

**WORLD SKATE SLS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP  
2019**

**SAO PAULO - BRASIL**

**DISCIPLINES**

**STREET SKATEBOARDING**

**FROM September 17<sup>th</sup> TO 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019**

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Dear friends,

We are very pleased to announce that the World Skate SLS Street World Championship 2019 will be held in Sao Paulo, Brazil, from September 17th to 22nd 2019.

## TOKYO 2020 QUALIFYING SYSTEM STATUS

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This Event will be classified as World Championship, the top tier of Olympic qualification point earning competitions. The World Championship 2019 will define the seeding for all the Street events in the Olympic qualification season 2, excluding the World Championship 2020.

## VENUE

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The competition will take place at:

### Anhembi Exhibition Pavilion

1209 Santana

02012-021

Sao Paulo - SP - Brazil

North and South Hall

## EVENT CRITERIA

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### ATHLETE'S ELIGIBILITY

As by World Skate competition rules, in order for athletes to register to event, they must either be affiliated to World Skate recognized National Federation and/or having received a Wildcard.

### SEEDING

Seeding into the Street World Championship Quarterfinal and Semifinal, for both Men and Women will use the World Skateboarding Ranking (WSR) as reference. The WSR will be referenced as of after the last Street event before the World Championship.

### **LAST CHANCE QUALIFIER WILDCARDS**

World Championship 2019 is a decisive step into the second season of the Olympic Qualification and a pivot to evermore inclusiveness and harmonization of the system. For this reason, all the skaters listed in the WSR, will have the chance to compete in the event's Open Qualifier.

Athletes that have been previously competing in season #1 and have not been either pre seeded or registered as part of the National Governing Bodies (NGB) Country quota, can apply for a Last Chance Qualifier Wildcard

### **EVENT WILDCARDS**

A limited number of Wildcards will be granted based on, but not limited to, a mix of criteria including competitive results, video submissions made to World Skate, host country citizenship, prior injuries, and/or a lack of an existing and recognized NGB in the country of skater's origin. A maximum of 3 skaters per country may participate as Event Wildcards in the Open Qualifier.

All potential Wildcards must be free of sanctions and must apply by sending an e mail to [platform@worldskate.org](mailto:platform@worldskate.org) before September 9th at 11.59 PM CET

### **OPEN QUALIFIER**

The Open Qualifier round is open to a country quota of 3 athletes registered by World Skate recognized National Governing Body, Event Wildcard and Last Chance Qualifier Wildcard holding athletes.

A minimum of 16 best ranked athletes from the Open Qualifier round will advance to the Quarterfinal

### **QUARTERFINAL SEEDING**

16 skaters ranked from 5th to 20th place in the WSR will be pre-seeded in the Quarterfinal competition round.

The best 16 athletes from the Quarterfinal round will advance to the Semifinal

### **SEMIFINAL SEEDING**

The top 4 skaters ranked 1st to 4th place in the WSR will be pre-seeded in the Semifinal competition round.

The best 8 athletes of the Semi Final will advance to the Final.

**Pre-seeded skaters are required to check in at the competition registration desk the following deadlines:**

- Quarterfinalist: Thursday September 19<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm
- Semifinalists: Friday September 20<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm

In case of no-show or inability to skate, athletes supposed to compete in Quarterfinal and in Semifinal will be replaced with next ranked skater from the Results of previous competition round.

## **PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE**

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### **Tuesday September 17th**

- OQ Practice: Men and Women (practice by assigned heat)

### **Wednesday September 18th**

- OQ Practice: Men and Women (practice by assigned heat)
- Women's Qualifying rounds

### **Thursday September 19th**

- OQ Practice: Men and Women (practice by assigned heat)
- Men's Qualifying rounds
- Women's Quarterfinals

### **Friday September 20<sup>th</sup>**

- Preseeded and qualified riders Practice (practice by assigned heat)

### **Saturday September 21<sup>st</sup>**

- Quarterfinal (Male)
- Semifinal (Female)

### **Sunday September 22<sup>nd</sup>**

- Semifinal (Male)
- Final (Female & Male)

***SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE***

## COUNTRY QUOTA

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National Federations are allowed to register 3 Skaters per Gender. Preseeded skaters do not count against your Country Quota limit.

