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## **CYCLING CANADA**

### **NATIONAL TEAM SELECTION POLICY**

**SPECIFIC CONDITIONS AND CRITERIA  
FOR SELECTION TO THE 2019 E-MTB WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS**

*Effective April 1, 2019*

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## INTRODUCTION

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The purpose of this section is to provide the membership with the information relative to the mechanism by which Cycling Canada (CC) will select its representatives to the 2019 E-MTB World Championships.

### 1. GENERAL

- a. **Events:** This Schedule covers selection for the following Events, subject to Clause 2.b of this policy (right to vary team size or not to enter team):

Dates	Project	Location	Application Deadline
Sept. 15, 2019	E-MTB World Championships	Mont-Sainte-Anne (CAN)	July 28, 2019

- b. Riders must complete Cycling Canada's online application form by the application deadline to be eligible for selection.
- c. Selection is open to any rider who is a Canadian citizen at the time of nomination, who possesses an international UCI racing license that lists the athlete's Nationality as Canadian, and whose license is not currently suspended.
- d. All riders participating in the event shall be responsible for all costs incurred to attend the event including all expenses related to travel and accommodations, and pay the \$250.00 team fee which will include a National team kit, and support including an On-Site team manager. Riders' personal sponsors may benefit from advertising space on their uniforms, within the constraints imposed by the UCI regulations. Any costs associated with this will be the responsibility of the athlete. Riders withdrawing after the application deadline will not be reimbursed for any fees paid.
- e. Riders competing for Canada must wear the National Team jersey and shorts, sign the National Team Agreement, complete the 2019 National Team form (including CCES online anti-doping education) and adhere to the Cycling Canada Code of Conduct.

### 2. E-MTB WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

- a. **Category:** Elite Women and Elite Men
- b. **Team Size:** As host nation, Canada can enter up to **30** Women (A Team 15, B Team 15) and **30** Men (A Team 15, B Team 15). Cycling Canada reserves the right to increase, decrease or reconfigure team size or quotas based the expert opinion of the HPD, or other factors not under Cycling Canada's control.
- c. **Eligibility:** All licensed riders age 19 or older as of Dec. 31, 2019.
- d. **Selection Date:** Aug. 1, 2019 (Athletes will be notified of their selection following application)
- e. **Selection:** Due to this being the first year of sanctioned E-MTB competition and there being no official E-MTB events in Canada or international ranking, riders will be selected based on the following ranked criteria:
- Selection will be based on order of application. The application window will open on May 1, 2019, and close on July 28, 2019. The first 30 Women and First 30 Men to register will receive a slot. Riders will then have until Aug. 1, 2019, to pay their team fee, complete the National Team Agreement, complete the online anti-doping education and submit their accommodation details for the World Championships\*. If these obligations are not completed by the deadline, slots will be forfeited and re-allocated to the next athlete in priority.
  - Any riders beyond the first 30 to apply will be put on a waiting list and will be allocated any returned slots based on the order of application. This allocation will happen on August 1 2019 and riders will have 24 hours to confirm the use of their slot by payment of the team fee.

\* Cycling Canada is required to submit accommodation details for all competing athletes to the UCI for anti-doping purposes

#### APPENDIX 1: E-MOUNTAIN BIKE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SELECTION TIMELINE

Date	Event
May 1, 2019	Online application window opens
July 28, 2019	Online application window closes
Aug. 1, 2019	Selection deadline – Selected riders must provide all required information and payment by this day to maintain their slot.
Aug. 1, 2019	Allocation of any returned slots to riders on the waiting list
Aug. 2 2019	Deadline for athletes who receive waiting list slots to submit required information and payment.

**Competition Information:** [https://www.uci.org/docs/default-source/official-documents/2019-uci-mountain-bike-world-championships---all/2019-uci-mtb-world-championships---e-mtb-information---march-2019.pdf?sfvrsn=9b927d49\\_4](https://www.uci.org/docs/default-source/official-documents/2019-uci-mountain-bike-world-championships---all/2019-uci-mtb-world-championships---e-mtb-information---march-2019.pdf?sfvrsn=9b927d49_4)