



The Competitive Wake Surf Association is pleased to announce the criteria to qualify to be invited to compete in the

## 2024 CWSA World Championship

*This event is invitation only*

### Event Dates

- October 1-5, 2024
  - Live Venue Skill Levels\*\*: All.
  - Check-in and Riders Meeting: October 1, 2024, specific times, and location to be announced.
  - Opening Ceremony: October 1, 2024, specific time, and location to be announced.

### Event Venue and Location

- Société Nautique de Genève, Quai de Cologny 1, Genève, 1223, Switzerland
  - <https://www.nautique.ch>

### Event Lodging and Travel Info

- Airport: GVA
- Transportation, Lodging, Amenities, Tourism:
  - <https://www.myswitzerland.com/en-us/destinations/geneva/>
- Visas:
  - General Info for Visas, Switzerland: <https://www.swiss-visa.ch/ivis2/#/i210-select-country>
  - All athletes who intend to participate at the event are encouraged to apply for a visa at the earliest convenience.

**Invitation Criteria** Invited athletes must be in the top WRS Ranked range in a below listed Division\* as of the Qualification Cutoff Date, and must meet the event participation requirement below:

- **All Skill Levels**
  - Top CWSA World Ranking System (WRS) ranking as set forth in the table below\*.
  - Event Participation requirement: Participation in at least three CWSA sanctioned events (CWSA WRS Qualified or CWSA World Tour) during the 2024 competitive season.
  - The event participation requirement may be met in any Skill Level during the 2024 season.
  - If an athlete meets the event participation requirement for one Division in any Skill Level, the requirement will be met for the other Division in the Skill Level.

### CWSA World Ranking System (WRS)

- Ranking in the CWSA World Ranking System can be achieved by participation in CWSA WRS Qualified events (Bronze and Silver event levels) and/or by participating in CWSA World Tour events (Gold, Platinum, and Diamond event levels) in any configuration (Live, Hybrid, Modules, Online) during the 2024 competition season.
- WRS rank is determined by your top point values earned at each event during the competitive season. The CWSA World Ranking System (WRS) is NOT a point chase system. Your ranking is determined by WHO you compete against, not simply by participating in an event.
- To understand how your WRS rank is calculated, please see the video at this link: <https://youtu.be/Cykf2EpCj7U> (English) or <https://youtu.be/hEGFmyaYCKY> (Русский)

**Qualification Cutoff Date:** September 9, 2024  
**Invitations Send Date:** September 13, 2024

| Skill Level/Sex | Number of Top Ranked Skim | Number of Top Ranked Surf |
|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Pro Male        | 10                        | 10                        |
| Pro Female      | 10                        | 10                        |
| Outlaw Male     | 8                         | 8                         |
| Outlaw Female   | 8                         | 8                         |
| Amateur Male    | 10                        | 10                        |
| Amateur Female  | 10                        | 10                        |
| Masters Male    | 8                         | 8                         |
| Masters Female  | 8                         | 8                         |
| Juniors Male    | 6 (combined Skim & Surf)  |                           |
| Juniors Female  | 6 (combined Skim & Surf)  |                           |

### Declined Invitations

\*If an invitation is declined for any reason, including a failure to timely register and pay the registration fee, or is not extended due to a failure to meet the event participation requirement:

1. The CWSA may, but is not required to, offer that invitation to the next ranked and otherwise qualified competitor in the Division in which the invitation was declined or was not extended; or
2. The CWSA may, but is not required to, allocate any declined or was not extended invitation to any other Division, and invite the next ranked and otherwise qualified competitor in that Division.

### Please Note

\*\*Due to continuing dynamic uncertainty of domestic and international travel, and other restrictions, the Invitation Criteria, including the event participation requirement and the form of the event (Live, Hybrid, Modules, Online) for each skill level may be subject to change.