



FIDE FAIR PLAY DEFINITIONS

Definitions¹

Chief Fair Play Officer (CFPO)

The FPO who is the main FPO at an event and takes all final Fair Play decisions regarding the Event. The CFPO can also act as Supervisor of no more than one Candidate at any Event.

Event FPE

The person who acts as FPE at any event.

Event FPO

The Fair Play specialist who acts as FPO at any event.

Fair Play Expert (FPE)

A Fair Play specialist who is characterized by integrity, attentiveness, dependability and an attitude towards teamwork. FPEs can run Level 2 and Level 3 tournaments and be part of a Fair Play Team in Level 1 Events. May also act as Event FPO in Level 1 events under the supervision of an FPL Supervisor.

Fair Play Officer (FPO)

A Fair Play top specialist who is characterized by utmost integrity, high levels of attentiveness, full dependability, excellent knowledge of the Fair Play Legal framework and superior organisational and communication skills. FPOs can run an event on their own, devising the fair play plan and then implementing it by coordinating with the other members of the Fair Play Team, if any. Category A and B FPOs can also act as FPL Supervisors.

Fair Play Team (FPT)

Fair Play Teams are in charge of securing Fair Play at events where FPTs are required. The FPTs are made up of Fair Play Specialists, volunteers, security guards, and others who are coordinated by the Chief Fair Play Officer in charge of the event. The FPT may consult with external experts, including but not limited to Grandmasters, body language experts, psychologists, and computer engineers.

FIDE Events

FIDE Events - as listed in the [FIDE Handbook](#) - FIDE Regulations for Arbiters (effective from 1st July, 2021) / B.06.3 – FIDE Regulations for the Classification of Arbiters.

¹ I Title Norms - FPO/FPE- Procedural Rules of the Fair Play Commission 2022 (21-24; 37-43)

FPE Candidate

A person who does not hold the FPE title but acts as FPE at an event under the remote supervision of an FPL Supervisor.

FPL Supervisor

FPO Category A/B who supervises any FPO Candidate/FPE Candidate. Supervision guarantees that the Candidate is followed at every step, building the necessary knowledge to handle everyday Fair Play tasks.

When supervising an FPE Candidate, the Supervisor's duties shall be limited to assisting the Candidate.

Where there is a requirement for an FPO, and there is no FPO titleholder at the event who can act as CFPO, the Supervisor shall also act as CFPO of the Event, and their responsibilities shall include devising fair play measures and making sure that they are implemented.

When a CFPO is serving at an event, and at the same time, one or more Supervisors are supervising one or more Candidates, all final decisions regarding the Event shall be taken by the CFPO. The Supervisor's responsibility shall be limited to supervising FPO/FPE Candidates, in harmony with the CFPO.

Generally, the FPL Supervisor will act remotely. When the FPT is made up of two FPL Specialists, one of which is a Candidate, then the CFPO may act as Supervisor.

FPO Candidate

A Fair Play specialist who holds the FPE title and acts as FPO at an event under the supervision of an FPL Supervisor.

National Fair Play Specialist (NFS)

Is a licensed National Fair Play Specialist who can assist at Level 3 tournaments.