

Tokyo 2020 Qualification System, Seeding List Principles

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Addition of 2.5.b – After completion of qualification events and fulfilment of the total athlete quota

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1. Reference and purpose

The Seeding List principles is an appendix to the IFSC Rules (Combined), Tokyo supplement and the Qualification System for Tokyo Olympic Games 2020. In case of difference between this document and the Qualification System, the Qualification System takes precedence.

It intends to define how the seeding list is created from the place the 20 qualified athletes obtained in the event and selection process of the Qualification Systems.

2. Seeding position from rankings

The order of precedence amongst the event is the hierarchical of the event in the relevant Qualification System.

1. Athletes qualified at the World Championships (WCH).
 - a. This event takes precedence over the other qualifying event.
 - b. Consequently, the seeding position of the athletes selected at this event shall be at the top of the List.
 - c. The seeding position of the athletes is relative to each other.

Example:

<i>Ranking at the WCH</i>	<i>Seeding Position</i>
1	1
5	2
6	3
...	...

2. Athletes qualified at the Combined Qualifier Event (CQE).
 - a. The athletes seeding position will be after the position of the athletes. qualified from the WCH.
 - b. The seeding position of the athletes is relative to each other.

Example:

<i>Ranking at the WCH</i>	<i>CQE ranking</i>	<i>Seeding Position</i>
1		1
5		2
6		3
...		...
	1	8
	4	9
	8	10

3. Athletes qualified at the Continental Championships (CCH).
 - a. The athletes seeding position will be after the position of the athletes qualified from the WCH, and the CQE.
 - b. The athletes seeding position within the group of qualified from the CCH will be determined by their ranking at the WCH, the better ranked at these events the higher in the seeding list, whatever their result is at their respective CCH.
 - c. In case some athletes don't have a ranking at the WCH, the ranking of the best athlete of the relevant Continental Council will be considered to define which should have the best seeding position. In such case, the concerned athlete(s) seeding position will be after the athlete(s) having a ranking at the WCH.
 - d. In case two or more Continental Council did not participate to the WCH the step b. and c. shall be repeated using the Overall World Cup Ranking.

Example:

<i>Ranking at the WCH</i>	<i>CQE ranking</i>	<i>Ranking of the best CC athlete at the WCH</i>	<i>Ranking at the CCH</i>	<i>Seeding Position</i>
1				1
5				2
6				3
...				...
	1			8
	4			9
	8			10

12			4	14
18			1	15
No Ranking		7	4	16
No ranking		9	2	17
No ranking		No Ranking	1	18

4. Athletes qualified through the Host Country Quota (HCQ) or Tripartite Commission invitation (TP).
 - a. The athletes seeding position will be after the position of the athletes qualified from the WCH, the CQE and the CCH.
 - b. The athletes seeding position of the athlete qualified through the Host Country Quota will be before the athletes qualified through the Tripartite Commission invitation.

Example:

<i>Ranking at the WCH</i>	<i>CQE ranking</i>	<i>Ranking of the best CC athlete at the WCH</i>	<i>Ranking at the CCH</i>	<i>HCQ</i>	<i>TP</i>	<i>Seeding Position</i>
1						1
5						2
6						...
...						8
	1					9
	4					10
	8					...
	...					14
12			4			14
18			1			15
No Ranking		7	4			16
No ranking		9	2			17
No ranking		No Ranking	1			18
				1		19
					1	20

5. Seeding of re-allocated places.

- a. Reallocation of Host country places, Tripartite place and Continental Council Championships place shall be done in the WCH quota, in such case these places shall be considered as WCH places.
- b. Reallocation of any unused quota places after having completed all qualification events and subsequently fulfilment of the total athlete quota: In such case the athletes seeding position will be after the position of all athletes already qualified, following the seeding principles of respective events mentioned above.

Example:

<i>Ranking at the WCH</i>	<i>CQE ranking</i>	<i>Ranking of the best CC athlete at the WCH</i>	<i>Ranking at the CCH</i>	<i>HCQ</i>	<i>TP</i>	<i>Seeding Position</i>
1						1
5						2
6						3
7						7
8						8 (i.e. HCQ place)
9						9 (i.e. CCH place)
	1					10
	4					11
	8					12

12			4			14
18			1			15
No Ranking		7	4			16
No ranking		9	2			17
No ranking		No Ranking	1			18
						19 (i.e. late reallocation from WCH)
						20 (i.e. late reallocation from CQE)