



2022 Senior National Team Selection Criteria

The MPC will meet following the conclusion of the 2022 Winter Cup to name the Men's Senior National Team. An Independent Observer will be assigned to the MPC meetings to ensure proper process is followed for selection.

I. Selection to Senior National Team (subject to change)

- The MPC will name athletes to the Senior National Team following the 2022 Winter Cup, according to the following criteria:
 - Any medalist from the 2021 World Championships
 - The top five (5) AA athletes in rank order from the AA finals competition on Day 1
 - Up to five (5) athletes by rank order from the 10-point program final results (combined Day 1 and Day 2), not already named to the National Team
 - Up to two (2) Individual Event specialist selections that meet the set minimum benchmarks listed below
 - Up to three (3) athletes by Discretionary Selection Criteria and/or petition
 - Senior Development Team athletes (5) will maintain their spots on the SDT earned through 2021 US Championships. In the event a current Senior Dev Team member makes the Sr. National Team, that athlete will be replaced based on AA D-Score results from Day 1.
 - Any accepted petitions will replace spots designated from 10-point program final results (5) or from spots designated for discretionary selection.
- Individual Event selection spots must meet the following criteria for selection to the National Team:
 - Achieve a FIG D score on either day of competition, which must be within the top three (3) highest D scores from IE finals at the 2021 World Championships. Vault must be a 2-score average of both vaults from each day, and
 - Must be the event winner (determined by 2-day combined total)
 - If no athletes meet these criteria, or more than two (2) athletes meet these criteria, the MPC may award the IE spots by discretionary selection from the list of event winners
- Discretionary Criteria includes the following:
 - D scores on each apparatus – competitive D scores with finalists from major FIG international events
 - E scores on each apparatus – competitive E scores with finalists from major FIG international events
 - Overall competitiveness with top international athletes
- MPC approved petitions. Petitions must include petition form found here:
<https://usagym.org/PDFs/Men/Rules/Rules%20and%20Policies/injury-petition.pdf>

The official announcement of the complete Men's Senior National Team will be made by USAG following all necessary MPC National Team selection meetings. Official minutes from MPC meetings and Independent Observer will be published on the USAG website.