

INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE GRAND PRIX

From 1998 to 2002 the World Bridge Federation organized a world event in collaboration with the International Olympic Committee named

"International Olympic Committee Grand Prix".

The competition was reserved for National Teams in the Open series and Transnational Teams in Women and Juniors series.

The first three editions were held in Lausanne and the fourth was moved to Salt Lake City in Utah in conjunction with the XIX Winter Olympics.

After the 2002 edition of the Grand Prix was decommissioned.

OPEN

1998 (7-11 September) - LAUSANNE (Switzerland) - 6 teams		
1. BRAZIL		Gabriel Chagas, Marcelo Castello Branco Miguel Villas Boas, Joao Paulo Campos
2. CHINA		Haomin Xu, Hu Jihong, Wang Fei Wen, Zejun Zhuang Haojun Shi, Dai Jianming
3. USA		Dan Morse, Bob Hamman, Eric Rodwell, Jeff Meckstroth Paul Soloway, Bobby Wolff

1999 (20-24 September) - LAUSANNE (Switzerland) - 6 teams		
1. ITALY		Francesco Angelini, Andrea Buratti, Massimo Lanzarotti, Alfredo Versace, Lorenzo Lauria, Antonio Sementa
2. BRAZIL		Gabriel Chagas, Marcelo Castello Branco Miguel Villas Boas, Joao Paulo Campos
3. FRANCE		Albert Britane, Jean Michel Voldoire, Marc Bompis Thierry de Sainte Marie

2000 (October 30 – November 3) - LAUSANNE (Switzerland) - 6 teams		
1. INDONESIA		Henki Lasut, Eddie Manoppo, Karwur Steven Frank Denny Jacob Sacul
2. ITALY		Lorenzo Lauria, Alfredo Versace, Guido Ferraro Dano De Falco, Norberto Bocchi, Giorgio Duboin
3. USA		Dick Freeman, Bob Hamman, Nick Nickell, Eric Rodwell Jeff Meckstroth

2002 (February 2-6) – SALT LAKE CITY (USA) - 10 teams		
1. CANADA		Keith Balcombe, Gordon Campbell, Nick Gartaganis Fred Gitelman, Peter Jones, Joey Silver
2. POLAND		Cezary Balický, Adam Zmudzinski, Michael Kwiecien Jacek Pszczoła, Jacek Poletylo, Marek Wojciki Alicja Kornasiewicz (npc)
3. ITALY		Lorenzo Lauria, Alfredo Versace, Guido Ferraro Dano De Falco, Giorgio Duboin

WOMEN

1999 (20-24 September) - LAUSANNE (Switzerland) - 2 teams		
1. EUROPE		Véronique Bessis, Catherine d'Ovidio, Sabine Auken Daniela von Arnim, Marijke van der Pas, Bep Vriend Nicola Gardener-Smith, Pat Davies Jens Auken (npc)
2. USA		Lisa Berkowitz, Mildred Breed, Lynn Deas, Shawn Quinn Connie Goldberg, Beth Palmer, Rozanne Pollack Carol Sanders

2000 (October 30 – November 3) - LAUSANNE (Switzerland) - 2 teams		
1. EUROPE		Véronique Bessis, Catherine d'Ovidio, Jet Pasman Anne-Lill Hellmann, Anna Malinowski, Anneke Simons Pony Beate Nehmert, Andrea Rauscheid
2. NORTH AMERICA		Petra Hamman, Mildred Breed, Robin Klar Joan Jackson, Beverly Kraft, Shawn Quinn Peggy Sutherlin, Rhoda Habert

2002 (February 2-6) – SALT LAKE CITY (USA) - 10 teams		
1. FRANCE		Véronique Bessis, Catherine d'Ovidio Benedicte Cronier, Sylvie Willard
2. USA		Mildred Breed, Amalja Kearsse, Jill Meyers Swan Quinn Sharon Osberg, Kerry Sanborn Rose Meltzer, Kerry Shuman Peter Weichsel (coach)
3. NETHER- LANDS		Bep Vriend, Marijke van der Pas Anneke Simons, Jet Pasman Ed Franken (npc), Chris Niemeijer (coach)
4. GERMANY		Andrea Rauscheid, Sabine Auken, Beate (Pony) Nehmert, Elke Weber

JUNIORS

2002 (February 2-6) – SALT LAKE CITY (USA) - 4 teams	
1. NORTH EUROPE	Sjoert Brink, Bas Drijver, Andreas Marquardsen Martin Schaltz
1. THE AMERICAS	Agustin Madala, Carlos Pellegrini, John Hurd Joel Wooldridge
3. NORTH AMERICA	Brad Campbell, Joe Grue, John Kraniak, Kent Mignocchi
4. SOUTH EUROPE	Francesco Mazzadi, Fabio Lo Presti, Jerome Ghente, Guillaume Grenthe