

FIDE International Organizers' Seminar 15 - 18 November 2025





FIDE International Organizers Seminar report

Dates: 15-18 November 2025 **Organizer**: Asian Chess Federation

Under the auspices of the FIDE Events Commission

As part of the Asian Chess Federation's continuous efforts to qualify and develop organizational staff across Asia and neighboring regions, the ACF held a FIDE Organizers Seminar from 27 to 31 October 2025, with the participation of 21 attendees from 15 Asia and African countries namely AUS, BRN, CHN, GUM, HKG, IND, KAZ, KGZ, MAC, MGL, PAK, RSA, TPE, UZB and ZIM.

The seminar was conducted under the ACF Development Program, aiming to enhance the standards and professionalism of chess event organizers in Asia.

The Lecturers were Mr. Ozgur Solakoglu – Honorary Chairman / Chief Events Inspection Officer, Mr. Casto Abundo – ACF Executive Director, Mr. Abdulrahim Mahdi, Chairman of the ACF Arbiters' Commission and Mr. Mehrdad Pahlevanzadeh – Secretary, ACF Arbiters Commission.

At the conclusion of the seminar, participants took the official examination. Seventeen (17) participants successfully passed the final exam and were awarded the FIDE Organizers' Seminar – Passed certificate, qualifying them to apply for the FIDE Organizer titles in accordance with FIDE regulations. They are:

No.	Name	FIDE ID	Fed
1	Leslie-Smith, Lance	14326906	RSA
2	Elsa Wei Chung Yueh	16300165	TPE
3	Azizov, Komiljon	14219999	UZB
4	Janahi, Zeyad	11200073	BRN
5	Ho Hou-Meng, Herman	16300190	MAC
6	Dildabek, Ulzhan	447074868	KAZ
7	Jigyasu Dinodia	8728461	IND
8	ORGIL Gantumur	4902076	MGL
9	CASEY GOH	3251098	AUS
10	Kao, Geoffrey Edward	6009182	HKG
11	Munenga Isheanesu Dylan	11003944	RSA
12	Mushangwe Mukoti Mercy	11012838	ZIM
13	Estur, Analin Co	31001092	GUM
14	Muhammad Saleem Akhtar	7800959	PAK'
15	Mapingire Todd	11011254	ZIM
16	Lin Zhuhuan	8611637	CHN
17	Tiritoga Takawira	11034246	ZIM