



**XXIII Pan Am Individual Championships**  
**April 25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**Aguascalientes – Mexico**

**Organizers:**

**Badminton Pan Am Confederation**

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[events@badmintonpanam.org](mailto:events@badmintonpanam.org)

**Federacion Mexicana de Badminton**

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**Host Country:**

**Federacion Mexicana de Badminton**

**President:** Mr. Francisco Javier Orozco Flores

**Contact Person:** Mrs. Alejandra Orozco Franco  
[femeba2012@gmail.com](mailto:femeba2012@gmail.com)

**Contact phone:** + 52 1 334444 0444

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**Venue:** Gimnasio Olímpico de Ciudad Deportiva de Aguascalientes

**Address:** Colonia Bonagens s/n  
Aguascalientes, Aguascalientes

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**Referees:**

**Referee:** Ian Counter (USA)  
[icounter@gmail.com](mailto:icounter@gmail.com)

**Rules:**

This event is organized under Badminton Pan Am Regulations and procedures, the BWF regulations will apply.

**This event will award world ranking points as a Continental Event.**

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## KEY DATES:

Entry closing date:	<b>Tuesday March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019</b>
Ranking for M&Q	
Report:	<b>Tuesday March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019</b>
Publish on BPAC	
Website:	<b>Friday March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019</b>
Ranking for Seeded	
Report:	<b>Tuesday April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019</b>
Publish on BPAC	
Website:	<b>Friday April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019</b>
Withdrawal without	
Penalty:	<b>Monday April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019</b>
Draw:	<b>Tuesday April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019</b>

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**Entry link:** <https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=14A6087C-44EC-4DEB-9778-F0826A5D017E>

\*If you have any issue with the entry link, please contact BPAC as soon as possible\*

**Entry Closing date:** Tuesday March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019 – **Until 23:59h, BWF Office** (GMT +08:00h) KL – Malaysia

Players cannot be entered unless they already have a **BWF ID – number**. In case you wish to enter players who do not have a BWF ID – number, each Member Association can create their own BWF ID – numbers through the **Online Entry System**.

**\*No late Team entries or player's substitutions will be accepted\***

### **Withdrawal without**

**Penalty:** **Monday April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019** – Until 23:59h (GMT + 08:00) BWF office, KL – Malaysia

For late withdrawal, the withdrawal notification must include the reason for withdrawal. If a withdrawal takes place after the draw is made, it must be supported by a medical certificate.

If the withdrawal arises after your player arrive at Aguascalientes, notification of withdrawal must be made by the Team Manager in person to the Referee, or Deputy, and must be confirmed in writing.



Shuttles: **YONEX Aerosensa 50 - Speed 1 & -1**

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## ALLOWED ENTRIES PER COUNTRY:

### Participant Countries

**Singles (MS/WS):** Up to 4 players each  
**Doubles (MD/WD):** Up to 2 pairs each  
**Mixed doubles (XD):** Up to 4 pairs

### Host Country

**Singles (MS/WS):** Up to 6 players each  
**Doubles (MD/WD):** Up to 3 pairs each  
**Mixed doubles (XD):** Up to 6 pairs

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## OFFICIAL COACHES:

As per BPAC Regulations, each participating Member Association must appoint an official Coach or Coaches (maximum of two) for Continental Championships (Team Continental / Individual). If the participating member Association chooses to not appoint an official coach, the participating Member Association must send an official letter to BPAC appointing a maximum of two of its participant players as coaches plus one as a Team Manager.

“Players appointed as a Team Manager or coaches by their Member Association, must fulfil all the regulations contained in BWF Statutes Section 2.2.6. Coaches and Educators Code of Conduct” Only players appointed as a coaches by their Member Association can be on the Field of Play as a coach.

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## Team Managers Meeting:

**Date:** Wednesday April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019  
**Time:** 10:00h  
**Place:** TBC

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As per BWF Regulations, participating Member Associations must ensure that they have a representative at this meeting. It is compulsory for the Members Association's Team Manager and/or Representative attend the Team Manager Meeting. Failing to attend the meeting, would mean the Member Association is liable to be fined as per BWF Regulations.

