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2016 YEARBOOK



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A memorable year for UIPM

A great Olympic year 2016 is just coming to its end. The Union Internationale de Pentathlon Moderne looks back on a successful competition season, where our athletes performed at the highest level in all age categories in Biathle, Triathle, Tetrathlon and in our Olympic pillar, Modern Pentathlon.

The National Federations of UIPM collaborated with UIPM staff and committee members to organize all of these competitions with the invaluable support of volunteers.

All of my thanks goes to these people, who are the foundations for the future development of the UIPM movement.

Based on these worldwide activities UIPM brought attention to our sports through fantastic work on multimedia channels from TV and radio to magazines and newspapers to new platforms such as Facebook, Twitter and our own websites.

Modern Pentathlon is one of the core sports of the Olympic movement with impressive changes in sport presentation underpinned by creativity and innovation. With the newest technology in shooting, using laser technology, UIPM is paying respect to the issue of environmental protection.

The development of Modern Pentathlon and all the other UIPM Sports in all continents takes priority. Therefore, UIPM has already arranged and will continue in future years with special seminars and sport development in new member federations through schools, universities and partnership through institutions including police and military.

Education through Modern Pentathlon is a guiding principle. In the spirit of Baron Pierre de Coubertin, founder of the modern Olympic Games and creator of Modern Pentathlon, the UIPM family has since 1912 taken care of his legacy and paid tribute to an important part of the heritage of the Olympic Movement.

Fair play, friendship, respect, tolerance and peace are keywords for UIPM.

I welcome the international sport society to share our philosophy with us.

Klaus Schormann
Dr Klaus Schormann

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NORCECA (11)

Bermuda
Canada
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
El Salvador
Guatemala
Haiti
Mexico
Puerto Rico
USA

SOUTH AMERICA (10)

Argentina
Bolivia
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Ecuador
Panama
Peru
Uruguay
Venezuela

EUROPE (38)

Armenia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Belarus
Belgium
Bulgaria
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
Finland
France
Great Britain
Georgia
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Ireland
Israel
Italy
Kosovo
Latvia
Lithuania
Moldova
Monaco
Netherlands
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russia
Serbia
Slovakia
Spain
Switzerland
Sweden
Turkey
Ukraine

AFRICA (19)

Algeria
Benin
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Ivory Coast
Cameroon
Egypt
Gambia
Ghana
Kenya
Madagascar
Mauritius
Morocco
Namibia
Nigeria
South Africa
Senegal
Swaziland
Tunisia

ASIA (31)

Afghanistan
Bahrain
Bangladesh
China
Hong Kong
India
Indonesia
Iran
Japan
Kazakhstan
Kuwait
Kyrgyzstan
Lebanon
Malaysia
Mongolia
Nepal
North Korea
Pakistan
Palestine

OCEANIA (3)

Australia
Guam
New Zealand

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Where is the UIPM in 2016?

UIPM Secretary General, Shiny Fang



The end of an Olympic cycle is a time for reflection. At UIPM, we set out in 2012 to build a bigger, stronger and smarter federation. It has been an exciting journey and there are many areas in which the UIPM has progressed substantially over the past four years, culminating in 2016 which was a wonderful year for our movement.

Having started with 85 National Federations in 2012, our family of full members has grown to 112 with even more countries improving in modern pentathlon and progressing towards joining this community. A lot has been accomplished thanks to the hard work of our global family and a group of very talented staff members that I have the honour to guide. Like the many volunteers who underpin our sport worldwide, these are professionals who breathe modern pentathlon on a 24/7 rhythm.

From three staff members in 2012, we are now 14 in total between full and part-time, and we have turned the Administration into a service-providing unit for our membership and an efficient support team for all UIPM events. We now service around 50 events every year, having increased our sporting portfolio from four to six during this cycle, introducing Triathlon and Laser Run.

To manage the extra workload, the staff has been reorganized

into clear departments with precise functions – competition, communication, development, and administration – all designed to support stakeholders in a more efficient way. We now have guidelines on hosting, field of play design, media & marketing, visual branding elements, sports presentation, award ceremony, TV & streaming and nutrition.

UIPM now communicates through a cutting-edge digital ecosystem, comprising a modern website, eight social media platforms and an athletes' social media hub. Increased media exposure is supported by a stronger use of our new branding guidelines across all UIPM presentations, which has given us greater recognition in the eyes of stakeholders and media as well as more appeal for potential commercial partners.

Many new projects have been started and/or completed in the past three years, including EOS / CMS, our online system of event organization and competition management, academic studies

on development, the economic impact of UIPM events, digital benchmarking, ticketing and merchandising, the UIPM Shop and UIPM TV.

To improve the governance of UIPM and to stimulate debate and participation of more members, as well as accompanying our growth efforts, we have added four Commissions (Sport For All, Ethics, Finance and Athletes), 2 working groups (Instructor and Para) and one anti-doping panel. New statutes, internal regulations, and election rules provide for a transparent and democratic decision making process. A code of ethics has been approved and published on our website.

The administration now provides monthly reports and briefings to Executive Board members, accompanied by weekly briefings to National Federations and key stakeholder communications. We celebrate success with 12 UIPM Annual Awards distributed to athletes, teams, organizers and individuals.

In order to develop, we must spread resources around the world. We are proud to have developed academies and educational programs which are easily accessible through UIPM instructors, publications and online tools. We support coaches with annual conferences, clinics and seminars and a specific Coaches Certification Programme. Finally, equipment for training and

competitions provided by UIPM has reached over 65 countries.

The past four years at UIPM have been about growth but this should not be measured purely in numeric terms. Diversity is another major priority and we have grown in this respect too. In broadening our sport base, in affiliating ourselves to bodies like FISU and the IPC, we are building a structure that allows

any individual of any age in any country to access our sport.

UIPM is a federation which takes seriously its heritage, its responsibilities and its ambitions. We remain focused on clear goals under the heading of 4E – Education, Equipment, Empowerment and Expansion – from grassroots all the way to the Olympic Games.



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UIPM Structure

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UIPM COMMITTEES

UIPM ATHLETES COMMITTEE

UIPM TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

UIPM MASTERS COMMITTEE

UIPM MEDICAL COMMITTEE

UIPM BUSINESS AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

UIPM COACHES COMMITTEE

UIPM COMMISSIONS

UIPM FINANCE COMMISSION

UIPM SPORT FOR ALL COMMISSION

UIPM CULTURAL COMMISSION

UIPM PIERRE DE COUBERTIN COMMISSION

UIPM HONORARY AUDITORS

UIPM COURT OF ARBITRATION

JUDICIAL BODIES

UIPM ETHICS COMMISSION

UIPM ANTIDOPING PANEL

UIPM RECOGNISED GROUPS

PARA PENTATHLON WORKING GROUP

LASER WORKING GROUP

INSTRUCTORS WORKING GROUP

UIPM CONGRESS

112 NFs

EXECUTIVE BOARD

PRESIDENT

SECRETARY
GENERAL

UIPM
HEADQUARTERS



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Key Facts

6M+


PEOPLE REACHED ON FACEBOOK IN 2016

4,5M+


PAGEVIEWS ON PENTATHLON.ORG IN 2016

138


NATIONS PARTICIPATING GLOBALLY, AN INCREASE OF 5% ON 2015

180+


COUNTRIES BROADCASTING UIPM TV HIGHLIGHTS

1000+


TV BROADCASTING HIGHLIGHTS MINUTES

TOP ATHLETES

MARKETABLE


ATHLETES

INTELLIGENT


& WELL-SPOKEN ATHLETES

EQUALITY


MEN AND WOMEN EQUALLY REPRESENTED

VALUES


REFRESHED BRAND IDENTITY RETAINING THE ASSOCIATION WITH OLYMPIC VALUES

GLOBAL APPEAL


WITH ALL ETHNIC GROUPS REPRESENTED

UIPM Digital Ecosystem



The Olympic Road...

Digital



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Dignity

FROM LONDON
2012
TO RIO
2016

Delight

Diligence

Dynamism

UIPM in the Olympic Family

Behind the scenes and beyond the field of play, UIPM worked hard on transforming the way it receives VIP guests during the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

Hospitality is important not only because it allows UIPM dignitaries and office-bearers the chance to entertain important guests, such as the IOC President, but also because it presents an opportunity to express gratitude to those members of the UIPM Family who work hard to develop our movement 365 days a year, often in a voluntary capacity.

In Rio, the culmination of four years of progress in hospitality services was evident in a number of facilities that underlined the success of the Games as a diplomatic opportunity as well as a sporting event.

- UIPM created Olympic Family Lounges at two of its three venues within the Deodoro Olympic Park, the Youth Arena and Deodoro Stadium
- These facilities allowed the federation to entertain numerous VIPs from the Olympic Family including the IOC President, Dr Thomas Bach, who attended the Women's Fencing Bonus Round, Riding and Combined Event at Deodoro Stadium on August 20
- UIPM received dozens of other Olympic dignitaries during the three days of competition, and the Olympic Family Lounges allowed the UIPM President and members of the Executive Board to mingle with the decision-makers of global Olympic sport
- On August 21 UIPM hosted a special VIP reception at the Flamengo club, which the Peace



1 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann is joined by IOC President Dr Thomas Bach and UIPM and IOC Vice-President Juan Antonio Samaranch at Deodoro Stadium

2 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann in Rio with Tsunekazu Takeda, IOC Member and Japan National Olympic Committee President, and HSH Prince Albert II, UIPM Honorary President and IOC Member

3 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann and UIPM Secretary General Shiny Fang with Executive Board members of the European Modern Pentathlon Confederation in Sofia (BUL) during the 2016 European Championships

4 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann greets a child at the 2016 Laser-Run World Championships in Lisbon (POR)

5 UIPM Vice President Juan Antonio Samaranch, who was elected as IOC Vice President at the IOC Session in Rio

6 IOC Member Timothy Tsun Ting Fok sits between UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann and Vice-President Joel Bouzou at Deodoro Stadium in Rio

and Sport organization was using as its base during the Games. This provided an opportunity for the federation to thank everybody who supported our movement during this Olympic cycle and to reflect on four years of progress in a relaxed and cordial environment

- All hospitality venues were decorated with great attention to detail in order to maintain the progress made by UIPM in venue dressing

Of course, Rio 2016 was not the only event during this Olympic cycle that presented an opportunity to entertain important guests.

The Sochi 2014 Winter Olympic Games also enabled our office-bearers to mingle with the decision-makers of Olympic sport, as did the many global UIPM competitions staged from 2013 to 2016.

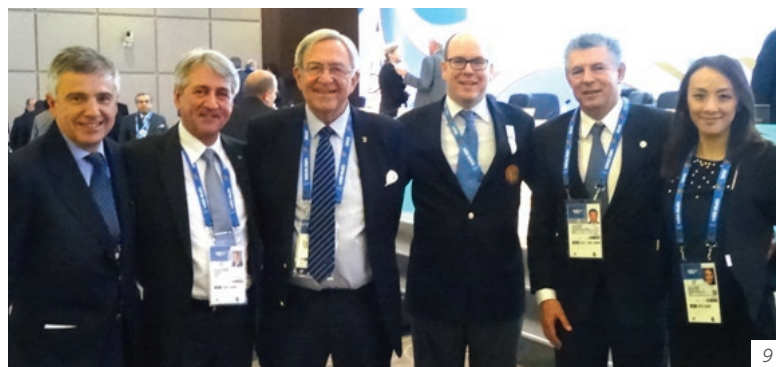
As we prepare for the 2020 Olympic Games in Tokyo, we do so in the knowledge that our hospitality offering can be upgraded once more during that competition when all five Modern Pentathlon sports will take place in one stadium in the same day.



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“How proud we have been this summer in Rio to witness the fantastic success of our Pentathletes in the way they have presented themselves to the Olympic Family and to the Sport society of the World! Promoting Beauty, Force and Intelligence within our new format, they have been seen as the most complete Olympians among all Sports... What a performance! Let's continue in the future!

Joel Bouzou
UIPM Vice President
WOA President



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7 Students from the Research Team Olympia, who carried out a questionnaire of Modern Pentathlon spectators during the Rio 2016 Olympic Games

8 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann with UIPM staff and TV crew during the 2016 World Cup Final in Sarasota (USA)

9 UIPM Vice-President Juan Antonio Samaranch, UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann, UIPM Patron HM King Constantine of Greece, UIPM Honorary President HSH Prince Albert II of Monaco, UIPM Vice-President Joel Bouzou and UIPM Secretary General Shiny Fang

10 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann with South American Confederation President Jorge Salas (far left) at a meeting with staff from the Buenos Aires 2018 Youth Olympic Games organising committee

11 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann with UIPM Executive Board Member for Sport and Montreal 1976 Olympic champion Janusz Peciak

UIPM donates Coubertin bust to Rio 2016 Olympic Village



Baron Pierre de Coubertin, founder of the Modern Olympic Games and the core Olympic sport of Modern Pentathlon, settled into a new home in the Olympic Village. A 30kg iron bust of Pierre de Coubertin (1863-1937) was donated to the Rio 2016 Organising Committee by the UIPM, and it was on display for athletes to see.

The bust, which is now permanently on display at the Olympic Museum in Rio de Janeiro, was created by the German artist Karlheinz Oswald. The idea was conceived by the International Pierre de Coubertin Committee through its President Prof Norbert Müller and UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann.

It was presented to Rio 2016 by Dr Schormann, who was joined at the ceremony by Jacques de Navacelle de Coubertin, UIPM Secretary General Shiny Fang, Mayor of the Olympic Village Mrs Janeth Arcain and the Vice President of Brazilian Olympic Committee, General Augusto Heleno. Also presented in the ceremony was Francis Gabet, Director of IOC Museum in Lausanne and Robert Stull, Chief Executive Officer of US Modern Pentathlon.

Dr Schormann said: “The purpose of this donation is to remember and emphasize the importance of the founder of the Modern Olympic Games, Pierre de Coubertin.

“Modern Pentathlon is a special sport and the ancient pentathlon was the only sport created for the Olympic Movement. Modern Pentathlon is a living legacy in the Olympic Movement.”

