

The *International Exhibitor* Newsletter

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Future Internationals



It has become quite apparent that the international philatelic exhibitions that formally invite participation by the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada (RPSC) are becoming less frequent and fewer in number. The RPSC International Committee is aware of this development. In order to try and increase the opportunities for Canadian exhibitors, commissioners and jurors, I continue to make inquiries of show organizers to try and encourage them to formally invite RPSC participation.

It is strange to me that the European only “international” exhibitions send in news releases promoting their events and expect free space in the RPSC “Canadian Philatelist” magazine for publicity but fail to officially invite RPSC full participation. Perhaps some of the blame for this is that it has been 20-years since the RPSC has sponsored an “international” show. Perhaps a solution is to declare a future annual Royal/Royale Exhibition and Convention an “International Exhibition” under FIAF auspices [no charge for this designation is available from the FIAF] and open entries up to our international friends. It worked for our St. Pierre-Miquelon affiliate in 2014.

As a start, I recommend that several of our RPSC exhibitors seriously consider entering their award winning exhibits in the FIAF international exhibition in Cordoba, Argentina. I have undertaken to serve as the RPSC Commissioner to this Hemispheric Inter-Continental exhibition. To this end (see page 2)



The Cultural Centre in Córdoba, Argentina site of CORDOBA 2016

FIAF EXHIBITS OPEN FOR ENTRIES

(Continental Exhibitions in the Americas)

CÓRDOBA 2016; Córdoba, Argentina

Córdoba Cultural Centre

August 23 to 27, 2016

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

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Deadline for entries to the Canadian Commissioner is

June 10, 2016

FIP EXHIBITS CLOSED 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>>

Canadian Commissioner:

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NEW YORK 2016—NEW YORK CITY, UNITED STATES

May 28– June 4, 2016

Jacob J. Javits Convention Center

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

Canadian Commissioner New York 2016

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BACK ISSUES OF THE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITOR

<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

RPSC: Royal Philatelic Society of Canada

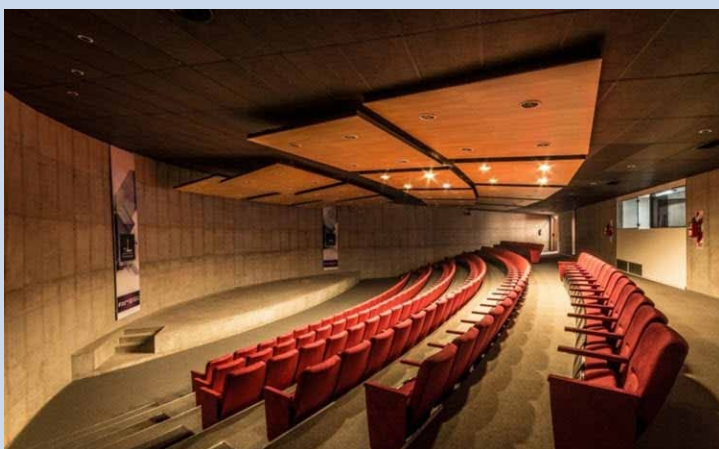
www.rpsc.org

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(from page 1) I have translated the Spanish forms and regulations into English [attached] to speed the process. Check out the airfare cost from Calgary to Cordoba (and return!) if you want to join me in Cordoba. I imagine that there will be many toasts to the 200th Anniversary of Argentine Independence in Cordoba and a good time will be had by all. Contact me if you need more information.

Check out the Cordoba 2016 website at <<http://www.cefimed.com.ar/>> for any updates. The website is in the Spanish language but don't let that stop you. Use



The well appointed meeting room at the Cordoba Cultural Centre

<Google.translate.com> to translate the Spanish to French, English or language of your choice.

Phila-Taipei 2016 Entries are now closed for the Phila-Taipei 2016 FIP World Championship of Philately October 21-26, 2016. Taipei is also the site for the 74th FIP Congress on October 26, 2016. Important elections for a Director-Americas and

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Vice-President-Americas will be held. Also the meetings of the FIP Technical Commissions will take place on October 24-25, 2016. The RPSC has submitted eight entries to PhilaTaipei 2016.

RARITIES ON DISPLAY NY 2016

A number of world philatelic rarities will be displayed at the New York 2016 Exhibition. They can be viewed in line at <http://www.ny2016.org/SubMenu/Rarities_on_Display.aspx?id=484> on the website in case you can't get to New York. The world's most valuable stamp will be here, the unique 1856 British Guiana one cent magenta, which was sold at auction on June 17 2015 for US \$9.48 million dollars

FIP EXHIBITS IN THE PLANNING STAGES

PRAGUE 2018—CZECH REPUBLIC

August 15-18 2018, Clarion Hotel, Prague, TR & PH
FIP Status to be confirmed at 74th Congress
Website: PRAGA2018.org [under construction]

TEL AVIV 2018—Tel Aviv, ISRAEL

April 14-20, 2018

AUCKLAND 2018—NEW ZEALAND

November 8-12, 2018

Website: <<http://www.aps.gen.nz.html>>

CHINA 2019

LONDON 2020—London, United Kingdom

Business Design Centre in Islington, London
Saturday, 2 May 2020 until Saturday, 9 May 2020.

<Website: <http://www.london2020.co/>>

To ensure that as many exhibitors as possible can be accepted, the frames will be used twice during the week with exhibits being swapped on Tuesday 5 May.

New York 2016

Entries are now closed for the New York 2016 FIP World International Philatelic Exhibition. Go to the NY2016 website at <<http://www.ny2016.org>> for complete information. Delta Airlines has been named the New York 2016 official air carrier. Check the website for



airfare deals offered by Delta Airlines. New York hotels are filling up quickly so check the website for cut-rate lodging.

The very extensive list of meetings and events can be found at <<http://www.ny2016.org/EventCalendar.aspx>>. Of particular interest to Canadians the RPSC meeting June 3rd at 10 am Room 1E17. **I still have a few places at the RPSC Dinner is scheduled for June 3rd 2016 at 7 pm. If you wish to attend the dinner please contact Jim Taylor at <Miquelon@shaw.ca> to reserve a seat. Please advise if you plan to bring a guest.** Other meetings of interest are several seminars sponsored by the BNAPS, the PSSC and the Greene Foundation of Toronto.

The RPSC has had 25 different exhibits accepted for New York 2016 in various philatelic Classes including Literature. Several of our RPSC members from St. Pierre & Miquelon (SPM), that usually have their FIP entries with the RPSC, are listed under their own "country" at New York because of their FIAF membership.

I am also busy organizing meetings for two groups that I am a member of the Board of Directors. They are the SPM Philatelic Society and the FIAF International Federation for the Americas.

