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#### Introduction

This document summarises the information needed by the national federations concerning the participation of their riders at the 2025 UCI Urban World Championships.

Mainly intended for team managers, this document focuses on the purely sporting aspects of the 2025 UCI Urban World Championships. If you have any questions concerning this document, please do not hesitate to contact the UCI.

Any excerpts from the UCI regulations found within this document are provided for the sake of convenience only. The full text of the version of the UCI Regulations presently in force which is found on www.uci.org shall always apply, save for any specific regulation or special derogation found within this competition guide.

#### Rules

- **9.1.018** Each National Federation shall participate in UCI World Championships in a spirit of friendship and fair play and contribute to the utmost to the success of the Championships.
- **9.1.019** Each National Federation participating in the UCI World Championships shall, register with the UCI, within the deadlines specified by the latter, all riders and other persons that will be on or will accompany its delegation (officials, attendants, guests, etc.).
- **9.1.022** In general each National Federation shall co-operate with the organiser and, to the extent possible, facilitate his work.
- **9.2.001** It is the National Federations who select riders to participate in UCI World Championships.

Riders classified as "refugee" pursuant to article 1.1.033 shall register directly with the UCI. The UCI may authorise riders classified as "refugee" in addition to the quotas provided for in the UCI Regulations and qualification regulations, without prejudice to specific eligibility requirements that may be determined.

- **9.2.003** National Federations shall enter with the UCI via its website. National Federations which do not have Internet access may enter using the entry forms provided by the UCI.
- **9.2.004** The enrolment of the federations' riders shall reach the UCI at the latest within the following deadline:

#### Friday 24th October 2025, 12:00 CET

- **9.2.005** Save in the case of an act of God, a National Federation that has enrolled by returning the enrolment form for a World Championship and that does not participate shall be liable to a fine of CHF 500 to CHF 2,000.
- 9.2.008 Unless prevented by an act of God, a rider once announced as taking the start and who fails to present, shall be liable to a fine of CHF 500 to CHF 5,000. An injury or sickness shall be recognised as an act of God only if the rider is declared incapable of taking the start by the UCI official doctor.

# **Selection of Participants**

#### **Trials**

9.2.055

Riders wishing to compete in the UCI Urban World Championships may register only under the auspices and through the agency of their national federation, using the UCI online registration system (www.uci.org). All competition entry dates must be respected and no late entries will be accepted.

Pre-registration for the UCI Urban World Championships is subject to the following restrictions:

- maximum number of riders per country and per category: five
- riders not allowed to take part in more than one category.

All riders/team managers must attend the riders' confirmation presenting their licenses and picking up their race numbers. The riders confirmation deadlines are indicated on the official programme published on the UCI website. Riders not being confirmed before the indicated deadline, did not complete the registration procedure and will not be able to compete at the event.

#### **BMX Freestyle Park**

For BMX Freestyle Park, a quota has been installed in order to limit the number of participants allowed for each country. This is done to ensure that there is sufficient time in the schedule to complete the event. See Annex 1 "BMX Freestyle Park Qualification System" for details.

# **Riders Categories**

#### **Trials**

- **9.2.057** Competition categories at the Trials world championships are:
  - Women Elite
  - Women Juniors
  - Men Juniors 20"
  - Men Juniors 26"
  - Men Elite 20"
  - Men Elite 26"
- **9.2.058** Categories depend on age as stated in article 7.1.002
- **9.2.059** The riders eligible to compete in the Final rounds shall be as follows:
  - If the category has less 6 riders or less, the best 3 riders in the ½ Final round will be eligible to compete in the Final.
  - If the category has between 7 and 8 riders, the best 4 riders in the ½ Final round will be eligible to compete in the Final.
  - If the category has 9 riders or more, the best 6 riders in the ½ Final round will be eligible to compete in the Final.

# BMX Freestyle Park and Flatland

6bis.2.001:

For participation in events on the international calendar, riders' categories are determined by the age of those competing. A rider's age is defined by the difference between the year of the event and the year of birth of the rider, as defined in article 1.1.034.

