Purpose of this Teams event:

To provide an opportunity for an international competitive bridge without potential limitations of cost or travel.

If interested please make contact

by emailing Mary Kelly Rogers <u>wbfwomen@worldbridgefed.com</u> Typical Timetable (Described in UTC time)

Day 1 (subsequent days are variants) AM: Oceania versus West Europe Early PM: Far East versus East Europe Late PM: West Europe versus Americas O2:00: Americas versus Oceania

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The WBF Women's Committee invites women players worldwide to participate in a Teams event on RealBridge 16 to 18 February, 2024

Event Summary

Entry	Please send an email. You will receive a link to a form to complete.
	Any number of teams may enter, but all the players must be from the same nation.
	Entries close on January 16 th .
Entry Fee	The entry fee will be 40 Euros for the entire team. Payment will be to the WBF bank account.
Format	The format of the Tournament depends on number of teams. It will probably be a Round Robin.
Schedule	The tournament is played over 3 calendar days. Matches are timed so that the teams will meet others from around the world at mutually convenient times.



We are fortunate on the WBF Women's Committee to have Anna Gudge, WBF Communications Manager, working with us.

Our Worldwide WBF Teams Online, RealBridge, on February 16 to 18, 2024 will come with all the entry requirements and rules as if this was a live championship.

To help you, Anna has put together all you need to know for the Registration process, Commitment Form and Systems Card.

Please let me know if you are interested in playing by emailing:-

wbfwomen@worldbridgefed.com

You will then receive an entry form and once entered there will be more information.

Shireen Mohandes is working with us for the organisation of these teams on RealBridge.

Mary Kelly Rogers

Entering the WBF Online Women's Teams February 16-18, 2024

WBF Registration

Each player in the team must be registered in the WBF Database.

If you are not registered in the database please go to:

http://www.worldbridge.org/rules-regulations/competitions/participantscommitment

where you can download the registration form to complete and return to <u>anna.gudge@worldbridgefed.com</u>, or you can email Anna and she will send you a copy.

If you are not sure and need to check, you can go to:

<u>http://www.worldbridge.org/people-finder</u> and type in your last name (you don't need to enter your country) and you will get a list ... please remember that if you registered some time ago and have subsequently changed your name you also need to check your original name. If it has changed please email <u>anna.gudge@worldbridgefed.com</u> and she will arrange to update your entry.

WBF Commitment form

Each player must also have a registered Commitment form in place – if you have played in a WBF Championship event since 2017 you should already have one, but if not please go to

http://www.worldbridge.org/rules-

<u>regulations/competitions/participants-commitment</u> where you can complete the form digitally and it will be sent to the WBF automatically.

Systems Card

Each participating pair must register their system card in advance, no later than 1 February 2024. This must be in the correct format and the main card must be two sided only. Supplementary sheets (maximum 6) may be added to give additional necessary information. These must be emailed either as the original Word / Excel file or as a PDF to anna.gudge@worldbridgefed.com. Full details and blank cards for completion can be found at : <u>http://www.worldbridge.org/rules-</u> <u>regulations/competitions/wbf-system-card-editors</u>. Note that HUM and Brown Sticker methods are NOT permitted for this event.

If you have any queries please email

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