

Gwen Torrence (USA), Romas Ubertas (LTU), Ellen Van Langen (NED), all in track and field, the fencer Giovanna Trillini (ITA), Dmitrie Popescu (ROM) in rowing and swimmers Matt Biondi (USA), Li Lin, Hong Qian, Wenyi Yang and diver Min Gao (CHN). 1993 is a FISU year: Zakopane (POL) will be hosting the Winter Universiads and Buffalo (USA) the summer event.

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INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC ACADEMY

At its meeting in Acapulco, the ANOC paid tribute to the work of the academy and, in particular, its President Mr Nikos Filaretos, IOC member in Greece, to whom it awarded its Order of Merit for outstanding services rendered to the NOCs and Olympic education throughout the world. This meeting of the Olympic family provided an opportunity to publish part of the Academy's programme for next summer.

The 33rd International Session of the IOA will take place in Olympia from 8th to 22nd

July. It will address different ideas of Olympism in the world's major cultural areas. This Session, open to trainees selected by the NOCs, will be preceded from 3rd to 7th July by a symposium for IOC lecturers which will focus on a comparative study of the treatment of the Games in Barcelona by the media in twenty-five countries. Finally, from 24th to 31st July, heads of higher institutes of physical education are invited to express their views on the theme "Olympism, fair play and the training of young people in the school and university environment".

The season will start in May with events including a FINA seminar from 16th to 21st addressed to national swimming federation leaders and another from 25th May to 1st June organized by the International Weightlifting Federation.

In June, the Panhellenic Association of the Sporting Press will be holding its assembly from 2nd to 6th. It will be followed by the 7th international seminar for sports journalists from 8th to 13th and the world handball coaches' symposium from 14th to 25th. The programme of symposia will resume in August with a meeting of table-tennis coaches from 2nd to 8th and the session of the Maltese Olympic Academy from 7th to 14th. In September, the Olympic Academy of Cyprus will be holding a meeting at Olympia from 1st to 5th, followed by another FINA seminar from 6th to 11th and a meeting of international referees of the European Volleyball Confederation from 12th to 14th. The German Olympic Association (DOG) has booked the week from 15th to 20th September, to be followed from 20th to 26th by the Swedish Olympic Academy.

IOA PROGRAMME FOR 1993