

# Communication No. 2311

## ISU DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM Junior Skater Scholarship Program Applications

In accordance with section 3.7 a) of ISU Communication No. 2310, the ISU Development Commission invites ISU Members to make applications for Scholarship support for their Junior Skaters. ISU Members are advised to read the above-mentioned Communication carefully to understand the conditions and requirements of the Scholarship Program.

### 1. Requirements

ISU Members may make ISU Scholarship applications for Junior Skaters who fulfil the following requirements:

- fall into the Junior age category, as defined in the ISU General Regulations (Rule 108)
- are participating in international competitions and aiming to compete or already competing at ISU World Junior Championships level
- require financial support to achieve their potential

### 2. Scholarship amounts

Each ISU Scholarship awarded may amount to:

- Between US\$ 1'000 and US\$ 6'000 per individual Skater
- Between US\$ 2'000 and US\$ 7'200 per Pair/Couple
- Between US\$ 2'000 and US\$ 7'200 per Synchronized Skating Team

The number of ISU Scholarship Awards is limited by the available budget, as decided by the Council.

### 3. Scholarship use

Skaters may be nominated for a Scholarship to support their skating development over the next two years. In such cases, an amount of up to USD 6'000 (USD 7'200 per Pair or Couple or Synchronized Skating Team) may be awarded.

Alternatively, nominations may be made for smaller amounts of support to be used for specific purposes, such as buying equipment, travelling to a seminar or camp etc. The amount awarded may only be used for the stated purpose and invoices must be submitted with the Scholarship report.

Within 6 months of payment of the awarded amount, a report of the Skater(s) on the use of the Scholarship and their skating development must be submitted using **Appendix A5** (attached).

### 3. Application procedure

Applications must be sent by ISU Members with a completed **Appendix A1** (attached) to [development@isu.ch](mailto:development@isu.ch) and must include the following:

- a CV, including a summary of Skating experience
- a statement of why financial support is needed
- **EITHER**  
a plan for the Skater(s) skating development over the next 2 years and a detailed summary of the steps to fulfil their plan and how and when it is proposed to use the financial help (e.g. course/seminar names, dates and approximate costs; travel/coaching/other needs and approximate costs)
- **OR**  
a detailed proposal for use of the Scholarship for a specific purchase (e.g. skating equipment) or expense (travel/accommodation/fees for a camp, seminar or competition)
- a letter of support from the respective ISU Member
- a summary of any previous ISU Junior Scholarship support

Each ISU Member may make a maximum of one application per discipline (and a maximum of one application per gender for Single Skating, Short Track and Speed Skating). In the case of more than one application from an ISU Member the priority order of the applications should be indicated by Skater name.

The ISU Development Commission and ISU Technical Committees may also propose Skaters for Scholarships if they see a need or may suggest to ISU Members to make applications for Skaters from their country or for specific Skaters.

### 4. Deadline

Applications must be received **by April 1, 2020**.

### 5. Award of Scholarships

ISU Members will be informed by the Development Program Administrator of ISU Scholarship awards for their Skater(s) and of any specific conditions on the use of the Scholarship.

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February 27, 2020  
Lausanne,

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