



Lima
2019
PANAMERICANOS

QUALIFICATION SYSTEM MANUAL



AQUATICS



ARTISTIC SWIMMING





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Women (2)

Team
Duet

Quota

	Qualification	Host NOC	Total
Team	7	1	8 teams of 9 athletes each
Duet	11	1	12 teams of 2 athletes each
Total			80* athletes

Quota per NOC per event

Team	1 team (9 athletes)
Duet	1 team (2 athletes)
Total	9*

*According to the quota established by PASO, there will be a maximum of 80 female athletes in the artistic swimming competitions.

Athletes may register for more than one event.

Eight teams with a maximum of 9 (nine) athletes each (including one reserve) may participate in the team competition.

Twelve teams with a maximum of 24 athletes (no reserves will be allowed) may participate in the duet competition.

As Host Country, Peru automatically will qualify one team in each event.

Athlete Eligibility

Only NOCs recognized by PASO whose national swimming federations are affiliated with the International Swimming Federation (FINA) and the UANA Technical Artistic Swimming Committee may enter athletes in the Lima 2019 Pan American Games.

Athletes must comply with PASO regulations and FINA rules.

All athletes must be at least 14 years old on December 31st, 2019.

Athletes must possess the nationality of their NOCs when they registered. Nationality is determined according to PASO Regulations, Section IV, Item 3.

Athletes must have signed and submitted the Athlete Eligibility Condition Form.



Qualification System

Eligible team and duet places will qualify according to UANA Technical Artistic Swimming Committee - approved procedures as follows:

Zone	Team	Duet
Zone 1 CONSANAT	A	A
	B	B
	C	C
		D
		E
Reserves	1	1
	2	2
Zone II CCAN	A	A
	B	B
	C	C
		D
		E
Reserves	1	1
	2	2
Zone III USA	A	A
Zone IV CAN	A	A

Confirmation of Quota Places

Once the quota allocation is completed, based on the system described in the table above, the Pan American Confederation will inform to PASO and NOCs/NFs the quota places obtained, by December 1st, 2018.

The NOCs/NFs must confirm to the Pan American Confederation the use of quota places obtained, no later than April 18th, 2019.

Reallocation of Unused Quota Places

If any qualifying country fails to confirm its participation to the Pan American Confederation by April 18th, 2019, alternate NOCs, in qualifying order, will be approached to replace them.

The reallocation process will be completed by April 26th, 2019.



Timeline	
Date	Key Event
July 28 th – August 2 nd , 2018	CCCAN qualifier: Central American and Caribbean Games Barranquilla , Colombia
October 31 st – November 3 rd , 2018	CONSANAT qualifier: 2018 South American Swimming Championships, Trujillo, Peru
December 1 st , 2018	Zone III USA and Zone IV CAN will send their qualifying team entry
December 1 st , 2018	The Pan American Confederation will inform to PASO and NOCs/NFs the quota places obtained
April 18 th , 2019	The NOCs/NFs must confirm to the Pan American Confederation the use of quota places obtained
April 26 th , 2019	End of reallocation period
April 26 th , 2019	Lima 2019 entry by number deadline
June 26 th , 2019	Lima 2019 entry by name deadline

DIVING





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Events	
Individual Diving	
Men (3)	Women (3)
1m springboard	1m springboard
3m springboard	3m springboard
10m platform	10m platform
Synchronized Diving	
Men (2)	Women (2)
3m springboard	3m springboard
10m platform	10m platform

Quota	
70 athletes	
Maximum quota per NOC per event	
Individual Diving	
Men	Women
1m springboard - 2 athletes	1m springboard - 2 athletes
3m springboard- 2 athletes	3m springboard- 2 athletes
10m platform - 2 athletes	10m platform - 2 athletes
Synchronized Diving	
Men	Women
3m springboard – 1 team of 2 athletes	3m springboard – 1 team of 2 athletes
10m platform – 1 team of 2 athletes	10m platform – 1 team of 2 athletes
Total 8 athletes comprised of men and women if entering teams in synchronized diving.	
Total 6 athletes comprised of men and women not entering teams in synchronized diving.	