#### 6bis.2.002

**UCI Categories for BMX Freestyle Competitions:** 

- 1. Categories for Men: Men Elite, aged 15 and over
- 2. Categories for Women: Women Elite, aged 15 and over

# **Competition Format**

#### **Trials**

You can find the Trials Regulations on the UCI website in the following link

**9.2.059** In all categories, the trials world championships shall include a ½ Finals and a Finals round.

#### 1/2 Finals

The trials world championships will commence with a ½ Finals round. The world championships ½ Finals round is open to all riders entered. The ½ Finals round shall consist of three laps of five sections. The commissaires' panel will set the competition time according to the number of entered riders.

#### Final round

The best six riders in the ½ Finals round will be eligible to compete in the Finals round. The scores gained in the ½ Finals round do not count in the Finals round.

#### Final procedure

At the Finals round it will be applied the six by six system:

Before the start, the six riders will be presented on the start podium, in inverse order to the position obtained in the ½ Finals round. After the presentation, they must go to section one.

The order to start will be determined by the result obtained in the ½ Finals round. Rider that obtained the sixth place shall start first in section one and so on. The same principle applies for the remaining sections.

Once a rider finishes a section, the next rider has maximum thirty seconds to start the section. After this thirty second the section time is running.

In case of slight injury, the other rider must overtake and start the section in front of him/her.

In case of tie, article 7.1.047 of the UCI Trials Regulations shall apply.

Competitors taking part in the Finals must have two bicycles at their disposal. The spare second bicycle shall remain in the rider's area for the duration of the competition and may be retrieved as a replacement for the first bicycle.

A rider qualified for the Final who chooses not to compete in the Final shall get seventh placed in the Final classification and shall (in the Final) be replaced by the seventh placed rider in the ½ Finals. Two qualified riders choosing not to compete in the Final shall get seventh and eighth placed in the final classification and shall be replaced by the seventh and eighth placed riders in the ½ Finals (in the Finals), etc.

### **9.2.060** The number of sections and laps are as indicated below:

Type of competition	Number of sections	Number of laps
½ finals rounds	5	3
Finals rounds	5	1

#### **9.2.061** Competitors having obtained the highest number of points are declared:

- Women Juniors UCI trials world champion
- Women Elite UCI trials world champion
- Men Juniors 20" UCI trials world champion
- Men Juniors 26" UCI trials world champion
- Men Elite 20" UCI trials world champion
- Men Elite 26" UCI trials world champion

The UCI will award the first three riders ranked in each category.

#### **Trials Mixed Team Competition**

#### **7.5.001** General

A trials mixed team competition shall be established in a dedicated section at the UCI trials world championships

#### **7.5.002** Entries

The rider's participation for the trials national mixed competition must be done by the team manager at the rider's confirmation.

The maximum number of riders in a trials mixed team competition is 6, one per category:

- 1 Men Juniors 20"
- 1 Men Juniors 26"
- 1 Women Juniors
- 1 Men Elite 20"
- 1 Men Elite 26"
- 1 Women Elite

The minimum number of riders in a trials mixed team competition is 3. They must belong to different categories.

#### 7.5.003 Starting procedure

The total number of UCI points a mixed team is obtained by adding the sum of each rider's individual UCI points. The total number of UCI points will determine the start order in the UCI Trials mixed Team competition. The mixed team with the lowest total UCI points will start first.

The start order of the riders in each mixed team is determined by each team manager.

The first rider to start the competition belongs to the mixed team with the lowest UCI points. The second rider is from the mixed team with the second lowest UCI points and so on. The same procedure applies for the remaining riders.

Riders ride the sections one by one and only once.

#### 7.5.004 Section description

The section, which must be split in five sectors, has to be designed/built according to the UCI trials section building guide. Each sector is composed by different obstacles marked with four different levels (gates).

The length of a section must be between 30 to 50 m and it must be lineal or in a U-shape.

The five sectors of each section must be clearly defined by a cross-wise tape on the ground in order to identify each part.

Each sector must contain the four different levels (gates) indicated with coloured arrows. Riders will get a different score depending on the level (gate) they choose to ride.