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Season Review



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CHAMPION OF
CHAMPIONS
2015

MODERN
PENTATHLON
27-28 NOVEMBER
CHAMPION OF
CHAMPIONS
DOHA, QATAR



27-28 November 2015, Doha, QATAR

UIPM CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 2015

**Calendar year ends
on a high for Schleu and Jun in Doha**

Annika Schleu (GER) and Jun Woongtae (KOR) ended 2015 with the honour of being crowned UIPM Champion of Champions in Doha (QAT).

Schleu (GER) was joined on the Women's podium by another athlete who was destined to have a successful 2016: Chloe Esposito (AUS), who won silver. Bronze went to Gintare Venckauskaite (LTU).

In the Men's event, 20-year-old Jun (KOR) was pushed to the wire and confirmed his victory at the last shooting series of the Combined Event ahead of Justinas Kinderis (LTU), who claimed silver, and bronze medallist and compatriot Jung Jinhwa (KOR).

Dr Klaus Schormann, President of UIPM, said: "This competition offers good promotion for our sport in Qatar. All of us, including our athletes, will be very happy to return in future years for the Champion of Champions in Doha."

The city is contracted to continue hosting the year-ending Champion of Champions event in 2016 and 2017.



Annika Schleu (GER) races clear of the field during the Combined Event



Jun Woongtae receives his gold medal from UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann

UIPM CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 2015
RESULTS

MEN

1	JUN WOONGTAE	KOR	1448
2	KINDERIS JUSTINAS	LTU	1444
3	JUNG JINHWA	KOR	1443
4	INZUNZA JORGE	MEX	1442
5	EL GEZIRY OMAR	EGY	1436
6	ESPOSITO MAX	AUS	1429
7	DE LUCA RICCARDO	ITA	1411
8	HERNANDEZ USCANGA ISMAEL	MEX	1407
9	LANIGAN-O KEEFFE ARTHUR	IRL	1383
10	PAVLYUK DENYS	UKR	1376

WOMEN

1	SCHLEU ANNIKA	GER	1327
2	ESPOSITO CHLOE	AUS	1321
3	VENCKAUSKAITE GINTARE	LTU	1305
4	PROKOPENKO ANASTASIYA	BEL	1294
5	BONESSIO LAVINIA	ITA	1285
6	MCCANN MELANIE	CAN	1277
7	MOYA LEIDIS LAURA	CUB	1272
8	PRASIANTSOVA IRYNA	BLR	1270
9	KOHLMANN JANINE	GER	1267
10	TOMONAGA NATSUMI	JPN	1259

“All of us, including our athletes, will be very happy to return in future years for the Champion of Champions in Doha.”

Dr. Klaus Schormann, President



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1 Jun Woongtae (KOR) during his Swim

2 Two male fencers clash on the piste in Doha

3 Annika Schleu (GER) during the Riding event

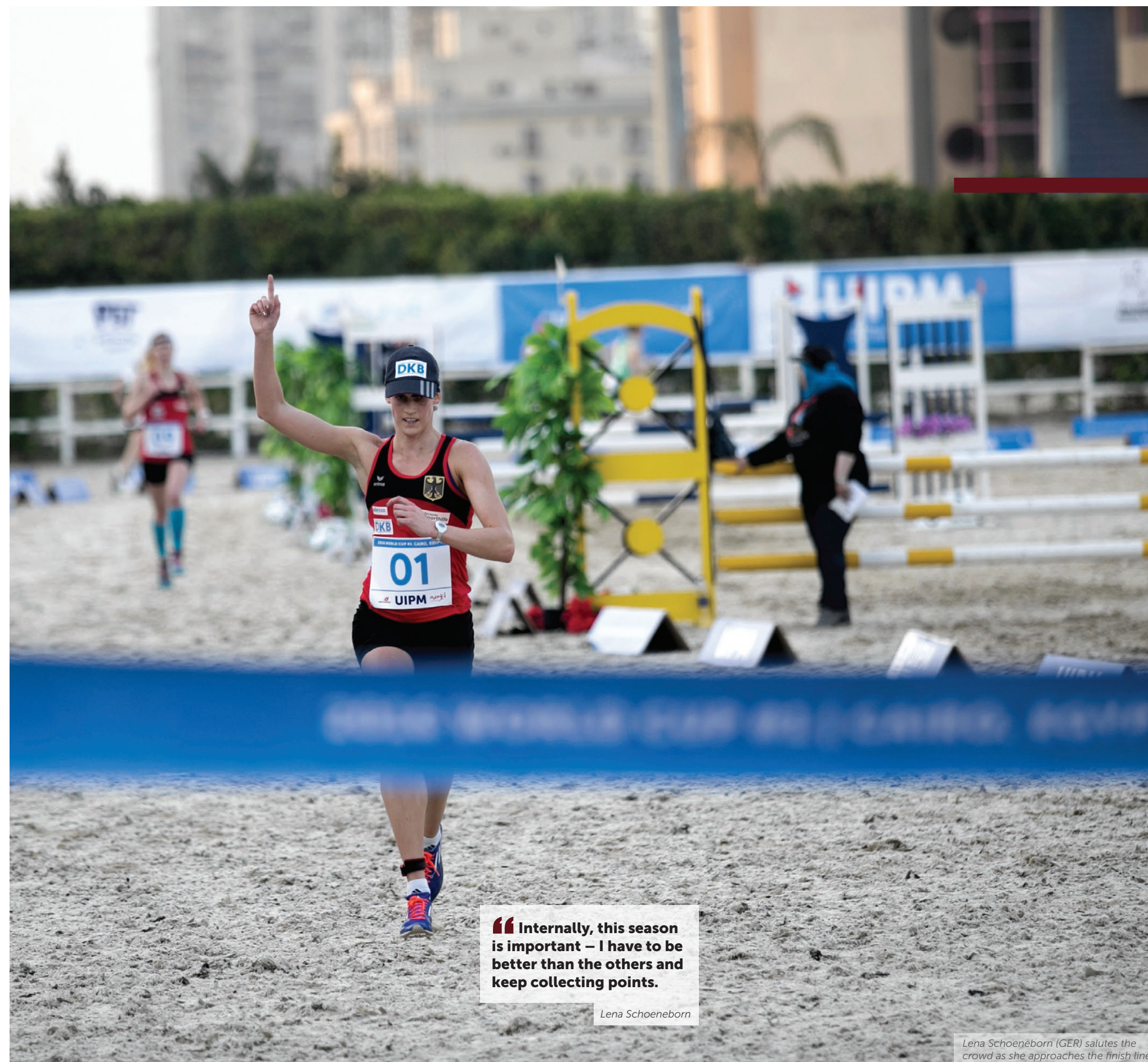
4 The women's competitors at the Shooting range



24-28 February 2016, Cairo, EGYPT

UIPM WORLD CUP #1

Competition is hot
in Cairo as athletes chase Olympic places



“Internally, this season is important – I have to be better than the others and keep collecting points.”

Lena Schoeneborn

Lena Schoeneborn (GER) salutes the crowd as she approaches the finish line

The 2016 UIPM competition season began with some intense competition in the African Modern Pentathlon stronghold of Egypt, as athletes stepped up the race for Rio 2016 Olympic qualifying places.

Schoeneborn takes initiative with opening World Cup win

Lena Schoeneborn (GER) set the standard as the first gold medallist of the 2016 elite season by winning the Women's Individual event at UIPM World Cup #1 in Cairo (EGY).

Schoeneborn, the 2015 World Champion, led a German 1-2 as she took the title ahead of compatriot Annika Schleu. Elodie Clouvel (FRA) completed an all-European podium as she finished 3rd.

Schoeneborn (GER) said after receiving her gold medal: "Internally, this season is important – I have to be better than the others and keep collecting points."

UIPM 1st Vice-President Ivar Sisneiga said: "What we have seen here is all those athletes that have not qualified for the Olympic Games are fighting for their lives, they are going with everything. So even though it's the first World Cup of the season they are truly prepared."

Elgeziry savours unforgettable win on home soil

A stunning home victory by Amro Elgeziry (EGY) provided a dream come true for organisers and spectators on the penultimate day of UIPM World Cup #1.

The victory by Elgeziry, one of the sport's most consistent performers, in the Men's Individual Final met with roars of approval from a large and supportive crowd in the Egyptian capital.

El Geziry (EGY) had never won a

World Cup event before but he produced an extremely polished performance from start to finish. All of the drama took place behind the leader, where Adam Marosi (HUN) and Valentin Belaud (FRA) crossed the line together in pursuit of silver with the Hungarian doing just enough to consign his French rival to bronze.

An elated Elgeziry (EGY) said: "I am so happy, no words could describe it. It's my first gold medal and it has happened in my home country. Everybody was cheering, and it was amazing. It was one of the best moments of my life."

Mixed Relay: Fencing key to Italian success

Italy claimed the first Mixed Relay gold medal of the 2016 UIPM World Cup series after an outstanding performance by Lavinia Bonessio and Auro Franceschini.

The Italians were in front with an unassailable lead for much of the day, and Mexico (Tamara Vega & Jorge Camacho) battled all the way to the line to secure silver ahead of bronze medallists Kazakhstan (Elena Potapenko & Vladislav Sukharev).

As the sun set on a terrific start to the elite Modern Pentathlon season in Cairo, Bonessio (ITA) said: "We are very happy with the competition today. All the way through qualifying our Fencing was bad but today we won the Fencing, which was a fantastic result and it allowed us to get the gold medal."

“We are very happy to be the second nation to host a Para-Pentathlon Test Event.

Sharif El-Elerian, EMPF President

Para-Pentathlon: Test Event in Cairo

UIPM advanced the credentials of Modern Pentathlon as a potential Paralympic sport as Cairo hosted the second official Para-Pentathlon Test Event, which doubled as Egypt’s first Para-Pentathlon National Competition.

A 14-strong local team took part in Swimming and Fencing after three months of intensive training. There was one female and two male categories and the winners – Ashrakat Yehia, Mohamed Rami and Hady Ahmed Yousef – and other medalists were awarded their prizes at the official World Cup awards ceremony.

Sharif El-Elerian, EMPF President, said: “We are very happy to be the second nation to host a Para-Pentathlon Test Event.

“We formed the team straight after the first test in Argentina in September last year. Our national team consists of 10 girls and four boys and we are working to prepare more disabled athletes in Egypt to participate in Para-Pentathlon.

“I am very happy that we could host together with the World Cup the first ever national competition of Para-Pentathlon.”

UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann added: “The Para-Pentathlon competition is very important for us and today we made was another big step after the first event in Argentina.

“I am so thankful to my UIPM staff and the organisers of this event for what they have achieved with this group. Looking at the faces of the parents and the competitors, I think they were very happy and proud and I think we are going about this the right way.”



Men’s medallists Amro Elgeziry (EGY, gold), Adam Marosi (HUN, silver) and Valentin Belaud (FRA, bronze)

UIPM WORLD CUP #1 RESULTS

MEN

1	EL GEZIRY AMRO		EGY	1478
2	MAROSI ADAM		HUN	1470
3	BELAUD VALENTIN		FRA	1470
4	JUN WOONGTAE		KOR	1454
5	PETRONI PIERPAOLO		ITA	1449
6	PRADES VALENTIN		FRA	1442
7	STASIAK SEBASTIAN		POL	1441
8	HEFNY YASSER		EGY	1438
9	ILYASHENKO PAVEL		KAZ	1437
10	LANIGAN-O KEEFFE ARTHUR		IRL	1435

WOMEN

1	SCHONEBORN LENA		DEU	1353
2	SCHLEU ANNIKA		DEU	1345
3	CLOUVEL ELODIE		FRA	1338
4	FOLDHAZI ZSOFIA		HUN	1333
5	ISAKSEN MARGAUX		USA	1330
6	TOMONAGA NATSUMI		JPN	1329
7	MCCANN MELANIE		CAN	1312
8	SERAPINAITE IEVA		LTU	1310
9	KARMANCHIKOVA OLGA		RUS	1303
10	ALEKSZEJEV TAMARA		HUN	1298

MIXED RELAY

1	FRANCESCHINI AURO, BONESSIO LAVINIA		ITA	1458
2	CAMACHO JORGE ABRAHAM, VEGA TAMARA		MEX	1428
3	SUKHAREV VLADISLAV, POTAPENKO ELENA		KAZ	1424
4	IMERI JORGE, BRAND ISABEL		GTM	1407
5	SILVA LEANDRO, ZAPATA AYELEN		ARG	1400
6	NAZEIR SHERIF, YAKOUT REEM		EGY	1363
7	OKUBO YUZURU, YAMANAKA SHINO		JPN	1356
8	AKSIN IPEK, EKIN CANBERK HULUSI		TUR	1341
9	AYTIMBETOV TEMIRLAN, SINGKH ALINA		KGZ	1161



“The Para-Pentathlon competition is very important for us and today we made was another big step after the first event in Argentina.

UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann

- 1 Participants in the Para-Pentathlon event
- 2 Elodie Clouvet (FRA) takes aim
- 3 Adam Marosi (HUN) after winning silver
- 4 Amro Elgeziry (EGY) out in front

8-14 March 2016, Rio de Janeiro, BRAZIL

UIPM WORLD CUP #2

Rio 2016 Olympic venues
pass the test

A runner is silhouetted by the setting sun at Deodoro Stadium in Rio

Six days of competition in Rio de Janeiro saw the 2016 Olympic Games Modern Pentathlon venues fully tested by most of the world's leading pentathletes.

Cesarini reigns in the rain

Claudia Cesarini (ITA) conquered a tropical downpour and dozens of higher-ranked pentathletes to secure Women's Individual gold at World Cup #2.

Ranked 57 in the world ahead of this official Rio 2016 Test Event, the Italian trailed behind three of her Italian compatriots in the pre-event rankings but she proved her ability to seize the big stage. She started the Combined Event behind Qian Chen (CHN) and local favourite Yane Marques (BRA).

"It's a dream, and I can't believe it," said Cesarini (ITA).

