

Good Governance

Provide leadership in diversity and good governance practices

Ensure IGF Constitution is in accordance with the principles of the Olympic Charter

Provide leadership in good governance practices

Provide leadership in anti-doping practices and processes

Ensure a comprehensive anti-betting and anti-results fixing programme is in place.

Approach to Delivery

We will continue with the collaborative delivery model of staffing and resourcing the IGF using a matrix structure that consists of a small core team in Switzerland and to utilise and benefit from the expertise and resources of our membership and seven "Delivery Partners" (R&A, USGA, PGA Tour, European Tour, PGA of America, LPGA, Masters Tournament) to fulfil our obligations as an International Federation and deliver the 2017-2020 Strategic Plan

Strategic Imperatives



We remain committed to five strategic imperatives which guide all of our work and are critical to achieve our vision



The International Golf Federation (IGF) was founded in 1958 and is recognised by the International Olympic Committee (IOC) and International Paralympic Committee (IPC) as the international federation for golf. The headquarters of the IGF is located by the shores of Lake Geneva in Lausanne, Switzerland.

INTERNATIONAL GOLF FEDERATION

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Strategic Plan 2017 - 2020 Snapshot





Our Mission

- Promote golf as an Olympic and Paralympic Sport
- Encourage the international development of golf
- Administer the statutes, practice and activities of golf as the recognised International Federation within the Olympic and Paralympic Movement
- Organise the golf competitions at the Olympic Games, Youth Olympic Games and the World Amateur Team Championship

Our Values

Integrity

We are truthful and honest in all of our dealings.

Respect

We are respectful of diverse opinions and value our stakeholders equally.

Excellence

We deliver our services and activities at the highest possible standards.

Solidarity

We are united in our philosophy, objectives and approach

Our Vision

To ignite global excitement about golf and to grow the game.

Golf For All

Enable access and grow participation by reducing the barriers, and increasing the opportunities to play golf through innovative educational and developmental programmes

Increase participation in golf and inspire the next generations of golfers.

Establish high-quality golf coach education and development

Commitment to gender diversity reflected by greater representation of women at all levels

Provide further inclusion and opportunities for people with disabilities to participate in the sport

Golf's inclusion in the 2024 Paralympic Games programme

Engage & Excite

Creatively engage and excite the world about golf and its values

Grow golf's worldwide fan base

Target youth, optimize Social Media platforms and develop strong presence on New Media

Broaden golf's appeal to grow worldwide reach and participation in golf.

Strengthen position in the Olympic movement

A Great Games

Deliver a great Olympic event and a memorable experience for the athletes, fans and golfing fraternity cementing golf's place within the Olympic programme

Golf confirmed on 2024 Olympic Games programme

Organise a successful 2018 Youth Olympic Games

Organise a successful and memorable experience at Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games

WATC will be the benchmark for elite amateur golf events

Sustainable & Responsible

Promote sustainable and environmentally responsible practices within the golfing industry.

Sustainability policy, practices and procedures acknowledged as a role model

Membership are sustainable and provided support to perform and grow

Attract increased funding, investment and resources from government and NOCs for membership.

Generate IGF corporate partnerships that provide long term financial strength without conflicting with membership