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# WORLD SKATE GAMES 2024 - INLINE FREESTYLE

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# CATEGORIES

Speed Slalom, Freestyle Slalom Classic, Pair Slalom, Freestyle Slalom Battle, Freestyle Slide, Free Jump



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We are glad to provide you with the following information regarding the qualification system to the TWG 2025.

## THE WORLD GAMES CHENGDU 2025 (TWG2025) QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

At the World Games Chengdu 2025 Inline Freestyle will make its first appearance. The disciplines to qualify are Speed Slalom and Classic Slalom.

The thirty-six (36) Senior athletes selected to participate in TWG Chengdu 2025 will earn their quotas through any of the following:

- A. The World Skate Games Italia 2024 will grant twenty-four (24) quotas.
- B. Host Country (China) has eight (8) pre-allocated quotas.
- C. The World Games Series Hong Kong will grant four (4) quotas in October 2024.

Each National Federation will be able to obtain a maximum of eight (8) quotas:

- Speed Slalom Two (2) female quotas
- Speed Slalom Two (2) male quotas
- Classic Slalom Two (2) female quotas
- Classic Slalom Two (2) male quotas

Athletes' selection will be as described below:

#### A. The World Skate Games - Italy 2024

This World Championship is the qualifying competition to select the **first twenty four (24) quotas** from the participant National Federations (except China as it is the host country). They will be selected from the final ranking of each of the four following events:

- Speed Slalom six (6) best Senior ranked women\*
- Speed Slalom six (6) best Senior ranked men\*
- Classic Slalom six (6) best Senior ranked women\*
- Classic Slalom six (6) best Senior ranked men\*

\* In case a National Federation has already completed its country quota, the next skater in the ranking -from a different country- will earn the slot.

The obtained quotas are allocated to National Federations, which shall select and register athletes by March 30th 2025. Further information regarding the registration process will be shared at a later stage.



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#### B. \*The World Games Series - Hong Kong, October 2024

The World Games Series is a new event from TWG and the first ever will take place in Hong Kong on October 11-13, 2024.

This Event is the second qualifying competition to select the remaining **four (4) quotas** for the World Games Chengdu 2025. The first place of each discipline will earn the quota for one's National Federation:

- Speed Slalom Women Winner (1).
- Speed Slalom Men Winner (1).
- Classic Slalom Women Winner (1).
- Classic Slalom Men Winner (1).
- C. Host Country

China, as the host country, will have eight (8) allocated quotas: two (2) men / two (2) women in Speed Slalom and two (2) men / two (2) women in Classic Slalom.

### **\*THE WORLD GAMES SERIES HONG KONG - QUALIFICATION SYSTEM**

During the World Skate Games Italy 2024, 6 athletes will get the quota for their National Federation to participate in Chengdu 2025.

The next 5 best athletes per Discipline and per Gender will earn - for their National Federation - the country quota to participate in the World Games Series Hong Kong in October 2024, to compete for the remaining four (4) places to Chengdu 2025.

Therefore, the overall twenty (20) athletes -plus four (4) quotas for the event organizing country- are qualified as follows:

- Speed Slalom Women five (5) places
- Speed Slalom Men five (5) places
- Classic Slalom Women five (5) places
- Classic Slalom Men five (5) places
- Plus four (4) quotas, one (1) per discipline and gender, for Hong Kong NF as the event Organizing country.

The winner of each one of the Disciplines per gender will obtain the remaining quota to TWG2025.



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#### Important Notes:

-When a National Federation has already completed the maximum quota, then the following place will be attributed.

-The World Games Series will provide flight tickets, internal transportation and full board to the qualified athletes.

-Athletes needing a visa to enter Hong Kong will receive an invitation letter. Please be informed of your specific case by consulting the information provided by the Hong Kong government's immigration website:

https://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html

Due to the short time period to the event, the athlete and his/her National Federation are asked to do the request at the shortest delay.

If there is a strong possibility not to obtain the visa, it is the responsibility of the corresponding athlete and Team Leader to declare it immediately to the Technical Commission.

-A designated person by the Technical Commission will reach out to each Team Leader having athletes in the disciplines (Speed and Classic Slalom) in order to clarify and agree on the procedures.

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Looking forward to seeing you there!

Best regards,

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