

Halfpipe, Slopestyle & Big Air Snowboard World Cup Selection Criteria 2019-20

Eligibility for Consideration:

U.S. Ski & Snowboard will consider for selection only those U.S. Ski & Snowboard members in good standing who have a valid U.S. passport, a valid USA-coded FIS license and who meet FIS minimum eligibility standards.

U.S. Ski & Snowboard provides an equal opportunity to amateur athletes, coaches, trainers, managers, administrators, and officials to participate in amateur athletic competition, without discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, age, sex, or national origin, and with fair notice and opportunity for a hearing before declaring any such individual ineligible to participate.

Criteria Guidelines:

- U.S. Ski & Snowboard policy mandates that team selection criteria shall be principally objective (or performance-based)
- The Program Head Coach is responsible for applying the selection criteria set forth herein
- The team selected by U.S. Ski & Snowboard may consist of any number of athletes up to the FIS World Cup quota for the United States.
- The quota of start rights per nation is set annually by the FIS.
- U.S. Ski & Snowboard will determine, at its discretion, the specific gender totals up to the 10 athletes total, max of 6 per gender quota allocation. Personal spots and host nations spots are above and beyond the max team size.

HALFPIPE SNOWBOARD INTERNATIONAL WORLD CUPS

2019/20 Nations Spots – 5 men / 4 women

Personal Spots* – Tessa Maud (18-19 NorAm)

Potential +3 per gender additional quota spots according to the World Cup allocation system Rule 4.2.

- Top 2 U.S. men and 2 U.S. women athletes ranked in **World Snowboarding Halfpipe Points List as of 4.29.19.**
- Top 2 U.S. men and 2 U.S. women athletes ranked on the **9th FIS Halfpipe Points list 2018/19.**
- If athlete declines their start position from above, then start will be filled using coach discretion.
- Coach discretion will be used to fill any remaining starts up to nations quota.
If coach discretion isn't utilized then the next ranked athletes on the WSPL Points List referenced above may be selected.

INVITED 1. Toby Miller 2. Chase Josey 3. Shaun White Next Ranked 4. Danny Davis 5. Jake Pates	INVITED 1. Chloe Kim 2. Maddie Mastro NEXT RANKED 3. Arielle Gold 4. *Tessa Maud
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COPPER & MAMMOTH HALFPIPE GRAND PRIX

2019/20 Nations Spots – 10 men / 7 women

Personal Spots* –Tessa Maud (18-19 NorAm)

Potential +4 (per gender) additional quota spots according to the World Cup allocation system Rule 4.2.

Athletes who meet the FIS criteria for entry (50 FIS points) will be chosen for the World Cup start positions as follows:

- Top 2 U.S. men and 2 U.S. women athletes ranked in **World Snowboarding Halfpipe Points List as of 4.29.19.**
- Top 2 U.S. men and 2 U.S. women athletes ranked on the **9th FIS Halfpipe Points list 2018/19.**
- The next ranked 4 U.S. men and 3 U.S. women ranked on the **World Snowboarding Halfpipe Points List as of 4.29.19.**
- If athlete declines their start position from above, then start will be filled using coach discretion.
- Remaining quota allocation may be selected based on coach discretion. If coach discretion isn't utilized then the next ranked athletes on the WSPL Points List referenced above may be selected.

<p>INVITED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Toby Miller2. Chase Josey3. Shaun White4. Danny Davis5. Jake Pates6. Ryan Wachendorfer7. Chase Blackwell <p>NEXT RANKED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">8. Jason Wolle9. Lucas Foster10. Joshua Bowman	<p>INVITED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Chloe Kim2. Maddie Mastro3. Arielle Gold4. *Tessa Maud5. Athena Comeau <p>NEXT RANKED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">6. Kinsley White7. Kaili Shafer
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SLOPESTYLE SNOWBOARD INTERNATIONAL WORLD CUPS

2019/20 Nations Spots – 6 men / 3 women

Personal Spots* – Chris Corning (18-19 World Cup Slopestyle)

Personal Spots* – Luke Winkelmann, Jake Canter, Dusty Henricksen, Addison Gardner, Courtney Rummel, Isabella Gomez (18-19 Nor Am)

Potential +2 per gender additional according to the World Cup allocation system Rule 4.2

- Top 4 U.S. men and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked in **World Snowboarding Slopestyle Points List as of 4.29.19**
- Top 4 U.S. men and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked on the **9th FIS Slopestyle Points list 2018/19**
- If athlete declines their start position, from above, then start will be filled using coach discretion
- Coach discretion will be used to fill any remaining starts up to nations quota.
If coach discretion isn't utilized then the next ranked athletes on the WSPL Points List referenced above may be selected.

<p>INVITED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. *Chris Corning 2. Red Gerard 3. Judd Henkes 4. Lyon Farrell <p>NEXT RANKED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. *Luke Winkleman 6. Ryan Stassel <p>PERSONAL SPOTS</p> <p>*Jake Canter *Dusty Henricksen</p>	<p>INVITED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Julia Marino 2. Jamie Anderson <p>NEXT RANKED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Hailey Langland <p>PERSONAL SPOTS</p> <p>*Addison Gardner *Courtney Rummel *Isabella Gomez</p>
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MAMMOTH SLOPESTYLE GRAND PRIX

2019/20 Nations Spots – 11 men / 6 women

Personal Spots* – Chris Corning (18-19 World Cup Slopestyle)

Personal Spots* – Luke Winkelmann, Jake Canter, Dusty Henricksen, Addison Gardner, Courtney Rummel, Isabella Gomez (18-19 Nor Am)

Potential +4 per gender additional according to the World Cup allocation system Rule 4.2

Athletes who meet the FIS criteria for entry (120 FIS points), and are not already qualified above, will be chosen for the World Cup start positions as follows:

- Top 4 U.S. men and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked in **World Snowboarding Slopestyle Points List as of 4.29.19**
- Top 4 U.S. men and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked on the **9th FIS Slopestyle Points list 2018/19**
- The next ranked 3 U.S. men and 2 U.S. women ranked on the **World Snowboarding Slopestyle Points List as of 4.29.19**
- If athlete declines their start position, from above, then start will be filled using coach discretion
- Remaining quota allocation may be selected based on coach discretion. If coach discretion isn't utilized then the next ranked athletes on the ranking list referenced above will be selected.

