

69th World Congress of Chess Composition (WCCC) 50th World Chess Solving Championship (WCSC)

BID OF GREECE

Organizer: Composition Committee of Greek Chess Federation

Key people: Harry Fougiaxis, Nikos Kalesis

Location: Heraklion-Hersonissos on the island of Crete

Hotel: Royal and Imperial Belvedere Resort (****), <https://www.belvederereresort.com/en/>

Dates: 23 to 30 October 2027

Standing on a hill overlooking Hersonissos, Royal & Imperial Belvedere Resort is set within a Cretan garden with lemon, olive and palm trees. It offers seven swimming pools and three tennis courts. The bright and airy rooms are air-conditioned and have a 21-inch satellite TV, safe and a mini fridge. They all have balconies with views across the Aegean Sea and the contrasting hillside. The two buffet restaurants offer a great choice of international dishes. Snacks and light meals are served at the two bars. The Belvedere Resort also features a gym with sauna and indoor pool. There are two children's pools with water slides.

Heraklion Airport (IATA code: HER) is 25km away.

Included:

- Full board: breakfast, lunch and dinner daily
- Soft drink/ beer or wine/ water during meals in the restaurant
- Transport from and to Heraklion Airport on 23 and 30 October
- All registration and participation fees
- All taxes (including Municipality and Tourism tax)
- Free wi-fi, use of hotel swimming pools, fitness center and hotel parking
- Excursion on the free day
- Closing banquet on Friday 29 October

Prices (per person / per day):

- Single occupancy room: 130 €
- Double occupancy room: 100 €
- Triple occupancy room: 85 €
- Quadruple occupancy room: 70 €

Participation and registration fee for those not staying in the official hotel or not booking via the organizers: 200 €