
During the CSIT congress in 2014 in Lignano Sabbiadoro the Technical Commissions worked hard to define a new way of working and made the first steps in defining some future goals. Also the new tools were introduced how work can be standardised in order to work more efficiently. Also a meeting with the sports expert from AICS who will assist the TC members during the WSG 2015 was a success.

After 2 tough meeting days the future basic is determined.

In the time till the start of the World Sports Games 2015 (WSG) the TCs were active in updating the sports regulations by implementing the latest moderations and eligibility criteria. The latest version of the sports regulations has to be ready before the start of the WSG.

A working plan was developed by the sports director in what way to manage the Technical Commissions and CSIT Championships during the WSG.

In basic this working plan is simple:

- All TCs are staying in the same hotel
- There will be a kick off meeting for all TCs
- There will be a daily pit stop meeting
- A well-equipped meeting room is available 24/7
- Communication is possible in the lobby of the hotel
- There is a car available
- There is assistance by a local person.

All TCs were able to be present at the meetings. Problems were solved directly on the sports venue, by intervention of the sport director or within 24 hours.

This approach was proven to be very successful and effective. For the WSG 2017 this approach will be used again.
In the WSG 2015 the following CSIT Championships were organised:

- Athletics
- Basketball
- Chess
- Football and mini football
- Judo Junior and Seniors
- Pétanque
- Swimming Regular and Masters
- Table Tennis
- Tennis
- Volleyball and Beach Volleyball
- Wrestling and Beach Wrestling

Unfortunately Gymnastics wasn't organised due to a lack of pre-inscriptions at the deadline.

CSIT Championships 2016
The following championships have sent out its invitations

- **Basketball Men and Women**, by ICSF from 1-7 February, New Delhi in India
- **Swimming Juniors Men and Women**, by NCS from 4-9 May, the Hague in the Netherlands

CSIT is hopeful to organise also in 2016

- Chess by INDET - Mexico in Mexico City – confirmed by INDET
- Football and Mini Football by FSGT – France in Paris
- Pétanque by FSGT – France or ONCST – Tunisia
- Tennis by INDET – Mexico
- Beach volleyball by HAPOEL – Israel
- Wrestling / beach wrestling by JOUD – Estonia

I call the unions and TCs to contact each other on short terms and discuss the possibilities for organising these championships in 2016.

Vacancies in the TCs
Still there are vacancies in the several TCs

- Basketball – secretary
- Swimming – secretary (in September CSIT received a message Thomas Unger will end his function after the congress in Cancun)
- Gymnastics – 2 vacancies in 2 sub commissions
I call the full member unions to candidate persons for all vacancies. There is a preference for persons outside Europe to have a more balanced distribution of TC members over member unions.

**CSIT WADA Rules**

The 2011 version is still valid. In cooperation with SportAccord CSIT is working on a new version. In this latest version the WADA code 2015 will be implemented. I hope to present this version within 6 months.

**Working Group CSIT World Sports Games.**

The Sports Director is also a member of the Working Group CSIT World Sports Games.

During the CSIT Congress of 2014 HAPOEL – Israel and LTSA – Latvia presented themselves as a candidate for hosting the WSG 2017.

In December 2014 Riga, Latvia and in February 2015 Eilat, Israel was visited by Mrs. Yagodin and the Sports Director. A survey has been done about the availability of sport venues, hotels and capability/quality of the organising committee. Based on the finding of the Working Group a report was written to advise the Excom about the quality and capability of both hosts.

The Excom elected LTSA, Latvia to host the WSG 2017.

I am looking positively forward to continue the work for CSIT. I like to thank all member unions for their help in supporting the members of the TCs, AICS as host for welcoming the TCs offering friendship and support and all unions and athletes for participating in different CSIT championships.

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