



## Wakeboard Selection / Qualifying Criteria

Maximum 30 Athletes

1. Selection spots are allocated to countries with the [best team overall results](#) at the [2019 IWWF World Wakeboard Championships](#);
2. These [countries](#) will use their discretion to enter riders on the "Preferred Riders" list (male/female). If a country's designated rider declines participation or is unavailable, the next country on the list will be given the spot, or another rider from the countries that can enter riders from both genders (at the discretion of [IWWF's selection committee](#));
3. Riders not appearing on the list of "Preferred Riders" must be approved by the IWWF's selection committee prior to being entered;
4. A country is only permitted to enter a maximum of three (3) riders;
5. If a country is allocated more than one spot, both a male and female rider must be entered;
6. Riders must have participated at the [2019 IWWF World Wakeboard Championships](#) (exception for injured riders with medical certificates - they must have participated in the [2017 IWWF World Wakeboard Championships](#));
7. Participation at the last IWWF Regional Championships or participation at their last National Championships is mandatory (participation in one event is sufficient; participation in both events preferred);
8. Preference will be given to IWWF World, IWWF Regional and National Champions;
9. 2 x Wild Cards available (Male & Female) for the host country (USA) - [riders to be approved by IWWF](#);
10. 2 x Wild Cards available (Male & Female) for the IWWF

please contact [Nuno Eca](#), [IWWF World Wakeboard Council](#) Chairman, if there are any questions

	<b>SELECTED COUNTRIES</b>	<b>No of Riders</b>	<b>PREFERRED RIDERS</b> (countries allocated more than one spot must enter minimum one male and one female)
1	Australia	3	* Nic Rapa, Tony Iacconi, Zahra Kell, Mackenzie Mccarthy, Sam Brown
2	Japan	2	* Shota Tezuka, Hinata Yoshihara, Otowa Kawahara, Yu Hamazaki
3	Italy	2	*Alice Virag, Chiara Virag, Massi Piffaretti, Nicolò Caimi, Julia Molinari, Lorenzo Soprani
4	USA	1	wDanny Tholander, Tarah Mikacich, Adam Fields
5	France	1	Maxime Roux, Lucas Langlois, Yann Calvez
6	Brasil	1	Marcelo Giardi, Mariana Nep, Henrique Daibert
7	Mexico	1	Patricio Gonzalez, Pablo Monroy, Lorena Vergara
8	Germany	1	Ariana Eimer, Julia Rick, Ariano Blanik, Tino Ullsperger, Wanley Fendrich
9	Great Britain	1	Luca Kidd, Katie Batchelor
10	Hong-Kong	1	Ho Wai Shing, Hester Shiu Zee Zee
11	New Zealand	1	Morgan Haakma, Nick Beale
12	Ireland	1	David O'Caiomh, Nicole Carroll
13	Argentina	1	Eugenia de Armas, Ulf Ditsch, Kai Ditsch
14	Russia	1	Anna-Maria Kushkovskaya, Daniil Sevostyanov
15	Switzerland	1	Jamie Huser, Deborah Lutolf
16	China	1	Duan Zen Khun, Xu Lu
17	Netherlands	1	Sanne Meijer
18	Thailand	1	Padiwat Jaeman
19	Belgium	1	Luna Cassart,
20	Latvia	1	Roberts Linavskis
21	Colombia	1	Gregorio de Valdenebro
22	Israel	1	Guy Firer
	Host Country (USA)		1 Female & 1 Male
	Wild Cards	2	(to be approved by IWWF)
	IWWF Wild Cards	2	

	<b>RESERVE COUNTRIES</b>	<b>PREFERRED RIDERS</b>
1	Spain	Martin Druille, Ulises Ceballos
2	Chinese Taipei	Yang Yu-Ye
3	Singapore	Joshua Tay
4	India	
5	Indonesia	
6	UAE	
7	Austria	
8	Lebanon	
9	South Africa	