The rain that arrived during the Combined Event remained so heavy that Cesarini (ITA), silver medallist Lena Schoeneborn (GER) and bronze medallist Donata Rimsaite (RUS) had to wait until the following morning to receive their medals.

Jun makes the grade on World Cup circuit

Jun Woongtae (KOR) continued his impressive rise through the elite Modern Pentathlon ranks by securing Men's Individual gold at World Cup #2.

Aged 20, Jun's breakthrough success followed his victory in the season-ending 2015 Champion of Champions. He started the Combined Event in Rio in 6th place with a 25-second handicap but left the field behind him to win gold ahead of silver medallist Omar Elgeziry (EGY) and bronze medallist Adam Marosi (HUN).

"I'm so happy because, after the Champion of Champions, I promised myself that I would be better this year," said Jun (KOR) after his victory.

Mixed Relay: Gold for Germany as Schoeneborn stars again

Lena Schoeneborn asserted her class once again when she teamed up with Patrick Dogue to win gold for Germany in the Mixed Relay at World Cup #2.

The final act of the Olympic Test Event in Rio became an intriguing tussle between Germany and Egypt, two countries that had already stamped their mark on this year's World Cup with medals both in Cairo and in Rio.

In the end the class of 2015 individual world champion Schoeneborn allowed the Germans to comfortably prevail, with Egypt (Haydy Morsy & Eslam Hamad) holding on to silver and consigning Japan (Natsumi Tomonaga & Tomoya Miguchi) to bronze.

Schoeneborn (GER) said: "For me this competition was good because it gave me some points for the internal Olympic qualifying ranking, which is still going on, and because it gave me some self-confidence to know that I can perform well in these venues."



“It's a dream, and I can't believe it.”

Claudia Cesarini

Claudia Cesarini (ITA) shakes hands with Donata Rimsaite (RUS)



“I’m so happy because, after the Champion of Champions, I promised myself that I would be better this year.”

Jun Woongtae

Men’s medallists Omar Elgeziry (EGY, silver), Jun Woongtae (KOR, gold) and Adam Marosi (HUN, bronze)

UIPM WORLD CUP #2
RESULTS

MEN

1	JUN WOONGTAE	KOR	1472
2	EL GEZIRY OMAR	EGY	1471
3	MAROSI ADAM	HUN	1463
4	FERNANDEZ CHARLES	GTM	1456
5	HERNANDEZ USCANGA ISMAEL	MEX	1451
6	ZILLEKENS CHRISTIAN	GER	1448
7	KUSTOV MAKSIM	RUS	1448
8	GUO JIANLI	CHN	1443
9	DEMETER BENCE	HUN	1441
10	KINDERIS JUSTINAS	LTU	1439

WOMEN

1	CESARINI CLAUDIA	ITA	1346
2	SCHONEBORN LENA	GER	1323
3	RIMSAITE DONATA	RUS	1315
4	FOLDHAZI ZSOFIA	HUN	1310
5	OZYUKSEL ILKE	TUR	1307
6	GUBAYDULLINA GULNAZ	RUS	1303
7	CHEN QIAN	CHN	1300
8	KIM SUNWOO	KOR	1296
9	MARQUES YANE	BRA	1292
10	CLOUVEL ELODIE	FRA	1291

MIXED RELAY

1	DOGUE PATRICK, SCHONEBORN LENA	GER	1457
2	HAMAD ESLAM, MORSY HAYDY	EGY	1426
3	MIGUCHI TOMOYA, TOMONAGA NATSUMI	JPN	1418
4	FIGUEROA JOSE, MOYA LEIDIS LAURA	CUB	1407
5	SU HAIHANG, WEI DANNI	CHN	1397
6	BUSTOS ESTEBAN, ROSAS JAVIERA	CHI	1330
7	SARAIVA STEPHANY, FAGUNDES DANILO	BRA	1325
8	SANDOVAL ALVARO, NOGUEDA ELENA	MEX	1135

“For me this competition was good because it gave me some points for the internal Olympic qualifying ranking, which is still going on, and because it gave me some self-confidence to know that I can perform well in these venues.

Lena Schoeneborn



1 Men's competitors check their Swimming times

2 Adam Marosi (HUN) with his silver medal

3 Yane Marques (BRA) shoots in torrential rain

4 Donata Rimsaite (RUS) celebrates a Fencing victory



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31 March-4 April 2016, Rome, ITALY

UIPM WORLD CUP #3

European nations dominate in Rome

Laura Asadauskaite (LTU) during the Riding event



Laura Asadauskaite (LTU) celebrates her victory

Lithuania, France and host nation Italy enjoyed a taste of gold at World Cup #3 as the European nations claimed eight of the nine medals on offer.

Olympic champions on top

Normal order was restored on the UIPM World Cup circuit as Laura Asadauskaite (LTU) won her first event of the season ahead of another member of the Olympic champions' club.

Asadauskaite, the London 2012 gold medallist from Lithuania, and Lena Schoeneborn, Germany's Beijing 2008 champion, re-asserted their supremacy in the Women's Individual event by winning gold and silver respectively ahead of bronze medallist Anastasiya Prokopenko (Belarus).

Asadauskaite (LTU) said: "It was almost a perfect day. I enjoyed being on the podium because I won here in Rome last year and I am very happy to be back on the top of the podium. The process of Olympic preparation is getting better and better and I will keep it going."

French men make podium their own

It was a day of dominance for France as Valentin Prades and Christopher Patte finished in 1st and 2nd place in the Men's Individual Final at World Cup #3 – with Valentin Belaud not far behind in 6th.

Prades (FRA), a relay gold medallist in the 2014 World Championships, and Patte (FRA), who claimed a World Championships gold medal the year before in the team event, enjoyed their first taste of success in this Olympic season by taking gold and silver respectively, ahead of bronze medallist Jan Kuf (CZE).

Prades (FRA) managed to claim top spot despite having started the Combined Event in 9th place, while Patte (FRA) started 8th. Gold medallist Prades (FRA) said afterwards: "I'm very happy because it's an important season this year. It's Olympic qualification and this is a good performance for getting my ticket to Rio. I am so happy because we have trained hard for this. It's like winning the World Cup Final; it's the same feeling."

Mixed Relay: Roman crowd savours Italian triumph

The host nation savoured the perfect climax to the third round of the 2016 UIPM World Cup as Italy (Lavinia Bonessio & Lorenzo Michele) claimed gold in the Mixed Relay.

It was a second Mixed Relay gold in three World Cup events for Italy and Bonessio, after she topped the podium alongside Auro Franceschini at World Cup #1 in Cairo.

Bonessio and Michele put in a blistering performance in the Combined Event that led them to 1st place ahead of the Czech Republic's sibling silver medallists (Lenka Bilkova & Martin Bilkov) and bronze medallists Mexico (Mayan Oliver & Alvaro Sandoval).

Bonessio (ITA) said: "I am very happy with these results. I won in Cairo and in this competition, I competed with a young man and it was an exceptional result."

UIPM WORLD CUP #3
RESULTS

MEN

1	PRADES VALENTIN	 FRA	1492
2	PATTE CHRISTOPHER	 FRA	1489
3	KUF JAN	 CZE	1485
4	CHOONG JOSEPH	 GBR	1480
5	ZILLEKENS CHRISTIAN	 GER	1478
6	BELAUD VALENTIN	 FRA	1476
7	SANDOVAL ALVARO	 MEX	1473
8	HEFNY YASSER	 EGY	1468
9	GUO JIANLI	 CHN	1466
10	PETRONI PIERPAOLO	 ITA	1464

WOMEN

1	ASADAUSKAITE LAURA	 LTU	1417
2	SCHONEBORN LENA	 GER	1383
3	PROKOPENKO ANASTASIYA	 BLR	1369
4	KIM SUNWOO	 KOR	1358
5	MARQUES YANE	 BRA	1351
6	KHOKHLOVA IRYNA	 ARG	1350
7	SHIMAZU RENA	 JPN	1348
8	SCHLEU ANNIKA	 GER	1347
9	MALISZEWSKA ANNA	 POL	1343
10	SOTERO ALICE	 ITA	1342

MIXED RELAY

1	MICHELE LORENZO, BONESSIO LAVINIA	 ITA	1435
2	BILKO MARTIN, BILKOVA LENKA	 CZE	1432
3	SANDOVAL ALVARO, OLIVER MAYAN	 MEX	1430
4	LAUZEN THEODORE, ACHTERBERG SAMANTHA	 USA	1425
5	KUZNETSOV ANTON, POTAPENKO ELENA	 KAZ	1412
6	ZAPATA AYELLEN, ZAPATA EMANUEL	 ARG	1356
7	EKIN CANBERK HULUSI, AKSIN IPEK	 TUR	1335
8	SANDTEN MATTHIAS, STEINBORN RONJA	 GER	1109
9	KUZNETSOV NIKITA, ALINA MEREMIANINA	 KGZ	1043



Valentin Prades (FRA) runs clear during the Combined Event



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“ I am very happy with these results. I won in Cairo and in this competition, I competed with a young man and it was an exceptional result.

Lavinia Bonessio



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- 1 Lavinia Bonessio and Lorenzo Michele (ITA) enjoy their Mixed Relay success
- 2 Swimming was one of the highlights of World Cup #3
- 3 Jan Kuf (CZE) during the Fencing event
- 4 Lena Schoeneborn (GER) focuses on her Running

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KECSKEMÉT, HUNGARY



14-18 April 2016, Kecskemét, HUNGARY

UIPM WORLD CUP #4

An exhibition of
Hungarian heritage and global reach

Kate French and Samantha Murray (GBR) look strong
in the Running event

Dr Klaus Schormann, President of UIPM, described World Cup #4 in Kecskemet (HUN) as a “great showcase for Modern Pentathlon” and said “the whole competition was in perfect harmony”.

Prokopenko propels herself to front

After placing 35th in Swimming, 7th in Fencing and 17th in Riding, nobody expected Anastasiya Prokopenko (BLR) to be a podium contender at World Cup #4. Twelve astonishing minutes later, she was heading for the top step.

Prokopenko (BLR) is known for her running and shooting abilities but this was a truly miraculous turnaround. She began the Combined Event 48 seconds behind the leader and finished it with several seconds to spare as the winner ahead of local favourite Zsolia Foldhazi (HUN, silver) and starlet Julie Belhamri (FRA, bronze).

Prokopenko (BLR) said: “It’s amazing, because three days ago in Budapest my coach said to me: ‘Anastasiya, go to the World Cup and treat it like a training event for the World Cup Final.’ And I said: ‘No problem.’ After the finish line, I could not believe I had finished in first place. It has been a fantastic day.”

Cooke stands between Hungary and glory

James Cooke (GBR) became the second athlete in two days to come between Hungary and glory at UIPM World Cup #4.

A day after Anastasiya Prokopenko (BLR) consigned Zsolia Foldhazi (HUN) to silver, Cooke (GBR) refused to give the home crowd the gold they craved as he narrowly beat Hungarian duo Adam Marosi (silver) and Bence Demeter (bronze) to the line.

This was a third individual World Cup gold medal for Cooke (GBR), who had already tasted success in Hungary in 2013 and in the USA in 2015. He proved his calibre once again after a scintillating Swimming performance and an ice-cool showing on the Shooting range.

Mixed Relay: Golden glory for Guatemala

Guatemala’s development into a powerhouse of Modern Pentathlon in Central America received a glowing endorsement in Kecskemet when their leading duo of Isabel Brand and Charles Fernandez won Mixed Relay gold.

On the final day of World Cup #4, the powerful duo timed their campaign to perfection as they surged to the front of the field with a near faultless Riding performance.

Guatemala never looked back after that, finishing clear of Egypt (Sondos Aboubakr & Sherif Nazeir) in second with Germany (Alexandra Bettinelli & Alexander Nobis) stealing into the bronze medal position at the end as Spain’s medal challenge fell narrowly short.

Brand (GUA) said: “It’s my first World Cup medal and I am really, really pleased.”



“After the finish line, I could not believe I had finished in first place. It has been a fantastic day.”

Anastasiya Prokopenko

Anastasiya Prokopenko (BLR) completes a remarkable victory



UIPM WORLD CUP #4 RESULTS				
MEN				
1	COOKE JAMES	GBR		1491
2	MAROSI ADAM	HUN		1486
3	DEMETER BENCE	HUN		1481
4	PETRONI PIERPAOLO	ITA		1477
5	ROMANI GAUTHIER	FRA		1472
6	KINDERIS JUSTINAS	LTU		1459
7	NAKONECHNYI RUSLAN	LAT		1450
8	JUNG JINHWA	KOR		1447
9	POLIVKA ONDREJ	CZE		1444
10	STASIAK SEBASTIAN	POL		1442
WOMEN				
1	PROKOPENKO ANASTASIYA	BLR		1352
2	FOLDHAZI ZSOFIA	HUN		1342
3	BELHAMRI JULIE	FRA		1339
4	ZHANG XIAONAN	CHN		1333
5	OTEIZA MARIE	FRA		1333
6	SCHLEU ANNIKA	GER		1332
7	PRENTICE FREYJA	GBR		1329
8	FRENCH KATE	GBR		1329
9	MURRAY SAMANTHA	GBR		1328
10	CHEN QIAN	CHN		1324
MIXED RELAY				
1	FERNANDEZ CHARLES, BRAND ISABEL	GUA		1460
2	NAZEIR SHERIF, ABOUBAKR SONDOS	EGY		1440
3	NOBIS ALEXANDER, BETTINELLI ALEXANDRA	GER		1424
4	RODRIGUEZ CHRISTOBAL, GARCIA-MIGUEL MARTA	ESP		1416
5	MALITS ISTVAN, ALEKSZEJEV TAMARA	HUN		1413
6	HERNANDEZ USCANGA ISMAEL, OLIVER MAYAN	MEX		1410
7	ZAPATA PAMELA, VILLAMAYOR SERGIO	ARG		1292

“It’s my first World Cup medal and I am really, really pleased.

Isabel Brand



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1 Isabel Brand and Charles Fernandez (GUA) celebrate their Mixed Relay success

2 The Riding event was one of the highlights in Kecskemet

3 The tension of Fencing creates tough competition...

4 but also some exhilarating moments



6-8 May 2016, Sarasota, Florida (USA)
UIPM WORLD CUP FINAL

Cream rises to the top as World Cup concludes in Florida



“Sometimes it’s not only about Swimming and Running, but your mental strength on the day.”