## COMPETITION FORMAT

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The following competition format applies to Men and Women. In the Open Qualifier, skaters will compete in Jam Format with a single jam composed of maximum 3 skaters with 3 minutes jam session time.

Event phases after the Open Qualifier will be organized using the Olympic contest street format. Each skater will perform 2 runs of 45 seconds and 5 individual trick attempts; the best 4 scores from runs or trick attempts will be added to give the total round score.

- A minimum 16 skaters from the Open Qualifier Ranking will progress to the Quarterfinal.
- A minimum 16 skaters from the Quarterfinal Ranking will progress to the Semifinal.
- The first 8 skaters from the Semifinal Ranking will progress to the Final.

## OFFICIAL HOTEL

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The Official Hotel recommended is:

**Holiday Inn Sao Paulo Parque Anhembi**  
Rua Professor Milton Rodriguez #100  
Parque Anhembi,  
São Paulo - SP, 02009-040, Brazil

Booking Link: <https://streetleague.hotelplanner.com/Event/1d42/>

## REGISTRATION

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The registration to the event will take place through the online World Skate Sports Entry

Platform.

The platform will open on **August 23rd at 00:00 am** and will close on **September 9th at 11.59 pm** (European time).

You can access the Platform through the following link:

<http://platform.worldskate.org/web/>

Please download the User Guide by clicking [here](#).

Remember to use the same username and password you have already been provided. Should you have further question about this matter do not hesitate to contact us

at [platform@worldskate.org](mailto:platform@worldskate.org)

## ENTRY FEE

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Each participating athlete will pay the registration fee of: **200 USD**

**Fees must be paid without additional bank expenses (free of charge)** to World Skate at the following bank account:

BENEFICIARY: WORLD SKATE

BANK: UBS Lausanne

BANK ADDRESS: Place Saint-François 16, 1003 Lausanne, Switzerland

BANK ACCOUNT: 0243-186105.61M

IBAN: CH580024324318610561M

SWIFT/BIC: UBSWCHZH80A

REASON OF PAYMENT (**mandatory**): "SKB Street WC SaoPaolo\_ Athlete Surname and/or NF"

## MINOR PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENT

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Brazilian law mandates that all minors (considered under 18 years old) must have the [Authorization and Declaration of Participation of Child](#) and [Terms of Responsibility](#) forms completed and signed in order to participate in the Open Qualifier or SLS Contest.

These forms must be complete and both minor and authorized signers passport must be included.

**Without this process being completed the athlete may become ineligible to compete.** Forms must be returned to [platform@worldskate.org](mailto:platform@worldskate.org) no later than **September 8, 2019 at 11:59pm**

## INVITATION LETTER AND VISA

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Regarding requests for VISA, we invite you to check the Visa Application Form for Sport Events with the embassy of your Country.

Please keep in mind that, due to the controls by the Brazilian Embassies, the procedures to obtain the VISA could take a longer time, we recommend applying as soon as possible.

Please note that invitation letters can be issued only after performing the registration on World Skate Sports Entry Platform.

**Should you need to request an invitation letter please contact:**

[competition@streetleague.com](mailto:competition@streetleague.com)

## ANTI DOPING

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The anti-doping control will be carried out according to World Skate Medical Regulations and WADA Rules.

Anti-Doping forms will be required for both athletes and staff members. Same applies to pre-seeded riders.

Each of them shall fill out the Anti-Doping form online in the Anti-Doping section of World Skate Platform: <http://platform.worldskate.org/web/>

### [Anti-Doping Form User Guideline](#)

Upon completion of the abovementioned procedure, National Federations will be enabled to register respective athletes and staff members.

## OFFICIAL INFORMATION

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All the official event information will be available online at:

<http://www.worldskate.org/skateboarding>

Do not hesitate to contact us at [sportsdepartment@worldskate.org](mailto:sportsdepartment@worldskate.org)

We look forward to seeing you all in Sao Paolo!



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World Skateboarding Commission  
Chairman



Roberto Marotta  
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