Points scored with each level (gate)

White gate: 10 points
Blue gate: 20 points
Red gate: 30 points
Yellow gate: 40 points

#### 7.5.006 Results

The points scored by each rider count as points for his mixed team's overall score.

The winner is the mixed team with the highest score.

In case of tie, the mixed team that scored points riding on the highest level (gate) will break the tie.

## **BMX Freestyle Park**

The BMX Freestyle Regulations are located on the UCI website at the following link

6bis.6.003

A BMX Freestyle Competition for each category may be composed of the phases (Qualification, Semi-final or Final) described below, and within each phase, a number of heats.

For Park Competitions, a heat is a group which comprises 4-6 riders. In the case of 7 entries, the heat will consist of 7 riders.

The combination of phases and heats (if applicable) for a category depends on the number of entries and is found in the following table.

Number of entries	Competition phases	Qualification rule	Number of heats
5 - 8 entries	2 phases:	Top 4 in Qualification	Qualification: as below
	Qualification x 1	advance to Final	1 heat of 4 in Final
	Final x 1		
9 – 15 entries	2 phases:	Top 8 in Qualification	Qualification: as below
	Qualification x 1	advance to Final	2 heats of 4 in Final
	Final x 1		
16 - 31 entries	2 phases:	Top 12 in Qualification	Qualification: as below
	Qualification x 1	advance to Final	2 heats of 6 in Final
	Final x 1		
More than 31 entries	3 phases:	Top 24 in Qualification	Qualification: as below
	Qualification x 1	advance to Semi-final	4 heats of 6 in Semi-Finals
	Semi-final x 1		2 heats of 6 in Final
	Final x 1	Top 12 in Semi-final	
		advance to Final	

**Number of heats:** The number of heats in each round is found in the table above. For the Qualification phase, the number of heats should be chosen such that as many heats as possible have 4 - 6 riders.

Whenever it is not possible for all heats to have 6 riders, a number of heats will have either 4, 5 or 6 riders according to the table in annexe II. By preference, heats should be formed with the highest number of riders possible. Any heats that do not have 6 riders, will be at the start of the heat order.

6bis.6.004

A run is the individual unit of Competition in a BMX Freestyle Event, during which a rider performs a routine consisting of various tricks, which is evaluated by the judges.

**Park Competitions** 

At all phases of the Competition, within each heat, each rider shall do 2 runs.

In general, riders do their first run in the start order defined in article 6bis.6.005. Once the final rider in the order within each heat has taken their first run, the riders will do their second run in the same order.

#### **Start Order**

#### **6bis.6.005** Qualification Phase

**Park Competitions** 

The start order in the Qualification phase is done based on the UCI BMX Freestyle Park Individual ranking as of 07 October 2025. The start order of the Qualification phase is done in reverse order of said ranking among the riders who are present. Unranked riders shall ride first, in random order.

In such a case, within each heat, the start order continues to be in reverse order of ranking, so that the highest ranked rider within each heat goes last in that heat. Any unranked riders are seeded randomly in the first heats in the order.

The UCI BMX Freestyle Park Individual ranking as at 07 October 2025 will be used to establish the qualification Start order.

- **6bis.6.006** Within the Semi-final phase (if done), the start order is in reverse order of the results of the Qualification phase.
- **6bis.6.007** Within the Final phase, the start order is in reverse order of the results of the preceding phase.
- **6bis.6.008** Within each phase of the Competition, the riders in each heat are entitled to a warm-up before their heat begins.

Park Competitions: a minimum 40 second warm-up must be given.

- 6bis.6.009 In the Semi-final (if held) and the Final, any rider who is not present within the Field Of Play (FOP) or the riders' area as described in the Competition Guide at latest by the start of the warm-up period preceding that phase, shall not be allowed to start. They will be scored as DNS ("Did Not Start") for the phase in question.
- **6bis.6.010** In case one or more riders do not start in a Semi-final or the Final for the reason of missing the deadline described in article 6bis.6.009, the heats shall be redrawn as described in article 6bis.6.003.

