



UNION INTERNATIONALE DE PENTATHLON MODERNE

Modern Pentathlon

A. EVENTS (2)

Men's Event (1)	Women's Event (1)
Individual Competition	Individual Competition

B. ATHLETES QUOTA

1. Total Quota for Modern Pentathlon:

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Tripartite Commission Invitation Places	Total
Men	33	1	2	36
Women	33	1	2	36
Total	66	2	4	72

2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota per NOC
Men	2
Women	2
Total	4

3. Type of Allocation of Quota Places:

The quota place is allocated to the athlete by name. NOCs with more than two (2) qualified athletes have the authority to decide which two (2) qualified athletes they will enter.

C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must comply with the provisions of the Olympic Charter currently in force, including but not limited to, Rule 41 (Nationality of Competitors). Only those athletes who have complied with the Olympic Charter may participate in the Olympic Games.



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D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

QUALIFICATION PLACES

The qualification events are listed in hierarchical order of qualification.

MEN / WOMEN

Number of Quota Places per Gender	Qualification Event
1	<p>2015 UIPM World Cup Final One (1) quota place will be allocated to the winner of the UIPM World Cup Final.</p>
20	<p>Continental Championships 20 quota places will be allocated to athletes achieving the following places at the respective Continental Championships to be held during the period 1 January 2015 to 31 December 2015, as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Africa – 1st place • Asia – 5 highest places • Oceania – 1st place • Pan America – 5 places with a maximum of one (1) quota place per NOC, in the following order: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1st place NORCECA - 1st place South America - 3 highest places Pan American • Europe - 8 highest places <p>Should the athlete who has obtained one (1) of the quota places through the Continental Championships have already qualified via the 2015 UIPM World Cup Final, the quota place will be allocated to the next highest ranked athlete at the respective Continental Championship.</p>
3	<p>2015 UIPM World Championships Three (3) quota places will be allocated to the three (3) highest ranked athletes at the 2015 UIPM World Championships unless previously qualified through the 2015 UIPM World Cup Final or Continental Championships in which case the quota place(s) will be allocated to next highest ranked athlete at the 2015 UIPM World Championships.</p>
3	<p>2016 UIPM World Championships Three (3) quota places will be allocated to the three (3) highest ranked athletes at the 2016 UIPM World Championships unless previously qualified in which case the quota place(s) will be allocated to next best ranked athlete(s) on the Pentathlon World Ranking List of 1 June 2016.</p>



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6	<p>Pentathlon World Ranking List of 1 June 2016</p> <p>Six (6) quota places will be allocated via the Pentathlon World Ranking List of 1 June 2016 to the first six (6) athletes not already qualified through the above competitions.</p> <p>If one or more of the six (6) athletes has already qualified at a Continental Championships, the 2015 World Cup Final, the 2015 UIPM World Championships, or the 2016 UIPM World Championships, the athletes ranked 7th and thereafter according to the UIPM Pentathlon World Ranking List (as of 1 June 2016) will be considered qualified by the Pentathlon World Ranking List instead.</p>
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HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The Host Country is guaranteed one (1) quota place per gender, if not otherwise qualified.

TRIPARTITE COMMISSION INVITATION PLACES

Two (2) Tripartite Commission Invitation Places are made available to eligible NOCs at the Rio 2016 Olympic Games in each gender.

The International Olympic Committee will invite all eligible NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation Places (date TBC). The Tripartite Commission will confirm, in writing, the allocation of invitation places to the relevant NOCs after the end of the qualification period for the concerned sport (date TBC).

Detailed information on Tripartite Invitation places is contained in the “*Rio 2016 - Tripartite Commission Invitation Places – Allocation Procedure*”.

E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

Following each qualification event, UIPM will publish the results on its website ([insert direct link to Results on UIPM website](#)). By 1 June 2016, the UIPM will inform the respective NOCs of their allocated quota places. The NOCs will then have two (2) weeks, until 15 June 2016, to confirm if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in paragraph H. **Qualification Timeline**.

F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

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If a quota place allocated is not confirmed by the NOC by the confirmation of quota place deadline or is declined by the NOC, the quota place will be reallocated as follow:

- If the athlete qualified through Continental Championships, the quota place will be reallocated to the next best ranked athlete at the respective Continental Championship not already qualified.
- If the athlete qualified through any qualification method other than the Continental Championships, the quota place will be reallocated to the next best ranked athlete on the Pentathlon World Ranking List of 1 June 2016 not already qualified.



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REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Unused Host Country Place(s) will be reallocated to the next best ranked athlete on the Pentathlon World Ranking List of 1 June 2016 not already qualified.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED TRIPARTITE COMMISSION INVITATION PLACES

If the Tripartite Commission is not able to allocate a Tripartite Commission Invitation Place, it will be reallocated to the next best ranked athlete on the Pentathlon World Ranking List of 1 June 2016 not already qualified.

G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
12-14 June 2015	2015 World Cup Final (Minsk, BLR)
2015 (Date TBC)	African Championships - African Qualifying Competition (Location TBC)
2015 (Date TBC)	Asian Championships - Asian Qualifying Competition (Location TBC)
2015 (Date TBC)	Oceania Championships – Oceania Qualifying Competition (Location TBC)
25-26 July 2015	Pan-American Games – Pan-American Qualifying Competition (Toronto, CAN)
20-23 August 2015	European Championships, European Qualifying Competition (Bath, GBR)
3-9 September 2015	2015 UIPM World Championships (Leipzig, GER)
Insert Tripartite Invitations Application Deadline	Deadline for NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation Places
17-23 May 2016	2016 UIPM World Championships (Moscow, Russia)
1 June 2016	Pentathlon World Ranking List published
1 June 2016	UIPM to inform NOCs/NFs of their allocated quota places
15 June 2016	NOCs to confirm use of allocated quota places to UIPM
30 June 2016	UIPM to confirm the reallocation of any unused quota places
Insert Tripartite Invitations Confirmation Date	The Tripartite Commission to confirm in writing the allocation of Invitation Places to the NOCs
18 July 2016	Rio 2016 Sport Entries deadline