As Host Country, if not already qualified, Peru will automatically qualify one diver or one team to compete in each of the diving competition events, for the Lima 2019 Pan American Games. Such divers will not count in the calculation of Zone 1 divers under the Qualification System below.

According to the quota established by PASO, the maximum number of male and female diving competitors will be 70.

Each NOC may enter a maximum of eight divers comprised of men and women if entering teams in synchronized diving. NOCs not entering divers in synchronized diving will be allowed to enter a maximum of six divers.

Each NOC may enter a maximum of two divers per individual event and one team per synchronized event.

Athlete Eligibility

Only NOCs recognized by PASO whose swimming National Federations are affiliated with FINA and the UANA, may enter competitors in the Lima 2019 Pan American Games.



To be eligible for participation in the Lima 2019 Pan American Games, a competitor must comply with PASO Regulations, FINA rules and must be entered by his or her NOC.

Divers younger than the age of 14 on December 31st, 2019, will not be permitted to compete at the Lima 2019 Pan American Games. (Eligible divers have been born in 2005 or earlier).

All competitors participating in the Lima 2019 Pan American Games must have a passport from the NOC with which he/she is registered.

A competitor's nationality will be determined according to PASO Regulations, Section IV, Item 3. Athletes must have signed and submitted the Athlete Eligibility Condition Form.

Qualification System

NOCs may only send competitors to the 2019 Pan American Games who have qualified through the system established by UANA and FINA. The objective is to have the top ranked UANA divers within FINA compete at the 2019 Pan American Games. Those divers who have achieved a ranking within FINA may earn a quota position for their federation. In addition, at each of the CONSANAT Championships (Zone 1) and Central American Games (Zone 2), divers from federations competing in such events may earn a quota position for their federations provided that the total number of divers from such Zones do not exceed 20 divers on all boards (including those who are ranked in FINA from such competing federations). Additional divers may qualify at such events but may be subject to Reallocation of Unused Quota Places outlined below.

Each NOC must submit a list with the names of the proposed divers to be registered for the Lima2019 Pan Am Games to UANA no later than April 15th, 2019. The UANA TDC will review the divers to ensure that they are the top ranked UANA divers within FINA or have qualified in accordance with the following events:

Athlete Quota Numbers by Zone (70 Athletes Total)

Zone 1 – minimum of 20 divers, each federation within Zone 1 limited to a maximum of 8 divers; in addition PER will have a maximum of 8 divers as host nation.

Zone 2 – minimum of 20 divers, each federation within Zone 2 limited to a maximum of 8 divers;

Zone 3 – maximum 8 divers

Zone 4 – maximum 8 divers

It is important to note that the quota positions for each of Zones 1 and 2 earned through FINA rankings will have priority and any diver from that zone ranked within FINA will count towards the minimum quota numbers for such Zone at its Zone qualification event.



Event	Date	Qualifiers
Central American Games	July 20-24, 2018	By Quota
CONSANAT Championships	November 7 th – 10 th , 2018	By Quota
2019 CCCAN Diving Championships	TBD, 2019	By Quota

Note: Zone 3 & 4 divers do not have separate qualifiers within their zones. National championships or trials events in Zones 3 & 4 may be used to name divers to already qualified positions.

Confirmation of Quota Places

Following the completion of the quota allocation based on the system described above, UANA will advise PASO and NOCs/NFs the quota places obtained, by April 30th, 2019.

The NOCs/NFs must confirm UANA the use of quota places obtained, no later than May 15th, 2019.

Reallocation of Unused Quota Places

If the number of proposed divers exceeds the quota of 70, UANA will determine the qualified divers for the Lima 2019 Pan American Games according to the following priority ranking system:

- Priority one — FINA World Ranking at the end of 2018. FINA World Ranking 2019 may be used to add divers not ranked in 2018.
- Priority two — Place finish in 2019 CCCAN Championships, CONSANAT Championships 2018, 2018 Central American Games, Canadian National Championships 2019, USA Pan American Team Trials 2019.
- Tiebreaker system — if a tie occurs, the following system will be used to break the tie: most number of top 12 place finishes in FINA events from 2017 to 2019. If there is still a tie, then the next ranking consideration is used: most number of top 12 place finishes in UANA events from 2017 to 2019. If there is still a tie, then the final ranking consideration is used: federations without competitors will be invited first and any further considerations will be determined by any head to head results, as interpreted by the UANA TDC in its sole discretion, specifically including 2019 CCCAN Championships provided all UANA federations in good standing are permitted to attend.