<p>INVITED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. *Chris Corning 2. Red Gerard 3. Judd Henkes 4. Lyon Farrell 5. *Luke Winkleman 6. Ryan Stassel 7. Sean Fitzsimons <p>NEXT RANKED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. *Dusty Henricksen 9. *Jake Canter 10. Will Healy 11. Storm Rowe 	<p>INVITED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Julia Marino 2. Jamie Anderson 3. Hailey Langland 4. *Addison Gardner <p>NEXT RANKED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Ty Schnorrbusch 6. *Courtney Rummel <p>PERSONAL SPOTS</p> <p>*Isabella Gomez</p>
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BIG AIR SNOWBOARD INTERNATIONAL WORLD CUPS

2019/20 Nations Spots – 3 men / 3 women

Personal Spots* – Chris Corning (18-19 World Cup Slopestyle)

Personal Spots* – Luke Winkelmann, Addison Gardner (18-19 Nor Am)

Potential +2 per gender additional according to the World Cup allocation system Rule 4.2

Athletes who meet the FIS criteria for entry (100 FIS points), and are not already qualified above, will be chosen for the World Cup start positions as follows:

- Top 2 U.S. man and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked in **World Snowboarding Slopestyle Points List as of 4.29.19**
- Top 2 U.S. man and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked on the **9th FIS Slopestyle Points list 2018/19**
- If athlete declines their start position, from above, then start will be filled using coach discretion
- Coach discretion will be used to fill any remaining starts up to nations quota.
If coach discretion isn't utilized then the next ranked athletes on the WSPL Points List referenced above may be selected

INVITED 1. *Chris Corning 2. Red Gerard	INVITED 1. Julia Marino 2. Jamie Anderson
NEXT RANKED 3. Judd Henkes	NEXT RANKED 3. Hailey Langland
PERSONAL SPOTS *Luke Winkleman	PERSONAL SPOTS *Addison Gardner

ATLANTA BIG AIR GRAND PRIX

2019/20 Nations Spots – 8 men / 6 women

Personal Spots* – Chris Corning (18-19 World Cup Slopestyle)

Personal Spots* – Luke Winkelmann, Addison Gardner (18-19 Nor Am)

Potential +4 per gender additional according to the World Cup allocation system Rule 4.2

Athletes who meet the FIS criteria for entry (100 FIS points), and are not already qualified above, will be chosen for the World Cup start positions as follows:

- Top 2 U.S. man and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked in **World Snowboarding Slopestyle Points List as of 4.29.19**
- Top 2 U.S. man and 1 U.S. woman athletes ranked on the **9th FIS Slopestyle Points list 2018/19**
- The next ranked 3 U.S. men and 2 U.S. women ranked on the **World Snowboarding Slopestyle Points List as of 4.29.19**
- If athlete declines their start position, from above, then start will be filled using coach discretion
- Remaining quota allocation may be selected based on coach discretion. If coach discretion isn't utilized then the next ranked athletes on the ranking list referenced above will be selected.

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DISCRETIONARY SELECTIONS

Athletes who have not met the Objective Criteria may be selected to the team based on a variety of factors, including competitions outside of the selection period, and/or they satisfy any of the following:

- Outstanding competition results from the 2018/2019 and 2019/2020 seasons, indicating a potential for success.
- Recent positive direction or trend of competition results indicating a potential for success.
- Indication of medal potential in future elite level competition (such as international age group results and age rankings) that would be materially enhanced by selection to the team.

All discretionary selections will be reviewed by a discretionary selection review group comprised of the U.S. Ski & Snowboard Sport Director, the U.S. Ski & Snowboard CEO, and the athlete representative from that sport who is a member of the U.S. Ski & Snowboard Board. If the U.S. Ski & Snowboard Board Athlete Representative is also a currently competing athlete then another athlete, who is not actively competing, will be selected by the Athletes' Council to be the representative in this group.

U.S. SKI & SNOWBOARD APPEAL AND GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES

Any member who believes that he/she has wrongfully been denied membership on any team whose members are selected through participation in "protected competition," as that term is defined in the USOC Bylaws, shall be entitled to appeal such decision.

The U.S. Ski & Snowboard Grievance Procedures can be found within section IX of the U.S. Ski & Snowboard bylaws found at: usskiandsnowboard.org

ATHLETE OMBUDSMAN

Athletes who have questions regarding their opportunity to compete that are not answered by U.S. Ski & Snowboard may contact the USOC Athlete Ombudsman, Kacie Wallace, by:

- Telephone at (719) 866-5000
- Toll-free telephone at (888) ATHLETE (1-888-284-5383)
- E-mail at Kacie.wallace@usoc.org
- www.athleteombudsman.org
- <http://www.teamusa.org/For-Athletes/Athlete-Ombudsman.aspx>

