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## IFSC CLIMBING WORLD CUP XIAMEN 2019

# THE 2019 CLIMBING WORLD CUP SEASON NEARS THE END

The IFSC Climbing World Cup returns to China for the third time this year with both speed and lead competitions taking place from October 18 to 20 in Xiamen.

### Speed World Cup Season Winners to be Crowned

It's been a few months since the last speed competition in Chamonix, but the athletes have not been idle with two Speed Climbing World Champions were crowned in Hachioji, Italian Ludovico FOSSALI and Aleksandra MIROSLAW of Poland.

France's Bassa MAWAM currently sits at the top of the men's speed rankings and is poised to defend his 2018 Speed Season win. However, Vladislav DEULIN and Dmitrii TIMOFEEV of Russia are not far behind and fresh from their recent first and third place podiums at the 2019 European Championship held earlier this month.

After setting a new women's speed climbing world record earlier this year, China's YiLing SONG has continued to perform strongly throughout the season and holds the lead in the women's overall rankings. Will she be able to unseat the reigning 2018 Speed World Cup season winner, Anouck JAUBERT (FRA), in front of her home crowd to claim the season for herself?

### The Pressure is on in Lead

With two Lead World Cups left in 2019, there is still time for the climbers to move their way up the rankings in hopes

of landing on the overall season podium. Newcomer, Chaehyun SEO (KOR) holds a tentative first place position on the overall podium, but one more win from her in Xiamen would solidify her season win before the final event of the year. After a disappointing outcome in her home country in September, Slovenian Janja GARNBRET is expected to participate in the upcoming event alongside her compatriots Mia KRAMPL and Lucka RAKOVEC. The three of them currently sit in the second, third and fourth place spots in the rankings respectively.

In only one event, Adam ONDRA (CZE) jumped from a seventh-place position in the ranking to first after his win in Kranj. With Alexander MEGOS (GER) not competing in Xiamen, the top spots are open for the taking. However, the battle for the season title remains tight and a gold medal win in the penultimate Lead World Cup of 2019 could prove crucial to landing on the final podium of the year.

### Live Streaming

The IFSC Climbing World Cup Xiamen 2019 will be available to watch on the IFSC homepage on October 19 and 20 for the semi-final and final rounds. Visit the Xiamen event page for the complete schedule, starter list, and last year's replays. Don't forget to join the chat on Twitter during the competition using the hashtag, #IFSCwc.

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## IFSC WORLD CUP (L,S) XIAMEN (CHN)

Provisional Programme (GMT+8)

### Saturday 19th October

20.00 Men & Women's Final Speed (LIVE)  
Following Award Ceremony

### Sunday 20th October

9:40 Presentation and Observation Men & Women (LIVE)

10:00 Men & Women's Semi-Final Lead (LIVE)

19.00 Men's Lead Final, Women's Final Lead (LIVE)  
Following Award Ceremony

## CURRENT WORLD SPEED RANKINGS

As of 11.07.2019 after IFSC CLIMBING WORLDCUP (L,S) - CHAMONIX (FRA) 2019 (11.07.2019)

### MEN

#	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	MAWEM	Bassa	FRA	300.00
2	DEULIN	Vladislav	RUS	271.00
3	TIMOFEEV	Dmitrii	RUS	260.00
4	MUHAMMAD	Alfian	INA	253.00
5	ALIPOURSHENAZANDIFAR	Reza	IRI	197.00
6	ZHONG	QiXin	CHN	185.00
7	RUKIN	Sergey	RUS	179.00
8	SHIKOV	Aleksandr	RUS	175.00
9	PAVLENKO	Kostiantyn	UKR	172.00
10	KRIZ	Jan	CZE	162.00

### WOMEN

#	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	SONG	YiLing	CHN	400.00
2	JAUBERT	Anouck	FRA	320.00
3	IVANOVA	Elizaveta	RUS	261.00
4	SUSANTI RAHAYU	Aries	INA	247.00
5	TSYGANOVA	Anna	RUS	197.00

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6	KALUCKA	Aleksandra	POL	194.00
7	CHUDZIAK	Patrycja	POL	188.00
8	MIROSLAW	Aleksandra	POL	194.00
9	NIU	Di	CHN	158.00
10	KAPLINA	Iuliia	RUS	156.00

## CURRENT WORLD LEAD RANKINGS

As of 28.09.2019 after IFSC CLIMBING WORLDCUP (L) - KRANJ (SLO) 2019 (28.09.2019)

### MEN

#	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	ONDRA	Adam	CZE	200.00
2	MEGOS	Alexander	GER	165.00
3	MCCOLL	Sean	CAN	159.00
4	LEHMANN	Sascha	SUI	152.00
5	HARADA	Kai	JPN	134.00
6	SCHUBERT	Jakob	AUT	132.00
7	GINÉS LÓPEZ	Alberto	ESP	130.00
8	BOSI	William	GBR	127.00
9	STRANK	Martin	CZE	124.00
10	FUJII	Kokoro	JPN	122.00

### WOMEN

#	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	SEO	Chaehyun	KOR	380.00
2	GARNBRET	Janja	SLO	243.00
3	KRAMPL	Mia	SLO	180.00
4	RAKOVEC	Lucka	SLO	179.00
5	PILZ	Jessica	AUT	176.00
6	MORI	Ai	JPN	171.00
7	ZHANG	YueTong	CHN	164.00
8	TANII	Natsuki	JPN	145.00
9	SHIRAISHI	Ashima	USA	122.00
10	HIRANO	Natsumi	JPN	112.00

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