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2023 Cadet (U18) World Championships - August 23-26, Zagreb (CRO) & Cadet (U18) Pan American/Oceania Championships – September 8, 2023, Calgary Ab.

I - INTRODUCTION

This selection procedure applies to the following weight classes:

Men	Women
Under 50 kg (-50 kg)	Under 40 kg (-40 kg)
Over 50 kg and under 55 kg (-55 kg)	Over 40 kg and under 44 kg (-44 kg)
Over 55 kg and under 60 kg (-60 kg)	Over 44 kg and under 48 kg (-48 kg)
Over 60 kg and under 66 kg (-66 kg)	Over 48 kg and under 52 kg (-52 kg)
Over 66 kg and under 73 kg (-73 kg)	Over 52 kg and under 57 kg (-57 kg)
Over 73 kg and under 81 kg (-81 kg)	Over 57 kg and under 63 kg (-63 kg)
Over 81 kg and under 90 kg (-90 kg)	Over 63 kg and under 70 kg (-70 kg)
Over 90 kg (+90 kg)	Over 70 kg (+70 kg)

The IJF allows each country a maximum quota of 10 male and 10 female athletes, with a maximum of two athletes per weight category.

II - FUNDING

Judo Canada will provide funding for the Cadet World Championships and Cadet Pan American Championships for Olympic weight class only as follows:

1. D: full funding of participation and preparation events
2. E or below: self-funded

III - ELIGIBILITY

1. Athletes must have Canadian citizenship or be approved immigrants as per IJF standards (see page 16:https://78884ca60822a34fb0e6-082b8fd5551e97bc65e327988b444396.ssl.cf3.rackcdn.com/up/2021/05/IJF_Sport_and_Organisation_Rul-1622041960.pdf) and be a member in good standing of Judo Canada to be eligible for selection.
2. **All athletes must have competed at the 2023 Open National championships and 2023 Open National Championships camp unless granted an exemption by Judo Canada.**

IV - SELECTION PROCEDURES

The Cadet (U18) Open National championships (May 19, 2023. Montreal, Quebec) will serve as the main selection event for both events:

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Case 1: The gold medallist of each weight category will be selected if eligible and if he is the number one seed as per seeding criteria define in the Sanctioning Policy & Tournament Standard (page 15-16). The seeding order will be published prior to the event.

Case 2: In a weight category where the gold medallist is not the number one seed as per the seeding criteria defined in the Sanctioning Policy & Tournament Standard (page 15-16). A one bout fight-off will occur at least 30 minutes after the final of the category between the number one seed and the winner of the Open Nationals 2023. The winner of this fight will be selected. An athlete that is not able to compete due to injury will loose by Fusen-gachi.

The remaining quota will be completed in order of priority:

- National Team Standards
- National Team Points

V - MANDATORY PREPARATION EVENTS

TBC

A failure to live up to the preparation program, as determined by the National coaching staff, will result in withdrawal of selection. Such a recommendation must be supported by the High Performance Committee. Should an athlete not be able to participate in one or more of the above events due to injury, he/she must send notice of the injury, diagnosis and anticipated return to training, to the High Performance Director within seven days of the injury, in order to still be considered for selection.

VI - APPEALS TO SELECTION

Appeals to selection are limited to incorrect application of policy or procedures. In the case of an appeal, a “Grievance Procedure” will apply as per current Judo Canada Policy.

VII - INJURY OF A TEAM MEMBER DURING PREPARATION PHASE

Athletes are required to report all performance-limiting injuries or medical operations that occur after their selection. An injured athlete that is unable to undergo full training, including regular scrimmage during the two-week period prior to departure, may be withdrawn from the team.

VIII - ALTERNATES

Judo Canada is under no obligation to select an alternate. Only athletes who meet the minimum standard may be named as alternates.

IX - UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES

In the case of any unforeseen circumstances arising during the selection process, the High Performance Committee of Judo Canada will rule on the course of action.