



Associazione Italiana Master Scherma



## REPORT FOR THE 2023 EVF CONGRESS

The National Veterans Circuit is made up of 5 events organized by a local committee with the support of AMIS; in addition to the 5 competitions, the Italian Veterans Championships are directly organized by the Italian Fencing Federation. In each competition all weapons and age category, men and women, are present. The National Veterans Circuit as well as the Veterans Italian Championships include also the 0 Age Category (24-39 years old) that gives the possibility to the fencers older than 24 years and with no ambition in the Senior competitions, to compete with fencers of the same ability level. The Italian Championships include also a club team competition for each weapon and gender and 2 team competitions for different aggregate ages. An additional trophy, the Coppa Italia, is awarded each year for every weapon, gender and Age Category, to the fencers associated to AMIS who have obtained the maximum amount of points after the 5 competitions of the National Circuit.

The total participation in the 2022-23 season was equal to 1904 (1447 from category 1 to category 4) fencers, with a 19% increase in comparison with the 2012-22 season, reaching the pre-Covid levels.

The current season was also attended by foreign fencers from different European countries, and an EVF Circuit foil and sabre event has been organized in Terni.

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