



To the
President of the International Young Physicists' Tournament



We, the organization stated below, hereby file an

Application for Recognition as an IYPT Member Organization (IMO)

in accordance with Article 7, Section 1 of the Statutes of the International Young Physicists' Tournament (IYPT).

Name of Organization:	China
Legal Type of Organization: (e.g. school, university, association (NGO), ...)	Nankai University
Registration details: (if applicable)	
Full Address: (including country)	94 Weijin Road, Tianjin 300071, P.R.China
Email Address:	jingchen@nankai.edu.cn
Website: (if applicable)	http://nkpt.nankai.edu.cn

To comply with the regulation that applications for IMO status can only be made by someone who has participated in the IYPT before (either as an observer, team member, team leader, or juror), this application is supported by the following person who meets this criterion:

Name:	Jing Chen
Email Address:	jingchen@nankai.edu.cn
Last participated IYPT in year:	2016
Last participated IYPT as: (observer, team member, team leader, or juror)	Team Leader Juror

We declare that we will respect and comply with the Statutes and the Regulations of IYPT. In particular, we agree to implement an IYPT qualification procedure, which shall be open to all students/teams from the country we represent. This qualification procedure shall be organized as a non-profit event. We annex a brief description of the selection procedure performed in our country.

In case our application is accepted, we nominate the following person to represent us in the International Organizing Committee (IOC), until further notice. Changes in our IOC representative will be announced (in due time) to the President of IYPT in writing.

Name:	ChuanYong Li
Email Address:	lcymar@163.com

We give explicit consent to publish the contact details of our organization and our designated IOC representative on the IYPT website.

Date and Place: 15th April, 2017. Tianjin, China

Name and Position (e.g. President, Secretary General, ...) of the person authorized to sign this application on behalf of the organization:

Jing Chen

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Signature of authorized person on behalf of organization:



Signature of person who participated IYPT before:



Signature of designated IOC representative:



Annex: Brief description of the selection procedure

Selection Procedure of Team China

Team China members of IYPT are selected from China Young Physicists' Tournament (CYPT) participants. CYPT is an IYPT-based national physical competition among high school students in China. CYPT uses the 17 IYPT problems, and the process is similar to IYPT. The official language is Chinese.

Every year in October, we invited school based teams from high schools all over the country to CYPT, which is held in February next year. So far, there are about 100 schools to be involved. During the tournament, the students' research ability, team working and discussion skills are investigated. They are also interviewed in English to examine their English presentation. Then 10 outstanding students as the Training Team members of China are selected. The 10 members are divided into 2 groups, each group containing 5 students, to do the further research of the problems. Team work and teacher guidance are given via the internet for the students from different regions.

The physics tournament based on the IYPT in school of physics, Nankai University, called NKPT, is held annually in May. The IYPT China training team is required to attend NKPT in order to get further development. After NKPT, another interview is carried out to test the students' ability more particularly. According to their performances and student vote, 5 members of team China are selected.