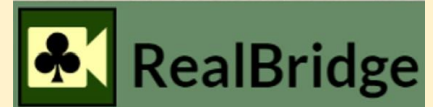




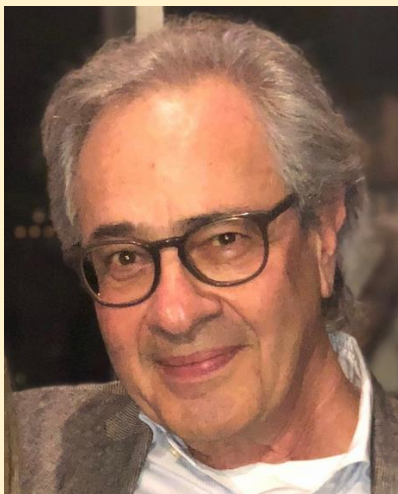
WBF WOMEN'S TEAMS ONLINE

February 16 to 18, 2024



This event is being run by the WBF Women's Committee so that women from across the globe can play competitively without the potential limitations of cost and travel. Our Worldwide WBF Teams Online, will come with all the entry requirements and rules as if this was a live championship. (Commitment forms, System Cards and WBF Registration).

Message from WBF President Jan Kamras



"The World Bridge Federation is delighted to bring a new women's event to the 2024 calendar.

It takes place on 16-18 February 2024, which is not so far away. Please can you publicise this event and encourage teams to take part?

You will notice that this online event is both accessible and affordable. The format allows for women players to compete in the company of others, that maybe they'd never be able to meet in person, and experience competitive bridge.

As with all online WBF events, we will award WBF online masterpoints. Similarly, the entry requirements, commitment forms, and expectations of conduct are just as we would expect in any WBF event".

Links to Information:

WBF Women's World Wide Bridge Club [here](#)

WBF Women's Newsletter [here](#)

WBF Website [here](#)

Entry Form: [here](#)

Any number of teams may enter, but all the players in a team must be registered with the **same National Bridge Federation**.

There can be up to **eight players** on each team to help facilitate the three-day online event. **WBF Online Master points will be awarded**.

Format, Schedule, Conditions of Contest will follow when entries are in.

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Purpose of this Teams event:
To provide an opportunity for an international competitive bridge without potential limitations of cost or travel.



*The WBF Women's Committee
invites women players
worldwide to participate in a
Teams event on RealBridge
16 to 18 February, 2024*

Event Summary

If you need to know more please make contact

by emailing

Mary Kelly Rogers

wbfwomen@worldbridgefed.com

Typical Timetable

(Described in UTC time)

Day 1

(subsequent days are variants)

AM:

Oceania versus West Europe

Early PM:

Far East versus East Europe

Late PM:

West Europe versus Americas

02:00:

Americas versus Oceania

Entry Payment

Crédit Suisse SA, Rue du Lion d'Or

5-7, P.O.Box 5722, 1002

Lausanne, Switzerland

IBAN CH58 0483 5154 6496 9200

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Entry	Please send an email. You will receive a link to a form to complete. Any number of teams may enter, but all the players must be from the same nation. Up to 8 members on a team. Entries close on January 16 th . TO ENTER Click here
Entry Fee	The entry fee will be 40 Euros for the entire team. Payment will be to the WBF bank account. Quote: WBF Women's Teams Online
Format	The format of the Tournament depends on number of teams. It will probably be a Round Robin.
Schedule	The tournament is played over 3 calendar days. Matches are timed so that the teams will meet others from around the world at mutually convenient times.



The Team for this event:

Top: Shireen Mohandes of RealBridge

Left: Mary Kelly Rogers Event Coordinator and member of WBF Women's Committee

Right: Anna Gudge, WBF Communications Manager, and contact for WBF Registrations, Commitment forms and System cards.

Our Worldwide WBF Teams

Online, RealBridge, on February 16 to 18, 2024 will come with all the entry requirements and rules as if this was a live championship. To help you, Anna has put together all you need to know for the Registration process, Commitment Form and Systems Card.

Please let us know if you need **more information** by emailing Mary at:- wbfwomen@worldbridgefed.com

Please note: When entered your entry will be acknowledged. Format, Schedule, Conditions of Contest will be emailed when entries are in.

To Enter
WBF Women's Teams
Online: [Click here](#)

Entering the WBF Online Women's Teams

February 16-18, 2024

WBF Registration

Each player in the team must be registered in the WBF Database. If you are not registered in the database please go to:

<http://www.worldbridge.org/rules-regulations/competitions/participants-commitment>

where you can download the registration form to complete and return to anna.gudge@worldbridgefed.com, or you can email Anna and she will send you a copy.

If you are not sure and need to check, you can go to:

<http://www.worldbridge.org/people-finder> and type in your last name (you don't need to enter your country) and you will get a list ... please remember that if you registered some time ago and have subsequently changed your name you also need to check your original name. If it has changed please email anna.gudge@worldbridgefed.com and she will arrange to update your entry.

WBF Commitment form

Each player must also have a registered Commitment form in place – if you have played in a WBF Championship event since 2017 you should already have one, but if not please go to <http://www.worldbridge.org/rules-regulations/competitions/participants-commitment> where you can complete the form digitally and it will be sent to the WBF automatically.

Systems Card

Each participating pair must register their system card in advance, no later than 1 February 2024. This must be in the correct format and the main card must be two sided only. Supplementary sheets (maximum 6) may be added to give additional necessary information. These must be emailed either as the original Word / Excel file or as a PDF to anna.gudge@worldbridgefed.com. Full details and blank cards for completion can be found at : <http://www.worldbridge.org/rules-regulations/competitions/wbf-system-card-editors> . Note that HUM and Brown Sticker methods are NOT permitted for this event.

WBF Online Master points will be awarded

If you have any queries on the above please email

Anna Gudge, WBF Communications Manager at anna.gudge@worldbridgefed.com