

QUALIFYING INTERNATIONAL UMPIRE COURSE - QIUC 44 BUENOS AIRES - ARGENTINA

April 6 and 7, 2024

Grand Master Abelardo Benzaquén
Chairman ITF Umpire Committee



Master Kurt Ottesen
Member ITF Umpire Committee



Special Guest
Grand Master Hector Marano
Chairman Technical & Instruction Committee



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Dear Grand Masters, Masters, and Instructors:

We are pleased to extend the official invitation for the upcoming **Qualifying International Umpires Course (QIUC)**, conducted by the ITF Umpire Committee. It would be a great pleasure for us to have your presence and that of your students.

This Official Course will serve as an International Umpire Qualification for ITF events for the next two years (QIUC) and will be conducted entirely in the Spanish language on April 6th and 7th in the Autonomous City of Buenos Aires

Likewise, it will qualify participants to apply for the A-level referee certificate (4th Dan and above) and the B-level umpire certificate (2nd Dan and a minimum of 19 years of age). The course will be open to ITF members from **Red Belt onwards and at least 16 years of age**. Each participant will receive a participation diploma.

The course will be conducted by Grand Master Abelardo Benzaquén (Chairman of the ITF Umpire Committee), with the participation of Master Kurt Ottesen (ITF Umpire Committee member). We are also honored to have the special participation of Grand Master Héctor Marano, Chairman of the ITF Technical and Instruction Committee.

Please take into account the registration deadline: March 26, 2023.

Sincerely, Organizing Committee.

- Master Senior Hernan Arnaldo.
- Master Horacio Bornas.
- SBN Gerardo Rossel, Prof., Dr.
- SBN Eduardo Quinteros.

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1 Schedule

⊕ Saturday, April 6

- 8:00 - 8:30 am Registration
- 8:30 - 8:45 am Greetings, welcome words
- 8:45 - 10:30 am Course
- 10:30 - 11:00 am Coffee Break
- 11:00 - 12:30 pm Course
- 12:30 - 1:30 pm Lunch Break
- 1:30 - 5:30 pm Course
- 5:30 pm Final Greetings

⊕ 21:00 Cena de Gala

⊕ Sunday, April 7

- 9:30 - 11:00 am Course
- 11:00 - 11:30 am Coffee Break
- 11:30 - 1:30 pm Course
- 1:30 - 2:30 pm Greetings and Group Photo

2 Registration

For registration, Grand Masters, Masters, and Instructors should request the registration form by email at: qiucargentina2024@gmail.com

Please note the registration deadline: **March 26, 2023**

For inquiries:

- Email: qiucargentina2024@gmail.com
- Whatsapp: +54 11 4423-6439

3 Infrastructure

The course will provide complete facilities with regulation areas and the official ITF scoring system (*SportData*) in each area, including computers, routers, and televisions. Additionally, there will be a giant screen and a projector, along with suitable sound equipment.

A dedicated website will be available as a landing page with all the event information so that participants can stay informed of updates.

The organization will have an official photographer responsible for capturing key moments during the course and sending photos to the ITF communications committee.

The course program will unfold over a weekend, with sessions on both Saturday and Sunday. Saturday will consist of two sessions with a break for lunch, while Sunday will be a half-day, completing the required 12 hours.

For the participants' comfort, there will be mid-session coffee breaks. Additionally, an optional gala dinner will be organized on Saturday for those who wish to socialize and share a pleasant evening with the invited Masters and Grand Masters.