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UIPM ANNOUNCES MODERN PENTATHLON OLYMPIC QUALIFIED ATHLETES



After over a year of travelling the world, 72 athletes are one step closer to reaching their Olympic dream.

The below athletes have earned qualification in the Modern Pentathlon event at Rio 2016 Olympic Games on 18-20 August 2016 through either continental qualification, World Cup Final/World Championships or the Olympic World Rankings, which closed today, 1 June 2016.

These athletes now need to be selected by their respective National Olympic Committees to compete in Rio de Janeiro.

As only 2 athletes per nation are able to compete on the day, nations such as Egypt, Russia, Hungary, Great Britain, Germany, Korea, Lithuania and China, which have qualified more than 2 athletes, have to notify UIPM by 15 June, of the athletes they are selecting to battle for gold at Deodoro Stadium.

Once these nations have selected their athletes, UIPM will release the 2nd round of allocation on June 16, to fill up the 36 male and 36 female places available.

The 3-day event starts with Women's Fencing Ranking Round at 10:30 on 18 August, followed by the Men's Fencing Ranking Round at 14:30, both events taking place at the Deodoro Youth Olympic Arena. The Finals, Women on 19 August and the Men on 20 August, start with swimming at 12:00 at Deodoro Aquatics Centre followed by Fencing Bonus Round, Riding and the Combined Event at Deodoro Stadium from 14:00.

Please see below the first round allocation of qualified athletes and how they qualified:

Rio 2016 Qualified Athletes as at 1st June 2016

Women's and Men's Qualification List

<u>NOC</u>	<u>Surname</u>	<u>Given name</u>	<u>NOC</u>	<u>Surname</u>	<u>Given name</u>
ARG	KHOKHLOVA	Iryna	ARG	ZAPATA	Emmanuel
AUS	ESPOSITO	Chloe	AUS	ESPOSITO	Max
BLR	PROKOPENKO	Anastasiya	BRA	tbc 15 June	
BRA	MARQUES	Yane	CHN	SU	Haihang
CAN	VAKALIS	Donna	CHN	CAO	Zhongrong
CAN	MCCANN	Melanie	CHN	GUO	Jianli
CHN	CHEN	Qian	CUB	FIGUEROA	Jose
CHN	LIANG	Wanxia	CZE	SVOBODA	David
CHN	ZHANG	Xionan	CZE	KUF	Jan
CUB	MOYA	Leydi Laura	EGY	HAMAD	Eslam
EGY	MORSY	Haydy	EGY	EL GEZIRY	Amro
FRA	CLOUVEL	Elodie	EGY	EL GEZIRY	Omar
GBR	FRENCH	Kate	EGY	HEFNY	Yasser
GBR	MURRAY	Samantha	FRA	PRADES	Valentin
GBR	PRENTICE	Freyja	FRA	BELAUD	Valentin
GER	SCHONEBORN	Lena	GBR	CHOONG	Joseph
GER	KOHLMANN	Janine	GBR	COOKE	James
GER	SCHLEU	Annika	GUA	FERNANDEZ	Charles
GUA	BRAND	Isabel	HUN	KASZA	Robert
HUN	KOVACS	Sarolta	HUN	MAROSI	Adam
HUN	FOLDHAZI	Zsofia	HUN	DEMETER	Bence
ITA	CESARINI	Claudia	IRL	LANIGAN O'KEEFFE	Arthur
ITA	SOTERO	Alice	ITA	DE LUCA	Riccardo
JPN	TOMONAGA	Natsumi	ITA	PETRONI	Pierpaolo
KAZ	POTAPENKO ¹	Elena	JPN	MIGUCHI ²	Tomoya
KOR	KIM	Sunwoo	KOR	JUN	Woongtae
LTU	ASADAUSKAITE	Laura	KOR	LEE	Dongji
LTU	SERAPINAITE	Leva	KOR	HWANG	Woojin
LTU	VENCKAUSKAITE	Gintare	KOR	JUNG	Jinhwa
MEX	VEGA	Tamara	LTU	KINDERIS	Justinas
POL	NOWACKA	Oktawia	MEX	HERNANDEZ USCANGA	Ismael

POL MALISZEWSKA	Anna	RUS PUCHKAREVSKY	Egor
RUS GYBAYDULLINA	Guinaz	RUS LESUN	Aleksandr
RUS RIMSAITE	Donata	RUS KUSTOV	Maksim
RUS BURIAK	Anna	UKR TYMOSCHENKO	Pavlo
UKR SPAS	Anastasiya	UKR FEDECHKO	Andriy
USA ISAKSEN	Margaux	USA SCHRIMSHER	Nathan