



First FIDE World University Individual Online Rapid Championship Tournament Regulations Amendment 2 (16 March 2021)

1. The participants of the First FIDE World University Individual Online Rapid Championship shall confirm their participation on the Hosting Internet Platform (Tornelo) by Saturday, 20 March at 12 pm UTC.
2. To ensure the proper conduct of the championship, the participants shall be sorted by rating and split into 6 groups of approximately the same strength.
3. The direct links to the group tournaments are:

<https://tornelo.com/chess/orgs/fide/events/wuocc-rapid-div-a>

<https://tornelo.com/chess/orgs/fide/events/wuocc-rapid-div-b>

<https://tornelo.com/chess/orgs/fide/events/wuocc-rapid-div-c>

<https://tornelo.com/chess/orgs/fide/events/wuocc-rapid-div-d>

<https://tornelo.com/chess/orgs/fide/events/wuocc-rapid-div-e>

<https://tornelo.com/chess/orgs/fide/events/wuocc-rapid-div-f>

4. The group stage of the Championship shall be held on Saturday, 20 March and Sunday, 21 March. Both days, the playing sessions start at 1 pm UTC.
5. The tie-break system published in the tournament regulations shall be used for all groups respectively. Players who finish 2nd in the group tournaments, shall be considered as tied for 7-12 places, those who finish 3rd – tied for 13-18 places etc...
6. The Final Standings, after the Fair Play Panel's revision, shall be published by Wednesday, 24 March.
7. The top player from each group shall qualify for the Final Tournament.
8. The top female student from each group shall qualify for the Final Women's Tournament.
9. If a female student qualifies for both final tournaments, she shall be able to choose the one she prefers to participate in.
10. The Final Tournament and the Final Women's Tournament shall be the Round-Robin events (5 rounds) played on Thursday, 25 March at 1 pm UTC.
11. If two or more players score the same number of points in the Final Tournaments or the Final Women's Tournament, the tie shall be decided by the following criteria, in order of priority:

- a) Number of points scored in the Swiss System tournament,
- b) Sonneborn–Berger in the Round-Robin tournament,
- c) Number of wins in the Round-Robin tournament,
- d) Drawing of lots.

12. The Team Standings and qualification for the First FIDE World University Team Online Rapid Cup will be determined by, in order of priority:

- a) Sum of individual points of the team's top four scorers, including at least one man's score and one woman's score (the top three scores, if all the team members are of the same gender), based on group tournaments only;
- b) Highest individual place of the best team member (if the best team member qualifies for the Final RR Tournament, his position in the Final RR Tournament standings shall decide).
- c) Highest individual place of the second-best team member;
- d) Highest individual place of the third-best team member;
- e) Highest individual place of the fourth-best team member;
- f) Drawing of lots.