



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM – GAMES OF THE XXXII OLYMPIAD – TOKYO 2020

INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF SPORT CLIMBING (IFSC)

Sport Climbing

A. EVENTS (2)

Men's Events (1)	Women's Events (1)
Combined (Bouldering, Lead & Speed)	Combined (Bouldering, Lead & Speed)

B. ATHLETES QUOTA

1. Total Quota for Sport Climbing:

	Qualification Places	Host Country Places	Tripartite Commission Invitation Places	Total
Men	18	1	1	20
Women	18	1	1	20
Total	36	2	2	40

2. Maximum Number of Athletes per NOC:

	Quota per NOC	Event Specific Quota
Men	2	2 athletes per event
Women	2	2 athletes per event
Total	4	

3. Type of Allocation of Quota Places:

The quota place is allocated to the athlete(s) by name.

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) and Rule 43 (World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of Manipulation of Competitions). Only those athletes who comply with the Olympic Charter may participate in the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

Additional IF Eligibility Criteria:

To be eligible to participate in the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020, all athletes, including those receiving Tripartite Commission Invitation Places and Host Country Places, must:

- Hold a valid International license issued by the IFSC for the Olympic Games year at the date of the final entries deadline (5 July 2021);



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- Not have been banned from participating in any IFSC competition for whatever reason during the Olympic Games year;
- Have participated at least in one (1) of the events mentioned in section D “Qualification Pathway” of this document.

D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

QUALIFICATION PLACES

The qualification events are listed in hierarchical order of qualification.

MEN & WOMEN

Number of Quota Places	Qualification Event
7	<p><u>D.1. IFSC Combined World Championships (WCH) 18-21 August 2019, Hachioji - Tokyo, (JPN)</u></p> <p>The seven (7) highest placed athletes per gender at the World Championships will be allocated one (1) quota place, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.</p>
6	<p><u>D.2. IFSC Combined Qualifier 2019, 28 November-1 December, Toulouse (FRA)</u></p> <p>The twenty-two (22) highest ranked athletes per gender, not yet qualified through D.1 above, at the Combined World Cup Ranking will be selected for participating in the IFSC Combined Qualifier.</p> <p>Then, the six (6) highest placed athletes per gender at the IFSC Combined Qualifier will be allocated one (1) quota place, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.</p>
5	<p><u>D.3. IFSC Combined Continental Championships (CCH) 2020</u></p> <p>The highest placed athlete at the Continental Championships will obtain one (1) quota place, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC, at each of the following CCH sanctioned by IFSC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Africa, November 2020 (TBC), Cape Town (RSA)• Asia, November (TBC) Location (TBC)• Europe, 1-8 October 2020, Moscow (RUS)• Pan-Am, 25 February - 1 March 2020, Los Angeles (USA)• Oceania, November (TBC), Sydney (AUS) <p>In case the highest placed athlete already obtained a quota place through D.1. or D.2. the quota place will be allocated to the next best ranked athlete, not yet qualified, at the same Continental Championship.</p>



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HOST COUNTRY PLACES

The Host Country is guaranteed one (1) male and one (1) female athlete, on the condition that the athletes meet the eligibility requirements described under section C of this document and that the athletes participate in at least in one (1) of the events mentioned in section D “Qualification Pathway” of this document.

TRIPARTITE COMMISSION INVITATION PLACES

One (1) male and one (1) female Tripartite Commission Invitation Place are made available to eligible NOCs at the Olympic Games Tokyo 2020.

The selected athletes shall meet the required technical level and the eligibility criteria defined under section C of this document. In addition to that, the athletes must participate in the IFSC Combined World Championships.

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 “Tokyo 2020 - Tripartite Commission Invitation Places – Allocation Procedure”.

E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS FOR QUOTA PLACES

The IFSC will publish the results of the:

- Combined World Championships within 2 days after the last day of the event on its website at [link](#).
- IFSC Combined Qualifier within 2 days after the last day of the event on its website at [link](#).
- Combined Continental Championships within 2 days after the last day of the event on its website at [link](#).

The IFSC will confirm in writing to the NOCs within five (5) days after the last day of each event, or ranking, the quota places they have obtained.

The NOCs will then have two (2) weeks to confirm to the IFSC that they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in section **H. Qualification Timeline**.

F. REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA PLACES

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PATHWAYS D1 AND D2:

If an allocated quota place 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 to the next best-ranked athlete, not yet qualified, at the respective event where the quota place was obtained, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.



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PATHWAY D3:

If an allocated quota place 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 to the next best-ranked athlete, not yet qualified, at the respective event where the quota place was obtained, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.

Unused quota from any Continental Championship, will be reallocated to the next highest placed athlete from the relevant continent, not yet qualified, in the Combined World Championships 2019, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.

If there are no eligible athletes from the relevant continent at the Combined World Championships 2019, the unused quota will be reallocated to the next highest placed athlete irrespective of continent, not yet qualified, in the Combined World Championships 2019, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED HOST COUNTRY PLACES

Unused Host Country Place(s) will be reallocated to the next highest placed athlete, not yet qualified, in the Combined World Championships 2019 in Tokyo, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.

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 highest placed athlete, not yet qualified, in the Combined World Championships 2019, respecting the maximum quota per gender per NOC.



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G. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Date	Milestone
19-21 August 2019	IFSC Combined World Championships (WCH) Hachioji-Tokyo, (JPN)
Within 5 days after the WCH	The IFSC confirm in writing to the NOCs the quota places obtained
Two weeks after the WCH	The NOCs to confirm to the IFSC the use of allocated quota places
Within 5 days after the previous step	IFSC to reallocate all unused quota places
28 November - 1 December 2019	IFSC Combined Qualifier, Toulouse (FRA)
Within 5 days after the IFSC Combined Qualifier	The IFSC confirm in writing to the NOCs the quota places obtained
Two weeks after the OQE	The NOCs to confirm to the IFSC the use of allocated quota places
Within 5 days after the previous step	IFSC to reallocate all unused quota places
	IFSC Combined Continental Championships (CCH) 2020 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Africa, November 2020 (TBC), Cape Town (RSA) • Asia, November (TBC) Location (TBC) • Europe, 1-8 October 2020, Moscow (RUS) • Pan-Am, 25 February - 1 March 2020, Los Angeles (USA) • Oceania, November (TBC), Sydney (AUS)
Within 5 days after the CCH	The IFSC confirm in writing to the NOCs the quota places obtained
Two weeks after the CCH	The NOCs to confirm to the IFSC the use of allocated quota places
Within 5 days after the previous step	IFSC to reallocate all unused quota places
17 January 2020	Deadline for NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation Places
End of March	The Tripartite Commission to confirm in writing the allocation of Invitation Places to the NOCs
End of April	IFSC to reallocate any unused quota places
5 July 2021	Tokyo 2020 Sport Entries deadline
23 July – 8 August 2021	Olympic Games Tokyo 2020