese Individual will be awarded with certificates.

Places	Men's Individual	Non-Chinese/Non-Vietnamese Individual (Men)	Women's Individual
1^{st}	5,000	3,000	2,000
2^{nd}	3,000	1,800	1,200
3 rd	2,000	1,200	800
4^{th}	1,500	800	400
5 th	1,200	600	300
6 th	1,000	500	200
7 th	800	400	
8^{th}	600	300	

X. Prize Award List (EURO)

XI. Reception:

1. The expenses of international traveling as well as local transportation related to the Championship will be borne by each team.

2. Accommodation

(1) For Members and associate members of World Xiangqi Federation

All the participants will cover all the expenses of full board accommodation by themselves for their stay in Munich during the period of the Championship.

(2) Reference of expenses of full board accommodation

Recommended hotel:

GS Hotel Geiger (a three-star international standard hotel built in 2012 which is 10 min walk to the tournament venue).

Address: Zielstattstrasse 12, 81379 Munich

Tel.: 0049-89-710 517 2100

Rerservation: via email info@gs-hotel.de, or via www.hrs.de

Website: www.gs-hotel.de

Single room: 49 EUR/day/room (breakfast not included, 10 EUR per person)

Double room: 59 EUR/day/room (breakfast not included, 10 EUR per person)

XII. Arrival and Departure

- 1. The Organizing Committee will provide arrival services at cost on Aug. 21st.
- 2. The organizing committee will provide departure services at cost from the venue to Munich International Airport on Aug. 27th. The specific arrangements will be informed later.

XIII. Each team has to purchase the individual insurance during the championship by themselves.

IXX. Dress Code

Opening/closing ceremony: Formal clothes (suit, shirt, tie, leather shoes) for men, suit for women. Any other national dress recognized internationally is also allowed.

At the Venue: suits or uniforms for players.

Note: Those who do not follow the dress code will not be allowed to participate in the opening/closing ceremony as well as the championship.

XX. Any unsettled matter not covered in this regulation will be notified later. XXI. The secretariat of World Xiangqi Federation reserves the right to interpret this regulation.