In case one or more riders withdraw (or are disqualified or refused their start) once the deadline described in article 6bis.6.009 has passed, the heats will not be changed.

## **BMX Freestyle Flatland**

#### 6bis.6.003

A BMX Freestyle Competition for each category may be composed of the phases (Qualification, Semi-final or Final) described below, and within each phase, a number of heats.

For Flatland Competitions, riders are organised into heats, Periodic breaks may be inserted into the program in order to allow for rider rest and warm-up.

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The combination of phases and heats (if applicable) for a category depends on the number of entries, and is found in the following table.

Number of entries	Competition phases	Qualification rule
3 - 4 entries	1 phase:	All entered riders participate in the Final
	Final x 1	
5 - 8 entries	2 phases:	Top 4 in Qualification advance to Final
	Qualification x 1	
	Final x 1	
9 – 15 entries	2 phases:	Top 8 in Qualification advance to Final
	Qualification x 1	
	Final x 1	
16 - 21 entries	3 phases:	Top 12 in Qualification advance to Semi-final
	Qualification x 1	
	Semi-final x 1	Top 8 in Semi-final advance to Final
	Final x 1	
More than 21 entries	3 phases:	Top 16 in Qualification advance to Semi-final
	Qualification x 1	
	Semi-final x 1	Top 8 in Semi-final advance to Final
	Final x 1	

## **6bis.6.004** Flatland Competitions

At all phases of the Competition, within each heat, each rider shall do 1 run; this run shall be done by the riders in the start order defined in article 6bis.6.005.

## 6bis.6.005 Qualification Phase

The start order in the Qualification phase is done based on the UCI BMX Freestyle Flatland Individual ranking as of 07 October 2025. The start order of the Qualification phase is done in reverse order of said ranking among the riders who are present. Unranked riders shall ride first, in random order.

# The UCI BMX Freestyle Flatland Individual ranking as at 07 October 2025 will be used to establish the qualification start order.

**6bis.6.006** Within the Semi-final phase (if done), the start order is in reverse order of the results of the Qualification phase.

**6bis.6.007** Within the Final phase, the start order is in reverse order of the results of the preceding phase.

**6bis.6.008** Within each phase of the Competition, the riders in each heat are entitled to a warm-up before their heat begins.

Within each phase, a 3-minute warm-up period will be allowed on the riding surface of the Flatland Area at most every 8 riders. The first such group of riders shall also be entitled to this 3-minute warm-up prior to starting the Competition.

6bis.6.009 In the Semi-final (if held) and the Final, any rider who is not present within the Field Of Play (FOP) or the riders' area as described in the Competition Guide at latest by the start of the warm-up period preceding that phase, shall not be allowed to start. They will be scored as DNS ("Did Not Start") for the phase in question.

6bis.6.010 In case one or more riders do not start in a Semi-final or the Final for the reason of missing the deadline described in article 6bis.6.009, the heats shall be redrawn as described in article 6bis.6.003.

In case one or more riders withdraw (or are disqualified or refused their start) once the deadline described in article 6bis.6.009 has passed, the heats will not be changed.

# **Registration and Riders' Confirmation**

#### Online registration

#### When?

The system will open on: 14th October 2025, 12:00 CET

The system will close on: 24th October 2025, 12:00 CET

#### How?

Through the UCI website clicking as follows:

- The online **UCI DataRide** platform for registering riders can be accessed here.
- User and Password: User access requested through the form.
- New user: Please complete the request <u>here</u>.

#### Remark

- Each national federation must respect the participation quota per nation.
- The riders' accommodation must be entered at the time of the online registration.
- The name and contact information of the team manager for each national federation must also be given

#### **Riders confirmation**

#### What?

The participation of all riders entered in the UCI Urban Cycling World Championships must be confirmed during riders' confirmation. To ensure his participation, either the rider himself or the team manager for his country must go to rider's confirmation.