Lena Schoeneborn

Lena Schoeneborn (GER) crosses the line to win gold

Two athletes who had already won stages of the 2016 World Cup ended up out in front during the Final in Sarasota.

Schoeneborn the star that shines brightest

Lena Schoeneborn (GER) completed an exemplary campaign as she was crowned winner of the UIPM World Cup for the 3rd time in the Florida sunshine.

The 2008 Olympic champion had waited five years for World Cup Final glory since her previous triumph, in London in 2011, which followed a breakthrough success in Moscow in 2010. But her task was complicated by the impressive Ieva Serapinaite (LTU), who capped a standout performance with a bronze medal to join Schoeneborn (GER) and silver medalist Zsófia Foldhazi (HUN) on the podium.

“This has been a long phase of training, from Colorado to here, and I’m very happy with the result,” said Schoeneborn (GER). “Sometimes it’s not only about Swimming and Running, but your mental strength on the day.”

Cooke clears a path to glory

James Cooke (GBR) confirmed his status as one of the world’s top pentathletes with the highlight of his career: individual gold at the World Cup Final.

Cooke, 25, built on his victory at World Cup #4 in Kecskemet and the gold medal he won at World Cup #1 in 2015 to prevail with a truly impressive display of self-assurance, control and intent. He stayed in contention all day, lurking behind the leaders, and pounced when he saw his chance.

In a final dominated by the Europeans, Patrick Dogue (GER)

won silver and Valentin Prades (FRA) claimed bronze.

Cooke (GBR) said: “It was the World Cup Final, there were big Olympic qualifying points on offer and everyone was fighting for them, and I know myself that the pressure was there. For me, it’s brilliant that I’ve got a World Cup win and a World Cup Final win.”

Mixed Relay: Irish duo turn silver to gold

Ireland (Natalya Coyle & Arthur Lanigan-O’Keeffe) went one better than 2015 as they won gold in the Mixed Relay that brought the curtain down on the 2016 UIPM World Cup season.

The Irish duo embraced and gave No.1 finger salutes to the crowd and photographers as they celebrated a fulfilling World Cup Final victory in the Florida sunshine.

The Irish duo had been beaten in the 2015 World Cup Final by Belarus (Katsiaryna Arol & Mikalai Hayanouski), who had to settle for silver this time. Behind them, Ukraine (Pavlo Tymoshchenko & Valeria Permyinka) won bronze after a sprint finish by the 2015 individual world champion Tymoshchenko.

“We feel pretty good,” said Coyle (IRL). “Last year we had three silvers in World Cups so we were pretty damn hungry coming into this one and we’re delighted. I love the Mixed Relay, I think it’s fantastic to watch because it’s male and female and it’s such a different tempo. It’s a great asset.”

UIPM WORLD CUP FINAL
RESULTS

MEN

1	COOKE JAMES	 GBR	1480
2	DOGUE PATRICK	 GER	1476
3	PRADES VALENTIN	 FRA	1473
4	KUSTOV MAKSIM	 RUS	1469
5	GUO JIANLI	 CHN	1468
6	MAROSI ADAM	 HUN	1467
7	SCHRIMSHER NATHAN	 USA	1465
8	HAYANOUSKI MIKALAI	 BLR	1462
9	HERNANDEZ USCANGA ISMAEL	 MEX	1460
10	EL GEZIRY AMRO	 EGY	1455

WOMEN

1	SCHONEBORN LENA	 GER	1375
2	FOLDHAZI ZSOFIA	 HUN	1366
3	SERAPINAITE IEVA	 LTU	1360
4	VENCKAUSKAITE GINTARE	 LTU	1347
5	BURIAK ANNA	 RUS	1340
6	PRENTICE FREYJA	 GBR	1336
7	SCHLEU ANNIKA	 GER	1328
8	CESARINI CLAUDIA	 ITA	1327
9	KODEDOVA BARBORA	 CZE	1324
10	VEGA TAMARA	 MEX	1319

MIXED RELAY

1	LANIGAN-O KEEFFE ARTHUR, COYLE NATALYA	 IRL	1495
2	HAYANOUSKI MIKALAI, AROL KATSIARYNA	 BLR	1480
3	TYMOSHCHENKO PAVLO, PERMYKINA VALERIYA	 UKR	1478
4	INZUNZA JORGE, VEGA TAMARA	 MEX	1477
5	STASIAK SEBASTIAN, MALISZEWSKA ANNA	 POL	1416
6	STORIE LOGAN, ACHTERBERG SAMANTHA	 USA	1405
7	SILVA LEANDRO, ZAPATA AYELEN	 ARG	1386
8	ILYASHENKO PAVEL, POTAPENKO ELENA	 KAZ	549





“ Last year we had three silvers in World Cups so we were pretty damn hungry coming into this one and we’re delighted.

Natalya Coyle



- 1 Valentin Prades (FRA) secures bronze
- 2 Patrick Dogue (GER) savours his second-place finish
- 3 Arthur Lanigan O’Keeffe and Natalya Coyle (IRL) show off their gold medals
- 4 Annika Schleu (GER) takes aim

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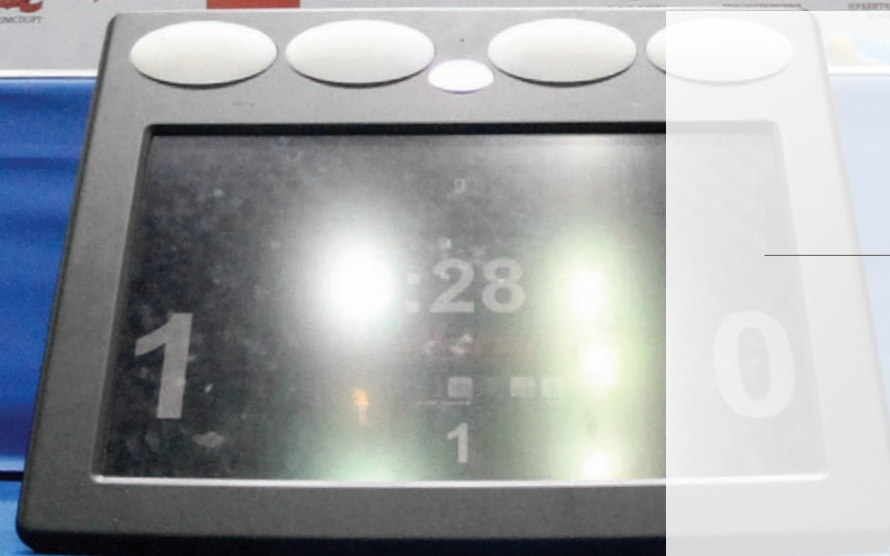


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22-29 May 2016, Moscow, RUSSIA
UIPM WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Magic in Moscow



The 2016 UIPM Senior World Championships provided breathtaking drama for spectators in Moscow (RUS) and a global audience watching on TV and via live stream on UIPMTV.org. The Russian team finally got the gold medal they craved when Donata Rimsaite and Alexander Lesun won the Mixed Relay. There were two first-time winners in the individual events: Sarolta Kovacs (HUN) and Valentin Belaud (FRA).

Women's Relay: Germany get the ball rolling

Lena Schoeneborn (GER) continued her prolific season as she scored another gold for her country alongside Annika Schleu (GER).

The German's performance was a tale of conviction and patience as they pushed host nation Russia out of the medals.

Russia (Anastasia Petrova/ Sofia Serkina) ended up in a disappointing 4th after leading the race for much of the day and entering the Combined Event with a 32-second advantage.

Great Britain (Samantha Murray/ Joanna Muir) won silver and Belarus (Katsiaryna Arol/Iryna Prasiantsova) claimed bronze.

Men's Relay: Power play gives Korea gold

Korea's leading men ramped up their Olympic preparations as they teamed up for victory in the Men's Relay.

Jun Woongtae and Hwang Woojin produced a dominant performance in Moscow's Olympiisky Sports Centre to blow away the competition.

Oleg Naumov and Ilia Frolov (RUS) got the host nation on the medal table as they secured silver while Pierre Dejardin and Alexandre Henrard (FRA) stormed up the leaderboard in the Combined Event to snatch bronze out of the grasp of Pavels Svecovs &

Ruslan Nakonechnyi (LAT) in an enthralling climax.

Kovacs (HUN) turns Moscow silver into gold

Modern Pentathlon crowned a new world champion and Hungarian pentathlon hailed a new heroine after Sarolta Kovacs won Women's Individual gold.

Kovacs (HUN), ranked 15 in the world before the competition, started the Combined Event with a slender lead of 9 seconds but she stunned her more celebrated rivals by stretching out in front with every lap of the stadium and holding her nerve at all of the Shooting ranges.

The results meant that Kovacs (HUN) guaranteed her place at the Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, along with silver medallist Elodie Clouvel (FRA) and bronze medallist Lena Schoeneborn (GER).

Kovacs (HUN) had competed little in the early season due to an injury that required surgery. But she did have pedigree at this championships, and at this particular venue having won silver at the 2011 World Championships in Moscow.

The 25-year-old said: "I can't believe it. This year has been hard for me with injury, and I had an operation two months ago. It's a big competition and I like Moscow. In 2011 I was here and I was first to start the Combined Event and second to finish it. So I like Moscow!"



NEW WORLD RECORD

With the speed of a TGV, Clouvel (FRA) set a new Swimming world record for Modern Pentathlon in the morning as she timed 2:06:59.



Sarolta Kovacs (HUN) focuses on her Running on the way to glory

“I can’t believe it. This year has been hard for me with injury, and I had an operation two months ago.

Sarolta Kovacs

Brilliant Belaud (FRA) keeps local favourite at bay

It was another day, another new world champion in Moscow as Valentin Belaud won Men’s Individual gold for France.

A day after his girlfriend, Elodie Clouvel (FRA), won individual silver, Belaud (FRA) summoned fantastic stamina to rein in the leaders having started 6th in the Combined Event and he completed victory with a final 800m lap of stunning power.

Alexander Lesun (RUS) maintained his record of winning a medal at every World Championships since 2010 with silver, while Jung Jinhwa (KOR) took the bronze. All three men on the podium qualified automatically for the Olympic Games, while Belaud became France’s first individual world champion since 2010 and first male since Sebastien Deleigne in 1998.

“I won in the last 100 metres and I am very happy. It’s amazing,” he said. “Yesterday Elodie won a silver medal and I’m very happy for her. Today, I won the gold medal and I’m just so happy.”

Mixed Relay: Fairytale finish for hosts Russia

Aleksander Lesun was back on top of the world as he and Donata Rimsaite teamed up to win gold for Russia in the Mixed Relay on the concluding day of the 2016 UIPM World Championships.

Their success was greeted with joy by the home crowd, who had been waiting with anticipation for silver to be turned into gold all week. For Lesun (RUS), it was an especially



Valentin Belaud (FRA) clutches his heart during the French national anthem

satisfying moment as he had come so close to winning Men’s Individual gold.

Zhang Xiaonan and Han Jiahao (CHN) cemented a solid performance across the events with a well-earned silver, while Anastasiya Prokopenko & Ilya Palazkov (BLR) staged a blistering comeback from 8th position to take the bronze medal.

Rimsaite (RUS) said: “We’re very happy. It was a perfect day and we would like to say a big thank you to the fans and to the crowd.”

UIPM WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

MEN

1	BELAUD VALENTIN	FRA	1514
2	LESUN ALEKSANDER	RUS	1510
3	JUNG JINHWA	KOR	1501
4	EL GEZIRY OMAR	EGY	1494
5	HEFNY YASSER	EGY	1490
6	EL GEZIRY AMRO	EGY	1489

WOMEN

1	KOVACS SAROLTA	HUN	1386
2	CLOUVEL ELODIE	FRA	1374
3	SCHONEBORN LENA	GER	1373
4	ASADAUSKAITE LAURA	LTU	1368
5	CHEN QIAN	CHN	1364
6	LIANG WANXIA	CHN	1360

MEN’S RELAY

1	HWANG WOJIN, JUN WOONGTAE	KOR	1563
2	FROLOV ILIA, NAUMOV OLEG	RUS	1550
3	HENRRAD ALEXANDRE, DEJARDIN PIERRE	FRA	1524

WOMEN’S RELAY

1	SCHONEBORN LENA, SCHLEU ANNIKA	GER	1419
2	MUIR JOANNA, MURRAY SAMANTHA	GBR	1409
3	AROL KATSIARYNA, PRASIANTSOVA IRYNA	BEL	1405

MIXED RELAY

1	RIMSAITE DONATA, LESUN ALEKSANDER	RUS	1509
2	HAN JIAHAO, ZHANG XIAONAN	CHN	1488
3	PALAZKOV ILYA, PROKOPENKO ANASTASIYA	BLR	1474

TEAM

MEN			WOMEN		
1	EGYPT	4476	1	HUNGARY	4080
2	RUSSIA	4169	2	CHINA	4075
3	FRANCE	4106	3	GERMANY	4042

“ We’re very happy. It was a perfect day and we would like to say a big thank you to the fans and to the crowd.

Donata Rimsaite



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- 1 Elodie Clouvel (FRA) rides her way to a silver medal
- 2 Donata Rimsaite and Alexander Lesun (RUS) savour their success
- 3 Jun Woongtae and Hwang Woojin (KOR) enjoy their relay gold
- 4 Annika Schleu and Lena Schoeneborn (GER) on top of the podium



14-18 July 2016, Limerick, IRELAND
UIPM YOUTH A WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Poetry in motion
as Limerick showcases the best teenage talent

The green grass of Limerick provided a lush venue for Tetrathlon



2016 YOUTH A WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS | LIMERICK, IRELAND

NEW WORLD RECORD

A world record breaker was kept out of the medals. Rebecca Langrehr (GER) set the tone for an amazing day as she broke a new Youth A world record for Fencing, winning an incredible 32 of her 35 bouts.

