

Gottfried von Cramm Trophy

2025

in memory of the former French Open winner 1934, 3 times Wimbledon finalist (1935, 1936, and 1937) and founding president of the IC Germany

Concept

The basic goal of this IC Council event is offering an attractive tournament for young high level players (male and female) in order to motivate them to become member in their national IC, in case they are not yet a member.

The format

8 teams from different ICs. In case of 7 entries only, the hosting IC will nominate 2 teams.

Ties to be played in a knock-out-system with a main round and a consolation round.

Each tie consists of **1** male single, **1** lady single and **1** mixed double. Nevertheless, each team can nominate 2 men and 2 ladies. The 2nd man and the 2nd lady have the right to play the mixed double and could be reserve players in case of an injury. The dresscode on court is "white only" except warm up clothes.

Age categories

Men and ladies: **Not younger than 28 and not elder than 44** in the year of the event.No obligation to have been an IC member prior the year of the event! Confirmed membership at the time of the event is enough.

Entry deadline

By May 31, 2025. The nomination of the team members should be made by June 30, 2025.

Terms of acceptance

If more than 8 teams apply : 1 team of the hosting IC, 3 teams by invitation of the hosting IC, 4 teams according to the earlier date of application. If less than 8 teams apply, the hosting IC has the right to nominate a 2^{nd} team. All participants should be international players.

Entry fees:

200,00 € for each team member and a non-playing captain, to be paid by May 31, 2025.

Dates and venue:

The event **2025** will take place from **28 August** until **31 August** on the magnificent grounds of the Tennisclub 1914 Frankfurt Palmengarten, not far from the International Airport Frankfurt.

Travel and accommodation:

Arrival on Thursday, departure on Sunday evening = 3 nights. 2 single or double rooms with breakfast will be paid by the hosting IC, as well as 3 lunches and dinners. Travel costs to be paid by the participating ICs or by the players themselves. Accompanying partners pay the costs for additional rooms in the hotel and meals themselves.

The players' hotel will be the the 4 stars "Relaxa", Lurgiallee 3, 60439 Frankfurt.

Programme:

August 28: Arrivals, practice, 18:00 h captains' meeting, 19:30 welcome dinner

August 29: 10:00 h first round, skyscraper tour and dinner downtown

August 30: 10:00 h semi-finals, IC-dinner in a special party location with music

August 31: 10:00 h finals and price giving ceremony

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