

Looking forward to Indoor Permit meetings and Race Walking Challenge

With the **2014/15 IAAF Cross Country Permit** series in full swing leading up to the **IAAF World Cross Country Championships, Guiyang 2015** on 28 March and the outdoor track and field action already underway in the southern hemisphere, we now start to look forward to the **2015 IAAF Indoor Permit** meetings.

The series is made up of five meetings in USA and Europe, the first of which take place across the weekend of 31 January / 1 February respectively in Karlsruhe, Germany and Moscow, Russia.

Towards the end of the month another annual series, the **IAAF Race Walking Challenge**, begins with the Oceania Race Walk Championships in Adelaide, Australia on 22 February. The 11-meeting series, which covers the six continental areas, concludes in August at the **IAAF World Championships, BEIJING 2015**.

IAAF HQ HEADLINE NEWS



ATHLETICS TIMETABLE FOR RIO 2016 OLYMPICS PUBLISHED

Following the recent news that the Rio 2016 Olympic Games will feature finals during the morning sessions of the athletics programme, the IAAF has published the full timetable.

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Photo: Rio Olympic Stadium, venue of the athletics for the 2016 Games

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2014 IAAF World Junior Championships awarded Gold Level Certification

The 2014 IAAF World Junior Championships has been deservedly awarded Gold Level Certification by the Council for Responsible Sport (CRS). [READ MORE](#)



All set for IAAF World Cross Country Championships, Guiyang 2015

The countdown started in earnest to the IAAF World Cross Country Championships, Guiyang 2015 as 18 January marked just 100 days to go until China stages the world's premier cross-country competition for the first time. [READ MORE](#)



Roberto Gesta de Melo re-elected president of CONSUDATLE

The 13 members of the Congress of CONSUDATLE met on 17 January at the Tropical Hotel in Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil and unanimously re-elected the Brazilian Roberto Gesta de Melo to continue leading South American athletics through 2019. [READ MORE](#)



2nd Official Bulletin – IAAF World Championships, Beijing 2015

The Local Organising Committee of the IAAF World Championships, Beijing 2015 have published the 2nd Official Bulletin about next year's championships. [READ MORE](#)

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NEW MEMBER FEDERATION OFFICERS – RECENT ELECTIONS / APPOINTMENTS

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OBITUARIES

- **Leading athletics journalist Gustav Schwenk**
- **Founder member of Botswana Athletics Association Mmopati S Merafe**
- **Former president of Congolese Athletics Federation Colonel Mouassiposso Mackonguy**

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