



QUALIFICATION CRITERIA 2022/2023 FOR THE FIS PARA SNOWBOARD

**WORLD CUP
CONTINENTAL CUP**

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1. FIS Para Snowboard World Cup

- 1.1 To compete in the World Cup competitions all Athletes must:
- have a valid 2022/2023 FIS licence issued in accordance with the art. 203 of the Para Snowboard International Competition Rules (“ICR”); and
 - be internationally classified with a Sport Class Status Confirmed (C) or Review (R) with a Fixed Review Date 2023 or later (i.e. Review 2023 or later).
- 1.2 To be qualified to start in Snowboard Cross:
- Men must have a minimum of 100 FIS Points in Snowboard Cross.
 - Women must have a minimum of 100 FIS Points in Snowboard Cross.
- 1.3 To be qualified to start in Banked Slalom and Dual Banked Slalom:
- Men must have a minimum of 100 FIS Points in Snowboard Cross or Banked Slalom.
 - Women must have a minimum of 100 FIS Points in Snowboard Cross or Banked Slalom.
- 1.4 Wildcards
- Wild Cards can be requested for a FIS Snowboard Cross, Banked Slalom and Dual Banked Slalom World Cup.

Nations applying for Wild Cards must send an application e-mail to parasnowboard@fis-ski.com no later than 24 hours before the TC meeting preceding the competition or hand over to the competition Jury a written application before the TC meeting preceding the competition

The only applications that will be considered are from athletes that have already started in a minimum of two CoC competitions but did not manage to acquire the required amount of FIS Points to start in the World Cup, due to the low number of participants in their category.

The competition Jury will decide in its discretion (based on riding ability) on allocation of Wild Cards for the requested World Cup event.

2 FIS Para Snowboard Continental Cup

- 2.1 To compete in the Continental Cup competitions all Athletes must:
- have a valid 2022/2023 FIS licence issued in accordance with the art. 203 of the ICR.
- 2.2 FIS Para Snowboard Continental Cup remains open for all Athletes, including the Athletes with a Sport Class Status New (N) that may compete in accordance with the art. 304 of the Para Snowboard ICR.

3 Under-Represented Sport Classes

3.1 If certain Sports Classes have low representation (fewer than 3 Athletes) at a competition, FIS may decide to combine the medal events in that competition as set out in the tables below. Such a decision to combine medal events will be announced by FIS during the Team Captains' Meeting. In such cases, Athletes must compete in the combined medal event. If the number of entered Athletes in a Sport Class is three or more, the medal events will not be combined, and the Athletes must compete in their own Sport Class.

3.1.1 Snowboard Cross

Medal Event	Eligible Sport Classes
• SBX Upper Limb	• SB-UL
• SBX Lower Limb 1	• SB-LL1
• SBX Lower Limb 2	• SB-LL2 and SB-LL1

3.1.2 Banked Slalom and Dual Banked Slalom

Medal Event	Eligible Sport Classes
• BSL/DBSL Upper Limb	• SB-UL
• BSL/DBSL Lower Limb 1	• SB-LL1
• BSL/DBSL Lower Limb 2	• SB-LL2 and SB-LL1