

Application for hosting the Masters' International Speed Skating Allround Games

1. General Information

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National Organization of which the applicant is member : Speed Skating Canada
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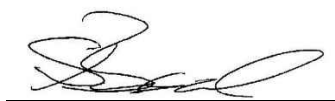
Season will take place : 2020-2021

Name and location of the arena : Quebec City Ice Center (Centre de glace de Québec)

Number of participants that will be allowed to skate : 350 skaters

Place, date : Quebec City, QC, Canada, May 25^h 2018

Signature of the applicant



Stéphane Bronsard
Infrastructures and Events Director, FPVQ

2. General information of proposed location for Master Games Allround

Name of City: Quebec City

Population: 532 000 (Greater Quebec population: 810 000)

Airport : International Jean Lesage Airport, <https://www.aeroportdequebec.com/en>

Train station : Quebec city train station (Gare du palais) <https://www.viarail.ca/en>

Motorway(s): Highways: 40 - 20 (Trans Canada Highway)

Public transportation in the city : Réseau de transport de la Capitale (Buses)
<https://www.rtcquebec.ca/>



Quebec City Ice Center

3. Special information - Ice Rink

- **Name:** Centre de glace de Québec / Quebec City Ice Center (under construction from August 2018 to Summer of 2020)
- **Indoor:** yes
- **Ice surface:** 3 lanes oval of 13 metres width (warm-up lane : 4,5m, inner lane : 4 m and outer lane : 4,5m) with racing lanes radius of 26m and 30m.
- **Other services:**
 - Dressing rooms with showers
 - Training Room
 - Jogging track (3 lanes of 1,22m width outside of the 400m oval)
 - Restaurant
 - And much more to come !

4. Events hosted by the Quebec Speed Skating Federation

- **International events :**
 - ISU World Short Track Speed Skating Championships 2018 (and also 2014, 2002 and 1987) in Montreal
 - ISU World Sprint Speed Skating Championships 1987 (Gaétan-Boucher Oval in Quebec City)
 - ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships 1986 (Gaétan-Boucher Oval in Quebec City)
 - ISU World Allround Speed Skating Championships for ladies 1981 (Quebec City)
 - IMSS Games 2001 and 1996 (Gaétan-Boucher Oval in Quebec City)
 - ISU Speed Skating World Cup for Men 1992 (Gaétan-Boucher Oval in Quebec City)
 - Over a dozen of World Cup Short Track Events since the first ever in 1998.

- **National and Provincial events and competitions :**
 - 5 to 7 long track competitions / year
 - 28 to 35 short track competitions /year

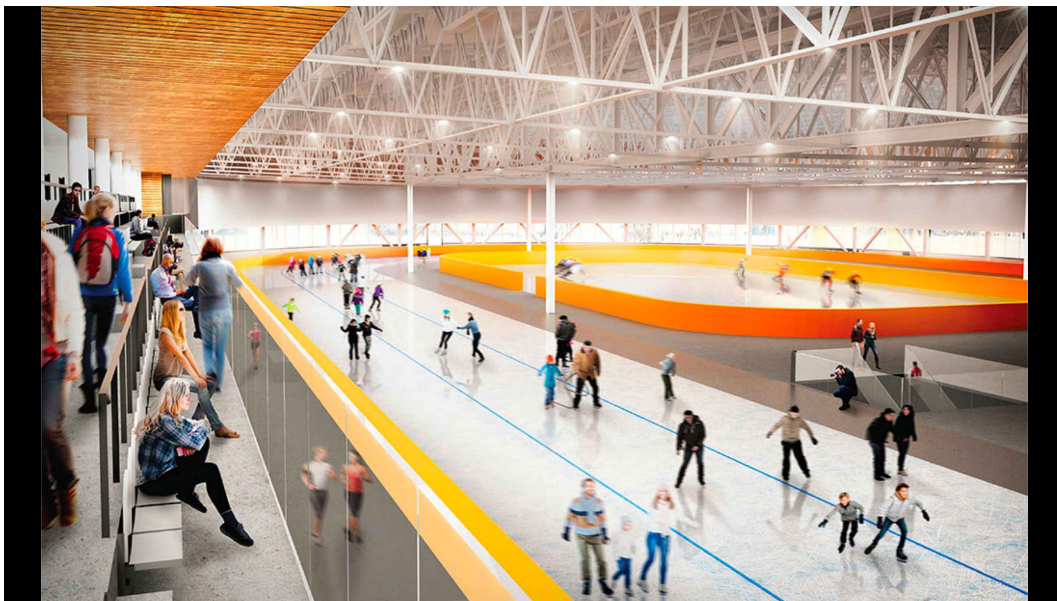


Quebec City Ice Center Main Hall, lower floor

5. Organizing Committee:

- President

- Events Director
- Logistics
- Transportation
- Medical Services and First Aid
- Communications
- Sponsorships
- Speed Skating Canada representative
- Quebec Speed Skating Federation representative
- Quebec Masters Club representative



Quebec City Ice Center, public skating session

Quebec City information:



In Québec City, every mealtime is a pretext to make a culinary discovery. Although the city is often referred to as the gastronomic capital of North America, a number of other labels could as easily be ascribed to it: the capital of sidewalk cafés, the capital of unpretentious good food, the capital of bistros or the capital of wine and cheese. Eating well is part of daily life in Québec City and is one of the region's major attractions.

To say there is an abundance of [restaurants](#) in Québec City is an understatement. If a dining establishment is full or its menu does not appeal to your current mood, all you have to do is go next door. Over a hundred restaurants are located in the heritage site of [Old Québec](#) alone. While French and Québécois cuisine top the list, there is also a wide selection of ethnic restaurants to choose from.



Designated a World Heritage treasure by UNESCO, Old Québec is the only walled city north of Mexico. As the cradle of French civilization in North America, it's a living history lesson with a remarkable mix of architecture, heritage, art, and culture.

<https://www.quebecregion.com/en/old-quebec-winter/?manual-change=1>

Several festivals and celebrations are held during the winter months. The [Québec Winter Carnival](#) is one of the world's largest winter carnivals, featuring two night parades hosted by the jovial Carnival spokesman, Bonhomme Carnaval; a canoe race over the icy St. Lawrence River; an ice castle in Old Québec; snow and ice sculptures; dogsled races; and a multitude of games and activities for the whole family. The Québec Winter Carnival embodies the magic and spirit of winter in the Greater Québec City area.



Welcome to Quebec City !

