



QUALIFICATION SYSTEM
GAMES OF THE XXXIV OLYMPIAD – LA28

Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI)

BMX FREESTYLE



A. EVENTS

MEN

WOMEN

Park

Park

B. QUOTA PLACES

B.1. Total quota places for discipline

Total

QUOTA

11

11

22

HOST COUNTRY QUOTA

1

1

2

UNIVERSALITY PLACES

0

0

0

TOTAL

12

12

24

B.2. Maximum number of athletes per National Olympic Committee

QUOTA PER NOC

2

2

4

B.3. Type of allocation of quota places

Quota places allocated via the Olympic Qualifier Series are allocated to athletes by name. All other quota places, allocated via participation in UCI events described within this qualification system, are allocated to NOCs.

C. ATHLETE ELIGIBILITY

All athletes must respect and comply with the provisions of the Olympic Charter currently in force, including but not limited to Rule 41 (Nationality of Competitors) and Rule 43 (World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions).

Only those athletes who respect and comply with the Olympic Charter, the World Anti-Doping Code and the Olympic Movement Code on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions, including the conditions of participation established by the IOC, plus the rules of the UCI, may participate in the LA28 Olympic Games.

Age requirements

C.1. To be eligible to participate in the LA28 Olympic Games, athletes must have been born on or before 31 December 2013 (i.e. be at least 15 years old or reaching this age in 2028), as validated by the passport used for accreditation registration.

Additional IF requirements

C.2. Athletes must also comply with the following criteria:

- Hold a valid cycling licence issued by a UCI member National Federation
- Have participated in at least one of the following events: an Olympic Qualifier Series event, the UCI World Championships or a UCI World Cup event within the qualification period (1 November 2026 to 11 June 2028).

D. QUALIFICATION PATHWAY

Number of quota places

Qualification events

The qualification events are listed in hierarchical order of qualification:

MEN / WOMEN

D.1.
6 x Men
6 x Women

QUOTA PLACES ALLOCATED BY NAME

Olympic Qualifier Series

- First half of 2028, TBD
- First half of 2028, TBD
- First half of 2028, TBD

Six (6) quota places per gender will be allocated via the Olympic Qualifier Series (OQS) final ranking (OQSFR) to the 6 highest ranked athletes.

NB: In the event that three athletes representing the same NOC participate in the Olympic Qualifier Series, only the two highest ranked athletes (from the OQSFR) shall obtain a quota place in accordance with the maximum number of athletes per NOC described in section B. In this case, the quota place in question will be attributed to the next highest placed athlete (from the OQSFR) following this 3rd ranked athlete.

D.2.**QUOTA PLACES ALLOCATED BY NOC****5 x Men
5 x Women**

All six places available from the Olympic Qualifier Series will be allocated – including any reallocation of such places, should an individual athlete decline – prior to allocating the six quota places by NOC (which include the one host country place allocated by NOC) which are attributed via the 2026 and 2027 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships.

D.2.1.**2026 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia****2 x Men
2 x Women****Elite individual results of the 2026 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships – BMX freestyle park**

2026 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships individual results	Athletes qualified per NOC	Total number of athletes
The highest-ranked NOC	1	2

The highest-ranked NOC from a continent which has not obtained any quota places through the Olympic Qualifier Series will obtain a maximum of one quota place. In the event that not all continents are represented following this, the second quota place attributed via this pathway will be allocated to the highest-ranked NOC from a continent not yet qualified. Once all the continents are represented, any remaining quota places allocated via this pathway will be allocated to the highest-ranked eligible NOCs, subject to the maximum quota per NOC as set out in section B.

D.2.2.**2027 UCI Cycling World Championships, Haute-Savoie, France****3 x Men
3 x Women****Elite individual results of the 2027 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships – BMX freestyle park**

2027 UCI Cycling World Championships individual results	Athletes qualified per NOC	Total number of athletes
The highest-ranked NOC	1	3

The three highest-ranked NOCs from a continents that has not obtained any quota places either through the Olympic Qualifier Series or via the 2026 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships will obtain a maximum of one quota place each. Once all continents are represented, any remaining quota places are attributed to the highest-ranked NOCs not yet qualified, regardless of their continent.

