



INQUIRY FOR THE CANDIDATES OF THE IFAGG COUNCIL



I am applying for the IFAGG council

Name: Georgios Vaiopoulos

Date of birth: 28 June 1960

Home address: Larissa, Greece

Proposing IFAGG member: Hellenic Federation of AGG

Education: University of Electronics – Computers Hardware

Profession and employer: My own Company – 10 employers -

Why are you applying for the IFAGG council?

To contribute voluntarily to the dissemination and proper development of the sport of Aesthetic Group Gymnastics around the world. This is because volunteering is undoubtedly a universal social value, no longer identified with charity, since modern perceptions require volunteering to be the result of conscious choice, to be done in a systematic and organized way, to be based on knowledge and stability, to focus on the human being and especially the children whom those who serve them and especially the volunteers must treat with morality, respect, justice and sensitivity.

Which council section you have special skills? (e.g. strategy, ethical work, development, education, finance etc.)

I could participate and provide my services both in establishing ethics and the recognition of equality, meritocracy, justice and respect for dignity and human rights as an inalienable mode of operation.

I could also actively and effectively contribute to the development of the sport in all countries, seeking the recognition and consolidation of the sport as autonomous.



What are your strengths?

I am very active and hardworking in the implementation of issues that I will undertake. My dominant and non-negotiable weapon is that I do not deviate from the rules of operation of the body I will serve, but also from the principles of justice, meritocracy, ethics and equality. I desire and look forward with this choice to be able to participate in the activities of the World Athletic Body of Aesthetic Team Gymnastics, and to look and feel useful and necessary in the tasks that I will undertake to carry out.

He is a man with principles and values which, such as morality, honesty, justice, transparency, which I do not negotiate with anyone and for any reason.

I like to invent innovative methods, both for the information of the interested parties and the general support of the sport of Aesthetic Group Gymnastics.

Gymnastics and AGG background / activity on international and national level

From a young age I was a basketball and martial arts athlete.

On 1979 I was admitted to the Oslo Gymnastics Academy but for family reasons I could not go.

From 1996 I elected as Board member of the Gymnastic Union of Larissa and from 2010 to 2020 I was its president.

On 2014 I did all the efforts to introduce the sport of Aesthetic Group Gymnastics in Greece and finally I managed to become an A-member of IFAGG.

On 2019, with the participation of 20 other clubs, we created the Hellenic Federation of Aesthetic Group Gymnastics, where I am also its president after legal elections.

Today the Hellenic Federation has more than 47 clubs, it has organized the 2nd Mediterranean competition in 2016, we have organized the 1st Balkan competition in 2022, 9 National championships, 2 international judges' courses and 10 national judges' and coaches' courses.

Other activity, positions of responsibility, other duties and networks

I am a member of organizations whose main purpose and main pursuit is to offer assistance (medical, social or other) without a for-profit nature.

Both I and other specialized executives provide services aimed at both social action and assistance in areas where state social policy is inactive or unable.

I am a member and I actively participate I am member of the Rotary International and founding president of the Rotary club "Larissa - Pinios River", Founding president of the humanitarian non-profit organization "Hellenic Ark", I am a member of the global Greek community AHEPA, as well as many Greek and international philanthropists teams, where I come in contact with people worldwide .

What will be the main challenges of IFAGG in the future (from your point of view)?

The main purpose and main concern of both me and the other members of the administration, I believe, should be the highest distinction of the sport and its integration into the Olympic sports. For this purpose, all countries and sports bodies will be required to be informed about this claim and success.



How do you commit to IFAGG strategy? What do you value in IFAGG?

With my election to the administration, I will dedicate myself to the rapid fulfillment of the goals and aspirations of the sport.

I know the IFAGG sports organization, which I wish to serve, but also the AGG sport at all levels. This data, in combination with my willingness to offer unconditionally with the sole purpose of supporting and developing AGG sport, contributes to the successful implementation of the IFAGG strategy.

My unparalleled interest and my constant work on Aesthetic Group Gymnastics will be the guarantee of success.

What do you think will be IFAGG's possibilities in the future?

The IFAGG Agency will be the big winner of the coming years. This is because it guides, organizes and develops a sport that is accepted by many children, who are growing in number year by year. This sport, which is not expensive to learn, nor much more phobic and competitive in its performance, as is the case with other sports, will be what will dominate in the coming years. And this is because the joy of participation and teamwork will win the competitive mood and the choice of distinction.

Which matters you would promote in IFAGG?

Better and more effective supervision of sports organizations in each country.
Creation of Judges and Coaches schools with the cooperation of the National federations worldwide and of course to complete the process of AGG becoming an Olympic sport.

How would you commit to IFAGG?

Given that volunteering in global sports organizations makes you a participant in meeting the needs of children, in solidarity in meeting their needs and responsible for what you do, I am committed to the following:

To carry out my duties, which will be assigned to me in compliance with the regulations and statutory provisions and the quality of my services offered.

To be informed and to monitor the implementation of the programs, directions and circulars decided by the body I serve.