Aurora Tognetti (ITA) smiles as she reaches the finish line to win gold

Ireland's first Category A competition was a triumphant experience - especially for the dominant athletes from Italy, Korea and Russia.

Gold for Aurora, the starlet of Italy

Aurora Tognetti of Italy set her sights on the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games after winning gold in the Women's Individual Final at the UIPM 2016 Youth A World Championships.

Tognetti, 17, finished 4th in the 2015 Junior World Championships and 3rd in the 2016 Junior European Championships, and there was no stopping her in Limerick as she conquered the best under-17s in the sport.

Joining her on the podium were silver medallist Xeina Fralцова (RUS), who led Russia to team gold, and bronze medallist Haydy Morsy (EGY), ahead of her Rio Olympic Games appearance.

Jeong stuns field in sprint for gold

An incredible sprint finish allowed Jeong Youngjin of Korea to win gold in the Men's Individual Final at the UIPM 2016 World Youth A Championships.

Jeong, 18, started the closing Combined Event in 9th place but showed true grit, conviction and stamina to move past the leaders one by one and overtake Ivan Khamtsou (BLR) on the final bend of the University of Limerick cross-country circuit.

Khamtsou (BLR) had to settle for silver as Andrei Zuev (RUS) claimed bronze. Russia won silver in the Team event behind winners Korea, with Belarus taking bronze.

Relays: Italy, Korea and Russia continue gold rush

Italy, Korea and Russia continued to dominate at the 2016 UIPM Youth A World Championships as the relay glory was split three ways. All three nations had won individual or team gold medals earlier in the championships and extended their run of success on the final day of a successful championships.

In the Women's Relay, Italy (Elena Micheli & Aurora Tognetti) were successful as they consigned Germany to silver and Egypt to bronze. This followed the Women's Individual victory by Aurora Tognetti (ITA).

The Men's Relay title went to Korea (Jeong Youngjin & Kim Woocheol) as they held off Russia (silver) and Belarus (bronze). It created a clean sweep for Korea as they had already picked up Men's Individual (Jeong Youngjin) and Team gold.

The winners of the Mixed Relay were Russia (Xeina Fralцова & Andrei Zuev), who beat off competition from Hungary (silver) and Egypt (bronze). Russia's second gold followed their success in the Women's Team event.

Martin Dawe, the UIPM Executive Board Member for Marketing, paid tribute to the hosts after Ireland's first Category A UIPM event drew to a close, describing the University of Limerick as "a great venue for our sport".

UIPM YOUTH A WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS			
MEN			
1	JEONG YOUNGJIN	KOR	1176
2	KHAMTSOU IVAN	BLR	1173
3	ZUEV ANDREI	RUS	1165
4	RASHAD SHERIF	EGY	1152
5	HERNANDEZ EMILIANO	MEX	1147
6	KIM WOOCHEOL	KOR	1143
WOMEN			
1	TOGNETTI AURORA	ITA	1058
2	FRALCOVA XEINA	RUS	1054
3	MORSY HAYDY	EGY	1046
4	LANGREHR REBECCA	GER	1030
5	GREEN OLIVIA	GBR	1016
6	IBATULLINA ADELINA	RUS	1011
MEN'S RELAY			
1	JEONG YOUNGJIN, KIM WOOCHEOL	KOR	1238
2	TARASOV IVAN, PETROV ANDRE	RUS	1234
3	KHAMTSOU IVAN, HARNASTAEU MIKITA	BLR	1220
WOMEN'S RELAY			
1	TOGNETTI AURORA, MICHELI ELENA	ITA	1108
2	MATTHES ANNA, LANGREHR REBECCA	GER	1101
3	ABDELMAKSOUD SALMA, AMER MARIAM	EGY	1090
MIXED RELAY			
1	ZUEV ANDREI, FRALCOVA XEINA	RUS	1202
2	SZÉP BALÁZS, STROBL ANITA	HUN	1197
3	RASHAD SHERIF, MORSY HAYDY	EGY	1180
TEAM			
MEN		WOMEN	
1	KOREA 3442	1	RUSSIA 3046
2	RUSSIA 3422	2	ITALY 3021
3	BELARUS 3489	3	EGYPT 3004



Jeong Youngjin celebrates his success



“A great venue for our sport.

Martin Dawe,
UIPM Executive Board Member for Marketing



1 The men's individual podium

2 Swimmers dive in at the University of Limerick pool

3 Bronze medallist Andrei Zuev

4 The women's individual podium



**MASTERS
PENTATHLON**
2-7 JULY 2016
PRAGUE,
CZECH REPUBLIC

2-7 July 2016, Prague, CZECH REPUBLIC

MASTERS WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

**Masters from 23 nations
make serious strides in Prague**

All of the Masters showed exemplary commitment

UIPM continued in 2016 to make major advances on behalf of the Masters Modern Pentathlon movement, offering former Olympians and other veteran athletes more competitive opportunities than ever before.

Twenty-three nations were represented by 129 athletes during the 2016 Masters World Championship in Prague (CZE, July 2-7) at two facilities, SC Pobebrady and SC Juliska, which were prepared in pristine condition and ready for the athletes, coaches and officials.

A number of former Olympians participated. The UIPM President, Dr Klaus Schormann, attended the championships in Prague and presented some of the medals. He said: "Masters is an important movement and it is important that they are growing. Here we saw five continents represented – and I must say it is not about fun.

"I saw here amazing performances. At the same time, there is some kind of friendship. It is a very important pillar of the UIPM and the board of the UIPM has given a lot of support to this movement."



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Dr Klaus Schormann, President of UIPM



- 1 Two women fencers embrace on the piste
- 2 True sportsmanship was on display in Prague
- 3 Two athletes high-five on horseback
- 4 Excellent shooting technique

18-20 August 2016, Rio de Janeiro, BRAZIL
RIO 2016 OLYMPIC GAMES

Stars shine
on the ultimate stage



A beaming Chloe Esposito (AUS) clutches her Olympic gold medal

Modern Pentathlon created two of the spectacular closing highlights of the XXXI Olympiad in Rio de Janeiro with Women's and Men's competitions of breathtaking suspense and athletic prowess. Two new champions were crowned, and six countries and three continents were represented on the podium.

Women's Individual: Chloe Esposito makes herself a superstar

Modern Pentathlon crowned the first of two new Olympic champions when Chloe Esposito of Australia engineered a stunning victory at Deodoro Stadium.

Esposito (AUS) started the Combined Event in 4th place and overtook the top three with a superb exhibition of composure and stamina - in a new Olympic record score of 1372. Elodie Clouvel of France also reined in the leader, Oktawia Nowacka (POL), to claim silver and Nowacka (POL) held on to win a hard-earned bronze.

Esposito (AUS) reflected: "This year wasn't the best year, I didn't get to compete in any World Cups or other championships. It wasn't the best preparation for Rio, so at the beginning of the year I wasn't in the best spirits.

"Then, three months ago, everything changed: the injury got better and training was going well, and everything just fell into place.

"My coach, who is also my father Daniel, tells me the same thing before every competition. For each event I have a task, and if I do those tasks, then in my mind I have won. Today was a day when everything came together."

Nowacka (POL) started the day with a clear advantage from the Fencing Bonus Round at the Youth Arena. She scored 262 in the Ranking Round with 27 victories and eight defeats. Behind her were Lena Schoeneborn (GER) with 244 (24V/11D) and Melanie McCann (CAN) with 236 (23V/12D).

History was then made at the Deodoro Stadium as Bonus Round Fencing was introduced to the Olympic Games for the first time - and Samantha Murray (GBR) won a remarkable eight matches.

Nowacka (POL) maintained her 12-point lead during the Riding competition. Two former Olympic champions, Laura Asadauskaite (LTU) and Schoeneborn (GER), scored zero after a series of refusals.

In the Combined Event Nowacka (POL) kept distance between herself and 2nd-placed Clouvel (FRA) until the 3rd lap, having demonstrated great poise on the shooting range. But she began to tire and was caught on the final range by Esposito (AUS), who had been making steady progress and eating into her 45-second deficit, and by Clouvel (FRA).

There was no way strong runner Esposito (AUS) was going to be caught after leaving the range first, and she completed the final 800m with absolute focus to make history.

Men's Individual: Alexander Lesun leads from the front

Lesun (RUS) went into the Combined Event with a nine-second lead and ended up winning by seven seconds from silver medallist Pavlo Tymoshchenko (UKR). Ismael Hernandez Uscanga (MEX) won a sprint to the line to claim bronze ahead of 4th-placed Valentin Prades (FRA) and 5th-placed Riccardo de Luca (ITA).

If the race for bronze was dramatic, Lesun's progress to the finish line was relatively serene.

NEW OLYMPIC RECORD

An Olympic record was broken the next morning when Gulnaz Gubaydullina (RUS) won the Swimming event at the Deodoro Aquatics Center. She timed *2mins 07.94 secs* to finish ahead of Elodie Clouvel (FRA, 2:08.62) and Sarolta Kovacs (HUN, 2:09.02).

NEW OLYMPIC RECORD

Alexander Lesun (RUS) became the Olympic champion after setting a new Olympic record of 1479 points with a consistently strong and unflappable performance.

Joseph Choong (GBR) stayed with him for the first two laps but after he became tied up at the second Shoot, it was Tymoshchenko (UKR) who became the hunter.

Even though Tymoshchenko (UKR) kept the pressure on the leader at the final Shoot, Lesun (RUS) had enough stamina to hold off his rival and add Olympic gold to his huge medal collection that includes two World Championship titles plus three silver medals and a bronze, plus multiple World Cup medals.

Invited to comment on his victory, Lesun (RUS) said: "I already set records before in fencing [on Thursday] and I just did my job. I was really upset [after finishing 4th at London 2012] but I tried to calm down and that was the main thing."

The victory of Lesun (RUS) was built on exceptional skill in the Fencing arena. His Olympic record score of 268 gave him a demonstrable advantage over his rivals who knew they would be playing catch-up unless the leader had a major setback in Riding.












































In Riding, leader Lesun (RUS) incurred 21 penalty points for an overall score of 871 which gave fresh hope to the rest of the field. It meant that Joseph Choong (GBR) would start 2nd with a 9-second handicap and left Amro Elgeziry (EGY) a further 10 seconds behind.

The result was that 16 competitors - almost half of the field - would start the Combined Event within 45 seconds of Lesun (RUS), ensuring a dramatic race for the podium.






























As it turned out, the penalties incurred by Lesun (RUS) on horseback were not sufficient to derail him and he accepted the challenge of leading from the front with great assurance and aplomb.



RIO 2016 OLYMPIC GAMES
MEN'S RESULTS

		 FENCING		 SWIMMING		 RIDING		 COMBINED		TOTAL	HCP	PWR Pts
★ (OLYMPIC GAMES RECORD)												
		Pts	Pos	Pts	Pos	Pts	Pos	Pts	Pos			
1	 LESUN Alexander	★ 268	1	324	22	279	21	608	20	★ 1479	0	80
	 RUS											
2	 TYMOSHCHENKO Pavlo	227	5	324	23	286	16	635	5	1472	7	75
	 UKR											
3	 HERNANDEZ USCANGA Ismael	208	19	334	11	300	5	626	8	1468	11	70
	 MEX											
4	 PRADES Valentin	227	6	327	18	277	23	636	3	1467	12	66
	 FRA											
5	 DE LUCA Riccardo	222	10	312	34	300	6	633	6	1467	12	63
	 ITA											
6	 DOGUE Patrick	240	2	318	31	288	12	617	14	1463	16	60
	 GER											
7	 ESPOSITO Max	185	29	341	4	300	3	636	4	1462	17	58
	 AUS											
8	 LANIGAN-O'KEEFE Arthur	198	25	331	13	300	2	628	7	1457	22	56
	 IRL											
9	 SVOBODA David	226	7	324	23	282	19	620	10	1452	27	54
	 CZE											
10	 CHOONG Joseph	224	8	345	3	293	8	610	18	1451	28	52
	 GBR											
11	 SCHRIMSHER Nathan	220	9	338	7	282	18	610	18	1450	29	50
	 USA											
12	 MAROSI Adam	196	24	335	9	293	9	621	9	1445	34	48
	 HUN											
13	 JUNG Jinhwa	203	23	338	6	283	17	619	12	1443	36	46
	 KOR											
14	 COOKE James	185	28	★ 354	1	288	12	609	19	1438	43	44
	 GBR											
15	 FERNANDEZ Charles	214	14	331	14	271	27	619	11	1435	44	42
	 GUA											
16	 CAO Zhongrong	204	22	340	5	300	4	589	27	1433	46	40
	 CHN											
17	 DEMETER Bence	217	16	329	17	265	29	619	13	1430	49	39
	 HUN											
18	 GUO Jianli	214	15	335	10	286	15	594	25	1429	50	38
	 CHN											
19	 JUN Woongtae	178	30	338	8	272	25	★ 638	1	1426	53	37
	 KOR											
20	 BELAUD Valentin	216	12	317	32	286	13	601	22	1420	59	36
	FRA											
21	ZILLEKENS Christian	196	26	322	28	286	14	613	16	1417	62	35
	GER											
22	MIGUCHI Tomoya	220	11	333	12	281	20	578	30	1412	67	34
	JPN											
23	EL GEZIRY Omar	239	3	330	15	265	28	569	32	1403	76	33
	EGY											
24	PETRONI Pierpaolo	179	32	324	21	293	7	601	23	1397	82	32
	ITA											
25	EL GEZIRY Amro	208	18	353	2	291	10	541	35	1393	86	31
	EGY											
26	FEDECHKO Andriy	198	27	324	25	275	24	593	26	1390	89	30
	UKR											
27	STASKIEWICZ Szymon	227	4	310	35	258	30	595	24	1390	89	29
	POL											
28	NAKONECHNYI Ruslan	180	31	329	16	272	26	605	21	1386	93	28
	LAT											
29	IWAMOTO Shohei	154	36	315	33	300	1	586	29	1355	124	27
	JPN											
30	ZAPATA Emanuel	166	33	320	29	277	22	577	31	1340	139	26
	ARG											
31	NASCIMENTO Felipe	155	35	324	20	251	31	565	33	1295	184	25
	BRA											
32	FIGUEROA Jose	156	34	294	36	233	32	531	36	1214	265	24
	CUB											
33	KRASTANOV Dimitar	215	17	326	19	0	0	638	2	1179	300	23
	BUL											
34	KINDERIS Justinas	211	20	320	30	0	0	613	15	1144	335	22
	LTU											
35	ILYASHENKO Pavel	208	21	322	27	0	0	611	17	1141	338	21
	KAZ											
36	KUF Jan	215	13	323	26	0	0	565	34	1103	376	20
	CZE											

