

Olympic Solidarity and Development

Online call with member associations

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Olympic quotas

Additional quotas allocated in three continents:

- Americas
- Asia
- Africa

Total of **28/64 women's** and **31/64 men's** quotas are allocated, [see quota tracker here](#).

Next event: Pacific Games – Oceania mixed team quota

Applications for invitation places (2+2) are opened via your NOCs. [List of eligible countries here](#).



Executive Board meeting on 15-16 December

- Bylaws that were submitted by 15 November
- Event allocations
- Ad hoc committee appointments

Call for nominations, ad hoc committees CVs to be sent by 30 November:

- Gender Equity
- Sustainability
- Masters 50+



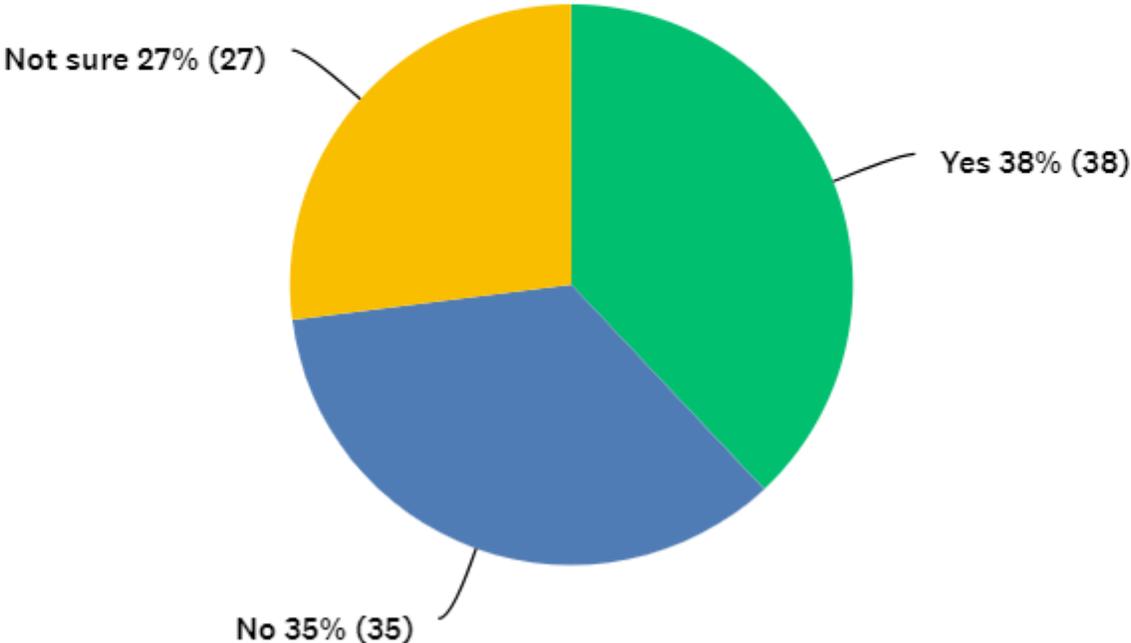
Olympic Solidarity programmes



Questions to members

Has your federation ever had support from Olympic Solidarity in the last 4 years?

