



SSF Data protection policy

1 DATA PROTECTION POLICY

1.1 ABOUT THIS DATA PROTECTION POLICY

This policy describes how the Swedish Chess Federation processes your personal data and what rights you have. The policy is addressed to anyone who shares personal data with us in connection with support contact, member registration, competition contexts, job applications, sponsor requests, or via our website.

1.2 WHAT IS PERSONAL DATA?

Personal data is information about an identified or identifiable natural person. An identifiable natural person is one who can be identified, directly or indirectly, by a name, address, telephone number, email address, personal identity number, job title, location data, images, and IP addresses. In other words, personal data is any information that can be directly or indirectly linked to a living natural person.

1.3 DATA CONTROLLER

The Swedish Chess Federation, organization number 802002-9347, Kungsgatan 23, 753 32 Uppsala, is the data controller for the processing of personal data, which means that we are responsible for how your personal data is collected, used, and otherwise processed. If you have any questions about this data protection policy or how we work with privacy, please contact us at dataskydd@schack.se.

1.4 PUBLISHING CERTIFICATE

The Swedish Chess Federation has a publishing certificate, which means that the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) rules on personal data processing do not apply to the extent that it would infringe on the constitutionally protected right to freedom of expression.

2 PROCESSING OF PERSONAL DATA AND WHY IT IS PROCESSED

2.1 When you register as a member or contact person for a chess club

The following personal data is processed: We process your name, email address, date of birth, address, legal gender, citizenship, and in some cases also FIDE ID and school if it concerns a school chess club.

Purpose: When you are a member of a chess club, we need your personal data to be able to identify you and verify your membership, preserve competition results and membership history, and apply for grants from MUCF (for children or young people between 6-25 years old who are members of an eligible club, we receive grants from our funding authority



MUCF). The personal data we request from members of eligible clubs is the data we need to report to MUCF to verify the identity of the members.

Legal basis: We base the processing of personal data for the purposes described above on the legal basis of legitimate interest. The processing is necessary for our legitimate interest in being able to obtain grants and thereby finance our operations.

How long your personal data is stored: Personal data is stored for as long as is necessary to achieve the purpose of the processing and to comply with regulatory requirements.

2.2 When you communicate with us for questions via email, phone, or forms on the website

The following personal data is processed: When you are in contact with us for questions via email or phone, we may need personal data such as name, email address, phone number, city, and workplace if it concerns questions regarding a school chess club.

Purpose: We process your personal data to be able to answer your question or handle your feedback or application.

Legal basis: We base the processing of personal data for the purposes described above on the legal basis of legitimate interest. The processing is necessary for our legitimate interest in being able to answer your question or handle your feedback or application.

How long your personal data is stored: Personal data is stored for as long as is necessary to achieve the purpose of the processing.

2.3 When you participate in a competition

The following personal data is processed: We process your name, email, club affiliation, FIDE ID, and competition results. We also process any dietary information (allergies, preferences, etc.) that is shared with us before a competition.

Purpose: We process your personal data to be able to link your registration/participation to your SSF membership. Competition results are saved for historical interest, both for the individual and the Swedish Chess Federation. Dietary information is saved to avoid health-related incidents, such as allergic reactions.

Legal basis: We base the processing of personal data for the purposes described above on the legal basis of legitimate interest. The processing is necessary for our legitimate interest in being able to identify those who participate in our competitions, follow the development of competition results, and avoid health-related incidents.

How long your personal data is stored: Personal data is stored for as long as is necessary to achieve the purpose of the processing.

2.4 When pictures are taken of you in a chess context



The following personal data is processed: We may process names and images taken in a chess context.

Purpose: We process images for the purpose that they have future historical value, and that they can be published in connection with news reporting or marketing.

Legal basis: The SSF has a publishing certificate, which means that we may publish names and images taken in a chess context on our platforms. This is an exception from the rules on personal data processing with the aim of upholding the right to freedom of expression. If an image of you has been published that you want removed, you can email us at dataskydd@schack.se.

