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UIPM 2025 PENTATHLON WORLD CUP CAIRO: FRANCE QUARTET DOMINATE MEN'S QUALIFICATION



UIPM 2025 Pentathlon World Cup Cairo continued to provide drama on day two as athletes from **France** dominated the Men's Qualification round.

Group A was won by **Leo Bories** (FRA) ahead of team-mate **Mathis Rochat** (FRA) with an impressive 1,543 and 1,540 points respectively. **Ugo Fleurot** (FRA) raised the bar even higher in Group B with 1,546 points, six more than two-time world champion **Valentin Belaud** (FRA).

Those results confirmed that the French team is coping well with the new Modern Pentathlon format, including Obstacle for the first time. But it was **Egypt** athletes who continued to set the standard on the Obstacle course, with four of the quickest times including a blistering 21.93sec from **Mohamed El Ashqar**, on his way to finishing 3rd in Group A. **Matej Lukes** of **Czechia** claimed 3rd place in Group B.

Later in the day, the first-ever Fencing Seeding Round took place as the women competitors jostled for position in the new-look direct elimination format that will be in place for the Semi-finals

and Finals.

Teen phenomenon **Farida Khalil** (EGY) continued to impress as she scored a remarkable 24 victories and suffered only six defeats on the piste, meaning she will be seeded first in Semi-final A. The same honour in Semi-final B will fall to Paris 2024 Olympic champion **Michelle Gulyas** of **Hungary**, after she scored 22V/10D.

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Pentathlon World Cup Cairo continues tomorrow (February 27) with the Women's Semi-finals and Men's Fencing Seeding Round, followed by the Men's Semi-finals on February 28 and the Finals on Super Saturday, March 1.

Live stream of all Semi-finals and Finals is available free on [UIPM TV](#) and all competition results are available at the [UIPM website](#).

Here is a list of the 36 athletes who qualified for the Men's Semi-finals:

Name	Nation
ABOUAMER Moustafa	EGY
SHABAN Mazen	EGY
EL ASHQAR Mohamed	EGY
SHABAN Mohanad	EGY
TOVKAI Oleksandr	UKR
MICHELI Roberto	ITA
BORIES Leo	FRA
BOVENZI Matteo	ITA
MELKAZIORAU Uladzislau	AIN
KOLESZAR Mihaly	HUN
SHINOKI Kaoru	JPN
AHARUSHEV Maksym	UKR
AROL Yauheni	AIN
TSKHADADZE Giorgi	GEO
FLEUROT Ugo	FRA
BELAUD Valentin	FRA
LUKES Matej	CZE
BERAZAVIK Uladzislau	AIN
MARUK Maksim	AIN
ABDRAIMOV Temirlan	KAZ
COLASANTI Daniele	ITA
MOURCIA Jean-Baptiste	FRA
CICINELLI Matteo	ITA
VAGNORIUS Paulius	LTU
TAMAS Jozsef	HUN
POPOV Roman	UKR
BERECZKI Richard	HUN
ONISHI Sho	JPN
CHEREDOV Pavel	KAZ
STADNIK Kirill	KAZ
SEKIGAWA Kazuaki	JPN
CHUVASHOV Lev	KAZ
ASHIDA Yoshiki	JPN

RIVAS Albert

VEN