D.3.**HOST COUNTRY PLACES**

The host country will be allocated one quota place per gender on the condition that the athletes meet the eligibility requirements described in section C of this document, “**Athlete eligibility**”.

Should the host country be allocated qualification places via the qualification pathway outlined in section D.1., the host country places will be reallocated as described in section F, “**Reallocation of unused quota places**”.

E. CONFIRMATION PROCESS**Confirmation of quota places**

- E.1.** The UCI will publish the results of the OQS events within two days of the conclusion of these events on its [website](#). Quota places earned through OQS events will be allocated prior to quota places allocated to NOCs according to D.2.

The UCI will confirm to the NOCs the quota places they have been allocated in writing, via email, on TBC 2028 (after the last OQS) . The NOCs will then have until TBC 2028 to confirm to the UCI, in writing via email (offroad@uci.ch), if they wish to use these quota places, as detailed in section H, “**Qualification timeline**”.

Confirmation of host country places

- E.2.** The host country must confirm the use of its host country places in writing to the UCI via email (offroad@uci.ch) by 13 June 2028.

F. REALLOCATION**Reallocation of unused quota places**

- F.1.** In principle, since there are two separate and distinct methods by which quota places are allocated (by name, via the Olympic Qualifier Series, and by NOC, via the UCI events described in section D), quota reallocation is also separated – quota places by name are reallocated using the Olympic Qualifier Series final ranking, and quota places by NOC are reallocated using the UCI qualification events.

Method A: Quota places that were obtained by individual athletes participating in the Olympic Qualifier Series will be reallocated based on the Olympic Qualifier Series final ranking – to the next highest-ranked eligible athlete in the OQSFR who has not obtained a quota place and who represents an NOC that does not have two athletes qualified. If such quota places remain after the end of the OQSFR is reached, they will be reallocated using Method B, after all quota place allocation and reallocation to NOCs using UCI events has been completed.

Method B: Quota places allocated to NOCs will be reallocated to the next highest-ranked NOC at the 2027 UCI Cycling World Championships using the elite individual results of BMX freestyle park, provided the NOC has not yet obtained a quota place through the Olympic Qualifier Series or via the 2026 or 2027 UCI (Urban) Cycling World Championships.

Reallocation of unused host country places

- F.2.** Should the host country have an athlete qualify by name as per section D.1., obtain quota places as per section D.2. or decide not to use the allocated host country places by the confirmation of quota place deadline, the latter will be reallocated to the next highest-ranked NOC in the 2027 UCI Cycling World Championships not yet qualified for the Olympic Games using the elite individual results.

G. RESERVES

- G.1.** Reserve athletes are competing athletes who have an Aa accreditation and who are entered by their NOC in a specific event for which the NOC has a quota place, and for which the athlete has met the required eligibility criteria. As reserves, they may be selected to replace another entered athlete in a different cycling discipline/event until the time of the final confirmation for that event, provided that they have met the required eligibility criteria and the NOC quota for that event is adhered to.

H. QUALIFICATION TIMELINE

Period	Date	Milestone
Qualification	3 November 2026 to last Olympic Qualifier Series event in 2028	BMX Freestyle Olympic Qualifying Period
	3 – 7 November 2026	2026 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
	24 August – 5 September 2027	2027 UCI Cycling World Championships, Haute-Savoie, France
	First half of 2028 (TBC)	Olympic Qualifier Series, TBC
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	First half of 2028 (TBC)	Olympic Qualifier Series, TBC

Confirmation and reallocation	After the last Olympic Qualifier Series event, TBC	The UCI confirms quota places by name to the NOCs in writing
	After the last Olympic Qualifier Series event, TBC	The NOCs to confirm to the UCI the use of the allocated quota places by name
	TBC 2028	The UCI confirms quota places obtained to the NOCs in writing
	TBC 2028	The NOCs to confirm to the UCI the use of the allocated quota places
	16 June 2028	The UCI to reallocate all unused quota places
	21 June 2028	NOCs to confirm to the UCI the use of reallocated unused quota places
Sport Entries deadline	26 June 2028	LA28 Olympic Games sport entries deadline
Games Time	14 – 30 July 2028	LA28 Olympic Games