RIO 2016 OLYMPIC GAMES
WOMEN'S RESULTS

		FENCING		SWIMMING		RIDING		COMBINED		TOTAL	HCP	PWR Pts
		Pts	Pos	Pts	Pos	Pts	Pos	Pts	Pos			
1	 ESPOSITO Chloe	215	13	303	7	284	19	570	2	1372	0	80
	 AUS											
2	 CLOUVEL Elodie	227	7	315	2	293	11	521	17	1356	16	75
	 FRA											
3	 NOWACKA Oktawia	264	1	290	16	293	9	502	25	1349	23	70
	 POL											
4	 CHEN Qian	232	5	284	20	292	13	535	9	1343	29	66
	 CHN											
5	 SCHLEU Annika	202	16	282	21	293	12	559	3	1336	36	63
	 GER											
6	 FRENCH Kate	202	19	292	15	300	1	537	8	1331	41	60
	 GBR											
7	 COYLE Natalya	215	12	288	18	300	4	522	16	1325	47	58
	 IRL											
8	 SOTERO Alice	221	9	303	8	279	23	520	18	1323	49	56
	 ITA											
9	 MURRAY Samantha	192	31	308	4	279	22	542	7	1321	51	54
	 GBR											
10	 POTAPENKO Elena	202	20	306	5	293	7	513	22	1314	58	52
	 KAZ											
11	 VEGA Tamara	190	26	290	17	300	5	531	11	1311	61	50
	 MEX											
12	 RIMSAITE Donata	202	15	274	30	284	18	548	6	1308	64	48
	 RUS											
13	 TOMONAGA Natsumi	190	27	294	12	298	6	525	15	1307	65	46
	 JPN											
14	 KIM Sunwoo	197	23	292	14	300	2	516	20	1305	67	44
	 KOR											
15	 GUBAYDULLINA Guinaz	148	36	317	1	290	14	550	5	1305	67	42



- 1 Pavlo Tymoshchenko (URK) runs for the silver medal
- 2 Elodie Clouvel (FRA) shows her silver medal
- 3 Oktawia Nowacka (POL) keeps her eye on the prize
- 4 Ismael Hernandez Uscanga (MEX) can't believe he is an Olympic medallist



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PENTATHLON
2-4 SEPTEMBER 2016
LASER-RUN WORLD
CHAMPIONSHIP
LISBON, PORTUGAL

1-4 September 2016, Lisbon, PORTUGAL

UIPM LASER-RUN WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Laser-Run is a global success story in Lisbon

A young South African runs in the sun

More than 400 athletes gathered in the Portuguese capital of Lisbon to participate in the 2nd UIPM Laser-Run World Championships.

In all, 421 athletes from 22 nations battled high temperatures to take part in an exciting weekend of competitions catering for all ages from under-11 to over-60. There were excellent results from teams from Egypt and South Africa, demonstrating the global reach that the new format has already achieved.

The Czech Republic dominated the senior events, where the Women's Individual title was won by Rio 2016 Olympian Barbora Kodedova (CZE) and the senior Men's Individual title was claimed by Ondrej Polivka (CZE). The Czech duo then teamed up on the final day to complete a golden treble with victory in the senior Mixed Relay event.

Dr Klaus Schormann, President of UIPM, said: "The 2nd Laser-Run World Championships in Lisbon was another big step for the development of Modern Pentathlon. UIPM was delighted to see 421 athletes from 22 countries in different age groups coming here to participate in Lisbon."



Young competitors display good Shooting technique

“The 2nd Laser-Run World Championships in Lisbon was another big step for the development of Modern Pentathlon.”

Dr Klaus Schormann, President of UIPM



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- 1 Two youth athletes embrace
- 2 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann with a young competitor
- 3 Ondrej Polivka (CZE) celebrates his win
- 4 A young athlete leaves the Shooting range



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PENTATHLON
12-18 SEP. 2016
JUNIOR WORLD
CHAMPIONSHIPS
CAIRO, EGYPT

12-17 September 2016, Cairo, EGYPT

UIPM JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Glittering talent shines

in Cairo as Olympians find competition tough

Charles Fernandez (GUA) celebrates his success



Kim Sunwoo (KOR) on the podium

A number of Rio 2016 Olympians returned to competition at the 2016 UIPM Junior World Championships in Cairo, Egypt - and were immediately reminded of the strength in depth that exists at this level.

Women's Relay: Russian duo conquer heat

In temperatures that rose to 35C, Russia drew first blood at the 2016 UIPM Junior World Championships in Cairo with gold in the Women's Relay.

It was the final Shooting series of the Combined Event that decided the outcome after Russia, Italy and Belarus arrived practically together in the range.

Alena Popova and Sofia Serkina (RUS) held their nerve to become gold medallists, leaving Alessandra Frezza and Irene Prampolini (ITA) with the silver and Iryna Prasiantsova & Volha Silkina (BLR) with bronze.

Men's Relay: It's Russia at the double

Serge Baranov and Alexander Lifanov from Russia were crowned Men's Relay champions on the second day of action at the UIPM 2016 Junior World Championships.

The Russians were consistent throughout a competition that saw 17 nations from across the world giving their all for the gold medal. In the end it was Baranov and Lifanov (RUS) who stood on top of the podium, repeating the success of their women compatriots just one day before.

The silver medal went to Lee Jihun and Jun Woongtae (KOR) with Daniele Colasanti and Gianluca Micozzi (ITA) clinching bronze.

Women's Individual: Kim dominates to win gold

After a day of warm sunshine, Kim Sunwoo of Korea conquered the field to claim the title of UIPM 2016 Junior World Champion in the Women's Individual Final.

With a convincing lead, Kim's victory demonstrated that the 14th place she obtained at the Rio 2016 Olympics Games last month has the potential to propel this 20-year-old Korean athlete to the podium at Tokyo 2020.

Kim (KOR) said after receiving her gold medal: "I still cannot believe it. It is my first medal even though I participated in so many international competitions this year. I am truly happy."

Francesca Tognetti (ITA) won silver and Sofia Serkina (RUS) claimed bronze, while Italy won gold in the team event.

Men's Individual: Fernandez wins epic finale

After one of the most dramatic finales ever seen in elite Modern Pentathlon, Charles Fernandez of Guatemala prevailed in an epic battle with Jun Woongtae of Korea to be crowned the UIPM 2016 Junior World Men's Individual Champion.

A classic duel between two of the five 2016 Olympians in the field ended with Jun (KOR) overtaking Fernandez (GUA) at the final Shoot, only for the 2015 Pan American Champion to regain the lead in the final 200m and seal a breathtaking victory. Alexander Lifanov (RUS) won bronze.

“I still cannot believe it. It is my first medal even though I participated in so many international competitions this year. I am truly happy.

Kim Sunwoo

Fernandez (GUA) said: “I am very proud and actually I have no words to describe what happened today. This year has been an incredible journey and I have been so close to medals but at the same time so far away. To finish this competition the way I did, I am really happy.”

Russia won team gold in a strong competition where the line-up featured five Rio 2016 Olympians.

Mixed Relay: Italy secure second gold in Cairo

Francesca Tognetti and Matteo Cicinelli gave Italy a convincing victory in the Mixed Relay on the final day of the 2016 UIPM Junior World Championships.

The Italian duo proved too strong for European rivals France (Pulcherie Delhalle & Brice Loubet), who claimed silver, and Germany (Alexandra Bettinelli & Marvin Faly Dogue), who took bronze as a high-quality championships drew to an exciting conclusion in North Africa.

Tognetti (ITA) said: “This is my last year as a Junior and I am very, very happy. Next year I will be Senior and I know it will be so difficult, but I feel happy.”

The result meant that the seven titles on offer in Cairo were split between four nations from three different continents – Russia (3), Korea, Guatemala and Italy (2) – another sign of the expanding power base in global Modern Pentathlon.



Charles Fernandez (GUA) crosses the line

UIPM JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS

MEN

1	FERNANDEZ CHARLES	GUA	1429
2	JUN WOONGTAE	KOR	1418
3	LIFANOV ALEXANDER	RUS	1411
4	LEE JIHUN	KOR	1408
5	TOMASCHOF SOMA	HUN	1402
6	CICINELLI MATTEO	ITA	1398

WOMEN

1	KIM SUNWOO	KOR	1315
2	TOGNETTI FRANCESCA	ITA	1308
3	SERKINA SOFIA	RUS	1302
4	TAMASAUSKAITE AURELIJA	LTU	1299
5	SIMON SAROLTA	HUN	1295
6	KIM SEHEE	KOR	1286

MEN'S RELAY

1	LIFANOV ALEXANDER, BARANOV SERGE	RUS	1526
2	JUN WOONGTAE, LEE JIHUN	KOR	1509
3	COLASANTI DANIELE, MICOZZI GIANLUCA	ITA	1495

WOMEN'S RELAY

1	SERKINA SOFIA, POPOVA ALENA	RUS	1355
2	PRAMPOLINI IRENE, FREZZA ALESSANDRA	ITA	1345
3	PRASIANTSOVA IRYNA, SILKINA VOLHA	BLR	1332

MIXED RELAY

1	CICINELLI MATTEO, TOGNETTI FRANCESCA	ITA	1428
2	LOUBET BRICE, DELHALLE PULCHERIE	FRA	1415
3	DOGUE MARVIN FALY, BETTINELLI ALEXANDRA	GER	1411

TEAM

MEN			WOMEN		
1	RUSSIA	4082	1	ITALY	3786
2	ITALY	4076	2	HUNGARY	3729
3	KOREA	3977	3	GERMANY	3668



“ This is my last year as a Junior and I am very, very happy. Next year I will be Senior and I know it will be so difficult, but I feel happy.

Francesca Tognetti



- 1 The Women's Relay podium
- 2 The Italians celebrate their Mixed Relay win
- 3 Russia's men on top of the podium
- 4 The Women's Individual podium



17-26 September 2016, Warendorf, GERMANY
CISM WORLD MILITARY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Egypt and Russia dominate

Three athletes take aim during the Shooting

There were some celebrated names on the start line at the 44th CISM Military World Championships but reputations counted for little by the time the podium places were decided.

Men's Individual: Egyptian duo keep Belaud at bay

World champion Valentin Belaud (FRA) had to settle for bronze in the Men's Individual event when he was beaten by an Egyptian one-two. Yasser Hefny (EGY) took top spot on the podium above silver medallist Sherif Rashad (EGY).

The North African duo kept each other in close company throughout the day but Rashad (EGY) gave himself an advantage over his rival after the Riding, only to see Hefny (EGY) produce an excellent Combined Event beat him to gold by five seconds.

Women's Individual: Khuraskina turns silver to gold

Many eyes were on the Olympic silver medallist Elodie Clouvel (FRA) but her bid to become the Military World Champion came unstuck on horseback, where she incurred 33 penalty points.

Instead, there was a Russian one-two on the podium as Ekaterina Khuraskina (RUS) and Svetlana Lebedeva (RUS) claimed gold and silver respectively. Yane Marques (BRA) won bronze after being overtaken by the fresh-legged Russian duo.

Mixed Relay: Nowacka builds on Rio success

Unsurprisingly, Egypt and Russia were the respective winners of gold in the Team events, but it was Poland who dominated the finale of the championships by winning gold in the Mixed Relay. Rio bronze medallist Oktawia Nowacka (POL) teamed up with Jaroslaw Swiderski (POL) to enjoy a comfortable victory ahead of silver medallists Ukraine (Valeriya Permykina & Denys Pavluk), with Egypt (Sondos Aboubakr & Yasser Hefny) completing the podium.



Egypt's men on top of the podium



The men take aim



The participants enjoyed the competition in Warendorf

CISM WORLD MILITARY CHAMPIONSHIP
RESULTS





MEN

1	HEFNY YASSER	 EGY	1431
2	RASHAD SHERIF	 EGY	1426
3	BELAUD VALENTIN	 FRA	1421
4	KINDL DAVID	 CZE	1416
5	NAUMOV OLEG	 RUS	1412
6	KARYAKIN SERGUEI	 RUS	1409
7	GUSTENAU GUSTAV	 AUT	1402
8	BILKO MARTIN	 CZE	1391
9	CERKOVSKIS DENISS	 LAT	1386
10	WU HEPENG	 CHN	1383







WOMEN

1	KHURASKINA EKATERINA	 RUS	1301
2	LEBEDEVA SVETLANA	 RUS	1289
3	MARQUES YANE	 BRA	1289
4	FREZZA ALESSANDRA	 ITA	1273
5	PETROVA ANASTASIA	 RUS	1266
6	SCHLEU ANNIKA	 GER	1264
7	STEINBORN RONJA	 GER	1256
8	VENCKAUSKAITE GINTARE	 LTU	1250
9	RUBLEVSKA ELENA	 LAT	1234
10	CLOUVEL ELODIE	 FRA	1231

MIXED RELAY

1	SWIDERSKI JAROSLAW, NOWACKA OKTAWIA	 POL	1373
2	PERMYKINA VALERIYA, PAVLYUK DENYS	 UKR	1341
3	ABOUBAKR SONDOS, HEFNY YASSER	 EGY	1333
4	CLOUVEL ELODIE, BELAUD VALENTIN	 FRA	1322
5	NASCIMENTO FELIPE, MARQUES YANE	 BRA	1268
6	NAUMOV OLEG, PETROVA ANASTASIA	 RUS	1103

TEAM

MEN			WOMEN		
1	EGYPT	 4192	1	RUSSIA	 3760
2	CZECH REP.	 4188	2	LITHUANIA	 3599
3	RUSSIA	 4169	3	BRAZIL	 3445



1 A sprint for the line
2 UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann with the medallists
3 Swimmers dive into the pool in Warendorf
4 All of the Team medallists together

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BIATHLE
21-23 OCTOBER 2016
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
SARASOTA,
FLORIDA, USA

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TRIATHLE
21-23 OCTOBER 2016
WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
SARASOTA,
FLORIDA, USA



An Egyptian competitor leaves the water

22-24 October 2016, Sarasota, Florida (USA)

UIPM BIATHLE/TRIATHLE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Henrard (FRA) interrupts USA Gold Rush



Alexandre Henrard (FRA) celebrates with one of his two gold medals

More than 500 athletes from 25 countries gathered on the west coast of Florida to participate in the championships, with the USA winning all of the senior gold medals except the two claimed by Henrard (FRA).