This process will be completed by June 15, 2019.



Timeline	
Date	Key Event
July 20-24, 2018	Central American Games
November 7 th – 10 th , 2018	CONSANAT Championships
TBD, 2019	2019 CCCAN Diving Championships
April 15 th , 2019	NOC must submit a list with the names of the proposed divers to be registered for the Lima 2019 Pan Am Games
April 26 th , 2019	Lima 2019 entry by number deadline
April 30 th , 2019	UANA will advise PASO and NOCs/NFs the quota places obtained
May 15 th , 2019	The NOCs/NFs must confirm UANA the use of quota places obtained
June 15, 2019	Reallocation of unused quota places
June 26 th , 2019	Lima 2019 entry by name deadline

OPEN WATER SWIMMING





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Events	
Men (1)	Women (1)
10 km marathon swim	10 km marathon swim

Quota					
	Zone I CONSANAT	Zone II CCCAN	Zone III USA	Zone IV CAN	Total
Men	8	8	2	2	20
Women	8	8	2	2	20
Total	16	16	4	4	40

Maximum Quota per NOC	
Men	2
Women	2
Total	4

According to the quota established by PASO, there will be a maximum of 40 athletes for the open water competition: 20 men and 20 women. Each NOC may register a maximum of two athletes by gender.

Athlete Eligibility

For the Lima 2019 Pan American Games, NOCs will only be permitted to enter athletes who have qualified in accordance with the qualification system established by FINA and UANA described below.

Athletes must have signed and submitted the Athlete Eligibility Condition Form.

The minimum age required for open water swimming athletes is 14 as of December 31st, 2019 (born in 2005 or before).

Qualification System

The qualification positions will be determined as follows.

Zone	Men	Women
Zone I CONSANAT	8	8
Zone II CCCAN	8	8
Zone III USA	2	2
Zone IV CAN	2	2
Total	20	20



Each zone will be responsible for the organization of its own qualification competition. Each zone must provide the UANA President, UANA Secretary Treasurer and the Vice Chairman of the UANA Technical Open Water Swimming Committee with a complete set of results, including the date and location of the qualification competition, as well as names of the qualifying athletes.

Zone I CONSANAT

Those NOCs whose athletes obtain the first eight places (per gender) in the qualification competition will qualify for the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games.

If Peru does not have an athlete finish in the top eight places then their lead finisher representing Peru will be awarded eighth place. This qualification competition will be under control of FINA and Confederación Sudamericana de Natación (CONSANAT).

The qualification competition will take place on October 31st, November 2nd and 4th, 2018, in Trujillo, Peru. Each Federation will be limited to two athletes per gender.

Zone II CCCAN

Those NOCs whose athletes obtain the first eight places (per gender) in the CCCAN (Central American and Caribbean Amateur Swimming Confederation) Championship will qualify for the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games.

The qualification competition will take place in June 2019, with dates to be confirmed in 2018.

Each Federation will be limited to two athletes per gender.

Zone III USA and Zone IV CAN

Canada and USA will each conduct their own internal processes and register up to two men and two women in each event. Any qualification competitions will be confirmed by UANA in 2018.

Confirmation of Quota Places

UANA will inform PASO and the NOCs and the NFs of the number of quota places obtained, by June 20th, 2019.

NOCs must confirm to UANA the use of quota places no later than June 24th, 2019.

Reallocation of Unused Quota Places

Should vacancies become available, those slots will be allocated to the respective zone and will be filled based on the results of their qualification competitions.

This process will be completed by June 25th, 2019.



