

## NOTES FROM ILO JIM TAYLOR

### New York, New York FIP

The latest news from New York 2016 [see side bar for dates and details] is that the competitive frames are heavily oversubscribed. Apparently 6,200-frame applications have been received by the Commissioner General for the 4,000 frames available. Some of the frames will house the invited Court of Honour exhibits and remember that the FIP has set aside 20% of the available competitive frames for first time international exhibitors. Also 5% may be allocated to youth exhibitors. The final selection of accepted exhibits will be made in in November , 2015 or latter. Jan J Danielski, the Canadian Commissioner to New York 2016 reminds Canadian applicants to New York 2016, that this is a slow process and to be patient.

After the selection of exhibits is made, then the accepted exhibitors have to submit payment for the New York 2016 frame fees and the contribution to the Canadian commissioners' travel costs. After the frame and commissioner fees are submitted then the organizing committee will go about the task of matching the exhibits to the nominated jurors.

A quick calculation shows that a number of exhibit applicants will be disappointed. Also with the very high interest in New York 2016, a number of the nominated FIP jurors will also not be accepted.

### Other exhibitions need You!

If the numbers game works against your exhibit and it is rejected, this happened to me personally in Washington 2006, there are many other FIP or FIAF exhibits looking for entries. Phila-Taipei 2016 FIP in Chinese Taipei and Córdoba 2016 FIAF in Argentina are available [details in the sidebar and on page 2].

### Canada at New York 20-16

The RPSC will have a society booth at New York 2016 near the back of the food court. Be sure to stop by and say hello. Or better yet, volunteer to work a shift at the stand. The PHSC and the BNAPS will also be represented. Look for the Canadian exhibits in the 4,000 frame display area including the prestigious Court of Honour. Jim Phillips of Canada Post Marketing in Ottawa has just confirmed that Canada Post has taken a booth in the Postal Administration section to the left of the main entrance.

### Sale of frames

2,000 brand new, "A" type, light weight, plastic and metal philatelic display frames are being manufactured for the New York 2016 exhibition. These frames will be sold after the event. Perhaps your local stamp club needs to replace it's older style, worn out frames for a set of shiny new ones or to add new frames to your inventory for that next big show you are planning. The surplus New York frames may be the answer. The RPSC is looking into the feasibility of a bulk frame purchase that may help local clubs and also cut freight and customs charges. Please en-

## FIP EXHIBITS OPEN FOR ENTRIES

PHILA-TAIPEI 2016— CHINESE TAIPEI (TAIWAN)

World Championship of Philately

October 21-26, 2016; 74th FIP Congress

World Trade Centre Taipei, Chinese Taipei, All FIP Classes

Webpage:

<http://taipei2016.post.gov.tw/post/taipei2016/en/index.jsp>

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Deadline for Entries to Commissioner is revised to  
March 15, 2016

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## FIP EXHIBITS CLOSED FOR ENTRIES

NEW YORK 2016—NEW YORK CITY, UNITED STATES

May 28– June 4, 2016

Jacob J. Javits Convention Center

Website: <http://www.ny2016.org>

## Canadian Commissioners New York 2016

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## FIAF EXHIBITS

(Continental Exhibitions in the Americas)

CÓRDOBA 2016; Córdoba, Argentina

August 23 to 27, 2016

<http://www.cefimed.com.ar/>

Canadian Commissioner TBA

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<http://www.philatelicspecialistsociety.com/internationalex.shtml>

### WEBSITES

FIAF: Federación Interamericana de Filatelia <http://www.f-i-p.ch>

FIP: Fédération Internationale de Philatélie

[www.fiaf-filatelia.com/index\\_english.html](http://www.fiaf-filatelia.com/index_english.html)

RPSC: Royal Philatelic Society of Canada [www.rpsc.org](http://www.rpsc.org)

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quire now, at the RPSC Toronto office if interested.

### August 2016 Show Month

The month of August is shaping up as a good month to get to one or more large exhibitions. The tight show schedule 2016 look like **APS August 4-7**[US National show and convention in Portland, OR]; **RPSC August 19-21**[The Canadian National Royal Convention and Exhibition in Waterloo ON]; and the **Cordova, Argentina Show 2016 Aug 23-27** and FIAF annual Assembly.

The Portland show is easy to get to from Western Canada. The Royal in 2016 is located in the middle of philatelic activity in Southern Ontario. The more adventurous will also want to travel to wintery Argentina. Why not take in one or several of these events - your stamp collection will thank you!