How long your personal data is stored: Personal data is stored for as long as is necessary to achieve the purpose of the processing.

2.5 When we inform you about our activities via email

The following personal data is processed: We process your name and email address.

Purpose: We process your personal data for the purpose of providing information about, for example, competitions or email reminders to school club administrators regarding the submission of documents.

Legal basis: We base the processing of personal data for the purposes described above on the legal basis of legitimate interest.

How long your personal data is stored: Personal data is stored for as long as is necessary to achieve the purpose of the processing. If you contact us, you have the right to be removed from our email lists for automatic email reminders at any time.

2.6 To comply with a legal obligation or exercise, establish, or defend our rights

In addition to what is described above, in some cases, we process your personal data when we are required by law, e.g. due to our accounting obligation or at the request of an authority. The legal basis for the processing is then that the processing is necessary for the fulfillment of a legal obligation. We then store the data for as long as we are obligated to store it.

We may also process your personal data to establish, assert, or defend our legal claims. The legal basis in these cases is our legitimate interest in establishing, asserting, or defending our legal claims. In these cases, we store the data for as long as is necessary to achieve the purpose of the processing.

3 General processing of your personal data

3.1 From what sources do we collect your personal data?



We process personal data that you provide to us and personal data collected from public records.

3.2 Parties with whom we may share your personal data

In addition to the Swedish Chess Federation's office handling your personal data, it may be shared with auditors, authorities, district administrators, club administrators, system developers, and other recipients as required by law, regulations, or decisions by public authorities.

Personal data may also be shared with IT providers that process personal data on our behalf (data processors). We enter into data processing agreements with such providers to ensure that your personal data is processed in a secure and lawful manner.

3.3 Transfer of personal data to third countries

We may transfer your personal data to third countries, i.e. countries outside the EU/EEA, but only to countries where the European Commission has determined that the country ensures an adequate level of protection for personal data equivalent to that provided within the EU/EEA. This may occur, for example, where personal data is stored on servers located in a third country.

Where personal data is transferred to a third country, we ensure that appropriate safeguards are in place in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), for example through the European Commission's standard contractual clauses or other approved transfer mechanisms.

4 CONTACT INFORMATION AND YOUR RIGHTS

4.1 Disclosure of information

The Federation shall not disclose personal data to external parties other than as necessary for the implementation of competitions, rule and disciplinary matters, and grant applications, or as otherwise described in this policy. If personal data is to be disclosed for other reasons, this will be communicated to members (or guardians of minors) in an appropriate manner.

4.2 Your rights

You have the right to request information from us about the use of personal data relating to you. You should be able to contact your club or the SSF office if you want to log in to the membership register to see what information is stored and correct incorrect basic data.

You also have the right to have your personal data erased (if the request is not made within the period for which we have applied for a grant and an audit is taking place, in such cases we will erase the data afterwards) and to request restriction of the processing.



The publication of images and text shall be done in such a way that it is not perceived as offensive within the meaning of the law. If any material is perceived as offensive or for any other reason should not be published, the person concerned can request the removal of published material to the Swedish Chess Federation, which will then make a balancing of interests.

4.3 Record of processing activities

[Here](#) you will find the Swedish Chess Federation's record of processing activities.

4.4 Contact the Swedish Chess Federation

You are welcome to ask questions regarding this data protection policy. The Data Protection Officer at the SSF is Niklas Sidmar and can be contacted using the information below:

Email: dataskydd@schack.se

Postal address: Kungsgatan 23, 75332 Uppsala, Sweden

Telephone number: 018-36 46 00

4.5 Complaints

In the event that you believe that our processing of your personal data is in violation of data protection legislation, we ask you to first contact us using the information in section 4.4 above. However, you always have the option of lodging a complaint with the supervisory authority (the Swedish Data Protection Authority or your local data protection authority) if you believe that your personal data is being processed by us in violation of data protection legislation.

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