#### When?

Riders' Confirmation for BMX Freestyle Park

November 3 <sup>rd</sup> 2025	11:30 – 12:30
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Riders' Confirmation for Trials

November 4 <sup>th</sup> 2025	10:30 – 11:30
November 4 <sup>th</sup> 2025	10:30 – 11:30

Riders' Confirmation for BMX Freestyle Flatland

November 4 <sup>th</sup> 2025	19:00 – 19:30
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#### Where?

#### **Boulevard Riyadh City**

Hittin, Riyadh 13516, Saudi Arabia

**Important Note:** Approval of national team clothing will be done during riders' confirmation for Trials and BMX Freestyle Park and BMX Freestyle Flatland. The team managers must therefore present the national jersey at the riders confirmation.

The national jersey is mandatory for all riders and for all competition formats.

# **Delegation Accreditation**

# **Accreditation Request**

Please note that each National Federation taking part in the 2025 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships must register all persons included in the delegation with the UCI, using the online system:

#### How?

- Get Your Event platform
- Access: personal login and password of each national federation

All support staff will receive accreditations with access to the arena and restricted zones, as granted by the UCI.

To avoid misunderstandings, UCI has decided to grant a maximum number of accreditations to certain types according to the list below.

#### **National Federations**

Туре	Maximum Number of accreditations
President N.F	1
General Secretary N.F	1
Officials N.F	1
Accompanying Officials N.F	1
Press Officer	1
National Technical Director	1
Team Staff	
Team Manager – Trials	1
Team Manager – BMX Freestyle Park	1
Team Manager – BMX Freestyle Flatland	1
Team Assistant	6
Coach - Trials	2

Coach – BMX Freestyle Park	2
Coach – BMX Freestyle Flatland	2
Mechanic	3
Doctor	1
Paramedic Assistant	2
Total maximum	27

#### Please take note of the following:

- On site requests (requests that are made after the on-line accreditation is closed) will be limited in number and subject to evaluation on a case-by-case basis. Approval of such late requests cannot be guaranteed even if quota mentioned above has not yet been reached. We strongly recommend that accreditation requests are made using the online system.
- All riders will receive an accreditation badge and wristband (wristband provided as evidence that riders' confirmation is completed). Either is acceptable for accessing transportation and entering the venue.

#### When?

The system will open on: 1st October 2025 - 12:00 CET

The system will close on: 24th October 2025 - 12:00 CET

# Accreditation pick up

#### When?

Saturday 1st November	16:00 – 18:00 (for Officials and organizing committee)
Sunday 2nd November	09:00-20:00
Monday 3rd November	09.00-20.00
Tuesday 4th November	09.00-20.00
Wednesday 5th November	13.00-20.00
Thursday 6th November	13.00-20.00
Friday 7th November	13.00-20.00
Saturday 8th November	13.00-19.00

#### Where?

#### **Boulevard Riyadh City**

Hittin, Riyadh 13516, Saudi Arabia

# **Team Managers' Meeting**

#### When?

#### **BMX Freestyle Park**

November 3 <sup>rd</sup> 12:30 – 13:30
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#### **Trials**

November 4 <sup>th</sup>	11:30 – 12:30
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#### **BMX Freestyle Flatland**

November 4 <sup>th</sup>	19:30 – 20:00
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#### Where?

#### **Boulevard Riyadh City**

Hittin, Riyadh 13516, Saudi Arabia

## **UCI Officials**

#### **Trials**

- Technical Delegate: Peter Fisch (SUI)
- Secretary: Thomas Callens (FRA)
- PCP: Thomas Fisch (SUI)
- Commissaire 2: Gianmaria Casana (ITA)
- Commissaire 3: Tanja Sieber (SUI)
- Commissaire 4: Péter Pap (HUN)
- Commissaire 5: Nathalie Novembrini (ITA)

# **BMX Freestyle Park**

- Technical Delegate: Bart de Jong (NED)
- Secretary: Fulvia Tosi (ITA)
- Judge 1 Head Judge: Dave Cleworth (GBR)
- Judge 2: Igor 'Poki' Vukadinovic (CRO)
- Judge 3: Romuald Noirot (FRA)
- Judge 4: Dave Dillewaard (AUS)
- Judge 5: Christi Hughes (GBR)
- Judge 6: Markus Wilke (GER)

