

## **The Webinar for the Female Match Officials in European Table Tennis**

Webinar topic: **"Empowering Women in Umpiring: Breaking Barriers and Finding Balance"**

**Date and time: 8 June, 2025; 19.00 (Vienna time)**

This webinar is intended for all women who have wondered what it's like to be a table tennis umpire. What are the potential ways to progress, and, most importantly, how to balance private life and the travel commitments that come with umpiring in tournaments.

Hear the real stories of women who are currently at different stages of life. There are those who are just starting as an international umpire and also those who have been there for many years. They have umpired at the Olympics, and mentor young umpires who are just entering the world of umpiring.

**Exclusive: For the first time, a webinar will be attended only by women.**

Considering that only women attend and host the webinar, you can ask questions without hesitation. Regardless of how uncomfortable they are, as we women speak the same language and understand each other best.

As our speakers are at different stages of life, some of them must have encountered similar problems that you are currently facing. You will have the opportunity to get a first-hand answer and advice.

### **Key highlights of our theme:**

- **Balanced Focus:** The webinar combines empowerment and inspiration for women to break barriers in umpiring, while also offering practical advice on how to balance their umpiring commitments with family, career, and personal life.
- **Interactive & Real:** Including real-life stories from successful women to create a connection with others, making the session more relatable and actionable.
- **Empowering & Motivating:** The goal is to inspire and motivate women to pursue umpiring and assure them that they can achieve this while managing their other life responsibilities.

You can register for the webinar through this link: <https://forms.gle/cwMKn42sohNZcTZC8>

You will receive the access link a few days before the event.