



Downhill Skateboarding & Street Luge World Championships 2023

Tagaytay - Philippines

DOWNHILL
SKATEBOARDING & STREET LUGE

FROM February 22nd TO February 25th 2024

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RACE TRACK

The competition will take place in [Sampaloc Tagaytay-Talisay Rd.](#).
Some of the track specifications are approximately as follows:

- Elevation gain: 298m
- Track distance: 2300m
- Expected top speed (Stand up): 80km/h

REGISTRATION DATES AND MODALITY

The registration process will be carried out through the World Skate Infinity platform.

World Skate Infinity is available on [desktop](#) (browser) and App Version on [Play Store \(Android\)](#) and [App Store \(iOS\)](#).

Single Users (Athletes and National Team Officials) must individually sign up in the App or desktop version and create a profile (if they have not done so already) with all the required data and information, as well as uploading the mandatory documents: passport copy, profile picture (headshot), Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate.

Any single user who fails to complete the above-mentioned steps will not be eligible for event registration.

Once Athletes and National Team Officials have completed their profile on Infinity, they will be eligible to be registered for the event by their National Federation of belonging.

Payments will be processed through Infinity by credit/debit card or bank transfer.

Registration dates:

January 15th - February 9th

Registration price:

275 USD per athlete.

The price will be the same for all disciplines.

Wild Card request deadline is set on February 1st.

Should you need any further information about Infinity, please reach us out at platform@worldskate.org.

Application for Neutral Athletes:

The eligible Athletes who want to participate in this event as “Neutral Athletes” can send an application based on the “[Eligibility Criteria for the participation of Russian and Belarusian Athletes](#)” by sending an email to legal@worldskate.org **no later than February 7th.**

TIME TRIAL FORMAT MODIFICATIONS

Time trials will adopt a *Shootout* format for this event.

The Shootout format consists of three timed runs, in which, for each gender and discipline:

- 1st Run: all athletes will be participating in this run.
- 2nd Run: 50% of the best timed athletes in the 1st Run will qualify for the 2nd Run.
- 3rd Run: the 10 best timed athletes in the 2nd Run will qualify for the 3rd Run.

The fastest qualifier awards will be determined from the 3rd Run of time trial only.

The Race Brackets will still be defined by the overall qualification in the Time Trial phase.

ADDITIONAL TECHNICAL MODIFICATIONS

During practice, any athlete having a time more than 50% slower than the fastest person (of the same discipline) may be excluded from timed qualifying, starting from the 1st Run, at the discretion of World Skate.

PRE-SEEDED ATHLETES

The final results in the Philippines World Championships 2023 will define a set of *Pre-seeded* athletes.

The Pre-seeded athletes will be the top 5 ranked athletes in each discipline and gender. The defined Pre-Seeded athletes will get the following benefits for the next World Skate event:

- not count against their country's rider quota;
- will automatically be eligible for the 2nd Run of time trial. Their positions in the 2nd Run will be on top of the 50% of riders eligible for that round.

UPDATED RULEBOOK

Throughout the past years, we have been learning from the races and listening to the athletes. Out of it, we have come up with updates on the Rulebook intended to make the competition fairer, more spectacular and entertaining, such as the hereby announced Time Trial Shootout format and the Pre-Seeded qualification. Please, read thoroughly the new Rulebook [here](#).

We will provide a Q&A session after the Technical Meeting at Tagaytay for you to expose your doubts or concerns.

PRIZE MONEY

The total amount for prize money will be 10.000 USD, which will be distributed equally throughout disciplines and gender categories, according to the following table:

	Skateboarding	Street Luge
Men	1st position - 1500 USD 2nd position - 750 USD 3rd position - 250 USD	1st position - 1500 USD 2nd position - 750 USD 3rd position - 250 USD
Women	1st position - 1500 USD 2nd position - 750 USD 3rd position - 250 USD	1st position - 1500 USD 2nd position - 750 USD 3rd position - 250 USD

OFFICIAL INFORMATION

Do not hesitate to contact us at downhill.skateboarding@worldskate.org for any questions or concerns regarding Downhill and or Street Luge.

Thank you, Best Regards



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