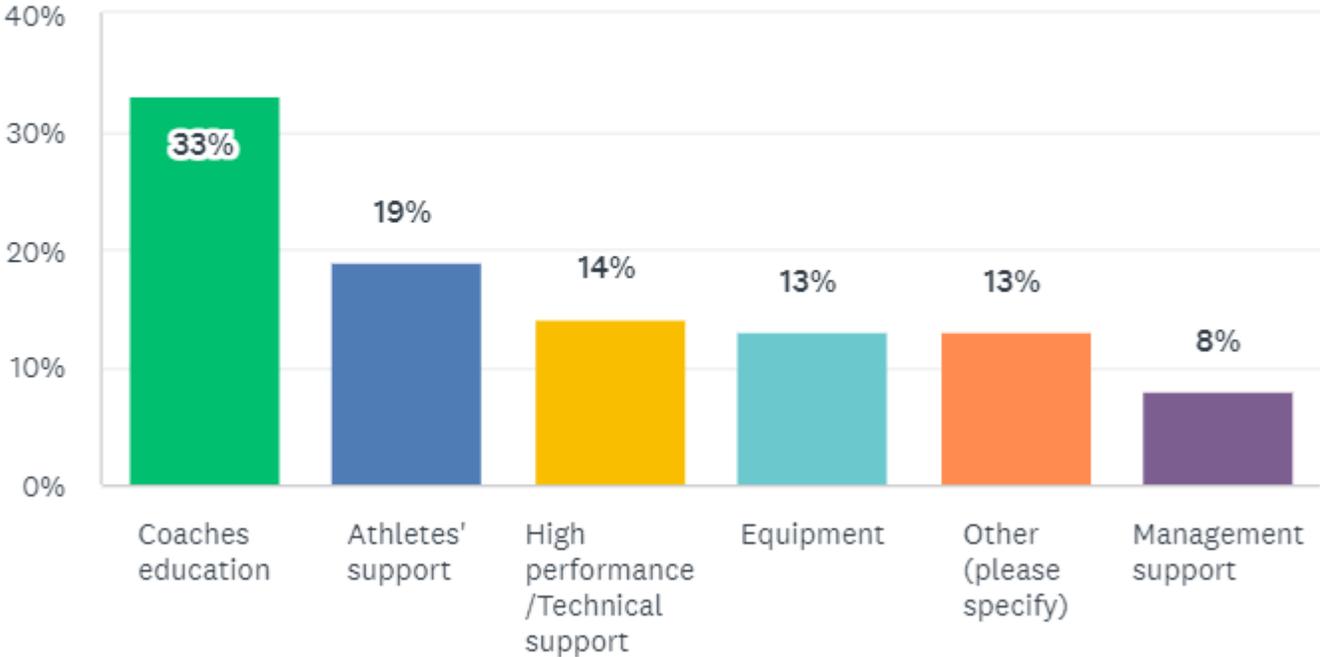
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Questions to members

Which type of assistance is your federation in greatest need?

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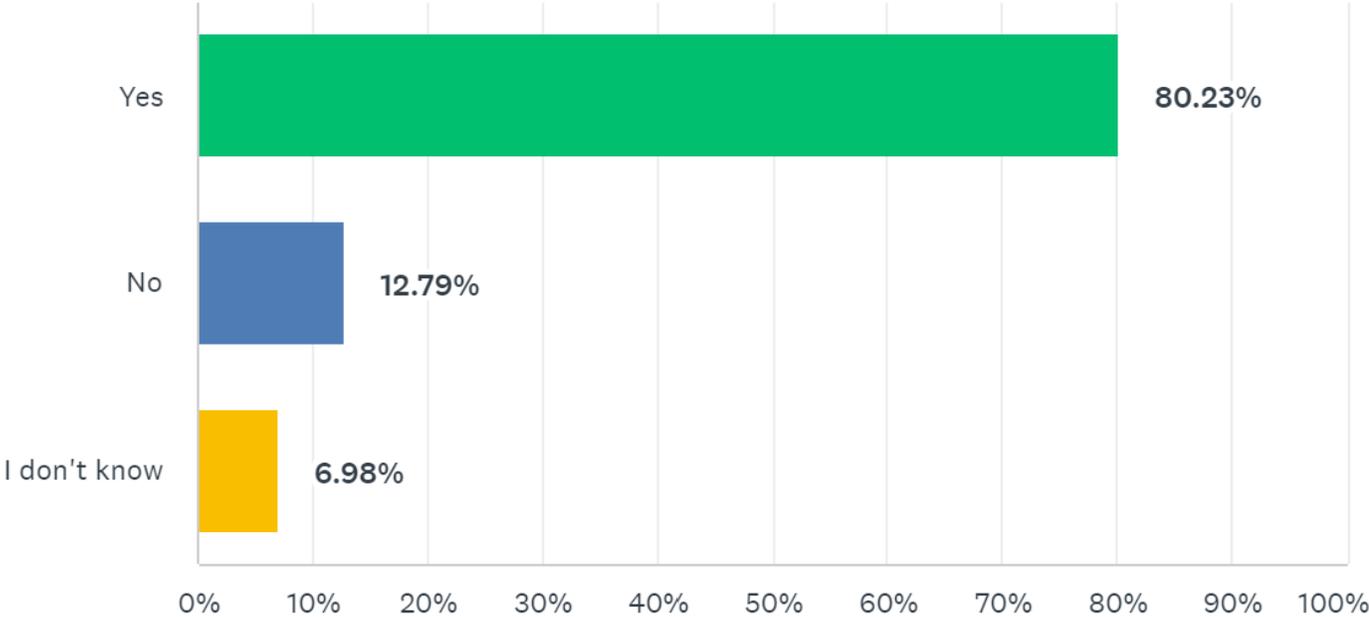


Questions to members



Does your federation have a strategic plan that is valid at least until 2024?