# BMX Freestyle Flatland

- Technical Delegate: Bart de Jong (NED)
- Secretary: Fulvia Tosi (ITA)
- Judge 1 Head Judge: Ryan Russell (USA)
- Judge 2: Travis Collier (CAN)Judge 3: Effraim Catlow (GBR)
- Judge 4: Hiroshi Uehara (JPN)

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#### **Organising Committee**

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#### **UCI** official hotel

#### DoubleTree by Hilton Riyadh - Al Muroj Business Gate (UCI Hotel)

2653 Northern Ring Rd Al Muruj, Riyadh 12283, Saudi Arabia

#### Teams official hotel

#### **Hilton Garden Inn**

3606 Northern Ring Rd, Riyadh 13311-6488 Saudi Arabia

Room Type Meal Rate

Single Breakfast SAR 1100 \*Subject to availability
Twin Breakfast SAR 1100 \* Subject to availability

The LOC will provide free shuttles only between the competition venue and the team official hotel. The timetable will be communicated in due time.

#### **Contact information:**

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EMAIL: RUHSK Hotel@hilton.com

https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/ruhskgi-hilton-garden-inn-riyadh-financial-district/

#### Accreditation and Press Centre

**Important Note:** Every press member that has accredited himself at the 2025 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships must pick up their accreditation at the Accreditation Centre before going to the press center.

#### **Accreditation Centre:**

#### **Boulevard Riyadh City**

Hittin, Riyadh 13516, Saudi Arabia

#### **Press Centre:**

#### **Boulevard Riyadh City**

Hittin, Riyadh 13516, Saudi Arabia

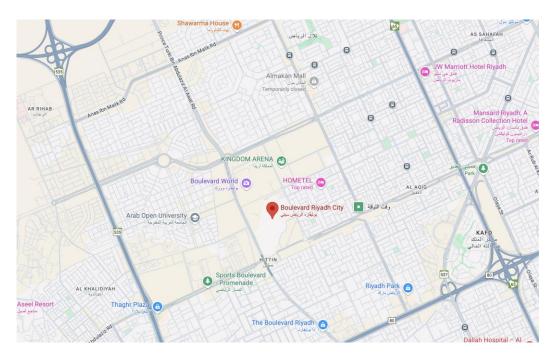
Venue Map and Information

Address: Boulevard Riyadh City

Hittin, Riyadh 13516, Saudi Arabia

**Venue Location** 

https://maps.app.goo.gl/fg3pVhtte2egrzL97



## UCI Athletes' Commission Vote

The UCI Athletes' Commission comprises 20 elected members, including 2 members (1 male and 1 female) representing Trials and 2 members (1 male and 1 female) representing BMX Freestyle Park. Commission members are elected by their peers every 4 years.

The vote for the members representing Trials and BMX Freestyle will be held during the 2025 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships, in Riyadh.

The UCI press release of 3 December 2024 (Renewal of the UCI Athletes' Commission for the 2025-2029 period | UCI) provided details of the Athletes Commission, including Athlete eligibility to stand as a candidate for election.

Details for candidates and voters is available here: 2024 Terms of reference Athletes Commission 2024 EN.pdf

If candidates or athletes have any questions, these can be directed to: <a href="mailto:athletes.commission@uci.ch">athletes.commission@uci.ch</a>.

#### When?

#### Trials

November 4 <sup>th</sup>	09:30 – 11:30
BMX Freestyle	
November 7 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 – 13:00

#### General Information

#### **Population**

Riyadh[a] is the capital and largest city of Saudi Arabia.[7] It is also the capital of the Riyadh Province and the centre of the Riyadh Governorate. Located on the eastern bank of Wadi Hanifa, the current form of the metropolis largely emerged in the 1950s as an offshoot of the 18th century walled town following the dismantling of its defensive fortifications.

