



AUSCYCLING

***DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC
SELECTION CRITERIA***

***2022 JUNIOR ROAD WORLD
CHAMPIONSHIPS***



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UCI Junior U19 Road Men and Women

2022 Road Cycling World Championships

18 - 25 September 2022 | Wollongong AUSTRALIA

1. GENERAL

- 1.1 Athletes will be required to earn 2022 Junior Road World Championships Team selection in accordance with clause 1 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for UCI World Championships*, and this discipline specific document of the AusCycling (AC) selection criteria.
- 1.2 Objectives: See clause 1 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for UCI World Championships*.
- 1.3 Performance Time Period: 1 January 2022 to 12 April 2022
- 1.4 Team size: Refer to clause 3.3 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for UCI World Championships*.
- 1.5 To be eligible for selection consideration, athletes must be able to abide by Federal and/or State and Territory Government law and mandates regarding COVID-19, and the vaccination requirements of the International Cycling Federation (UCI), including providing proof of vaccination. When travelling as part of the National Team, all athletes are to comply with the relevant State/Territory/Country COVID-19 restrictions, and any additional measures implemented by AusCycling where necessary. Where vaccination is not appropriate due to underlying health conditions or other, athletes will be required to obtain the appropriate exemptions where necessary.

2. DUAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SELECTION

- 2.1 U19 Athletes available for selection in more than one discipline (track or road), within the same calendar year, may not be considered for both World Championship Teams.

3. U19 SPECIFIC ELIGIBILITY

Athlete selections, team size, and overall participation for the 2022 Junior Road World Championships may require the selection panel to make discretionary decisions and selections.

- 3.1 Specific eligibility for the 2022 Junior Road World Championships will be based on the principle that those Athletes must be in formal education or training and remain engaged in that education or training course to completion throughout the 2022 Junior Road World Championships selection and competition periods. Education may include, but not be limited to;
- i) Secondary School Certificate of Education (i.e., SACE, VCE, or International Baccalaureate (IB) etc)
 - ii) TAFE and/or Vocational Education Training (VET) (i.e., Traineeship or Apprenticeship)
 - iii) Tertiary study (i.e., Undergraduate degree)
- 3.2 Athletes who are unable to satisfy the education or training requirements of clause 3.1 will need to provide reasons to the Selection Panel as to why this is the case. The rationale for the inclusion of clause 3.1 is that AusCycling does not believe it is generally in the best interests of junior athletes to focus solely on cycling at this point in their development.

4. EVENTS

- 4.1 Subject always to *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for UCI World Championships*, the Panel may consider athletes for selection to the World Championships Team based upon performances in the competitions listed in section 4.2 and 4.3 of this document, and discretionary factors in clause 2.2 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for UCI World Championships*, where Selectors may use absolute discretion.
- 4.2 U19 Men Events
- National RR Championship, January 2022
 - National ITT Championship, January 2022
 - Oceania RR Championship, April 2022
 - Oceania ITT Championship, April 2022
- 4.3 U19 Women Events
- National RR Championship, January 2022
 - National ITT Championship, January 2022
 - Oceania RR Championship, April 2022
 - Oceania ITT Championship, April 2022
- 4.4 Selectors may consider results achieved in other major national and international level events for both junior and elite competitions within the performance time period, such as UCI sanctioned international events and AusCycling approved events

5. SCHEDULE FOR UCI 2021 JUNIOR ROAD WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS TEAM SELECTION*

- TBC – National Selection Panel submits team to AusCycling CEO for endorsement
- TBC – Deadline for completion of athlete notification
- TBC – Closing date for appeals to be lodged against non-selection (refer to the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for UCI World Championships*, clause 7)
- TBC – Scheduled week for appeal hearings, if required
- TBC - World Championship Team will be announced

**Selection dates will be published once Team Quotas have been released by the UCI.*