

2017 I.T.F. Pan-Am Championships
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Maple Leaf Gardens

Toronto, Canada

Official Invitation

Dear I.T.F. Members and Supporters

As President of the Canadian Elite Taekwon-Do Federation, myself, the Executives, and all I.T.F. practitioners within Canada, would like to invite and welcome you all to the 2017 I.T.F. Pan American Championships that will be held July 28-30th, 2017 in Toronto, Canada. It is a great honour and privilege to host this prestigious Championship in our country. The Championship will be held at the historical Maple Leaf Gardens where hockey, our National sport, has made this location a landmark not just in Toronto but across the world. The Maple Leaf Gardens is located in the heart of downtown Toronto where all participants will be able to visit a variety of local attractions and enjoy the many summer festivities that are held in this great city.

All of the competitors, coaches, students and everyone supporting this championship are the results from the seeds that General Choi Hong Hi planted many years ago, and continues to flourish under the guidance of his son, President Choi Jung Hwa.

For the Practitioners of the Americas, this will be an opportunity to prepare for the upcoming 2018 I.T.F. World Championships which will be held in Argentina. Competitors will be competing with the best of our countries and measure their own skills and abilities against others with the same caliber.

I would like to thank our I.T.F. President, Choi Jung Hwa for giving us the blessing and honour of hosting this prestigious event in Toronto, Canada. Special thanks to the I.T.F. Umpire Chairman Grand Master Nestor Galarraga, Master Jose Maidana and I.T.F. Vice President/Secretary General, Grand Master Trevor Nicholls for their endless support and contribution in order to make this event special and memorable for all who will participate. I would also like to thank in advance all of the Grand Masters, Masters, Instructors, students, competitors, coaches, parents and supporters that will travel to our great country Canada, for your support for this Championship and together we will make this an unforgettable event.

The Canadian Elite Taekwon-Do Federation Executives and all of the Canadian I.T.F. practitioners are looking forward to greeting you all with our well renowned Canadian hospitality and assure you a pleasant and enjoyable stay in our Country.

Sincerely Yours,

Master Michel Demers VII Dan
President/Canadian Elite Taekwon-Do Federation

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2. Schedule of Events - Weigh- In (Friday)

Friday July 28 th , 2017	
Holiday Inn 50 Carleton Street, Toronto, Ontario, M5B 1L1	
18:00 - 21:00	BLACK BELT WEIGH- IN
	Black Belt weigh-in is mandatory for sparring competition

3. Schedule of Events - Competition (Saturday)

Saturday July 29 th , 2017	
Maple Leaf Garden 60 Carleton Street, Toronto, Ontario, M5B 1L1	
9:00 - 10:00	Competitors arrival
10:00 - 10:15	Judges meeting
10:15 - 10:30	Opening ceremony
10:45	Start of competition
20:00	Conclusion of competition
Sunday July 30 th , 2017	
9:00	Black Belt Divisions
Followed by:	Team Events Power Breaking