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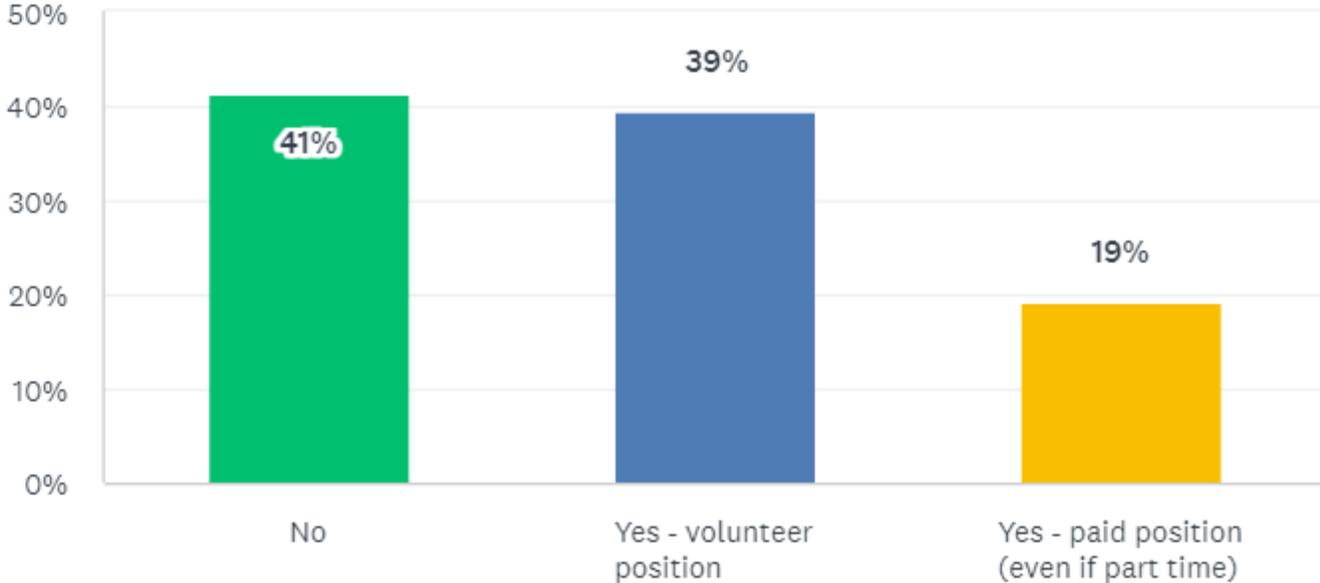


Questions to members



Does your federation have a dedicated development officer?

Answered: 99 Skipped: 1





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Check the intro video here:
[English](#) – [Français](#) – [Español](#)



What is Olympic Solidarity?

Provide assistance to all NOCs for athlete development, training of coaches and sports administrators, and promoting the Olympic values (Olympic charter, rule 5)

