

UIPM – Modern Pentathlon BEIJING 2008

Men and Women

EVENTS (2)	Men (1) Individual competition	Women (1) Individual competition
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ATHLETE QUOTA	Men	36
	Women	36
	TOTAL	72

MAXIMUM PER NOC An NOC can enter a maximum of 2 men and 2 women

ALLOCATION OF QUALIFICATION Qualification is attributed to the athlete who must be eligible to fill the qualification positions. NOC with more than 2 eligible athletes have the authority to decide on the 2 athletes they will enter

QUALIFICATION SYSTEM PRINCIPLES – MEN AND WOMEN

Event	Qualification	Total
2007 World Championships	The top 3 placed athletes qualify	3
2007 World Cup Final	The top placed athlete qualifies	1
Continental Championships	19 places will be attributed at the continental Championships to be held between 1 st January 2007 and 15 th August 2007: <i>Africa:</i> 1 place <i>Asia:</i> 5 places <i>Oceania:</i> 1 place <i>Pan-America:</i> 4 places <i>Europe:</i> 8 places	19
2008 World Championships	The 3 top placed athletes qualify	3
World Ranking List	From the World Ranking List of 1 June 2008, the first 7 athletes not already qualified	7
Tripartite Commission Invitation	2 Tripartite Commission Invitation place will be allocated	2
Host Nation	The host nation directly qualifies 1 athlete	1
Total	Men	36
	Women	36

**Union Internationale de Pentathlon Moderne
(UIPM)**

EVENTS

Men: Individual competition (shooting, fencing, swimming, riding, running)

Women: Individual competition (shooting, fencing, swimming, riding, running)

ATHLETE / NOC QUOTA

Athlete quota: 36 men
36 women
Total of 72 athletes

Maximum per NOC: 2 men and 2 women

QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

Athlete eligibility

To be eligible to fill qualification places athletes must have achieved the minimum standards of 5,100 points (men) and 4,800 points (women) on the UIPM qualification list of 1 June 2008

Athlete Qualification

Qualification is attributed to the athlete by name

NOCs with more than 2 qualified athletes have the authority to decide which 2 athletes they will enter.

- Athletes must have achieved their qualification position
- through an official Olympic qualification competition
- through the Pentathlon World Ranking.
- by the Tripartite Commission Invitation places
- or by the host nation provisions

SYSTEM IN DETAIL (MEN AND WOMEN)

2007 World Championships **3**

Qualification places will allocated to the 3 highest placed athletes

2007 World Cup Final **1**

A qualification place will be allocated to the winner of the Final

Continental Championships **19**

19 qualification places will be allocated to athletes achieving the following placings at continental championships to be held during the period 1 January 2007 to 15 August 2007:

Africa – 1st place

Asia – 5 highest places

Oceania – 1st place

Pan America – 4 places (1st place NORCECA 1st place South America, 2 highest Pan American, and all 4 places from 4 different NOCs)

Europe – 8 highest places

2008 World Championships **3**

Qualification places will allocated to the 3 highest placed athletes

Pentathlon World Ranking **7**

From the World Ranking List of 1 June 2008, the first 7 athletes not already qualified through competition.

Host nation **1**

The host nation will be guaranteed 1 place, if not otherwise qualified

Tripartite Commission (IOC-ANOC-UIPM) Invitations places **2**

2 Invitation places will be allocated by the Tripartite Commission. The deadline for NOCs to submit their requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation places is 15 November 2007. The Tripartite Commission will confirm, in writing, a preliminary allocation of Invitation places to the NOCs by 31 January 2008. The allocation of remaining Invitation places will be confirmed, in writing, to the NOCs by July 2008.

To be eligible for such an Invitation place, each pentathlete must achieve the minimum eligibility standard.

Further information on Invitation places is contained in the Information Paper for NOCs distributed with the qualification system manual.

UIPM World Ranking List **(+)**

If any places are not distributed through the above process, or if an athlete achieving a qualification position has been previously qualified, the available places will be allocated to the next highest ranked athlete on the UIPM World Ranking List of 1 June 2008.

QUALIFICATION TIMELINE	
February 2007	African Championships - African Qualifying Competition,
2007	Asian Championships - Asian Qualifying Competition Oceania Championships – Oceania Qualifying Competition,
June 2007	European Championships, European Qualifying Competition,

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21–22 July 2007	Pan-American Games – Pan-American Qualifying Competition, Rio de Janeiro (BRA)
28 Aug-2 Sept 2007	2007 World Championships, Berlin (GER)
September 2007	2007 World Cup Final, Beijing (CHN)
15 November 2007	Deadline for the submission of requests for Tripartite Commission Invitation places by all NOCs
31 January 2008	The Tripartite Commission will confirm, in writing, a preliminary allocation of Invitation places to the NOCs
27 May- 01 June 2008	2008 World Championships, Budapest (HUN)
1 June 2008	UIPM Ranking List used to allocate the 7 PWR places and other available places, if needed
1 June 2008	UIPM to confirm to NFs the number of qualification places achieved
15 June 2008	NOCs to confirm their use of qualification places
30 June 2008	UIPM to confirm the reallocation of any unused quota places
July 2008	The Tripartite Commission will confirm, in writing, the allocation of remaining Invitation places to the NOCs
23 July 2008	Deadline for Beijing 2008 Organising Committee to receive entry forms submitted by NOCs

DATES / PROCESS OF CONFIRMATION OF PLACES

By 1 June 2008, the UIPM will confirm in writing to all NFs the number of qualification places they have achieved. NOCs will have to confirm by 15 June 2008 to the UIPM their qualification places.

By 30 June 2008 the UIPM will confirm the reallocation of all unused quota places following the specifications noted below.

REALLOCATION OF UNUSED QUOTA POSITIONS

Continental championships

Qualification positions allocated through continental championships which are not used by the respective NOC will be reallocated to the next highest ranked athlete/NOC at the respective event.

Other places

All other unused quota positions will be reallocated to NOCs of the next highest ranked athletes on the UIPM World Ranking list of 1 June 2008.