

2015 World Team Trials Qualification & Procedures

Greco-Roman (all weights)

These are the style-specific procedures for the Greco-Roman World Team Trials and are subject to the general 2015 World Team Trials Procedures which are available on TheMat.com or by contacting the USA Wrestling National Coach.

U.S. Open/World Team Trials – May 7-9, 2015 in Las Vegas, NV (all weights)

- Wrestlers who meet the following criteria will qualify for the U.S Open/World Team Trials:
 1. Any U.S. citizen that meets the UWW age requirements and is qualified to represent the United States in the World Championships.
- Automatic Berth to the U.S. Open Finals & Final Wrestle-Off: athletes who finished Top 5 in the 2014 World Championships at the weight being contested will receive an automatic berth to the U.S. Open Finals & Final Wrestle-Off. If no athlete in the U.S Open/World Team Trials meets the criteria above, then the finals of the U.S. Open Tournament will decide the first match in the best-of-three series for the 2015 World Team Member.
- The event will be conducted in a one-day format using line bracketing. Four (4) weights will compete on the first day of competition and the remaining four (4) weights will compete on the second day of competition. If needed, byes will be placed with seeded wrestlers, in order of seed. The U.S Open/World Team Trials qualifiers will wrestle in a Trials Tournament in the morning. The winner of the Trials Tournament will wrestle one match against the wrestler who has earned automatic berth to the Final Wrestle-Off in the evening. If no wrestler has earned automatic berth to the final wrestle off, the finals of the U.S. Open Tournament will decide the first match in the best-of-three series for the 2015 World Team Member.
- The winner of this event (the first match in the best-of-three series) will be declared the 2015 U.S. Open Champion.
- Weigh-in procedures:
 1. Weigh-ins will be conducted the day prior to the scheduled day of competition for the respective weight class.
- The individual that finishes 3rd place at the U.S. Open will secure the 3rd place ranking on the National Team.

World Team Trials – June 4, 2015 in Ithaca, NY (all weights)

- The two individuals, who wrestled the first match in the best-of-three series at the U.S. Open, will complete the series to determine the 2015 World Team Member.
- The event will be conducted in a one-day format.
- Weigh-in procedures:
 - Weigh-ins will be conducted the day prior to the scheduled day of competition.
- This event will decide the 1st and 2nd place ranking on the National Team.