

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## PAHF announce Technical Officials for 2015 Pan American Games

The Pan American Hockey Federation has announced the Officials for the 17th Pan American Games to be held in Toronto, Ontario, Canada, in July 2015.

## <u>MEN</u>

Tournament Director:	BURKE, Cameron	BAR
<b>Technical Officials:</b>	GOMES, Rigel	TTO
	STEWART, Tony	CAN
<b>Umpires Manager:</b>	HORGAN, Steve	USA
Assistant Umpires Manager:	WILSON, Chris	CAN
Medical Officer:	RAMIREZ, Leticia (Dr.)	MEX
	SVERDLICK, Hernan (Dr.)	ARG
<b>Communications Officer:</b>	KANTER, Rebecca	USA
Judges:	D'SOUZA, Ozias	CAN
	DELLA MATTIA, Adrian	ARG
	JONES, Brian	USA
	PEREZ LEON, Juan Manuel	PER
Neutral Umpires:	SHAIKH, Javed	IND
	VAZQUEZ, Paco	ESP
	YOU, Suolong	CHN
Umpires:	AARON, Saleem	USA
-	BASTO RIVERO, Daniel	MEX
	BUSTAMANTE, Sebastian	CHI
	CALDECOTT, Gavin	CAN
	GARCIA, Federico	URU
	GOBINSINGH, Donny	TTO
	HUNDLEY, Grant	USA
	LEDESMA, Andres	ARG
<b>Competition Coordinator:</b>	MACCHIOTTI, Laura	PAHF

The men's competition will feature 8 countries, namely Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Cuba, Mexico, Trinidad & Tobago and USA. First reserve is Uruguay.

## **WOMEN**

Tournament Director:	RINALDINI, Lorena	ARG
<b>Technical Officials:</b>	RICHARDSON, Reyah	TTO
	ZELKIN, Rene	USA
<b>Umpires Manager:</b>	MELLI, Cinthia	ARG
Assistant Umpires Manager:	STEWART, Wendy	CAN
Medical Officer:	RAMIREZ, Leticia (Dr.)	MEX
	SVERDLICK, Hernan (Dr.)	ARG
<b>Communications Officer:</b>	DIAZ BUSTOS, Candela	ARG
	LEE, Ali	CAN
Judges:	BAUMANN, Camila	CHI
	CORA-XAVIER, Viviane	BRA
	HOGAN, Laurie	CAN
	PEREZ SANTIAGO, Katherine	PUR
<b>Neutral Umpires:</b>	JOUBERT, Michelle	RSA
_	UNKA, Aleesha	NZL
	AZMAN, Nur Hafizah	MAS
Umpires:	CABARGAS, Camila	CHI
-	IPARRAGUIRRE, Soledad	ARG
	JUDEFIND, Stephanie	USA
	McCLEAN, Ayanna	TTO
	ROBERTSON, Megan	CAN
	SUTTON, Suzi	USA
	VASQUEZ ESCALANTE, Ana	MEX
	+1 to be announced	
<b>Competition Coordinator:</b>	MACCHIOTTI, Laura	PAHF

The women's competition will feature 8 countries, namely Argentina, Canada, Chile, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Mexico, Uruguay and USA. First reserve is Trinidad & Tobago.

The Pan American Games are a qualifier for the Olympic Games, with the two winners in Toronto earning an automatic berth for the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

For more information on the PAHF competitions and programs, please visit the Pan American Hockey Federation web site at <u>www.panamhockey.org</u>

The Pan American Hockey Federation (PAHF) is recognized by the FIH as the governing continental federation for all field hockey in the Pan American region. There are 26 member Nations of the PAHF. For more information please contact <u>info@panamhockey.org</u>