

USA SWIMMING

2009-2010 INTERNATIONAL TEAM SELECTION SUMMARY

The intent of this document is to give athletes and coaches an overview of the selection meets for the 2009-2012 Quad. All selection criteria and dates are subject to change. Any questions can be directed to Lindsay Mintenko at lmintenko@usaswimming.org For full qualifying criteria, see www.usaswimming.org/nationalteam.

QUALIFYING COMPETITION: 2010 CONOCOPHILLIPS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Irvine, California; August 3-7, 2010

2010 Pan Pacific Championships -- Irvine, California; August 18-22

- ❖ Twenty-six men and twenty-six women
- ❖ Top place finisher in each Olympic event plus the top four finishers in 100m and 200m freestyle
- ❖ Second and third place finishers will be added based on doubles and world rankings until maximum team size is achieved
- ❖ An athlete can swim any event at the Pan Pacific Championships, not just the qualifying event

2011 FINA World Championships -- Shanghai, China; July 24-31

- ❖ Maximum team size is twenty-six men and twenty-six women
- ❖ Results from the 2010 ConocoPhillips National Champs (A,B,C Finals) and the 2010 Pan Pacific Championships (Prelims, A, B Finals) will be combined. For timed finals events, all times swum will be considered. Time trials, relay lead offs and swim offs are not used for selection.
- ❖ Top place in each Olympic event plus the top four finishers in 100m and 200m freestyle
- ❖ Second place will be added based on double and world rankings
- ❖ Selected athletes may not participate in the World University Games
- ❖ 50 events will be chosen from 100m stroke events
- ❖ 800 for men will be chosen based on the highest world ranking in 400 and 1500 free
- ❖ 1500 for women will be chosen based on the highest world ranking in 800 free

2011 World University Games -- Shenzhen, China; August 8-14

- ❖ Must have been enrolled in University in Spring 2011 or will be enrolled in Fall 2011
- ❖ Selected athletes may not participate in the World Championships
- ❖ Highest place eligible finisher in each Olympic event plus the top 4 in 100m and 200m freestyle
- ❖ Second highest place finishers will be added based on doubles and world rankings
- ❖ If non-Olympic events are conducted, selection will follow the 2011 World Champs procedure

2010 FINA Short Course World Championships – Dubai, United Arab Emirates; December 15-19

- ❖ Maximum team size is twenty-six men and twenty-six women
- ❖ Results from the 2010 ConocoPhillips National Champs (A,B,C Finals) and the 2010 Pan Pacific Championships (Prelims, A, B Finals) will be combined. For timed finals events, all times swum will be considered. Time trials, relay lead offs and swim offs are not used for selection
- ❖ Top swimmer in each Olympic event and the top four swimmers in the 100m and 200m freestyle.
- ❖ The second athlete in each Olympic event other than the 100m and 200m freestyle will be added based on world ranking
- ❖ 50m events will be chosen from 100m stroke events
- ❖ 800m for men will be chosen from athletes already named to the team based on the highest LCM world ranking in 400m and 1500m free
- ❖ 1500m for women will be chosen from athletes already named to the team based on the highest LCM world ranking in 800m free
- ❖ 100m IM will be chosen from athletes already named to the team based on the highest LCM world ranking in the 200m IM

2010 Junior Pan Pacific Championship – Maui, Hawaii; August 26-30

- ❖ Twenty boys and twenty girls
- ❖ Top swimmer in each Olympic event
- ❖ Second place swimmers will be added based on World Rankings until max team size is achieved
- ❖ Athletes entering their freshman year of University in Fall 2010 are eligible to make this team

QUALIFYING COMPETITION: 2010 OPEN WATER 10K NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Long Beach, California; June 4-6, 2010

2010 FINA Open Water World Championships – Roberval, Quebec, CAN; July 15-23

- ❖ Two athletes per gender per events
- ❖ First place finisher in the 10K can elect to participate in the 5K, 25K, or both
- ❖ Second place finisher in the 10K can elect to participate in the 5K, 25K, or both
- ❖ Third place finisher can elect to participate in unfilled spots in the 5K, 25K, or both
- ❖ Unfilled spots will be offered to fourth, fifth, and sixth place finishers until team is full, selection will not continue past the sixth place finisher
- ❖ Athletes must finish within twenty minutes of the overall winner

2010 Pan Pacific Championships – Irvine, California; August 22

- ❖ Four men and four women
- ❖ Athletes may swim World Championships and Pan Pacific Championships
- ❖ 5K and 10K athletes may not turn down World Champs to attend Pan Pacs
- ❖ 25K athletes may turn down World Champs to attend Pan Pacs
- ❖ Selection will not continue past the sixth place finisher
- ❖ Athletes may swim both open water and pool events at Pan Pacs
- ❖ Athletes must finish within twenty minutes of the overall winner

QUALIFYING COMPETITION: 2011 CONOCOPHILLIPS NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Palo Alto, California; August 2-6, 2011

2011 Pan American Games – Guadalajara, Mexico; October 15-22

- ❖ Maximum team size is twenty-six men and twenty-six women
- ❖ Top place finisher in each Olympic event plus the top four finishers in 100m and 200m freestyle
- ❖ Second place finishers will be added based on doubles and world rankings

FINA World Junior Championships – Lima, Peru; August TBD, 2011

- ❖ Twenty-six boys and twenty-six girls
- ❖ Results from the 2011 National Champs and the 2011 Junior Champs will be combined
- ❖ Top swimmer in each Olympic event
- ❖ Second place swimmers added based on World Rankings until the max team size is achieved.

QUALIFYING COMPETITION: 2012 US OLYMPIC TEAM TRIALS

Omaha, Nebraska; June 25-July 2, 2012

2012 Olympic Games – London, GBR; July 28-August 4

- ❖ Maximum team size twenty-six men and twenty-six women
- ❖ Top place finisher in each Olympic event plus the top four finishers in 100m and 200m freestyle
- ❖ Second place finishers will be added based on doubles and world rankings
- ❖ Fifth and sixth place finishers in the 100m and 200m freestyle will be added based on doubles

2012 Junior Pan Pacific Championships – Location TBD; August 23-27

- ❖ Twenty boys and twenty girls
- ❖ Combined results from the 2012 US Olympic Trials, 2012 US Open, 2012 Speedo Junior Champs
- ❖ Top swimmer in each Olympic event
- ❖ Second place swimmers will be added based on World Rankings until the maximum team size is achieved.