



UNITED WORLD WRESTLING

TO ALL THE NATIONAL WRESTLING FEDERATIONS

Subject: Ranking Series 2021 - Olympic Qualifiers - Seeds for Tokyo 2020, Oslo 2021

Dear Mr. President,

By this circular we would like to provide you some clarifications and updates on our Ranking Series for next year but also to remind you which events will count to seed the athletes in Tokyo and in Oslo.

The seeds for Tokyo will be established based on the results of:

- 2019 Senior World Championships (Nur-Sultan, KAZ)
- 2020 Ranking Series Matteo Pellicone (Roma, ITA)
- 2020 Senior Continental Championships (Roma, Alger, New Delhi, Ottawa)
- 2021 Senior Asian Championships only for China, North Korea and Turkmenistan
- 2021 Ranking Series Poland Open (Warsaw, POL)

We also remind you that the points earned by a wrestler is given to the wrestler, not the country.

To conclude with Tokyo, we would like to remind you the Regulation in place for the registration at the Olympic Qualifiers.

The maximum number of athletes that each country can register, per style, during the Continental Qualifier, is based on its participation of the **2020 Senior Continental Championships, per style**. Because China, North Korea, Turkmenistan and the Oceania Countries were not able to compete in the 2020 Senior Continental Championships, they will be allowed to register the number of athletes they want for the Continental Qualifier.

I remind you that you can register as many athlete as you want for the World Qualifier but maximum one per weight category and not in the weight category where you are already qualified.

In 2021, we will also have our normal Ranking System to determine who will be the best Wrestlers of the year. This ranking will be based on the results of:

- 2021 Ranking Series Matteo Pellicone (Roma, ITA)
- 2021 Senior Continental Championships (Warsaw, El Jadida, Almaty, Brasilia)
- 2021 Ranking Series Poland Open (Warsaw, POL)
- 2021 Olympic Games (Tokyo, JPN)
- 2021 Senior World Championships (Oslo, NOR)

I also inform you that for the seeds for Oslo 2021, we will take the events mentioned above taking place before the Senior World Championships.

As you can see, we tried to be consistent in our approach and continue to support our Ranking Series for next year.

During this particular year where we will have the Olympic Games and the Senior World Championships, it was decided to provide 20% additional points for the Olympic medallists compared to the Senior World Championships medallists. You will find the details of this adjustment on the attached Ranking Series Competition Rules.

I also have the pleasure to inform you that an exceptional Prize Money of 600'000 \$ will be awarded in 2021. At the end of the year, the three first athletes from each weight category will receive:

1st 10'000 USD
2nd 7'000 USD
3rd 3'000 USD



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We really hope that this award will encourage all of you to compete in most of the Ranking Events.

We also take this opportunity to remind you that this list can be adjusted in case we have to change our calendar due to the Pandemic.

I thank you for your kind collaboration and stay at your disposal if you have any questions or comments about that topic.

Sincerely Yours,



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