Timeline

October 31 st , November 2 nd and 4 th , 2018	CONSANAT Qualifier (Zone I) - Trujillo, Peru
March, April or May, 2019	USA Qualifier (Zone III).
April, May or June, 2019	Canadian Qualifier (Zone IV).
April 26 th , 2019	Lima2019 entry by number deadline.
June 2019	CCCAN Championship (Zone II) - Cayman Islands, Grand Cayman
June 17 th , 2019	End of qualification period
June 20 th , 2019	UANA will inform PASO and the NOCs and the NFs of the number of quota places obtained
June 24 th , 2019	NOCs must confirm to UANA the use of quota places.
June 25 th , 2019	End of reallocation process
June 26 th , 2019	Lima2019 entry by name deadline.

SWIMMING





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Events	
Men (16)	Women (16)
50m freestyle	50m freestyle
100m freestyle	100m freestyle
200m freestyle	200m freestyle
400m freestyle	400m freestyle
1,500m freestyle	800m freestyle
100m backstroke	100m backstroke
200m backstroke	200m backstroke
100m breaststroke	100m breaststroke
200m breaststroke	200m breaststroke
100m butterfly	100m butterfly
200m butterfly	200m butterfly
200m individual medley	200m individual medley
400m individual medley	400m individual medley
RELAY	RELAY
4 x 100m freestyle relay	4 x 100m freestyle relay
4 x 200m freestyle relay	4 x 200m freestyle relay
4 x 100m medley relay	4 x 100m medley relay
Mixed Gender Relays (2)	
4 x 100m freestyle relay	
4 x 100m medley relay	

Quota

The athlete quota for swimming is 350

Quota per NOC	
Men	18
Women	18
Total	36

Quota per event per NOC	
Individual events	2
Relay events	1 team of 4

These athletes must all have qualified according to the system described below.

Athlete Eligibility

Athletes must have signed and submitted the Athlete Eligibility Condition Form.



Qualification System

Qualification period: March 1st, 2018– April 30th, 2019. **

**The following competitions being held outside of the stated qualification date range are also specifically approved for qualification: 2017-Central American Games, Managua, Nicaragua, 2018-UANA Swimming Cup, Coral Springs, Florida.

As Host Country, Peru automatically will qualify 18 male and 18 female competitors.

Each National Olympic Committee (NOC) may use proven swim times attained during the qualification period of those swimmers who have met the qualifying standards established by the Union Americana de Natación (UANA) for Lima 2019 Pan American Games at a competition recognized by the Federation Internationale de Natation (FINA) from the official list of approved qualifying competitions for the 18th FINA World Championships, Gwangju, Korea.

The priority order for qualification and selection into the Pan American Games will be:

1. All athletes who have achieved an “A” time standard (see chart on page 5) will be invited to compete. For any NOC to enter two athletes in an individual event, both athletes from that NOC must have equaled or bettered the “A” time standard in that event.
2. Universality athletes will be invited to compete. The universality rule applies to those NOCs that do not have athletes with either an “A” or “B” qualifying time, or NOCs that have no athletes selected for the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games through the online selection process. These NOCs are entitled to have one male and/or one female athlete entered in the Pan American Games. Universality athletes will be selected separately by gender.

An NOC that has qualified one swimmer with either an ‘A’ or ‘B’ standard time and has been invited to compete, that NOC through the universality system may enter another swimmer of opposite gender through the UANA OME system.

3. Relay-only athletes will be invited to compete. NOCs entering relay teams may enter a maximum of two relay-only athletes per gender, as part of their team. Relay-only athletes will be considered as part of the per-team quota of 18 men and 18 women.
4. Athletes who have achieved a “B” time standard (see chart on page 5) will be invited to compete until the quota of athletes for the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games is met. If more than 26 spaces remain after the addition of ‘A’ qualifiers, ‘B’ standard athletes will be selected by adding the next fastest B standard athlete to each event until less than 26 quota spots remain. Additional ‘B’ athletes will then be added one at a time to individual events based on FINA point rankings until the quota of athletes has been achieved.

If an NOC has an athlete with “B” qualifying standard, but that athlete is not invited to compete, then that NOC may be permitted to enter athletes via the universality rule (step 2, above).

