Convention Philosophy and Objectives

The EHF Member Federations have been invited to nominate their chiefs of referees as well as their chiefs of delegates for the 2005 EHF Referees' and Delegates' Convention. At the same time the convention has been opened for all EHF referees and delegates that want to take part in this "combined" EHF event. It has been conceived as an educational event for both target groups on the one hand and as a kind of vision forum for defining the strategies regarding event management, refereeing and teambuilding for the future on the other.

For the first time renowned players and coaches frankly discuss refereeing and event management from their point of view in a plenary discussion. Their input and incentives shall lead to a proactive and interactive treatment of the topics in the workshops. Furthermore, it is the key lecturers from other Team Sport Federations that provide each participant with an overview how the field of event management and refereeing is handled in their sports.

The EHF underlines its Corporate Identity in all EHF Competitions by publishing an "EHF Event Management Tool Kit" that is supposed to set standards for the assignments of EHF delegates also regarding the teambuilding of referees and delegates for their common way through an event.

Convention Structure

- · Keynote addresses from EHF and IHF
- Plenary discussion with players and coaches
- 6 workshops led by external lecturers with referees and delegates together
- Round robin workshop structure
- 6 moderators from EHF CC and MC for leading follow-up discussions
- Plenary presentation of summary results
- Formal agreement between the EHF and participants
- Informal talks and exchange of opinion

Convention Workshop Topics

- 1. The EHF Event Manager / Profile of a Delegate Input by UEFA, IIHF
- 2. The EHF Referee Profile Referee of the Future Input by UEFA, IIHF
- 3. Cooperation Ref / Del (Teambuilding)
 Input by a player / psychologist
- 4. Education and Further Training of Ref / Del in the Future Input by a motivational coach
- 5. Trend Analysis of the Game / Refereeing Input by IHF
- 6. Referees / Delegates in Basketball Input by FIBA

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CONCEPT

EHF Competitions Commission (Chairman Jan Tuik)

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Special thanks to players, coaches, referees, delegates, external lecturers and representatives from:















Keynote Address by Tor Lian

EHF President

The European Handball Federation (EHF) welcomes you to Vienna for the "2005 EHF Referees' and Delegates' Convention" that takes place from the 15 - 17 April. For the first time the EHF will host a common interactive event for referees and delegates from our 47 Member Federations. The event shall focus mainly on setting new standards in the referee and delegate field in the future, thus incorporating modern event management, the application of appropriate referee and delegate task profiles, managing the challenges arising from the development of the game and the requirements of our rules and regulations. Furthermore, the EHF is enthusiastic about listening to players and coaches for their input on an appropriate way of handling matches and events. Additionally, we are very pleased and proud for the first time to have experts from the team sport federations of UEFA, FIBA Europe, IIHF and CEV as key lecturers and contributors who will share their wealth of knowledge with you over the course of this weekend. The convention is a perfect educational event with an integrated "vision forum" this shall enable us all to professionally execute handball events and competitions all over Europe.

The Idea by Michael Wiederer Secretary General "

The EHF referees and delegates are the "facilitators and communicators" in European handball. They must act as a team when officiating all EHF competitions and matches. In addition, they should also safeguard the EHF regulations and standards that were put in place in order to make our products, in the field of national and club competitions, fit for the international sports market. For this reason, the EHF plays host to a communal and open event for all referees and delegates that have the EHF status, as well as their mentors. The EHF Executive Committee has set the goal of an adequate structure, from the appointment of the referees to the provision of an efficient education and further training in the future.

EHF competitions shall be recognized as EHF Corporate Identity events - our messengers, the referees and delegates, shall build an efficient team and follow a structured procedure through an event. Players, coaches and our colleagues from other team sport federations will help us with their contributions to find adequate solutions for our sport in order to meet the requirements of TV, the media and the sporting public. The responsibility of following the development of the game by finding appropriate means for managing our sport is ours - we will rise to this challenge.

2005 EHF Referees' & Delegates' Convention

PROGRAMME

The common way through an event
The common way into the future

Friday, April 15 2005

| Time | Programme |
|-------------|--|
| Until 13:00 | Arrival |
| Until 14:00 | Accreditation / Information |
| 14:00 | Opening and position of the EHF |
| 14:10 | "Handball on the market - a challenge for the EHF and their messengers" |
| 14:20-14:45 | Introduction 1 - Video Appetiser |
| | Introduction 2 - EHF Event Management / EHF Delegate Task Profile |
| 14:45-15:00 | "Global Referee Training Group" |
| 15:00-16:00 | Plenary discussion with players and coaches "Event Management and Refereeing" |
| 16:00-16:30 | Coffee Break |
| 16:30-17:30 | Workshops - Topics 1-6 Round Robin Session 1 |
| 17:30-18:30 | Workshops - Topics 1-6 Round Robin Session 2 |
| 19:30 | Dinner |
| Evening | Get-together / Vienna at night |
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Saturday, April 16 2005

| Time | Programme |
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| Until 09:00 | Breakfast |
| 09:15-10:15 | Workshops - Topics 1-6 Round Robin Session 3 |
| 10:15-10:45 | Coffee break |
| 10:45-11:45 | Workshops - Topics 1-6 Round Robin Session 4 |
| 12:00 | Lunch |
| 14:00-15:00 | Workshops - Topics 1-6 Round Robin Session 5 |
| 15:00-15:30 | Coffee break |
| 15:30-16:30 | Workshops - Topics 1-6 Round Robin Session 6 |
| 17:00-18:00 | Summary of Workshop Results |
| 18:30 | Departure by bus |
| 19:00-22:00 | Heuriger "Bachhengel" |
| 22:30 | Arrival at hotel |
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Sunday, April 17 2005

| Time | Programme |
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| Until 09:00 | Breakfast |
| 09:15-10:30 | Proactive discussion on topics of relevance |
| 10:30-11:00 | Coffee break |
| 11:00-12:00 | Presentation of group results • Awarding of certificates • "Handshake" agreement • Closing |
| 12:00 | Lunch |
| 14:00 | Check out/Departure |