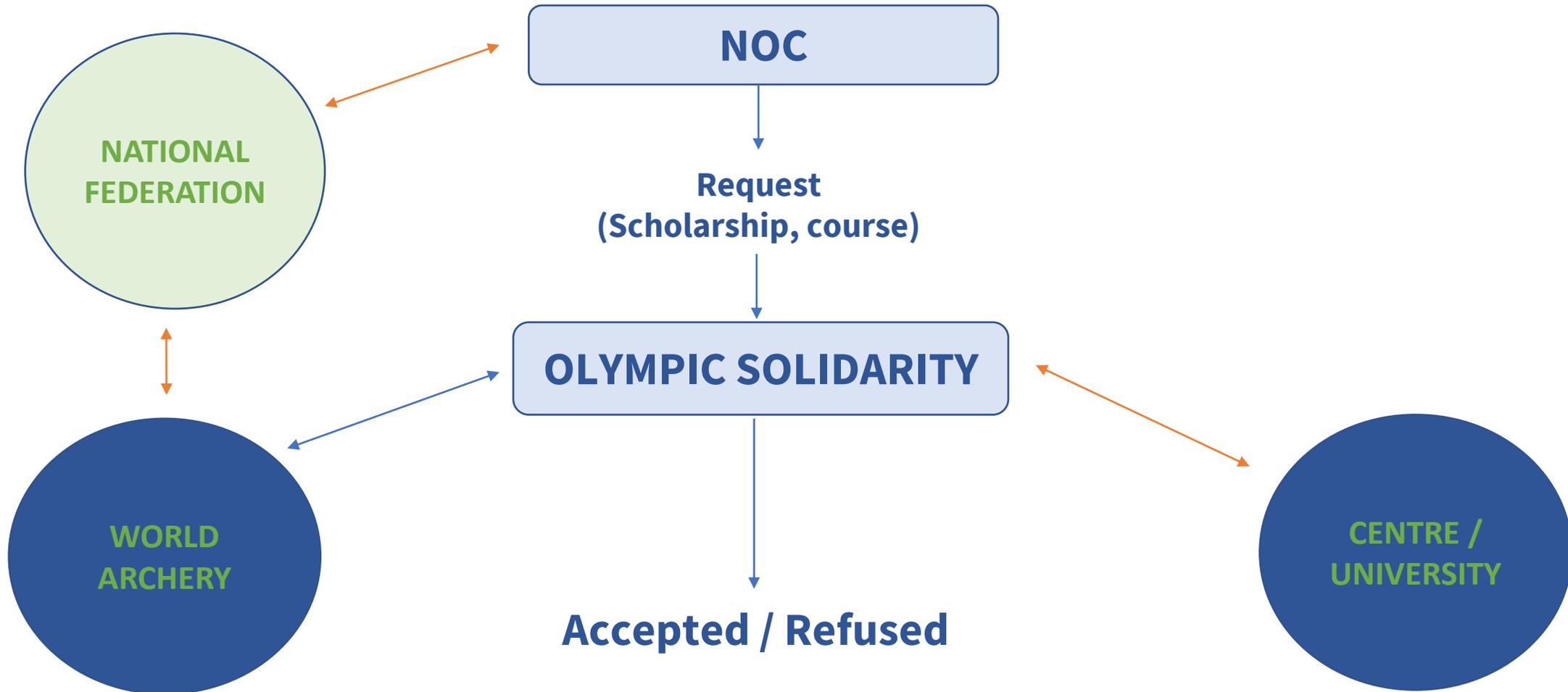


Olympic Solidarity: 2021-2024 Plan



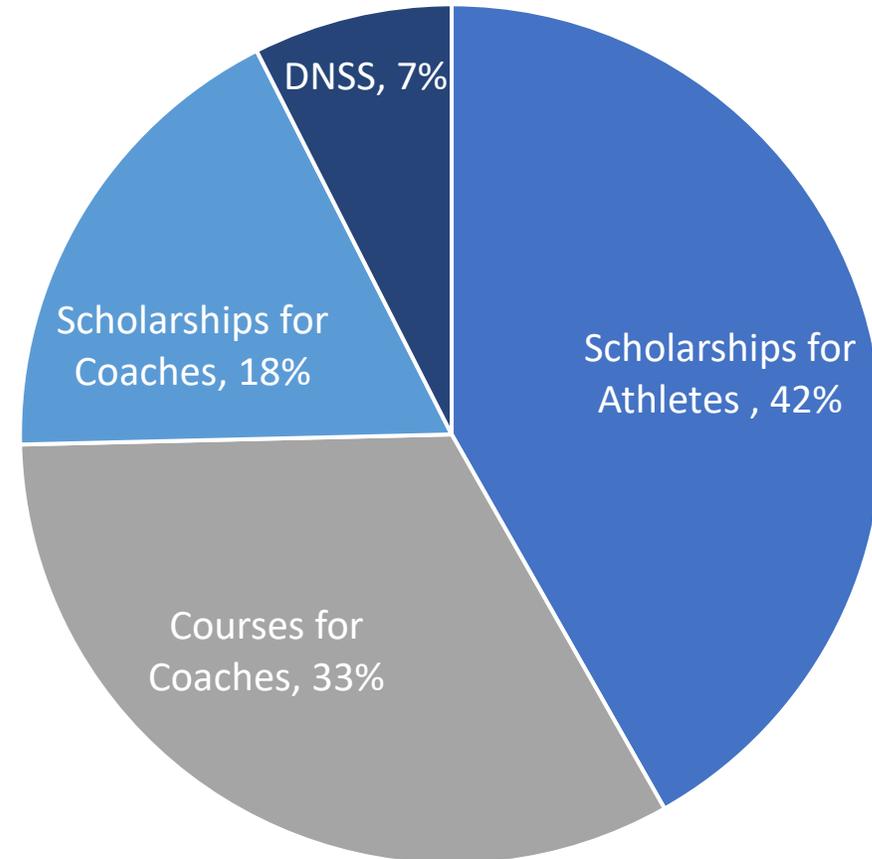
3 DEVELOPMENT AREAS	ATHLETES & SPORT DEVELOPMENT			VALUES	CAPACITY BUILDING & ADMINISTRATION
5 PROGRAMME CLUSTERS	 <p>Olympic Games Universality</p>	 <p>Entourage</p>	 <p>Sport Development</p>	 <p>Olympic Values</p>	 <p>NOC Management & Knowledge Sharing</p>
20 WORLD PROGRAMMES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Olympic Scholarships for Athletes “Tokyo 2020” • Olympic Scholarships for Athletes “Beijing 2022” • Olympic Scholarships for Athletes “Paris 2024” • Olympic Scholarships for Athletes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical Courses for Coaches • Olympic Scholarships for Coaches • Athlete Career Transition • NOC Athletes’ Commission Activity Grant 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of National Sports System • Continental Athlete Support Grant • Youth Athlete Development • Refugee Athlete Support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Olympic Values 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NOC Administration Development • National Courses for Sports Administrators • International Executive Courses in Sport Management • NOC Exchanges • Forums for NOCs and their Athletes • Special Projects

Application: General Procedure



OS support for archery 2020-2024

- **28 Olympic Scholarships for Athletes** – BAN (3), BHU (4), BOL, CHA, CIV, GUI, INA (2), ISV, KOS, LBN, MAS, MAW, MDA (2), MGL (2), NAM, SLO, SUD, SVK, VIE and YEM
- **22 Technical Courses for Coaches** – BAN, CRC, CYP, ECU, GEO (2), GUA, GUI, GUY, ISL (2), ISR, KOS, LAO, LBA, MAR, MRI, NEP, NIG, SLE, SRB and TOG
- **12 Olympic Scholarships for Coaches** – BAN, BHU, BOL, BRA, CIV, CYP, (GUI), ISL, KGZ, LES, NEP and PLE
- **5 Development of National Sports System** – BHU, CHA, ESA, MAW and UGA





Opportunities for coaches