There are reports of a second Ontario-based annual RPSC sanctioned Canadian National Show in the planning stages. Watch for the news release on this event.

### Other International Exhibitions to Enter

While the numbers game plays out in the selection of Canadian entries in New York, don't forget that there are several International exhibitions that are anxious to receive your entries.

### Taipei, Taiwan [Chinese Taipei] World Championship

The following message received from Canadian Commissioner George Constantourakis

Montreal, October 17, 2015

RE: Application Form Files - PHILATAIPEI 2016 WSC Exhibition

Dear All,

As Canada's National Commissioner for PHILATAIPEI 2016 WSC Exhibition I am contacting you to let you know that I've just received the Exhibit Application Form Files from Lin Mao-Hsin the Commissioner-General of PHILATAIPEI 2016 [as follows].

- 1.- Philatelic Literature Exhibit Information Form (PDF)
- 2.- Exhibit Application Form (PDF)
- 3.- Exhibit Application Form (.xlsx)

The PHILATAIPEI 2016 WSC Exhibition will take place from October 21 to 26, 2016 in Taipei, Taiwan. I would be delighted to receive your application to exhibit at this FIP Exhibition.

The deadline for receiving your completed Application Form is March 31, 2016. If possible, I would prefer receiving your Application Form by March 15, 2016.

For any further questions, you may contact me by email at [geo.constant@sympatico.ca](mailto:geo.constant@sympatico.ca) or by phone at +514 4822764 (evenings & weekends). or at my mailing address (see below) George Constantourakis, 2115 Girouard, Montreal QC, H4A 3C4

With Kind Regards,

George Constantourakis  
Chairman, FIP Maximaphily Commission  
Canadian Commissioner for PHILATAIPEI 2016

## FIP EXHIBITS IN THE PLANNING STAGES

**PRAGUE 2018**—CZECH REPUBLIC  
TBA

**TEL AVIV 2018**—Tel Aviv, ISRAEL  
April 14-20, 2018

**AUCKLAND 2018**—NEW ZEALAND  
November, 2018

**Website:** <http://www.aps.gen.nz/176/2018.html>  
TBA

**CHINA 2019**  
TBA

FIP Exhibitions listed are in the planning stage and are tentative.  
Countries, venues and dates are subject to change.

### Taipei 2016 IREX Must Read

Find the Individual Regulations for the Exhibition at website <<http://taipei2016.post.gov.tw/post/taipei2016/en/rule.jsp>> . Note that these rules are specific to the Taipei 2016 show.

### Cordoba, Argentina FIAF

The FIAF sanctioned Continental Exhibition in the Americas and the FIAF Assembly will be at CORDOBA 2016, Córdoba, Argentina on August 23 to 27, 2016. Canadian Commissioner TBA. The website for the event is under construction at <<http://www.cefimed.com.ar/>> .

This special exhibition commemorates the Independence Bicentennial of Argentina. The venue is the *Pabellón Argentina de la Ciudad Universitaria* [Argentina Pavilion of Cordoba University]. How's your Spanish. Canadian exhibits annotated in English and French will be welcomed according to FIAF guidelines. We are awaiting the Cordoba 2016 regulations and the IREX.

### An "Exhibiting Club" in your Area?

A philatelic exhibiting club, The Calgary Association of Philatelic Exhibitors (CAPE), operates with eight meetings a year. The group has been in existence since 2003 and has had exhibitor members from beginners to advanced collectors win many medals and special awards at national and international philatelic exhibitions. The association works as a branch of Chapter 66 of the RPSC Calgary Philatelic Society. The CAPE meetings are held at a different location and time than the Calgary Chapter meetings. Discussions of serious stamp exhibiting characterize the meetings along with friendly critical examination of members displays.

I propose to franchise the exhibiting club concept to other Canadian Stamp Clubs if there is interest. There is no franchise fee, but I can supply several PowerPoint computer files, mostly in English [the FIP language], at this time on exhibiting that can be used at meetings as programs at no charge. These PowerPoint presentations are not for every collector. They are not suitable for general collectors or uninterested non-exhibitors. In these presentations exhibiting is described and illustrated at an advanced level. Several are "handouts" from FIP Commission presentations and other sources. E-mail me at <[miquelon@shaw.ca](mailto:miquelon@shaw.ca)> if this is something that may work in your club.