

Welcome to

# JEEC 2014

**Austria**

6.-11.4.2014

Ballpark  
Attnang-  
Puchheim

**Jim  
Evans  
European  
Classic**



## JEEC 2014 INVITATION LETTER

**To All CEB Member Federations: Please Forward to Your Umpires**



Dear Umpire:

It is my great pleasure to announce that Austria will be hosting the 4th annual Jim Evans Umpire Classic. From Sunday, April 6, 2014 until Friday, April 11, 2014 Jim Evans will be conducting his umpire clinic at the facilities of the Attnang-Puchheim Athletics.

All the information you need to know about the cost, travel, and accommodations can be found on the special website which has been set-up by the ABUA-A at <http://jeec2014.umpire.at>. You may also enroll directly on line and by completing the application, you will be guaranteed a spot in the clinic.

We would hope as many umpires as possible could take part in this tremendous learning experience from one of the best umpire instructors in the business and former MLB umpire Jim Evans.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the ABUA-A secretary Sascha Pammesberger at [clinics@umpire.at](mailto:clinics@umpire.at).

We are very happy to be hosting this years Jim Evans Umpire Classic and hope to see you all there!!

Best Wishes,

**Dana Joseph Beszczyński, Chairman ABUA-A**



Dear Fellow Umpire:

Thank you for your interest in the Academy training program. Our training is reaching students worldwide as we take amateur umpiring to new levels. Everyone, regardless of age, gender, or personal goals, receives the same personal attention and quality instruction. No one leaves the JEEC as a loser.

As a professional educator and veteran Major League umpire, I feel that I have an inherent obligation to make you aware of the professional system and how you, as a student, might fit into it. I personally take responsibility for your training. Your training starts in the classroom where you will experience daily lectures on the rules, responsibilities, and mechanics you will need to implement on the field. All the knowledge you will be evaluated on will be presented during your classroom and field training. Each subject is introduced in lecture, demonstrated on-the-field, drilled, and then integrated into game situations.

In addition to my personal commitment, you will be working daily with the former senior field supervisor of PBUC, Dick Nelson. Dick has taught or supervised over 70% of the umpires working in the Major Leagues today.

I think that you are going to discover that our training program exceeds all expectations. I encourage you to compare us to any other program in the world today. My goal is to help you maximize your potential...to equip you with the skills and knowledge you need to succeed at the highest amateur level possible. Our graduates are proving that the comprehensive, innovative training that the Academy offers really does make a difference. I would like the opportunity to help make a difference in YOUR umpiring future. Please get in touch if you have questions.

Sincerely,

**Jim Evans, Chief Instructor JEEC 2014**