



HOW TO APPLY for the FISM World Championships of Magic 2012



PARTICIPATION IS ONLY OPEN TO MEMBERS OF A FISM MEMBER SOCIETY WHO HAVE ACHIEVED THE FISM LEVEL OF PERFORMANCE

1. Register and pay as a regular conventioner via the FISM WCM2012 website. (www.fismwcm2012.com) Only registered conventioners will be considered for participation in the FISM WCM2012.
2. Read the *FISM Contest Rules and Procedures* as published on the FISM website (www.fism.org) and on the FISM WCM2012 (www.fismwcm2012.com). Take especially good care of the Articles 4 and 5.
3. If you agree with all the rules, download and complete the application form from the FISM WCM2012 website (www.fismwcm2012.com).
4. Send your completed and duly signed application form **by regular mail** (your original signature is needed!) **to the President of your magic society**. (NOT to the organizers of FISM WCM2012 in Blackpool, NOT to the FISM Presidium, NOT to any other organization or authority).
5. First Prize-winners (and in some cases also second Prizewinners) of preliminary continental championships send their application forms to the President of their continental chapter (FISM EUROPE, FISM ASIA etc.) They have a guaranteed slot in the FISM World Championships of Magic 2012.
6. The number of contestants in the FISM WCM2012 is restricted. The Presidents of the member-societies have been informed about the number of contestants for their society and about the further procedure to have the application forms sent to the office of the FISM.
7. Closing date for the receipt of the application forms by the office of the FISM is the **15th of March 2012**. No applications will be accepted after that date.
8. You will receive the confirmation or refusal of your participation in the FISM WCM2012 as soon as possible; within a week after the closing date at the latest.
9. As soon as you have been accepted as a contestant, pay the contest fee of € 50,-- (fifty Euro) to the organizers of FISM WCM2012 in Blackpool. After having received the payment you will be informed of your scheduled rehearsal time (10 minutes) and the scheduled time of your performance during the competition.
10. As rehearsals may start on Sunday the 8th of July 2012, you may be requested to be present in Blackpool at that date.