

The 8th Silk Road International City Weiqi Invitation Tournament

Information sheet for participants from Europe

Date: from **10 October to 14 October 2023** (arrival and departure)

Place: **Shaya, Xinjiang, China**

The tournament offers 30 seats to European participants. Applicants must be **1 dan or stronger** and native to a member country of the [European Go Federation](#). If the number of applicants exceeds 30, participants will be decided by EGD rating at the deadline.

Registration will be done in teams of 3 players. If you do not have another 2 teammates, you can still register and I will find two more individual participants to join your team. Deadline for application is **extended to 5th September**. The organizers will send you an invitation letter for visa application.

Participation fee: 2.000 RMB per 3-person team (667 RMB per player)

All costs (except getting to Shaya and back) will be covered by the organizers, including accommodation (hotel double-room), meals and a half day trip.

Prizes (for individual player):

1st place	60.000 RMB
2nd place	30.000 RMB
3rd place	15.000 RMB
4th place	8.000 RMB
5th place	5.000 RMB
6th place	3.000 RMB
7-8th place	2.000 RMB
9-10th place	1.500 RMB

Additional awards for top 6 teams.

Financial traveling support: **1000 US dollars for top 10 European players** (decided by maximum rating from 1 June to 30 August).

Tournament rules: 8 rounds Swiss tournament, Chinese rules.

Fee for additional non-player person: 2.200 RMB (includes accommodation in double-room, meals and trip).

If you want to stay in a single room, there is an additional charge of 260 RMB per day.

Travel info: the organizer will pick up players from Ku Che airport.

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