



9th EHF Regional Course for Handball Delegates

26th – 28th May 2008 in Vilnius, Lithuania



**EHF Competence
Academy & Network**



Hosting City Vilnius

The capital city of Vilnius – Venue of the 9th EHF Regional Course for Handball Delegates



The capital of the Republic of Lithuania is VILNIUS. Naturally, it is the largest city in the country with an area of 392 square kilometres. Buildings cover 20.2% of the city and the remaining area is prevailed with the greenery (43.9%) and waters (2.1%).

The Old Town, historical centre of Vilnius, is one of the largest in Eastern Europe (360 ha). The most valuable historic and cultural heritage is concentrated here. The buildings in the old town - there are about 1.5 thousand of them - were built in a number of different centuries, therefore, it is a mixture of all European architectural styles. Although Vilnius is often called a baroque city, here you will find some buildings of gothic, renaissance and other styles. Because of its uniqueness, the Old Town of Vilnius was inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage List.

The history of the capital city is a reflection of the nation's past and the experiences of lives of cultures of Western and Eastern Europe. Pagan cult sites, Orthodox churches, Catholic baroque, and traces of the Jewish way of life are all witnesses to the historical multicultural life in the city and testify to the wide open history of this Eastern European city.

However, with the restoration of independence in Lithuania and the re-establishment of the state, wide and promising opportunities opened up also for the development of sports. The sports administration system has been reconstructed, and new state and public sports organizations have been set up. Issues connected with physical education and state sports administration are managed by the Physical Education and Sports Department and a governmental institution set up in 1990.

In 1994 Lithuania hosted the Women's Youth European Championship for Handball with 12 participating national teams from all over Europe. On that occasion the EHF carried out the first EHF delegate course ever in Vilnius on 9/10 September 1994.



EHF/EFH Competence Academy & Network (EHF CAN) - Organiser

The European Handball Federation (EHF) is the governing body of Handball in Europe! Its 50 Member Federations represent and stand for 50 different kinds of national and international handball know-how. Those individual national handball schools/philosophies shall be made use of by involving experts in order to contribute to the variety of handball education in Europe!

Handball know-how exchange and transfer in Europe shall be fostered as an EHF service for the EHF Member Federations by making use of national and international handball experts as well as external lecturers from sport science, medicine, other sports, economy (marketing, equipment suppliers) and media (press, TV, Internet).

The EHF Competence Academy & Network (EHF CAN) shall be established as an educational service centre for EHF Member Federations with the possibility of granting scholarships in order to minimize or delete financial burdens for them. The same holds good for internal EHF Office management training on the job.

The EHF "CAN" shall be established to develop and deliver sport specific educational and training programmes in order to ensure that coaches, officials, athletes and administrators from all over Europe (and the world) have access to the highest quality education relating to "handball know-how" and competence in e-learning, blended learning, interdisciplinary educational courses of various duration, summer schools or mainstream 2-4 semester courses within the European Education Credit Transfer System (ECTS framework).

The EHF "CAN" shall set-up Business Executive Education programmes for further educating and training sporting administrators, resort managers and event executives in the Handball Event Management Business, e.g. also in event-related courses.

The EHF "CAN" shall contain a documentation centre including production of modern teaching aids and media as well as cooperation agreements with research&developing partners, suppliers, universities and testifying institutions.

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**Course Accommodation & Venue**

Reval Inn Hotel
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Sport Event - 6 Nation Women's Tournament Facts

Organised by the LTU Handball Federation
At the Vilnius Pedagogical University Hall

Playing Schedule**Monday 26th May 2008**

12:00 BLR – POL
13:20 KAZ – LAT
14:40 LTU II – POL
16:00 LTU I – KAZ
17:20 BLR – LTU II
18:40 LTU I – LAT

Tuesday 27th May 2008

13:00 A3 – B3
15:00 A1 – B2
17:00 A2 – B1

Wednesday 28th May 2008

10:00 final 5/6
12:00 final 4/3
14:00 final 2/1

Course Basics

The 9th EHF Regional course for Handball Delegates takes place in Vilnius/LTU from May 26 – 28, 2008. The course will be held on the occasion of a 6 Nation Women's Tournament organized by the LTU Handball Federation with the national teams of BLR, KAZ, LAT, LTU I, LTU II students and POL.

Who should attend

Within the EHF Regional Delegate Course Programme the course in Vilnius/Lithuania offered the last chance for registering EHF delegates, who have not attended any delegates' course in the past years, to take part in that kind of obligatory EHF educational service in the 2007/2008 season.

