CURRICULUM VITAE · CHESS ARBITER

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FIDE International Arbiter · FFE Federal Arbiter 1



173	165	2003
FIDE-rated tournaments	as Chief Arbiter	federal arbiter since

PERSONAL DETAILS

Year of birth
1983

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LANGUAGES

French	Native
English	B2 / C1
Spanish	B2 / C1

PROFESSION

Service Delivery Manager
Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

PROFILE

Chief Arbiter of more than 160 FIDE-rated tournaments since 2005: French Individual, Rapid and Blitz Championships, the Top 16 national team league, the 2026 Internationaux de France, the Metz and Nancy international festivals (IM and GM norm tournaments) and international opens. Arbiter in France, Luxembourg and Spain.

ARBITER CAREER

French track · FFE

APRIL 2003
AF4 · Federal Arbiter 4

SEPTEMBER 2003
AF3 · Federal Arbiter 3

MAY 2009
AF2 · Federal Arbiter 2

NOVEMBER 2009
AF1 · Federal Arbiter 1

OCTOBER 2026
Competence Manager

FIDE track

NOVEMBER 2009
FIDE Arbiter (FA)

OCTOBER 2018
International Arbiter (IA)
89th FIDE Congress, Batumi

NOVEMBER 2018
IA licence, category D
Active licence since 2019

Trainer track · DNA

IN PROGRESS SINCE JULY 2026

DISSERTATION	**Teaching materials for the Open course** · 14-hour course in 10 modules (tournament administration, Swiss system, tie-breaks, prize calculation, arbiter fees, federal and school competitions…), with case studies.
MARCH 2027	**Practical course 1 · Match course** · Niort · mentor: Pierre Lapeyre (upcoming).
TO BE DEFINED	**Practical course 2 · Open course** · date and venue to be defined.

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OTHER ARBITING IN FRANCE

Federal competitions officiated, not FIDE-rated:

- TOP 12 (French team league)
- French Cup final
- French Championship
- French Youth Championship
- French Middle School Championship
- French University Championship

LOCAL EVENTS

- Jean-Claude Loubatière Cup
- Team league (Interclubs)
- Adult and youth rapid tournaments

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FIDE-rated tournaments

Note: this list is based solely on FIDE-rated tournaments (profile 657131, ratings.fide.com), i.e. 173 tournaments. Events are grouped and ordered by their most recent edition; years follow the FIDE rating period.

EVENT · VENUE · EDITIONS	TOURNAMENTS
Les Internationaux de France – Rapid & Blitz Châlons-en-Champagne · Chief Arbiter · **2026**	2
EFE Metz International Festival Metz · Chief Arbiter · IM and GM norm tournaments* · **2026** · **2025** · **2024** · **2022** · **2018*** · **2017*** · **2016*** · **2015**	71
Saint-Max Summer Festival Saint-Max · Chief Arbiter · **2024**	2
Meurthe-et-Moselle International Festival Nancy · Chief Arbiter · GM and IM tournaments (2012) · **2023** · **2022** · **2020** · **2019** · **2018** · **2016** · **2012**	40
FFE Team League – Top 16 & Women's Top France · **2021** Chief (Top 16) · **2019** Deputy (Women's Top and final phase)	3
French Rapid and Blitz Championships Le Blanc-Mesnil · Chief Arbiter · **2019**	4
Moselle Championship Sarreguemines · Metz · Chief Arbiter · **2018** · **2016** · **2015**	6
French Individual Championship **2018** Nîmes, Deputy (Accession) · **2013** Nancy, Chief (National, Women's National, Accession, Opens, Seniors)	8
Vandœuvre-lès-Nancy International Open Chief Arbiter · **2017** (Deputy) · **2014** · **2013** · **2012** · **2011** · **2010** · **2009** · **2008** · **2007** · **2006** · **2005**	19
Lorraine Championship Hettange-Grande · Forbach · Metz · Chief Arbiter · **2015** · **2012** · **2010** · **2009**	4
FFE Grand Prix – 1st leg Nancy · Chief Arbiter · **2013**	1
Cappelle-la-Grande International Open Cappelle-la-Grande · Deputy Arbiter · 600 players · **2010**	1
Kaupthing Open Differdange (Luxembourg) · **2008** Deputy · **2007** Chief	4
Regional team league – Lorraine Division 1 and N4 play-off Lorraine · Chief Arbiter · **2008**	6
La Bresse Open La Bresse · Chief Arbiter · **2008**	1
Club internal tournament Nancy · Chief Arbiter · **2006**	1

Source: ratings.fide.com · October 2026