THE BULGARIAN FENCING FEDERATION IS PLEASED TO WELCOME ALL MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN FENCING CONFEDERATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE UPCOMING

MEN AND WOMEN U23 EUROPEAN CIRCUIT SOFIA - EPEE AND SABRE 03-04 OCTOBER 2026 IN SOFIA

- **PROGRAM:**

03 October 2026

MEN'S SABRE U23

08:30 – Scratch
09:30 – Start of the competition

WOMEN'S SABRE U23

13:00 – Scratch
14:00 – Start of the competition

04 October 2026

MEN'S EPEE U23

09:00 – Scratch
10:00 – Start of the competition

WOMEN'S EPEE U23

13:00 – Scratch
14:00 – Start of the competition

Fencers last call – 1 hour before the competition`s start.

- **EQUIPMENT:**

FIE equipment is obligatory. The equipment will be checked directly on the pists by the referee.

- **VENUE - https://maps.app.goo.gl/L4pjRwAnFBjST5jT9**

  NSA fencing Hall, Studentski grad, Sofia, Bugaria
  Multifunction hall NSA, Prof. Atanas Ishirkov Street, 1700 Sofia

- **ENTRY FEE:**

The entry fees are fixed at 40 Euro per fencer to be paid to the organizers at the moment of registration (EFC Regulations).

- **ENROLMENT:**

All fencers participating in the Circuit competitions must be aged U23, i.e. the fencers who can participate at the European U23 Championships in the same fencing season with valid EFC license for this season. The entry of fencers' names and any possible substitutions must be made via the European Fencing Confederation website no later than 7 days before the competition (midnight Lausanne time).

- **REFEREES:**

Referee quota – according to the EFC Rules of EFC U23 Circuit competitions o.5 and o.6. All the referee(s) must be notified via the EFC website 7 days before the competition (midnight, Lausanne time). For any missing referee should be paid a fine

1-3 fencers	no referee required
4-9 fencers	1 referee
10-15 fencers	2 referees
16-20 fencers	3 referees

The penalty for every missing referee is according to the FIE rules.
All referees must come at least 30 mins before the start of the competition.

- **AIRPORT TRANFER:**

The Organising Committee will provide the transportation from Sofia airport to the official hotel and back at the price of 35 euro per person.

- **ENTRY VISA:**

In order to obtain a visa, participants are requested to send to info@anteatravel.com the visa form with names and passports. The Organising Committee will take care of the necessary formalities.

- **ACCOMODATION:**

Hotel Avenue 3*

- Studio single/ double occupation – 98 euro per night on BB
- 1-bd. apartment for 3 pax – 162 euro per night on BB
- 2-bd. apartment for 4 pax – 194 euro per night on BB

Accommodation and transfer reservations must reach the Organization Committee not later than 18 September 2026 and must be paid I cash or by bank before the competition starts:

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