Technical courses for coaches

Objective: offer short-term coaches training at different levels (beginners, intermediate, elite)

Target group:

- Active coaches, PE teachers, club trainers
- Support the participation of women (min. 25% of participants) ♂

Available options:

- National courses
- Regional courses (organised in cooperation with continental association)
- Courses specifically aimed at female coaches
- Coach trainer courses



Technical courses for coaches

Financial conditions

- **Allocated to NOC** average **USD 8,000-10,000** (room and shooting field rental, meals, accommodation for expert and participants, local transport, some field equipment, photographer/press, banner, t-shirts).
- **Extra budget** managed by **World Archery** for expert daily fees and travel.

Application

 through NOC and must include:

- MA coaching education structure (types of national certification for coaches)
- Course dates (usually 7-12 days course)
- Tentative list of participants (15-25 people, with 25% women)
- Detailed budget

Timeline takes around 3 months for application, review and acceptance



Technical courses for coaches

Tips and tricks

Application

- Good communication with NOC
- Contact World Archery to get:
 - Recommendation of expert
 - Course programme template
 - Advice on anything in the process

Organisation

- Prioritise engaged participants
- Take care of expert
- Keep the archery range and classroom close to save time



Examples can be found in [April online call](#) and template to facilitate OS applications (from World Archery Iceland)



Olympic scholarships for coaches

Objective: offer continuous high-level training and acquire experience abroad

Target group:

- High-level coaches (with profile in extranet!)
- ♂ • Active records and experience (for level 2 or 3 coaches)
- Gender equity. At least 1-2 female candidatures/quadrennia