It is the largest city on the Arabian Peninsula, and is situated in the center of the an-Nafud desert, on the eastern part of the Najd plateau. The city sits at an average of 600 meters (2,000 ft) above sea level,[8] and receives around 5 million tourists each year, making it the forty-ninth most visited city in the world and the 6th in the Middle East. Riyadh had a population of 7.0 million people in 2025, making it the most-populous city in Saudi Arabia, 3rd most populous in the Middle East, and the 38th most populous in Asia.[9]

#### Local time

Time zone info for Riyadh UTC +3 Arabia Standard Time (AST)

Riyadh does not change between summer time and winter time.

The IANA time zone identifier for Riyadh is Asia/Riyadh.

#### Social and business hours

In Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, business and social activities typically follow a pattern influenced by Islamic observances and the workweek. The standard workweek is from Sunday to Thursday, with Friday and Saturday being the weekend. Businesses often operate with a midday break, especially during the hotter summer months. Office hours can vary but generally fall between 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM, with some businesses opening later and closing earlier, or having a split schedule. During Ramadan, business hours shift to accommodate fasting schedules, with later openings and potential afternoon breaks.

#### Safety

Riyadh is generally considered a safe city with a low crime rate. Strict laws and a strong security presence contribute to this perception. While petty crimes like pickpocketing can occur in crowded areas, they are not widespread.

# Annex 1: Quota - BMX Freestyle

#### Introduction

Quota by nation for the 2025 UCI BMX Freestyle Park World Championships, which will be held during the 2025 UCI Urban Cycling World Championships in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. The quota system will allow the most active nations in BMX Freestyle Park the ability to be well represented, while still giving all countries the ability to send a minimum of 1 rider in each category. This will also ensure that the number of entries will remain at a level that allows the event to be completed in the time available.

# Qualification Ranking by Nation

- A ranking by nation for Men Elite and Women Elite is drawn up for BMX Freestyle Park. The ranking by nation is calculated by summing the points of the two best placed riders for men and the two best placed riders for women from each nation in the UCI BMX Freestyle Individual Ranking. A rider's points are awarded to the nation of this nationality, even if he is a license holder of the federation of another country. Tied nations have their relative positions determined by the place of their best rider on the individual UCI BMX ranking.
- **6bis.10.004** Each national federation shall be entitled to enter 2 reserve riders in each category. The final deadline to change entered riders for reserve riders is the end of the riders' confirmation period defined within the official event schedule.
- **6bis.10.005** For the Park discipline (only), each national federation shall be permitted to enter a maximum number of riders in each category, as determined by the Ranking by Nation closest in time to the deadline published by the UCI for each such category for the World Championships of the year in question. The maximum quota available to each national federation defined by that quota for each category is found in the table below.

#### Park Quota

Quota places will be awarded for each category using the qualification ranking described here for that category, as follows:

MEN			
Rank	Country	Quota	
1	JAPAN	6	
2	UNITED STATES	6	
3	GREAT BRITAIN	6	
4	CANADA	5	
5	ARGENTINA	5	
6	AUSTRALIA	5	
7	FRANCE	4	
8	HUNGARY	4	
9	BRAZIL	4	

10	LATVIA	3
11	GERMANY	3
12	NETHERLANDS	3
13	SLOVENIA	3
14	CHILE	3
15	CROATIA	2
16	COSTA RICA	2
17	***	2
18	COLOMBIA	2
19	POLAND	2

<sup>\*</sup>Quota for Individual Athletes of Russian sporting nationality in accordance with the Ad Hoc Rule / \* Quota pour les Athlètes Neutres Individuels de nationalité sportive russe conformément au règlement ad hoc

WOMEN			
Rank Country		Quota	
1	CHINA	6	
2	GERMANY	6	
3	COLOMBIA	6	
4	JAPAN	5	
5	AUSTRALIA	5	
6	GREAT BRITAIN	5	
7	UNITED STATES	4	
8	BRAZIL	4	
9	CHILE	4	
10	NETHERLANDS	3	
11	FRANCE	3	
12	SWITZERLAND	3	
13	SLOVAKIA	3	
14	SPAIN	3	
15	ESTONIA	2	
16	ARGENTINA	2	
17	HUNGARY	2	
18	KOREA	2	
19	VENEZUELA	2	

#### Park Quota by Nations

Following the UCI BMX Freestyle Park ranking of 7 October 2025, the Quota by Nation for both Categories will be added as per below. In case a country decides not to use it's entire quota, the quota is not reallocated.

