

# **Communication No. 2500**

# **Entries for ISU Figure Skating and Synchronized Skating Championships 2023**

#### I. ENTRIES

# a) ISU European Figure Skating Championships 2023

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2, the following ISU Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Men Azerbaijan Czech Republic France Georgia Italy Latvia Russia*	2 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 3 Competitors 2 Competitors 3 Competitors 3 Competitors	Women Azerbaijan Belarus* Belgium Estonia Georgia Poland Russia* Switzerland	2 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 3 Competitors 2 Competitors
Pair Skating Belarus* Georgia Germany Hungary Italy Russia* Spain	2 Pairs 2 Pairs 2 Pairs 2 Pairs 3 Pairs 3 Pairs 2 Pairs	Ice Dance France Great Britain Italy Lithuania Russia* Spain Ukraine	2 Couples 2 Couples 2 Couples 2 Couples 3 Couples 3 Couples 2 Couples

<sup>\*</sup> subject to the lifting of protective measures as per ISU Communication 2469

## b) ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2023

The entries for the Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2022 will be according to Rule 378 paragraph 2. d): "The Four Continents Championships will have open entries with each ISU Member entitled to enter up to a maximum of three (3) entries for each event."

The following ISU Members, as non-European Federations may participate in the ISU Four Continents Championships:

Argentina Malaysia Australia Mexico Brazil Mongolia New Zealand Cambodia Canada Peru **Philippines** Chile China D.P.R. Korea Ecuador South Africa Egypt Singapore Hong Kong/China Thailand

Hong Kong/China Thailand
Indonesia Turkmenistan
India Chinese Taipei
Japan United Arab Emirates

Kazakhstan United States of America Kyrgyz Republic Uzbekistan Republic of Korea Vietnam

Kuwait Morocco

# c) ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2023

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2, the following ISU Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Men Canada Estonia Italy Japan Kazakhstan Sweden Switzerland USA	3 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 3 Competitors 2 Competitors 2 Competitors 3 Competitors Competitors 3 Competitors	Women Estonia Japan Republic of Korea Switzerland USA	2 Competitors 2 Competitors 3 Competitors 2 Competitors 3 Competitors
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Pair Skating Australia Canada Czech Republic France Georgia Germany Italy Ukraine USA	3 Pairs 3 Pairs 2 Pairs 2 Pairs 3 Pairs 2 Pairs 2 Pairs 2 Pairs 2 Pairs 2 Pairs	Ice Dance Canada Cyprus France Germany Great Britain Republic of Korea USA	3 Couples 2 Couples 2 Couples 2 Couples 2 Couples 2 Couples 3 Couples

For the ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships all Competitors must fulfil the requirements of Rule 108, paragraph 3 b).

# d) ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2023

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 2, the following ISU Members shall have the right to enter more than 1 competitor, pair or dance couple:

Men		Women	
Canada	2 Competitors	Azerbaijan	2 Competitors
France	2 Competitors	Belgium	3 Competitors
Georgia	2 Competitors	Georgia	2 Competitors
Italy	2 Competitors	Germany	2 Competitors
Japan	3 Competitors	Japan	3 Competitors
USA	3 Competitors	Republic of Korea	3 Competitors
		USA	3 Competitors

Pair Skating		Ice Dance	
Austria	2 Pairs	Canada	2 Couples
Canada	3 Pairs	France	3 Couples
France	2 Pairs	Great Britain	2 Couples
Georgia	2 Pairs	Italy	2 Couples
Germany	2 Pairs	Lithuania	2 Couples
Great Britain	2 Pairs	Spain	2 Couples
Japan	3 Pairs	USA	3 Couples
Netherlands	2 Pairs		
USA	3 Pairs		

### e) Minimum Total Elements Scores

Skaters/couples participating in the following Figure Skating Championships must have reached the following Minimum Total Elements Scores during the ongoing season (2022/23) or the immediately preceding season (2021/22):

# ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2023:

_	SP/RD	FS/FD
MEN	34.00	64.00
WOMEN	32.00	53.00
PAIR SKATING	29.00	46.00
ICE DANCE	33.00	49.00

# ISU European, ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships 2023:

	SP/RD	FS/FD
MEN	28.00	46.00
WOMEN	25.00	42.00
PAIR SKATING	25.00	42.00
ICE DANCE	28.00	45.00

# ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships 2023:

	SP/RD	FS/FD
JUNIOR MEN	25.00	44.00
JUNIOR WOMEN	25.00	40.00
JUNIOR PAIR SKATING	23.00	34.00
JUNIOR ICE DANCE	24.00	38.00

The required Minimum Total Elements Score for the Short Program/Rhythm Dance and the Free Skating/Free Dance to participate in Senior ISU Championships (ISU European Figure Skating

Championships, ISU Four Continents Figure Skating Championships and ISU World Figure Skating Championships) can only be obtained in Senior International Competitions. Likewise, the required Minimum Total Elements Score for the Short Program/Rhythm Dance and the Free Skating/Free Dance segment to participate in the ISU World Junior Figure Skating Championships can only be obtained in International Junior Competitions.

The Minimum Technical Elements Score (not including Component Scores) is a Technical Score and must have been reached in an ISU recognized International Competition (as per Article 39, paragraph 7 of the ISU Constitution and Rule 107, paragraphs 1 to 10 of the ISU General Regulations) during the ongoing or preceding season (see above-mentioned Council decision) in both segments, Short Program/Rhythm Dance and Free Skating/Free Dance (See ISU Special Regulations Single & Pair Skating Ice Dance, Rule 378, paragraph 3).

While the Minimum Technical Elements Score must be reached separately in each segment (not a total of the two segments), the Minimum Technical Elements Score for each segment may be reached at different competitions. The Minimum Technical Elements Score must be reached 21 (twenty-one) days before the first day (first official practice day) of the Championships concerned (same as entry deadline).

If it would become evident that the number of entries based on the Minimum Technical Elements Scores listed above would be significantly higher or lower than expected, the ISU Council reserves the right to adjust the Minimum Technical Elements Scores in order to achieve the above-mentioned objective.

ISU Members will be informed latest 45 days prior to the entry deadline of the respective Championships if the announced required minimum Technical Score will be adjusted or will remain as announced. In case of the continental Championships the announcement for both European and Four Continents Championships will be made 45 days prior to the entry deadline of the earlier Championships, in this case the European Championships.

#### Note regarding the Covid-19 situation:

In case that due to the Covid-19 pandemic an extended number of Competitions are cancelled during the fall 2022, the Council will review the situation in regard to the Minimum Total Elements Score again at the time of the October Council meeting.

#### f) ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships 2023:

In accordance with Rule 868, paragraph 2. b), the following ISU Members have a right to enter more than 1 team:

Canada 2 Teams
Finland 2 Teams
Germany 2 Teams
Hungary 2 Teams
USA 2 Teams

# g) ISU World Junior Synchronized Skating Championships 2023:

In accordance with Rule 868, paragraph 2. b), the following ISU Members have a right to enter more than 1 team:

Canada 2 Teams Finland 2 Teams Poland 2 Teams Sweden 2 Teams USA 2 Teams

#### II. ENTRY DEADLINES

#### a) Single and Pair Skating & Ice Dance

In accordance with Rule 378, paragraph 1, entries by name must reach the Sport Directors (through the ISU Secretariat) and the Organizing Committee simultaneously by 21 days before the first day (first official practice day) of the Championships concerned.

# b) Synchronized Skating

In accordance with Rule 868, paragraph 1, entries of teams must reach the Sport Directors (through the ISU Secretariat) and the Organizing Committee simultaneously by 21 days before the first day (opening and first draws) of the Championships concerned.

The names of all Team Skaters including alternates may be finally announced at the time of registration (see Rule 868, paragraph 6).

The exact deadlines are issued in the Official Announcement for each ISU Championships.

Please also study Rule 131 and ISU Communication No. 1876, point 16 "Declaration for Competitors and Officials entering ISU Events" or any update of this Communication. An updated Declaration form is available on our website <a href="https://www.isu.org">www.isu.org</a>.

In line with Rule 115, paragraph 5 of the General Regulations, ISU Members are reminded that post entries might be accepted by the ISU President only in case of clearly and truly exceptional circumstances.

Entries from Belarus and Russia are all subject to the lifting of protective measures as per ISU Communication 2469.

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