Available options

1. **Sports sciences** training at a higher level sports centre or university, and obtain a diploma or certificate
2. **Sport-specific** training programme in an international centre (e.g. WAEC)



Olympic scholarships for coaches



Financial conditions

- NOC to get 1-2 scholarships per year for sport science option.
- For sport-specific option, NOC receives additional budget
- All costs covered (transport, accommodation, meals, course fee, insurance if needed)

Application depends on the programme but is always through NOC and World Archery is consulted

Timeline depends on the programme but in average 3 months from application to final decision



Centro de Alto Rendimiento CAR – Barcelona (ESP)

- Programme in Spanish
- Hybrid format (online and in-person)
- Applied science to sports for elite coaches
- Application via NOC in July/August. NOC decides which candidate will be proposed to OS!
- Candidates must be experienced and have at least national coaching certificate
- Coach from BOL is participating in 2023 intake

Presentation video <https://youtu.be/QRj3WcekoFI>



ICECP – International Coaching Enrichment Certificate Program

Managed by the United States Olympic and Paralympic Committee in cooperation with the University of Delaware

- Programme in English
- Residential programme and virtual programme
- Cover areas of coaching leadership, sport sciences, talent identification, athlete development, coaching education, grassroots sport development and ethical aspects of coaching
- Application via NOC in March
- Candidates must submit a potential personal project
- CV, support letter from MA, and hold rank of official national coach

To learn more about the residential program, [click here](#)

To learn more about the virtual program, [click here](#)



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PAISAC – Montreal (CAN) and Lausanne (SUI)

- Programme in French and in English
- Hybrid format (online and in-person)
- Training approach focused on the development of competencies and the know-how
- Application through NOC
- **French programme** - Registration deadline early March
 - PHASE 1 – Online: April to mid-May (6 weeks)
 - PHASE 2 – Face-to-face (Montreal): September 1 to 30 (4 weeks)
- **English programme** - Registration deadline mid-August
 - PHASE 1 – Online: November to mid-December (6 weeks)
 - PHASE 2 – Face-to-face (Montreal): Mid-May to Mid-June (4 weeks)

