

TITLE APPLICATION

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The following federation, United States of America, hereby applies for the title of:

Grandmaster (minimum level 2500)

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International Master (2400)

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Woman Grandmaster (2300)

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Woman International Master (2200)

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To be awarded to:

Family Name: GHAZARIAN	First Name: KIRK
FIDE ID Number: 30908604	FED: United States of America
Date Necessary Rating Gained: 2479	Level of Highest Rating: June 1, 2023

Titles can be awarded conditional on reaching the required rating at a later date (see Title Regulations 1.50c for the procedure to be followed in this case).

Herewith certificates (IT1s) and cross-tables for the following norms:

1. Name of Event: XXI Rochefort Chess Open A (Event Code: 302249)		Location: Rochefort, France
Dates: February 11-17, 2023		Tournament System: Swiss
Average Rating of Opponents: 2416	Total Number of Games Played: 9 ** Article 1.4.1.c, special remark on norm + special comment on this title application	
Points Required: 6.0	Points Scored: 6.0	
Number of Games to be Counted: (if not all)		
(After Dropping Games) Points Required:		Points Scored:
Number from Host Federation: 3	Number not from Own Federation: 8	
Number of Opponents: Total Titled <u>8</u> GMs <u>3</u> IMs <u>2</u> FMs <u>3</u> WGMs <u>0</u> WIMs <u>0</u> WFMs <u>0</u> Rated <u>8</u> Unrated <u>0</u>		
2. Name of Event: XVI CAMPEONATO CONTINENTAL ABSOLUTO DE AJEDREZ DE LAS AMERICAS 2023 (Event Code 318155)		Location: Juan Dolio, Republica Dominicana
Dates: May 15-23, 2023		Tournament System: Swiss
Average Rating of Opponents: 2440	Total Number of Games Played: 11	
Points Required: 8.0	Points Scored: 8.0	
Number of Games to be Counted: (if not all)		
(After Dropping Games) Points Required:		Points Scored:
Number from Host Federation: 1	Number not from Own Federation: 10	
Number of Opponents: Total Titled <u>9</u> GMs <u>6</u> IMs <u>3</u> FMs <u>0</u> WGMs <u>0</u> WIMs <u>0</u> WFMs <u>0</u> Rated <u>11</u> Unrated <u>0</u>		
3. Name of Event: 1000GM 2024 NY GM A Invitational (Event Code: 352363)		Location: New York, NY, USA
Dates: January 11-15, 2024		Tournament System: Round Robin
Average Rating of Opponents: 2448	Total Number of Games Played: 9	
Points Required: 6.5	Points Scored: 6.5	
Number of Games to be Counted: (if not all)		
(After Dropping Games) Points Required:		Points Scored:
Number from Host Federation: 5	Number not from Own Federation: 4	
Number of Opponents: Total Titled <u>9</u> GMs <u>3</u> IMs <u>5</u> FMs <u>1</u> WGMs <u>0</u> WIMs <u>0</u> WFMs <u>0</u> Rated <u>9</u> Unrated <u>0</u>		

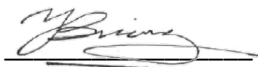
Attach another form IT2 if there are more supporting norms.

Total Number of Games: 29 (minimum 27) Special Comments: This is a conditional GM Title application as the applicant has not achieved the necessary 2500 rating at the time of this GM Title Application submission. For the first norm, Article 1.4.1.c is to be used as the player had a forfeit win in Round 1 of a 9 round tournament. Therefore, the total number of "games" was $9 + 11 + 9$ for 29 games games, even though only 28 games were played.

Name of Federation Official: IA Brian Yang

Date: February 23, 2024

Signature:



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