Please be aware that EHF delegates, who will have not attended any EHF Course for Handball Delegates by the end of 2007/2008 season, are not eligible to be registered by their respective Nation Federation as EHF delegate for the upcoming 2008/2009 season.

Therefore it was within the responsibility of the respective National Federations to exactly evaluate the situation of each EHF delegate regarding the registration of the above mentioned course in Vilnius.

A delegate course for the newly registered delegates in the 2008/2009 season was confirmed on the 1st CAN meeting which took place on May 2nd, 2008 in Vienna. This 10th EHF Regional Delegates' Course shall be carried out during the first weekend of the M 18 ECh in Brno/CZE from August 7 – 11, 2008.

Finances

Following the EHF course concept the cost for local transfers from the airport or railway station shall be borne by the organiser.

Cost for full board and lodging for all participants as well as cost resulting from infrastructure (e.g. conference room rent) will be borne by the EHF.

Travel costs have to be borne by the participants themselves.





Presenters



Frantisek Taborsky / CZE

EHF ExeC Member since 2000
EHF Methods Commission Chairman since 2000
Event Management Expert



Wolfgang Pollany / AUT

EHF Methods Commission Member since 2004
Former IHF Lecturer
Psychologist



Per Godsk Jørgensen / DEN

EHF Mentor Referee Guidance
Former Top IHF Referee
Specialist Refereeing



Nicole Krutz-Gundolf / EHF

EHF Office Staff Member since 1994
Business Unit Refereeing/Delegates
Course Administrator



Course Content

Information on Requirements/Consequences for/of EHF Regional Courses for Handball Delegates

Information on EHF Competence Academy & Network, Know-how Transfer and Course Documentation

Event Management
Regulations and Procedures
Inspection of Halls
Security & Safety Aspects
Delegates Tasks

Referee Guidance
Referee Evaluation (Reports and Feedback Talks)
Rule Interpretation

Philosophy, Coaching and Teambuilding
Mental Approach, Perception and Realities (TAIS test)

Match Observation/Evaluation

Rule & Regulation Tests

List of Participants

Based on the registrations received by the EHF the following EHF Delegates will take part in the course:

NAT	First Name	Surname	
BUL	Bozhidar	Georgiev	
ESP	Jesus	Guerrero	
GEO	Merab	Metreveli	
LAT	Janis	Kuzulis	
LTU	Bronius	Girdzijauskas	
LTU	Grigorij	Guterman	Guest
LTU	Tadas	Jansonas	Guest
NOR	Tore	Schjerven	
NOR	Bjorn	Hogsnes	
ROU	Bogdan	Macovei	
ROU	Jan	Mateescu	
ROU	Valter	Dancescu	
RUS	Gennady	Ocheretin	
RUS	Valeriy	Khudoerko	
TUR	Tarik	Cengiz	
TUR	Yavuz	Taskiran	





Course Schedule

Sunday
25.05.08

evening
19:00

Individual arrival
Welcome Dinner and "Who is who"

Monday
26.05.08

09:00 – 09:30

Introduction

09:30 – 10:30

Policy EHF

10:35 – 10:45

Philosophy, coaching, team building

10:45 – 12:00

Break

12:00 – 13:00

Observation reports and evaluation talks Tasks

13:00 – 14:30

Delegates, inspection of halls

14:30 – 15:15

Lunch

15:15 – 15:30

Test on Regulations

15:30 – 16:45

Break

16:55

What do we expect from our referees

17:20 – 18:40

Departure to the hall

18:40 – 20:00

Match BLR – LTU B

20:15

Match LTU A - LAT

20:45

Departure to the hotel

Dinner at the hotel

Tuesday
27.05.08

09:00 – 10:15

Communication, Cooperation, Conflicts

10:15 – 10:45

Rules test

10:45 – 11:00

Break

11:00 – 12:15

Event management; Security & safety aspects

12:15 – 13:45

Lunch

13:45 – 15:15

Experiences on rule interpretations at ECh & WCh

15:15 – 16:30

Mental approach, perception, realities (incl. TAIS test)

16:30

Departure to the hall

17:00 – 18:30

Match A2 – B1

18:40

Departure to the hotel

19:00 – 20:00

Evaluation observation

20:15

Dinner

Wednesday
28.05.08

08:30 – 09:30

Authority, stress management

09:30

Departure to the hall

10:00 – 11:30

Match B3 – A3

12:00 – 13:30

Match A1 – B2 or A2 – B1

13:45 – 15:00

Lunch at the hall

15:00

Departure to the hotel

15:30 – 17:00

Evaluation observations

17:00 – 17:30

Break

17:30 – 19:00

Course evaluation and closing words

19:00

Dinner and individual departure

Thursday
29.05.08

09:00

Individual departure