World Archery Excellence Centre Resident coach programme

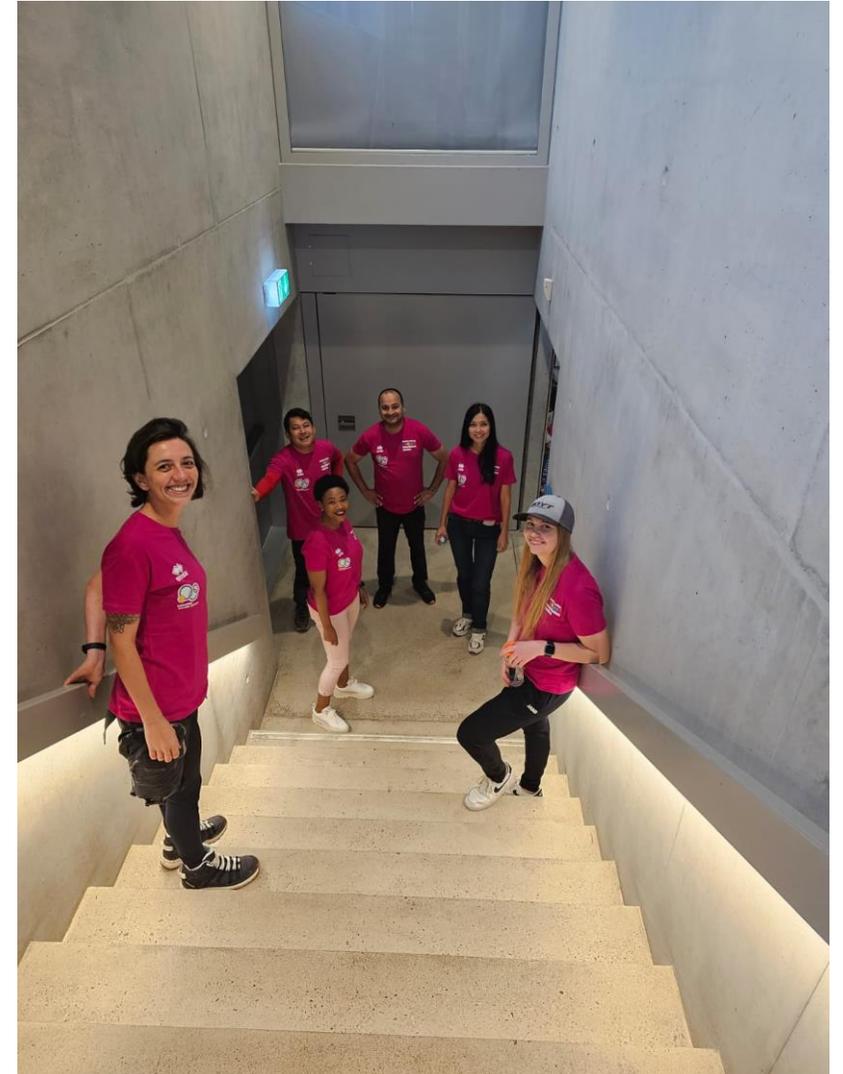


[General information here](#)

- Six-week programme
- 2 groups (basic and intermediate level)
- Max. 5 coaches per group
- Includes 2 coaching courses (level 1 or 3 and level 2)
- Coaches will take an active part in activities organised in the Centre
- 180+ hours of education and practice

2024 intake (TBC soon)

2025 intake (information in late 2024)





Development of National Sports System (DNSS)





Objective: to improve the federation structure and sport system through a medium/long-term action plan

Two options available:

1. **Standard option** - Sport-based project (3-12 months)
2. **Short-term pre-visit** (10-20 days)

Topics:

- action plan for coaching and education (**courses**)
- initiatives for **grassroots development**
- training, competition and **national team selection** systems
- **elite training** programme
- **monitoring system** for athletes/coaches/judges
- Improve **good governance** policies, capacity building and **MA management**

NB! Not for hiring coach for national team or only organising coaching courses



Standard option

Application

- description of sport system structure
- SWOT
- SMART objectives
- deliverables
- detailed action plan
- detailed budget proposal

Financial conditions

- Budget for each project **USD 25,000 – 30,000** (includes costs of expert)
- One project per year and per NOC



Short-term pre-visit option

Objective: short-term pre-visit for self-assessment of a sport systems and develop an action plan

Target group: NOCs with the greatest needs

Characteristics

- Conducted by an IF-accredited expert
- On site or online

Expected output: identify strategies, timelines and deliverables and preparation for apply to the DNSs standard option

Financial conditions

- Total cost of the mission may vary drastically (online and/or on site) and will be approved on a case-by-case basis



Olympic Scholarships for Athletes

Olympic Scholarships for Athletes

- Scholarship programme for LA would start in September 2025
- Candidatures would need to be submitted in spring/early summer 2025
- Olympic Solidarity plan for 2025-2028 will be published at the end of 2024
- Submit candidates or projects that well meet the programme guideline criteria with simple but clear selection policies can demonstrate a transparent process



Key takeaways

Olympic Solidarity

- Maintain good relationships with your NOC as applications go through them
- Have a basic strategic plan in place around athlete and coaching development to share with NOC
- Important to include mid and long term goals / objectives in your strategy. Submit them as early as possible to your NOC for joint collaboration and finalization, depending on the NOC's strategic planning and priorities
- Always inform/consult World Archery before applying
- Anticipate deadlines!
- Applying does not guarantee that you will get the funds. Limited number of projects funded per NOC and archery competes with all other Olympic sports
- Consider gender balance and online learning in your proposal/application



World Archery development support programmes



Education and development projects

- Travel and expert's fee covered, but MA bear costs on site, or
- Fully online sessions to develop policies/systems
- Applications will be open **until 22 December 2023** for implementation in 2024.

Each federation can choose only one priority area that links to their strategy. The federation must be in good standing and Extranet up to date.

[Link to information and application](#)

Questions: members@archery.sport





Education and development projects

Available in 9 areas

1. Coach education (only for MAs with no NOC or NOC refused OS request)
2. Judge education
3. Performance
4. Para archery
5. Compound
6. Competitions
7. Result Management
8. Media and broadcast
9. Financial management



2023 approved projects

1. NIU – coaching course, level 1
2. SOL – coaching course, level 1
3. SEN - coaching course, para archery
4. IRL – athlete pathway, talent identification – fully online
5. RSA – result management (national)
6. CAN – result management (national)
7. ISV – athlete media training

Continental projects, in cooperation with continental associations:

8. TUN – result management (cancelled)
9. COL – result management
10. COL – coaching seminar, level 3
11. MEX – training camp, para archery
12. GUA – national classifiers seminar

- * Some of the national level projects are going to be held late 2023 / early 2024.



