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UIPM 2023 PENTATHLON JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS: MEN'S QUALIFICATION



The UIPM 2023 Pentathlon Junior World Championships continued today with athletes taking part in the Men's Individual Qualification in Druskininkai (LTU).

The 18 best performers in each of two qualification groups earned passage to the Men's Final. With 1,461 points **Minseok Park** of **Korea** won the first group by 2sec points from the quartet of **Lithuania** duo **Jonas Kalaminskas** and **Paulius Vagnorius**, **Charles Brown** of **Great Britain** and **Lukasz Zawada** of **Poland**.

The second group was won by four athletes who crossed the line together – **Juan Ochoa** of **Guatemala**, **Tim Leh** of **Germany**, **Vladyslav Chekan** of **Ukraine** and **Jeongwook Son** (KOR) with 1,474 points.

There were two notable absentees from the Final line-up as senior world No.13 **Mohamed Elgendy** and world No.35 **Moutaz Mohamed** of **Egypt** suffered elimination in the Obstacle discipline.

It was another landmark day as many of the Under 22 competitors were taking part in a global individual Pentathlon competition for the first time, following the sequence of Fencing, Obstacle, Swimming and Laser Run. Pentathlon newcomer **Kian O'Boyle** of **United States** was the standout performer in Obstacle with a time of exactly 25sec – more than 3sec quicker than second-fastest **Lukasz Zawada** (POL).

The UIPM 2023 Pentathlon Junior World Championships runs from September 12-17, continuing on Friday, September 15 with the Fencing Ranking Round. The Individual Finals follow on Saturday September 16 before the Mixed Relay closes the competition on Sunday September 17.

The Finals and Mixed Relay can be watched live on UIPM TV where annual subscriptions cost €14.99. This is the first time a Modern Pentathlon competition with the integrated Obstacle discipline will be broadcast live.

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The 36 athletes who qualified for the Men's Individual Final are:

Rank	Name	Nation	MP Points
1	OCHOA Juan	GUA	1474
2	LEH Tim	GER	1474
3	CHEKAN Vladyslav	UKR	1474
4	SON Jeongwook	KOR	1474
5	IBRAHIM Mohamed	EGY	1473
6	NARANJO Bayardo	ECU	1471
7	MICHELI Giorgio	ITA	1471
8	ROCHAT Mathis	FRA	1469
9	HULME James	GBR	1469
10	BORIES Leo	FRA	1468
11	GAUDIESIUS Lukas	LTU	1468
12	COBB Sam	GBR	1468
13	POPOV Roman	UKR	1466
14	KIM Hanseong	KOR	1464
15	BOVENZI Matteo	ITA	1463
16	PARK Minseok	KOR	1461
17	RIEGER Miklos	GER	1460
18	KALAMINSKAS Jonas	LTU	1459
19	VAGNORIUS Paulius	LTU	1459
20	BROWN Charles	GBR	1459
21	ZAWADA Lukasz	POL	1459
22	KLINKERT Moriz	GER	1458
23	LEMKEN Christoph	GER	1458
24	TOMAN Jan	CZE	1458
25	SHABAN Mazen	EGY	1457
26	PERRIER Melvin	FRA	1457
27	CHARLTON Ross	GBR	1457
28	KLIMEK Maciej	POL	1457
29	MAIRE Emilien	FRA	1457

30	TARKANYI Zsombor	HUN	1455
31	CHOW Connor	CAN	1455
32	KHUDENKO Dmytro	UKR	1453
33	CHMIELIAUSKAS Nojus	LTU	1452
34	PARIZEK Tobias	CZE	1450
35	SYCH Danylo	UKR	1448
36	ARMIJOS ESPINOZA Mateo Alejandro	ECU	1424