Athletes aged from the Youth F category (eight and under) to Masters competed in two different formats over three days at Nathan Benderson Park in Sarasota, which was the host of the 2016 UIPM World Cup Final.

Alexandre Henrard of France confirmed his status as a master of multiple UIPM Sports with two gold medals at the 2016 UIPM Biathlon/Triathlon World Championships.

In 2015, the French star won both of these competitions and also came out on top at the Laser-Run World Championships, so his tally of senior UIPM golds now stands at an incredible five in two years.

"I am a pentathlete, so I do Fencing and Riding too, but to win back-to-back with both titles was definitely my aim and it will be the same next year," he said.

Other highlights of the 2016 Biathlon-Triathlon World Championships included:

■ Africa was well represented with South Africa and Egypt enjoying excellent results across the age-group spectrum, winning multiple gold and silver medals

■ Pakistan competed in the open division for the first time and claimed two gold medals

Janusz Peciak, the UIPM Executive Board Member for Sport and the 1976 Olympic men's champion in Modern Pentathlon, said: "I am very impressed with the enthusiasm and passion of so many kids participating in these events.

"You see how well countries like South Africa are competing, and also India and Argentina are others. This is good for our sport and I believe in five or six years South Africa will be one of the top sports in pentathlon."



Erin Storie (USA) basks in the glory

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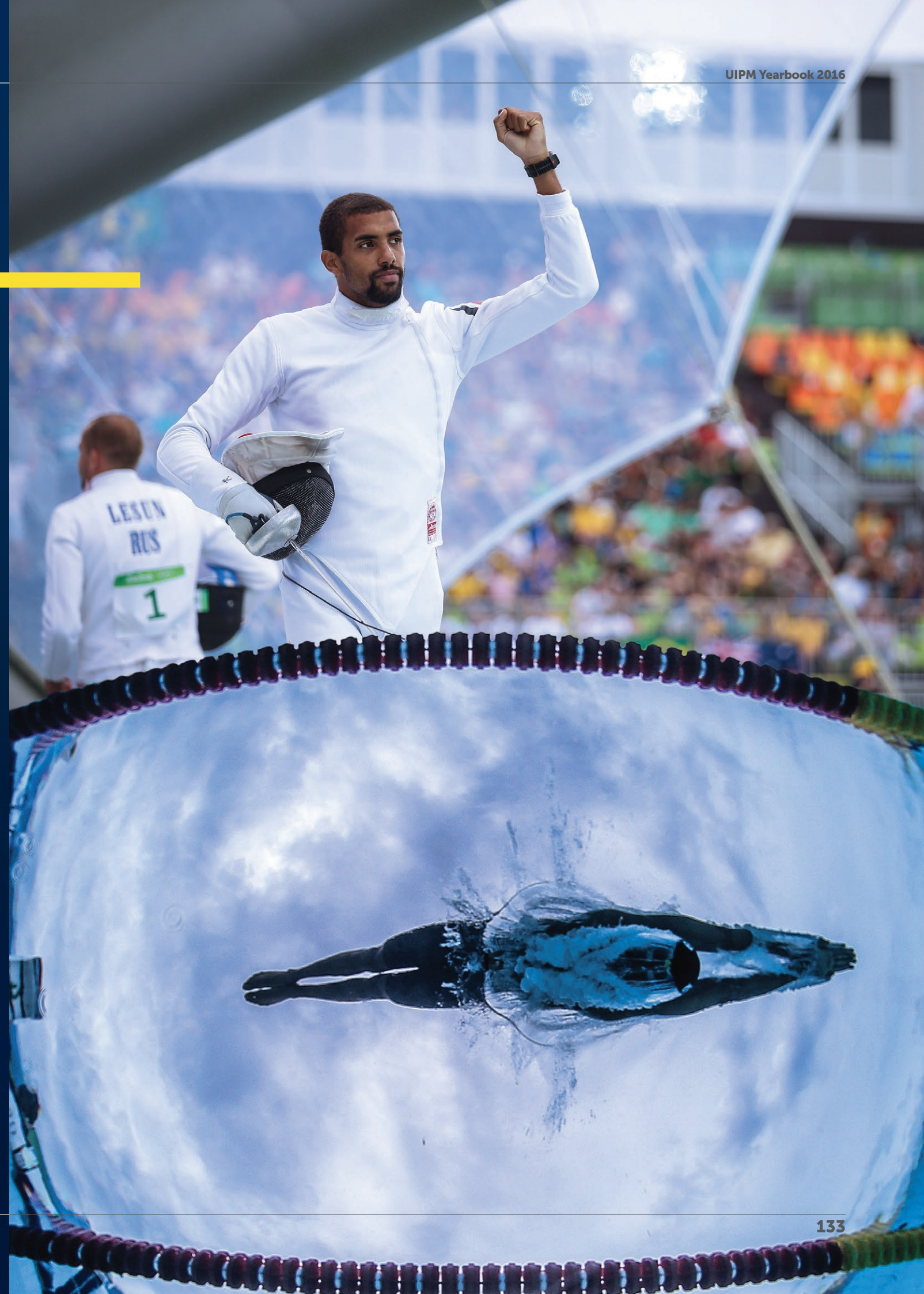


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- 1 Young British runners in a pack
- 2 One of many South African successes
- 3 A young British athlete takes the tape
- 4 Concentration on the Shooting range

Olympic Cycle

- 2012**
 - London 2012: Modern Pentathlon celebrates its centenary as an Olympic sport with an innovation. The combined event (shooting and running) made its debut at the Olympic Games
 - UIPM President Dr Klaus Schormann states: "UIPM is proud and happy that we could finish our process of modernising our sport in the year 2012, which was our 100-year anniversary of being in the Olympic Games."
- 2013**
 - UIPM proposes a revolutionary new concept for the sport which would see all five events staged in the same stadium
 - IOC announces the continuation of Modern Pentathlon as one of the 25 core sports of the Olympic programme until 2020
 - Distribution of laser shooting equipment to more than 65 countries to develop the sport
 - The Combined Event adopts a new dynamic format of 4 x 800m laps, each prefaced by laser shooting five times in the target within a maximum time of 50 seconds
- 2014**
 - Improvement of existing points system in 2014
- 2015**
 - Implementation of fencing bonus round, making the sport more attractive to spectators and broadcasters
 - UIPM joins the International Paralympic family and the University sports family by becoming affiliated to the IPC and FISU respectively
 - More unified UIPM and corporate identity appearance; going along with more standardized procedures and alignment of processes how to run UIPM competitions
- 2016**
 - The first UIPM Laser-Run World Championships are held in Perpignan (FRA). The simple new concept of run/shoot as a standalone sport allows cities to host UIPM events as well as rural and stadium venues, and it offers a new route into the sport for athletes from developing nations worldwide.
 - Rio 2016: The Pentathlon Stadium concept partially implemented with 4 disciplines competed at Deodoro Arena
 - Successful introduction of fencing bonus round at the Olympic Games
 - In-depth coverage of the Rio 2016 Olympic Games through the range of UIPM online networks. Subaquatic photo camera used for the first time of the Modern Pentathlon competition in the Games.



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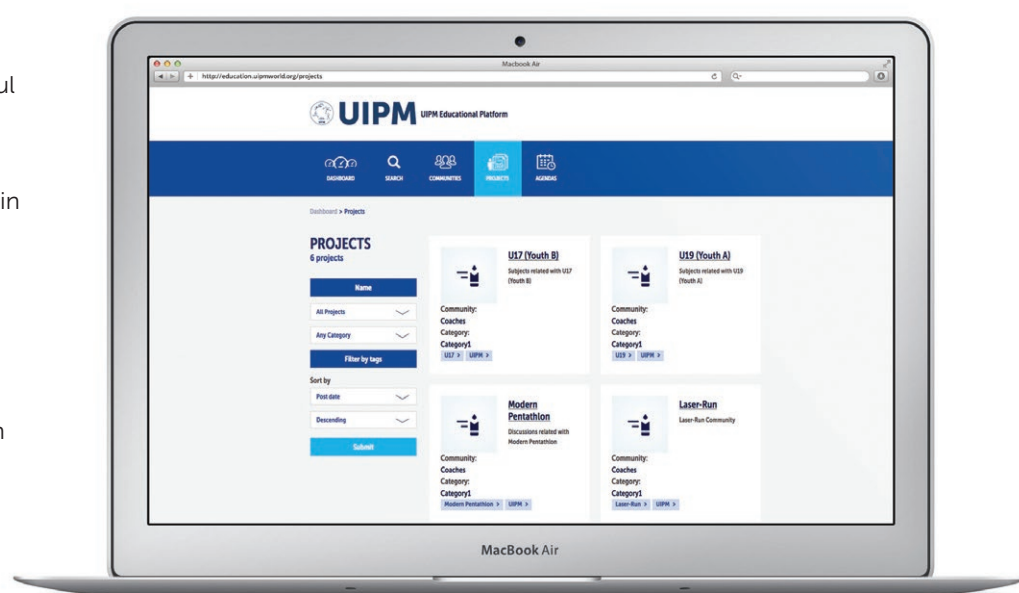
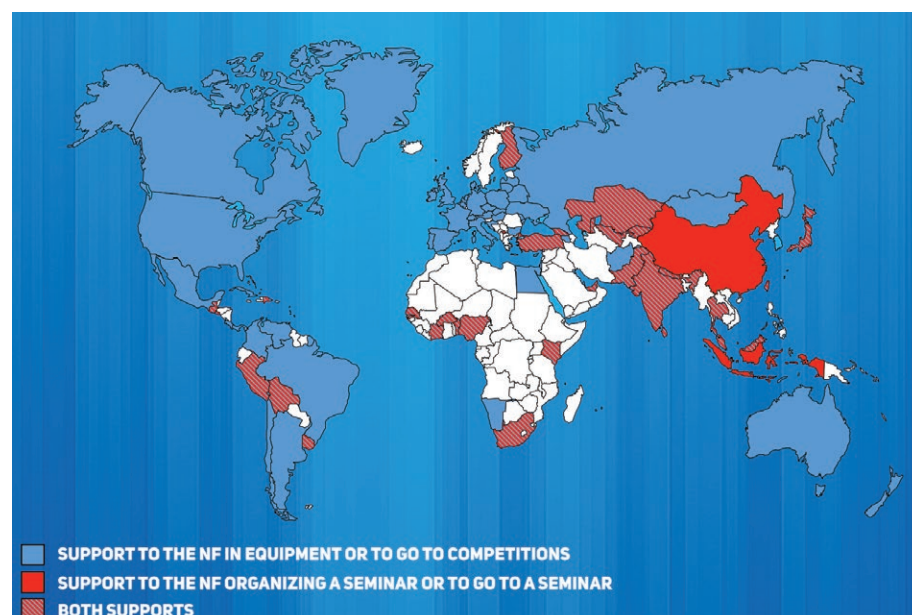
Coaches & Instructors

UIPM Educational Platform

Human resources are a central part of any institution and the UIPM is permanently tuned into this importance. In 2016 UIPM launched an educational online platform for coaches, instructors and judges with the aim of improving conditions and making our sports more sustainable in the future.

The main features of the UIPM Educational Platform include:

- A closed platform to communicate, share and collaborate
- An opportunity for coaches, instructors and judges to join communities based on their interests (e.g. Training, seminars, camps or anti-doping activities)
- To allow multiple projects to be created within each of these communities
- Document and publication storage to make it easier for users to share and access useful resources
- A forum feature to facilitate communication on topics within communities and projects
- A contacts database for the storage of biographical and contact information
- A calendar to mark important events and provide information about them



Coaches Certification Programme (CCP)

Tracing the roots of development, the UIPM also launched in October this year the Coaches Certification Programme (CCP), which is an essential tool to enable coaches to qualify as well as recognizing and rewarding their professional achievements. Knowledge gained in achieving the four levels of the CCP is critical to the development of the pentathlete, which is the UIPM's

most important function. There are four certification levels (I, II, III and IV) regulated by the rules which are guidelines for coaches all over the world to pursue their careers in clear parameters, evolving gradually through the knowledge and practical skills needed to perform their role. Coaches Level I (Development Coach), Level II (Coach), Level III (Senior Coach) and Level IV

(Elite coach) are critical to the development of the pentathlete. Given that, we hope all National Federations encourage their coaches to be part of the programme, dedicating an important part of their time to complete its different stages and develop even more citius, altius and fortius athletes.



UIPM 2016 World Coaches Conference Manchester (GBR) – 11-13 November 2016

Pentathlon GB hosted the 4th UIPM World Coaches Conference (WMPCC) in Manchester (GBR). The conference is a consolidated event in UIPM calendar and this year we counted more than 90 delegates from 17 countries, the largest audience ever.

UIPM promoted an academic contest for coaches over the world as a major new feature of this occasion. The two winners were awarded with a complimentary trip to Manchester where they presented their work as speakers in the WMPCC.



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Universities



Since 2016 members of the global student community will have more opportunity than ever before to participate in Modern Pentathlon, one of the original Olympic sports, as a result of FISU's developing partnership with UIPM. A range of educational materials has been produced in an effort to encourage universities to create a Modern Pentathlon programme for their students.

This comprehensive package includes an introductory film about Modern Pentathlon and a tutorial that focuses on the Combined Event, the thrilling run/shoot spectacle that closes all UIPM competitions.

