

Proposal for

68TH WORLD CONGRESS OF CHESS COMPOSITION

Benidorm – Spain

August 1–8, 2026

The **Club de Ajedrez Dama Negra**, with the technical support of the *Spanish Society of Chess Problemists* (SEPA), would like to propose hosting the 68th World Congress of Chess Composition (WCCC) and the 49th World Chess Solving Championship (WCSC).

WCSC 2026 will be part of the WFCC Fujairah Grand Prix, featuring a prize fund of €12,000.

LOCATION: Set on Spain's stunning Mediterranean coast, Benidorm offers the perfect blend of inspiring surroundings, vibrant culture, and endless sunshine. Enjoy pristine beaches, lively nightlife, and world-class dining as you connect and unwind in this unforgettable destination.

TRANSPORTATION: Benidorm is easily accessible from Alicante-Elche Airport, just a 45-minute drive away, with regular shuttle and taxi services available. Alicante-Elche Airport offers direct flights to major European hubs such as Madrid, Barcelona, London, Paris, and Frankfurt. Well-connected by high-speed trains and buses, Benidorm offers smooth links to major Spanish cities and beyond, making your journey simple and convenient.

VENUE: Gran Hotel Bali (www.granhotelbali.com/en/)

Experience the conference in style at the iconic 4-star Gran Hotel Bali, Europe's tallest hotel offering spectacular panoramic views of Benidorm and the Mediterranean Sea. Located just steps from the beach, this modern hotel combines luxury, comfort, and world-class amenities. There are spacious meeting rooms, a great solving hall, exquisite dining, and a relaxing pool area, among other amenities.

ACCOMODATION: Gran Hotel Bali*

Double Room:	€125 per person/night with breakfast
	€140 per person/night with half board
	€154 per person/night with full board
Single Room:	€144 per night with breakfast



* Please note: These prices are tentative, as the hotel cannot confirm them so far in advance. However, significant changes are not expected.

The registration fee is €100 for active participants and €50 for accompanying persons, including the final banquet.

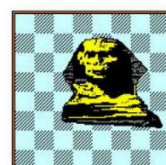
Arrangements for airport transfers, excursions, and alternative hotels near the venue at special rates are currently being negotiated. Details will be provided before a final decision is made.

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