Under the universality rule, each NOC is guaranteed an entry of one male and/or one female athlete, each of whom may enter a maximum of three individual events, without having a qualifying time for any event. Should an NOC not qualify any athletes during the selection process, it must identify which athletes are to be considered for the universality positions within the online meet entry system (OME). An NOC that enters universality athletes at the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games is not eligible to enter mixed gender relays and therefore cannot enter relay-only athletes.



Once a swimmer has qualified in at least one individual event and has been invited to the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games as an “A” or “B” athlete, that athlete may enter and swim other individual events up to a maximum of five individual events, without having a qualifying time in those other events, provided that NOC has an opening in that specific event. The rule of maximum of two entries per event per NOC still applies, and these athletes cannot enter an event that already has one athlete from that NOC in that event (unless both athletes have “A” qualifying times in that event).

These additional events must be entered during the OME process described in this document, and no additional event entries will be allowed after the entry deadline.

Relays

Each NOC may enter one team in each relay event, provided it has at least two athletes with “A” or “B” standards that have been invited to compete in the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games. Each NOC will be allowed a maximum of two relay-only swimmers per gender. All other relay participants must be entered in at least one individual event. Relay-only athletes are only eligible to swim in the relay(s) and will not be permitted to swim in any individual events. A relay only athlete must participate in at least one relay.

Relay-only swimmers entered into the Pan American games must swim either in the heat or final of a relay event. Should a relay-only swimmer not compete, this will lead to the disqualification of the respective team. Further, if a relay-only swimmer does not compete in the heats of a relay in which the NOC fails to qualify for the finals, the relay will be disqualified. If a relay-only swimmer could swim in multiple relays, but does not compete in any for which he/she is eligible, the final relay for which he/she was eligible will be the relay that is disqualified.

If a relay-only swimmer is medically unable to compete, they may be excused from the requirement to participate in a relay. A member of the PASO Medical Commission or their Designee will be present at heats and finals and will be the independent physician empowered to make decisions about relay-only athlete participation.

The composition of a relay team may be changed between the heats and final of an event. An NOC that enters universality athletes at the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games is not eligible to enter mixed gender relays and therefore cannot enter relay-only athletes.

UANA Online Meet Entry System

Swimming entries to the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games will first be processed by UANA through its OME system. UANA will provide each NOC with an OME system username and password and an OME users’ guide (English and Spanish) for the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games. This information will be distributed on January 15th, 2019.

The OME entry system opens at 12 noon (CT) on February 14th, 2019 and closes at 23:59 (CT) on May 16th, 2019.

Confirmation of Quota Places

UANA will notify PASO and all NOCs by June 24th as indicated in the timetable below of athletes who have been selected to compete in the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games.



2020 Olympic Qualification

The swimming competition at the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games will serve as a qualifying event for the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games.

Timeline	
March 1 st , 2018 ***	Qualification period begins
January 15 th , 2019	UANA online meet entry user guide, username and password available
February 14 th , 2019	UANA online meet entry opens at uana-aquatics.org
February 14 th , 2019	Tutorial for online meet entry, available in English and Spanish
April 26 th , 2019	Lima2019 entry by number deadline.
April 30 th , 2019 ****	Qualification period ends
May 16 th , 2019	UANA online meet entry closes at 23:59 (CT)
May 24 th , 2019	UANA invites universality athletes
May 30 th , 2019	NOCs confirm to UANA the participation of universality athletes
May 31 st , 2019	UANA sends invitations to NOCs
June 7 th , 2019	NOCs confirm to UANA which eligible athletes will be entered in the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games
June 13 th , 2019	UANA to update list of athletes participating in the LIMA 2019 Pan American Games
June 14 th , 2019	UANA sends invitations to NOCs for athletes not previously invited on May 31 st .
June 17 th , 2019	NOCs confirm to UANA the participation of athletes invited on June 14 th .
June 24 th , 2019	UANA online meet entry system complete with swimmer lists and entries per event
June 26 th , 2019	Lima2019 entry by name deadline.

