# The 3rd Silk Road International City Weiqi Invitation Tournament 

Information sheet for participants from Europe

Hosted by: Silk Road International City Go Alliance, China City Go Fellowship, Guo Xue Network Organized by: Xinjiang Qiyuan, Xi'an Go Federation<br>Co-organizer: Xinjiang Aosheng Weiqi Culture and Communication Ltd.<br>Support Advisory: Chinese Go Association, European Go Federation, Tsinghua Weiqi Foundation

Date: from 1 September to 6 September 2016 (arrival and departure)

Place: Urumqi, China

The tournament offers 30 seats to European participants. Applicants must be 3 dan or stronger and native to a member country of the European Go Federation. If the number of applicants exceeds 30, participants will be decided by EGD rating at the deadline.

Registration will be done in teams of 3 players. If you do not have another 2 teammates, you can still register and I will find two more individual participants to join your team. Deadline for application is $\mathbf{3 0}$ June. The organizers can send you an invitation letter if you need one for visa application.

Participation fee: 2.000 RMB per 3-person team (667 RMB per player)
All costs (except getting to Urumqi and back) will be covered by the organizers, including accommodation (hotel double-room), meals and a day-trip.

Prizes(for individual player):

| 1st place | 60.000 RMB |
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| 2nd place | 30.000 RMB |
| 3rd place | 15.000 RMB |
| 4th place | 8.000 RMB |
| 5th place | 5.000 RMB |
| 6th place | 3.000 RMB |
| 7-8th place | 2.000 RMB |

Additional awards for top 6 teams.

Financial traveling support: $\mathbf{5 0 0}$ US dollars for top $\mathbf{1 0}$ European players (decided by maximum rating from 1 April to 30 June).

Tournament rules: 9 rounds Swiss tournament, Chinese rules.

Fee for additional non-player person: 2.200 RMB (includes accommodation in double-room, meals and day-trip).

If you want to stay in a single room, there is an additional charge of 260 RMB per day.

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