Equipment support programme 2024



Equipment Support Programme 2024

Support on a one-time basis.

Three levels of equipment:

1. Beginner kit: 10-12 sets of entry level bows and arrows with accessories.
2. Intermediate kit: five sets of recreational-level competition bows and arrows.
3. Advanced kit: two sets of elite-level competition bows and arrows.

New: Not limited to recurve equipment! Equipment sets are slightly modified.

Applications will be open **until 22 December** for shipping in 2024.

[Link to information and application.](#)





Tips to have a stronger application:

- Do not leave fields blank - only full applications are processed.
- Requested level matches with strategic objectives
 - Example: if the goal is to develop grassroots level, should not ask advanced level kits.
- Attach your strategic plan or provide a link to it
 - In the application text explain how this application links to your current situation and plans.
- Be honest about previous support.
 - There are questions about direct sponsorship or support through continental association.
- If not approved, don't be discouraged to try again next year.



2024 development grant by IPC

First time available for International Federation to apply like this for 2024.

Limited amount available – IPC sets eligibility criteria, but World Archery can choose the project. *Application is not yet approved.*

Goal: increase universality, support less developed regions.



2024 development grant by IPC

Support to participate in Paralympic qualifier
– for Oceania/Africa region.

- WRE (including 2 Paralympic qualifiers) in Fazza: 2-7 March 2024
- For eligible countries in Africa and Oceania region. Second round for other regions in case not enough eligible participants.

2024 eligible NPCs for 1st round of applications

1. AFRICA

North Africa
Algeria (ALG), Egypt (EGY), Morocco (MAR), Tunisia (TUN)
Southern Africa
Angola (ANG), Botswana (BOT), Comoros (COM), Eswatini (ESW), Lesotho (LES), Malawi (MAW), Mozambique (MOZ), Namibia (NAM), Seychelles (SEY), Zambia (ZAM), Zimbabwe (ZIM)
Central Africa
Burundi (BDI), Cameroon (CMR), Central African Republic (CAF), Congo (CGO), DR Congo (COD), Gabon (GAB)
East Africa
Eritrea (ERT), Ethiopia (ETH), Kenya (KEN), Madagascar (MAD), Mauritius (MRI), Rwanda (RWA), Somalia (SOM), Tanzania (TAN), Uganda (UGA)
West Africa
Benin (BEN), Burkina Faso (BUR), Cape Verde (CPV), Côte d'Ivoire (CIV), Gambia (GAM), Ghana (GHA), Guinea (GUI), Guinea-Bissau (GBS), Liberia (LBR), Mali (MLI), Nigeria (NGR), Sao Tome and Principe (STP), Senegal (SEN), Sierra Leone (SLE), Togo (TOG)

5. OCEANIA

Oceania
Fiji (FIJ), Kiribati (KIR), Papua New Guinea (PNG), Solomon Islands (SOL), Tonga (TGA), Vanuatu (VAN)

1. Is it possible for a visual impaired or compound athlete to apply for the OS Athlete Programme?

Unfortunately not. For para athletes - approach your NPC to explore available possibilities. IPC [Grant Support Programme](#). This must be done through your NPC.

2. Where are the OS guidelines published? Who to contact?

Published in our [documents manager here](#).

Contact World Archery member services coordinator members@archery.sport

3. Is it possible to apply for OS scholarship to send one of our coaches to World Archery coaching course in Lausanne?

Yes, but only for World Archery resident coach programme (6-weeks) which is a longer study programme, not just attending one course.

4. Is it possible to get support to **build archery range/facility**?

No, we are not aware of such possibility. In certain European countries it might be possible with the help of EU funding. However, you can find guidelines to build an archery range here:

- [How to build an archery range](#), World Archery
- [Comment créer un terrain d'entraînement de tir à l'arc](#), World Archery
- [Archery Facility Planning Guide](#), Easton Foundation
- [Setting up an Archery Range](#), Archery GB
- [Archery Facilities: Guidance & Specifications](#), Archery GB

Thank you – Merci - Gracias



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