***The following competitions being held outside of the stated qualification date range are also specifically approved for qualification. 2017-Central American Games, Managua, Nicaragua, 2018-UANA Swimming Cup, Coral Springs, Florida.

****The qualification period will end the last day of the qualification period for the 18th FINA World Championship, Gwangju, Korea but not later than April 30th, 2019.



Qualification Standards

Women		
Length of race	"A" time standard	"B" time standard
50m freestyle	25.89	27.44
100m freestyle	56.56	59.95
200m freestyle	2:03.55	2:10.96
400m freestyle	4:16.91	4:32.33
800m freestyle	8:50.99	9:24.97
100m backstroke	1:03.36	1:07.17
200m backstroke	2:18.45	2:26.76
100m breaststroke	1:11.11	1:15.38
200m breaststroke	2:34.43	2:43.79
100m butterfly	1:01.25	1:04.93
200m butterfly	2:14.13	2:22.19
200m individual medley	2:19.99	2:28.92
400m individual medley	4:57.99	5:17.99

Men		
Length of race	"A" time standard	"B" time standard
50m freestyle	22.68	24.07
100m freestyle	49.80	52.79
200m freestyle	1:49.66	1:56.24
400m freestyle	3:54.44	4:08.51
1,500m freestyle	15:43.36	16:39.97
100m backstroke	56.49	59.99
200m backstroke	2:02.89	2:10.26
100m breaststroke	1:02.26	1:06.00
200m breaststroke	2:17.52	2:25.79
100m butterfly	53.73	56.95
200m butterfly	2:00.54	2:07.77
200m individual medley	2:04.43	2:11.90
400m individual medley	4:27.69	4:43.79

WATER POLO





WATER POLO

Events	
Men (1)	Women (1)
8 Team Competition	8 Team Competition

Quota			
	Qualification	Host NOC	Total
Men	77	11	88 (8 teams)
Women	77	11	88 (8 teams)
Total	154	22	176 (16 teams)

Quota per NOC	
Men	11 (1 team)
Women	11 (1 team)
Total	22 (2 teams)

Athlete Eligibility

Athletes must have submitted and signed the Athlete Eligibility Condition Form.

Qualification System

	Zone I CONSANAT	Zone II CCCAN	Zone III USA	Zone IV CAN	TOTAL
Men	3 teams (33 athletes)	3 teams (33 athletes)	1 teams (11 athletes)	1 teams (11 athletes)	8 teams (88 athletes)
Women	3 teams (33 athletes)	3 teams (33 athletes)	1 teams (11 athletes)	1 teams (11 athletes)	8 teams (88 athletes)
Total	6 teams (66 athletes)	6 teams (66 athletes)	2 teams (22 athletes)	2 teams (22 athletes)	16 teams (176 athletes)

Zone	Men	Women
Zone 1 CONSANAT	2 top-placed + Peru	2 top-placed + Peru
Zone II CCCAN	3 top-placed	3 top-placed
Zone III USA	Automatically qualifies	Automatically qualifies
Zone IV CAN	Automatically qualifies	Automatically qualifies
Total	8 teams	8 teams



Confirmation of Quota Places

The Pan American Confederation will inform to PASO and NOCs/NFs the quota places obtained, before December 15th, 2018.

The NOCs/NFs must confirm to the Pan American Confederation the use of quota places obtained, no later than January 30th, 2019.

Reallocation of Unused Quota Places

Should vacancies become available, they will be allocated to each zone and filled based on their qualifying events.

In such cases, the zone will promote the next available team of the same gender from its qualifying event. This process will be completed by February 15th, 2019.

Timeline	
Date	Key Event
July 26 th – August 1 st 2018	Central American and Caribbean Games in Barranquilla, Colombia.
October 31 st – November 4 th 2018	South American Championships in Lima
December 15 th , 2018	The Pan American Confederation will inform to PASO and NOCs/NFs the quota places obtained
January 30 th , 2019	The NOCs/NFs must confirm to the Pan American Confederation the use of quota places obtained
February 15 th , 2019	End of reallocation period
April 26 th , 2019	Lima 2019 entry by number deadline
June 26 th , 2019	Lima 2019 entry by name deadline