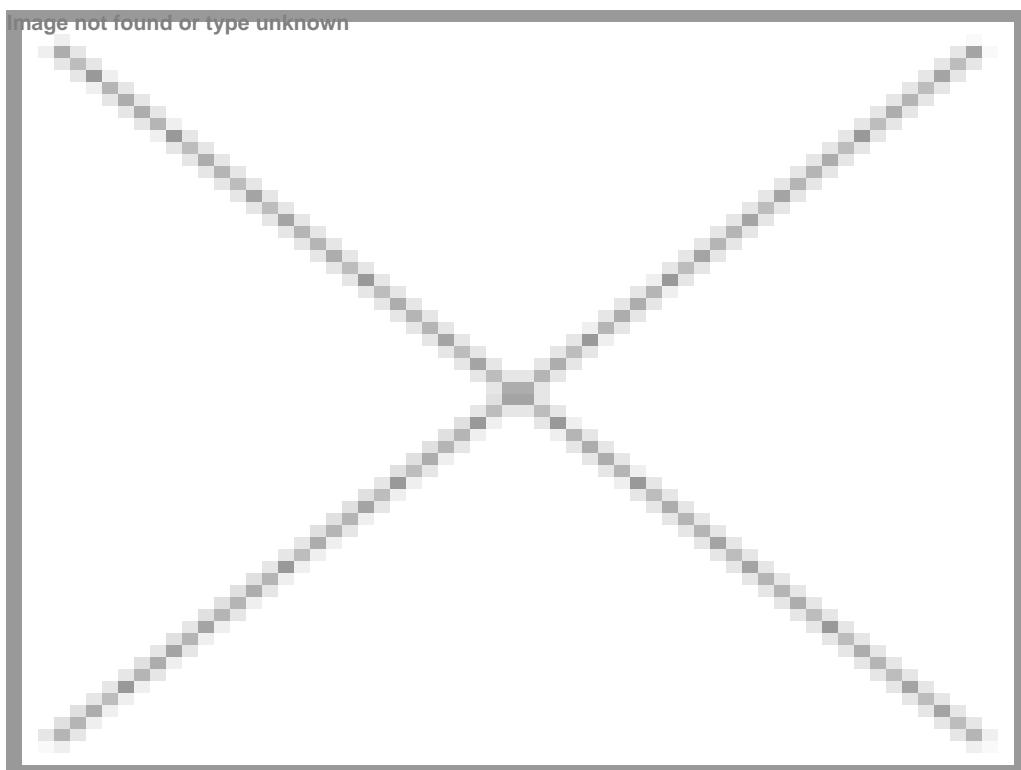


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UIPM 2024 PENTATHLON WORLD CUP CAIRO: MEN'S QUALIFICATION



UIPM 2024 Pentathlon World Cup Cairo continued today with an exciting Men's Qualification round where 90 competitors, including the biggest names in the sport, went toe to toe.

Among the leading lights who progressed safely to Friday's Semi-final were reigning Olympic gold medalist **Joseph Choong** of **Great Britain**, home favourite and current World No.1 **Mohanad Shaban** of **Egypt**, World No.3 **Emiliano Hernandez** of **Mexico** and Hungarian livewire **Csaba Bohm**.

With three groups of 30 athletes each, things got underway with **Korean** superstar **Changwan Seo**, the World No.7, leading home Qualification Group A ahead of **Christopher Patte (FRA)** and the Egyptian duo of **Mohamed Elgendi**

and Shaban (EGY).

The top performers in Qualification Group B were veteran **Jan Kuf (CZE)**, the 2015 UIPM World Champion, finishing ahead of **Jean-Baptiste Mourcia (FRA)** and **Maruk Maksim (AIN)**. There was drama when Tokyo Olympic silver medalist **Ahmed Elgendi (EGY)** gave home supporters some brief stress before clinching the 12th and final qualification spot.

In the day's final gathering, Qualification Group C, the pedigree again rose to the top with **Germany's World No.11 Marvin Faly Dogue** crossing the line in step with Hernandez (MEX). Just behind that duo were **Shuai Luo (CHN)**, **Charles Brown (GBR)** and **Patrick Dogue (GER)**.

Pentathlon World Cup Cairo continues tomorrow (March 7) with the Women's Semi-final followed by the Men's Semi-final Friday, the Finals on March 9 and concludes with the Mixed Relay on March 10.

Live stream of the Semi-finals and Finals is available on UIPM TV and all competition results are available at the UIPM website.

The 36 qualified athletes for the Men's Semi-finals are:

Rank	Name	Nation	Points
1	SEO Changwan	KOR	1186
2	PATTE Christopher	FRA	1186
3	ELGENDY Mohamed	EGY	1186
4	SHABAN Mohanad	EGY	1186
5	MICHELI Roberto	ITA	1186
6	DEJARDIN Pierre	FRA	1186
7	LUKES Matej	CZE	1186
8	MIHALEV Todor	BUL	1185
9	LAWRYNOWICZ Daniel	POL	1183
10	TYMOSHCHENKO Pavlo	UKR	1183
11	SZEP Balazs	HUN	1182
12	KUF Jan	CZE	1182
13	MOURCIA Jean-Baptiste	FRA	1182
14	MARUK Maksim	AIN	1182
15	BERECZKI Richard	HUN	1182
16	CICINELLI Matteo	ITA	1182
17	KASPERCZAK Kamil	POL	1181
18	BELAUD Valentin	FRA	1181
19	DALLENBACH Alexandre	SUI	1180
20	MOHAMED Moutaz	EGY	1180
21	CHOONG Joseph	GBR	1179
22	GUTKOWSKI Lukasz	POL	1178

23	KOVALCHUK Yuriy	UKR	1178
24	DOGUE Marvin Faly	GER	1177
25	HERNANDEZ Emiliano	MEX	1177
26	ELGENDY Ahmed	EGY	1176
27	LUO Shuai	CHN	1176
28	BROWN Charles	GBR	1176
29	DOGUE Patrick	GER	1175
30	FIADOTKA Maksim	AIN	1174
31	SVECOVS Pavels	LAT	1174
32	BOHM Csaba	HUN	1174
33	CURRY Samuel	GBR	1173
34	HAMAD Eslam	EGY	1172
35	HAMED Ahmed	EGY	1172
36	GRYCZ Marek	CZE	1172