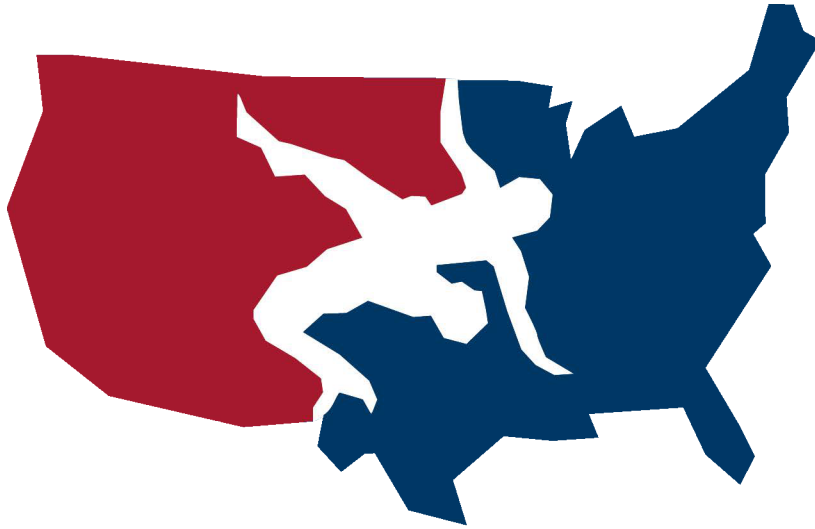


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# USA WRESTLING

**2025 UWW U23 Greco-Roman  
Pan American & World Team  
Selection Procedures**

**UWW U23 PAN AM & WORLD TEAM  
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## 2025 UWW U23 Pan Am & World Team Selection

### Eligible athletes:

- Must be a citizen or be a USA permanent resident of the United States of America
- Born 2002-2007 (must turn 18 in the calendar year)

### Tournament format:

- Two-day format with a best-of-three series in the finals
- No true third bouts will be wrestled
- Byes will be placed with seeded wrestlers first, in order of seed
- Weigh-ins will follow current UWW rules

### 2025 Pan American Championships

April 11-13, 2025 @ Queretaro, Mexico

### Pan Am team selection:

1. Rank order placing (1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>) from the 2024 U23 Nationals (Geneva, OH)
2. If 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> ranked athletes from the 2024 U23 Men's National Championships decline the opportunity, National Team coaches will make a recommendation to the Greco-Roman Sport Committee for final approval.

### 2025 World Championships

October 20-26, 2025 @ Novi Sad, Serbia

### World team selection: (listed in rank order for selection)

1. The highest ranked, age eligible, athlete from 2025 U.S Senior Greco-Roman Open/Senior Greco-Roman World Team Trials
  1. 2025 U.S Senior Greco-Roman Open/Senior Greco-Roman World Team Trials winner, 2025 U.S Senior Greco-Roman Open/Senior Greco-Roman World Team Trials runner-up and 2025 U.S Senior Greco-Roman Open/Senior Greco-Roman World Team Trials 3<sup>rd</sup> place in rank order at the same weight category the athlete participated in the 2025 U.S Senior Greco-Roman Open/Senior Greco-Roman World Team Trials Deadline for this athlete to accept the position will be **Monday, June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025 @ 5:00pm Mountain Time**
    1. Confirmation sent to Herb House via email [hhouse@usawrestling.org](mailto:hhouse@usawrestling.org)
2. U23 National Champion
  1. If an athlete from criteria #1 accepts the World Team spot at a weight, an opportunity will be provided to represent USA on a foreign tour event (funding comparable to U23 World Team Member)
  2. Invite to summer national team camp (room, board and facility access funded)
3. If no age eligible national team athlete accepts the opportunity to compete at U23 World Tournament or if U23 Champion declines, 2<sup>nd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> place finisher at the U23 Nationals following rank order will be selected for the U23 World Championships
4. National team coaches will make a recommendation to the Greco-Roman Sport Committee for final approval

**Event registration:** All athletes wishing to compete at the **UWW U23 World Team Trials** MUST register online via [www.usawmembership.com](http://www.usawmembership.com)

For questions about event information, please contact Pete Isais USA Wrestling Director of Events at 719.598.8181 or email [pisais@usawrestling.org](mailto:pisais@usawrestling.org)

**For questions on specific style criteria concerning the UWW U23 World Team Trials process, contact Cody Bickley, USA Wrestling National Teams High Performance Director, at (719) 598-8181 or [cbickley@usawrestling.org](mailto:cbickley@usawrestling.org)**

**Late registration:** Athletes who fail to register online for the trials will be charged all applicable fees and a late fee payable at registration.

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To further our chances of performing well at the world level, USA Wrestling will incorporate the U23 Worlds with a pre-worlds training camp. In addition, USA Wrestling is looking to provide an opportunity to compete internationally, as well as provide further training before the U23 World Championships. This may require that some of the funding come from the individuals themselves and/or their clubs or universities.

The camp schedule will be:

- Approximately two weeks of preparation, focusing on techniques and drills. The athletes will be expected to arrive in competition shape with their weight under control. Hard wrestling will not be required between wrestlers in the same weight category unless requested.
- Any required expenses on the athlete's part will be discussed and guidance will be given to help athletes get expense money together with dates established for receiving any funds needed.
- *Camps will NOT be required, but highly encourage* Greco-Roman will have camps prior to departure for the World Championships. Camps will be held at locations where the Senior National Team camps are held. Questions should be directed to Herb House.

There will be a team meeting following the finals of the World Team Trials event. Departure needs to be arranged after this meeting.

**UWW U23 Greco-Roman Nationals**

**\*Please check USAW events schedule for specific details.**

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