

# FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE DE GYMNASTIQUE



## IV SUMMER YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES – DAKAR 2026 CRITERIA FOR ITO SELECTION

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### Artistic Gymnastics Procedures:

#### Order of selection

- Difficulty judges
- Execution judges
- Reserve judges

#### Rules for all judges nominated

- The maximum age is 36 years for Men's Artistic Gymnastics (MAG) and 35 years for Women's Artistic Gymnastics (WAG), attained in the year of the Games.
- Judges in good standing, with a maximum of one judge per NOC is permitted.
- No individual serving as a Federation President or Secretary General at the time of nomination through to the conclusion of the 2026 Youth Olympic Games in Dakar shall be eligible.
- No individual who has received a warning letter or sanction during the current cycle shall be eligible.

#### Difficulty (D) Judges

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Category 1 or Category 2 judges (with priority given to Category 1), holding a valid brevet from the previous cycle.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Highest examination D result, based on the 2024 Intercontinental judges' course and the 2025 International judges' courses.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tie-breaking rules for MAG:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- the sum of the best five apparatus D results;</li><li>- if still tied, the sum of the best four apparatus D results;</li><li>- if still tied, the sum of the best three apparatus D results.</li></ul></li><li>• Tie-breaking rules for WAG:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- the sum of the best three apparatus D results;</li><li>- if still tied, the sum of the best two apparatus D results;</li><li>- if still tied, the best single apparatus D result.</li></ul></li></ul>

#### Execution (E) Judges

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Category 1, 2 or 3 judges, with no priority based on Category, holding a brevet awarded for a minimum of two cycles.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Highest examination E result, based on the 2024 Intercontinental judges' course and the 2025 International judges' courses.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tie-breaking rules for MAG:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- the sum of the best five apparatus E results;</li><li>- if still tied, the sum of the best four apparatus E results;</li><li>- if still tied, the sum of the best three apparatus E results.</li></ul></li><li>• Tie-breaking rules for WAG:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- the sum of the best three apparatus E results;</li><li>- if still tied, the sum of the best two apparatus E results;</li><li>- if still tied, the best single apparatus E result.</li></ul></li></ul>

**Reserve Judges**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The next judges ranked immediately below those nominated for E positions.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Guaranteed to actively officiate in a minimum of one phase as an E judge at the Youth Olympic Games.</li></ul>

**NTOs (Time & Line)**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A judge from the Host Federation, holding an FIG International Brevet, may be nominated regardless of age.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Must have proficiency in English.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In the event that there are not enough judges from the Host Federation, additional judges may be invited, with priority given to those from the Host Continental Union.</li></ul>

**Additional NTOs positions**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• An individual from the Host Federation may be nominated without a Brevet and without age restriction.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Must have proficiency in English.</li></ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In the event that there are not enough individuals from the Host Federation, additional individuals may be invited, with priority given to those from the Host Continental Union.</li></ul>

**Quota Numbers for MAG (to be confirmed by the IOC)**

Position	Places
D judges	12
E judges	30
Reserves	2
Totals	44

**Quota Numbers for WAG (to be confirmed by the IOC)**

Position	Places
D judges	8
E judges	20
Reserves	2
Totals	30

*Note: The required MAG and WAG Superior Jury positions will be filled by the TC members. No age requirements apply.*