## FLATLAND Quota

The National Federations can register a max. number of 7 riders per category

# **Annex 2: Prize Money**

#### **Trials**

Ranking / Classment	MEN / HOMMES		WOMEN / FEMMES	JUNIOR	
Ranking / Classifierit	20"	26"	OPEN	20"	26"
1st / 1er	5'000 €	5'000 €	5'000 €	1'250 €	1'250 €
2nd / 2ème	2'500 €	2'500 €	2'500 €	675€	675€
3rd / 3ème	1'250 €	1'250 €	1'250 €	340 €	340 €
Total	8'750 €	8'750 €	8'750 €	2'265€	2'265€

# **BMX Freestyle**

Ranking / Classement	MEN / WOMEN HOMMES / FEMMES		
•	ELITE - PARK	ELITE - FLAT	
1st / 1er	8'000€	5'000€	
2nd / 2ème	4'000 €	2'500 €	
3rd / 3ème	2'000 €	1'250 €	
Total	14'000 €	8'750 €	

#### **Official Ceremonies**

The following points apply to the official ceremonies:

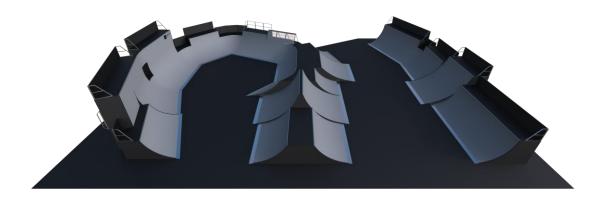
- 9.1.044 Within 10 minutes following the end of each speciality (unless otherwise provided and duly recorded in an official communiqué), the World Champion, or the world champion team of the team time trial, as well as the second and the third placed riders shall be ready for the official ceremony that shall be conducted under the responsibility of the President of the Commissaires' Panel.
- 9.1.046 Riders shall appear in racing attire, wearing their national jerseys but bare-headed and without headband or glasses, until they leave the official ceremony enclosure.
- 9.1.050 A UCI World Champion may not wear the jersey identifying his title and bearing the regulation advertisement of his main sponsor(s) until, at earliest, the day following that on which he received it.
- 9.1.051 Any infringement of the provisions of articles 9.1.044 to 9.1.050 above shall be punished by a fine of CHF 2,000 to CHF 10,000 minimum. A higher fine may be imposed depending on the advantage derived from the offence.

# **Annex 3: Program**

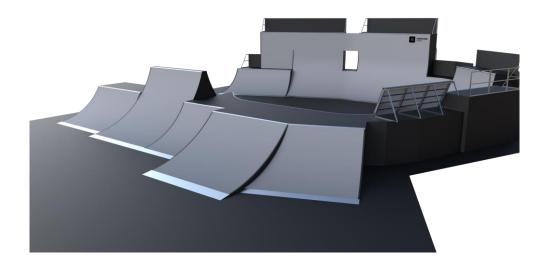
# Program of the competition

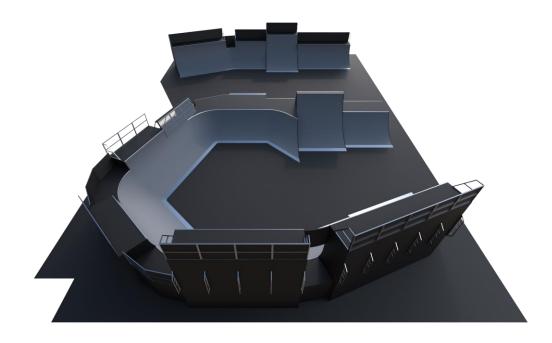
The program of the competition is available on the UCI website.

# Annex 4: BMX Freestyle Park - Design









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