#### **Umpires' Briefing:**

**Date:** Wednesday April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019  
**Time:** 11:30h  
**Place:** TBC

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#### **Eligibility:**

Participation in this Continental Championship is open to all Member Associations affiliated with Badminton Pan Am, and in accordance with BWF Regulations.

**\*Proof of citizenship (Passport) is mandatory\*.**

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#### **Expected schedule:**

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>:** Team Managers Meeting – at 10:00h  
**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup>:** Main draws – at 10:00h  
**Friday 26<sup>th</sup>:** Main draws & QF - at 10:00h  
**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup>:** Semi-finals – at 10:00h  
**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup>:** Finals – at 10:00h

**\*The exact schedule will be informed during the Team Managers Meeting\***

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#### **Entry fee:**

**Cost:** USD \$50.00 per participant player

Entry fees will be collected in cash after the **Team Managers Meeting**, if entry fee are not paid prior to play, the Player will be prevented of participating.

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#### **Visa request:**

Important to all Associations' in need of visa for México, please request immediately from **Mexico Badminton Association** an official invitation letter, and apply as soon as possible.

**Contact Person:** Mrs. Alejandra Orozco Franco  
**E-mail:** [femeba2012@gmail.com](mailto:femeba2012@gmail.com)

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## Transportation:

### Official International

**Airport:** Aguascalientes International Airport “Lic. Jesús Terán Peredo – Aguascalientes, México

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### Internal Transportation:

Complementary shuttle transportation will be available to and from the airport to the official tournament hotel(s). Mexican Badminton Association will offer transportation from the airport to the official Hotel and venue, **only when booking official Hotel through the event Organization.**

**\*Once flight arrival and departure times are confirmed, please email the tournament organizers at: [instalaciones.femeba@gmail.com](mailto:instalaciones.femeba@gmail.com) and [entries@badmintonpanam.org](mailto:entries@badmintonpanam.org)**

- a. Complementary shuttle transportation will be provided during the tournament to and from the official tournament hotel and venue only.

**A transportation schedule will be posted at the official hotel and venue.**

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## Anti-doping:

Anti-doping will be conducted in accordance with BWF and WADA regulations. Please consult the BWF website for further information, and to view the current WADA Prohibited List.

Please note that athletes must complete a TUE application process to apply for authorization to take medications which fall under the Prohibited List – before they take medication.

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## Tournament website & social media:

- [www.badmintonpanam.org/category/tournament-2019/](http://www.badmintonpanam.org/category/tournament-2019/)
  - [www.facebook.com/badmintonpanamoficial/](https://www.facebook.com/badmintonpanamoficial/)
  - <https://twitter.com/panambadminton>
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## Accommodation:

**Official Hotel:** Hotel Elizabeth  
Lic. Adolfo López Mateos Ote 1504, Bonagens, 20255, Aguascalientes, Ags.  
01 449 970 1496  
[www.hoteleselizabeth.com](http://www.hoteleselizabeth.com)



Room rates

- Simple room, USD \$80.00 (including taxes)
- Double room, USD \$95.00 (including taxes)
- Triple room, USD \$110.00 (including taxes, 2 shared beds)
- Quadruple room, USD \$120.00 (including taxes, 2 shared beds)

**\* Not include breakfast**

**\* The cost of breakfast is additional, 8 US dollars per person**

For Hosting request please contact:

Agent: Lic. Carolina Robledo

E-mail: [reservaciones@hoteleselizabeth.com](mailto:reservaciones@hoteleselizabeth.com) and [relpub@hoteleselizabeth.com](mailto:relpub@hoteleselizabeth.com)

The deadline to reserve Official Accommodation is **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2019 at 23:59 (GMT -05:00)**.

***After the deadline, any request must continue to be addressed through the mail provided, but we cannot guarantee the special rates offered. We cannot provide transportation to and from other hotels, or those that are booked independently. Please note that hotels have a limited number of rooms available and that requests will be answered in order of appearance.***

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You are welcome to enter your Team.

Kind regards,

**Zarko Cukic**

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