Also made available was a presentation information package to enable organizers to get in contact with universities and promote our sport in an easily understandable way.

1st World University Championships in Modern Pentathlon

Budapest, the capital of Hungary, has been named as host of the 1st

Modern Pentathlon FISU World University Championships, which will be held in the summer of 2018.

The Championships will be held from July 2-8, 2018 at the National University of Public Service and "Orczy Park", with all venues located within 60m of each other. The city of Budapest - with its high-quality sports facilities, developed infrastructure, qualified workforce, strong cultural and sporting traditions especially in Modern Pentathlon - was an ideal choice for hosting this prestigious event in 2018.

The Hungarian University Sports Federation is strongly committed to the development of international university

sports. Together with the Hungarian Modern Pentathlon Association they will organize the Championships.

Get with the programme

Modern Pentathlon is one of the most physically and mentally demanding sports in the world. It is the goal of UIPM to embrace all five continents that are active in the sports university movement and establish the movement as a strong pillar within our union.

In 2017 UIPM will stage an international university competition to boost this development.



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Para-Pentathlon



Para-Pentathlon has enjoyed a long and meticulous development over a period of 18 months since UIPM was granted membership within the International Paralympic Committee (IPC) family.

The project management approach has been subdivided into 3 phases:

1. The launch and constitution of its working group led by President Schormann and Secretary General Fang
2. The research and milestones definition while mirroring best practice from other para-institutions
3. The implementation of international standards and definition of a UIPM para-pentathlon roadmap, including further testing and training supported by educational background and transfer of knowledge (TOK) from recognised experts.

This last phase has offered UIPM staff the concrete possibility to be hands-on, working in continuous contact with the relevant IPC authorities and developing a first series of contents relating to:

1. Classification & re-classification
2. TOK & research studies (evidence-based)
3. Testing (i.e. ARG – EGY – GUA)

A UIPM Para-Pentathlon Classification guideline draft is the most recent achievement made possible by UIPM during our presence and participation at the very first focus-on IPC workshop set up during the recent 2016

Paralympic Games held in Rio de Janeiro (BRA).

This TOK phase has expanded the vision around Para-Pentathlon and better defined the related progress to be implemented into project planning.

Therefore the actual para-pentathlon sport classification has involved the suggestion of three main categories:

- Standing (2)
- Wheelchair-based (1)

This immediately offers new opportunities of selection and training to those National Federations already familiar with the Paralympic movement as well as to those new to this.

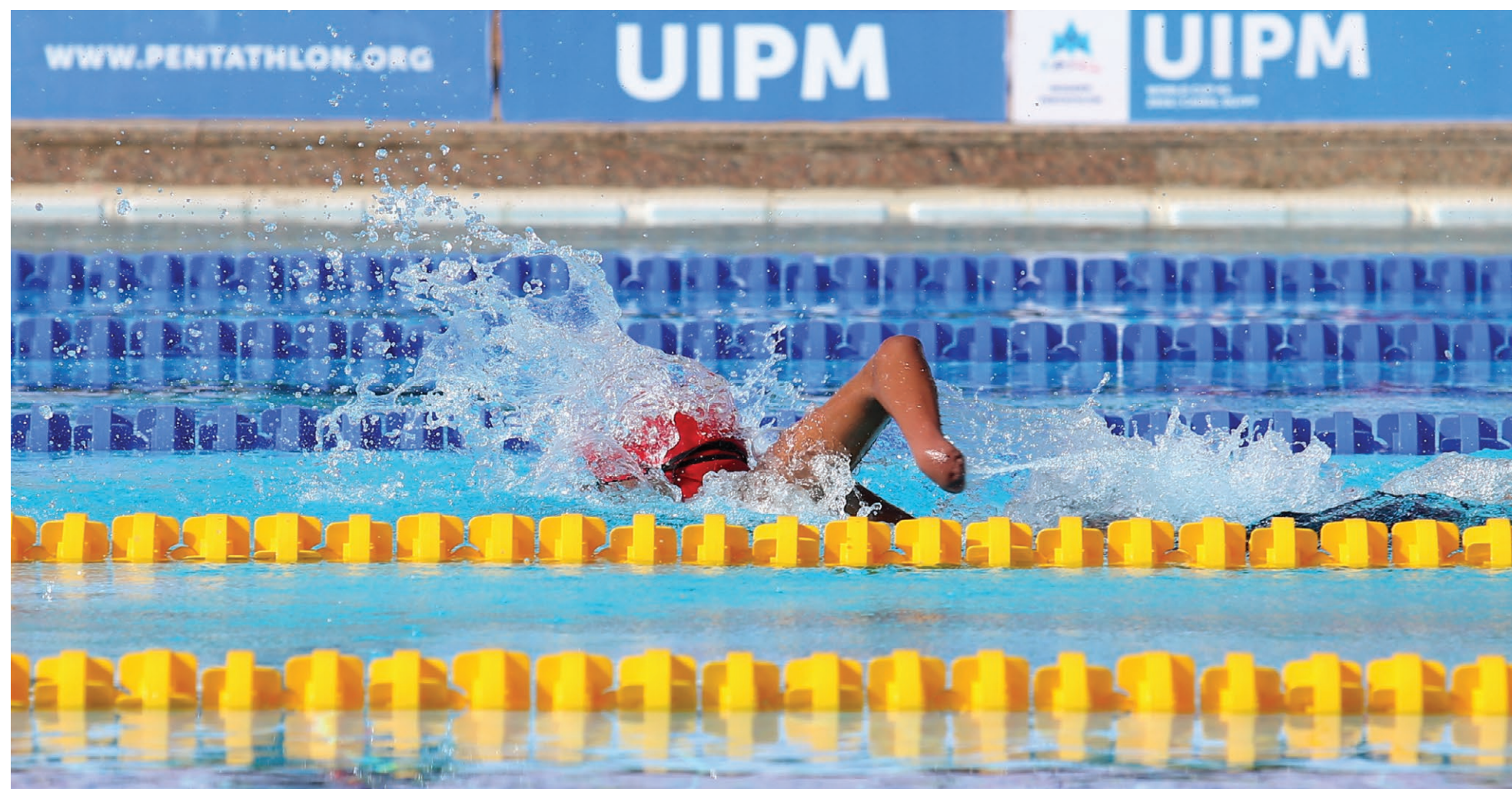
This classification offer is based on our general development plans for both Modern Biathlon and Triathlon, Laser-Run and Tetrathlon events with a very similar approach to the most recent addition to the IPC family in terms of multi-sports, thanks to the International Triathlon Union (ITU) research.

Best practice has also been implemented in the lead up to the classification guidelines definition thanks to the commitment of internationally recognized classifiers (IWAS etc) as well as to the fair exchanges with armed forces experts such as those part of CISM.

The next phases will focus on:

- Sporting events organization guidelines & 1st international event set-up
- Equipment use (selection, cost & analysis)
- Athlete detection, selection and training (inc. TUE as per WADA principles)

Classification and re-classification revision over further testing.



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Masters

The Masters movement has grown in the past two years with an average participation of more than 90 athletes on various occasions over a series of events both in the winter and summer season.

The 2016 Masters World Championships in Prague (CZE) was the climax with more than 130 athletes from 26 different nationalities covering four continental federations (Africa, Americas, Europe and Oceania).

For the first time this event hosted so many continental regions under the umbrella of UIPM and this drew attention to the legacy and opportunity that

the Masters movement can offer to former athletes within the UIPM family and beyond.

The UIPM Masters Database is continuously growing worldwide into six main competition categories: Modern Biathlon, Modern Triathlon, Laser-Run, Swim-Run, Tetrathlon and Pentathlon.

The Laser-Run Championship has especially offered further training

opportunities to those Masters competing in both Modern Tetrathlon and Pentathlon, expanding and unifying the Masters family under the unique UIPM flagship.

In addition the competition and event management rules and guidelines were updated in order to facilitate a smooth transition for all Masters athletes while making the more senior Masters familiar

with our laser shooting regulations. The incredible growth of this movement, thanks to the base created by strong communication amongst the German Masters community and the movements created in Eastern European nations such as Estonia, Russia and Ukraine (to name but a few) have offered new members a way to adhere to UIPM events in the smoothest way possible.

Masters eligibility has gone up from 30 to 35 years of age but the actual average age still goes beyond 46, which means one of the biggest challenges in the near future will be to decrease the average age,

attracting those athletes coming out from their senior events, becoming the future legacy of the UIPM family worldwide while offering them a continuous training opportunity and a safe competitive challenge.

Equipment has been also granted according to UIPM standards, especially in the use of laser pistols/targets and fencing gear in order to support the equipment testing made available at all major UIPM events while ensuring the safety of all athletes and the proper use of equipment on the field of play.

Moreover, riding licences have been granted to an overall 48% of those registered Masters athletes, making the riding (show-jumping) events safer for both competitors and Local Organising Committees (LOCs).

Finally, the UIPM Masters Committee has also granted fair eligibility. More than 10 nominees over four continents were confirmed for the first-ever online elections and three candidates were elected: Mr Peter Engerisser (GER), Ms Heidi Walli (FIN) and Ms Shereen Saleh (EGY), confirming the highest gender equality and geographical distribution score.

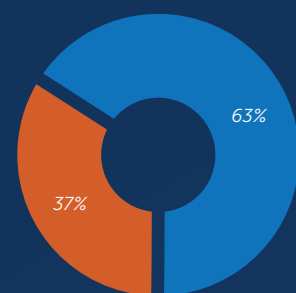


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Anti-Doping



The Olympic season of 2016 presented some challenges in the field of Anti-Doping for many sports, Modern Pentathlon included. The importance of testing activities has risen together with the revelations about an alleged State-sponsored doping system in Russia in November 2015. This issue was continuously investigated by WADA (World Anti-Doping Agency) and a team of independent investigators during the year 2016.



■ IN-competition tests done in 2016
■ Out of competition tests done in 2016

UIPM followed and reflected on new information presented by investigators in the McLaren Report with the aim of protecting clean and fair competition for all our athletes.

However, Modern Pentathlon remains one of the sports considered to be least affected by doping.

Doping control was present at all major events including the World Cup series, Continental Championships and World Championships in all categories (Senior, Junior, Youth A).

We also organized a series of unannounced Out-Of-

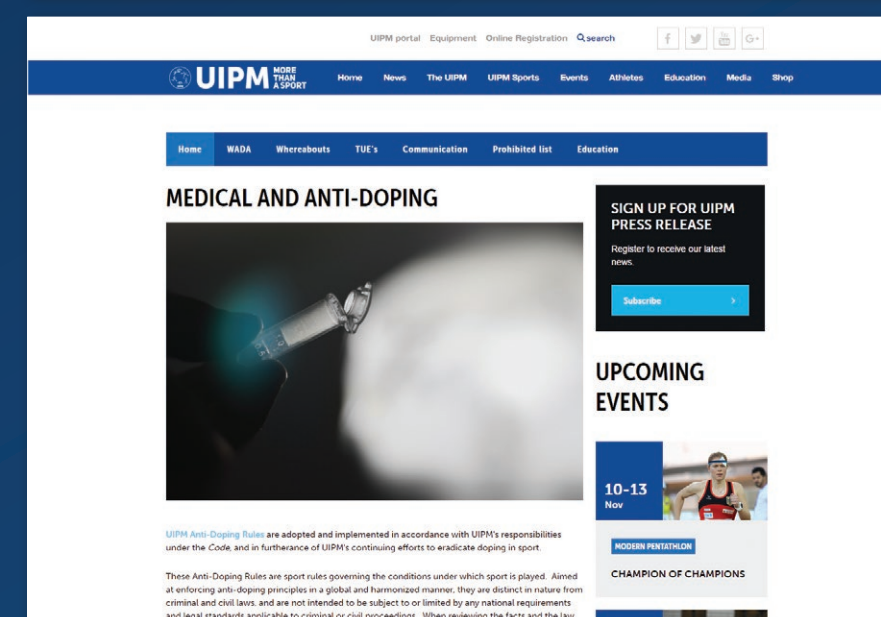
Competition doping controls. These are not linked to any specific event or place and can be implemented anywhere and anytime. The proportion of Out-Of-Competition controls has increased in 2016 and we would like to maintain this trend during the 2017 season.

UIPM Anti-Doping also takes care of athlete education and other activities towards athletes and coaches. To that end we participated in events and conferences organized by WADA including the WADA/ADO Symposium 2016.

UIPM is working on strengthening activities in the field of education

by organizing seminars at Youth and Junior competitions and proposing one-to-one education to interested parties. It is important to make athletes and coaches understand Anti-Doping is here not to set obstacles to the athletes in their routines but to help them and protect their right to equal competition.

To achieve this we would like to closely collaborate through National Federations with local NADOs (National Anti-Doping Organizations) that provide education programmes in local languages. Effective educational programme is investment into the healthy future of our champions of tomorrow.



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Laser Shooting Technology

Quite a few changes have been made. With several steps and efforts, significant improvements have been made, especially during past two years.

- Homologation standards and procedures have been made for all laser equipment used in Modern Pentathlon (targets and pistols). Those specifications serve as a guideline for the providers, but also criteria/ parameter for regulations and controls.
- The Test equipment which is today in use had to be developed and adapted. Test procedures for Lab-Tests and Onsite-Tests were established.
- Target systems and its performances have improved. Fairness for the competing athletes and a similar behavior as traditional (air)pistol shooting in the Combined Event have been fundamental principles. Functionalities have been unified to have similar, stable behavior of all products.
- New products and specialized Laser Pistols "Full Laser Pistols" have been brought to the market. Besides improved quality also safety aspects have been addressed. Better quality of laser pistols and beams.



Marketing, Media and Promotion



Marketing, Media and Promotion

UIPM made considerable progress during the 2012-16 Olympic cycle in the area of marketing, media and promotion. The federation, like each of the sports under its jurisdiction, is visible on TV, online, in print media and to the naked eye of spectators and stakeholders when they attend events. UIPM has never been more visible than in 2016 and this increased exposure brought home the importance of quality and consistency in the promotion of the image and brand.

This was the year when the digital ecosystem of UIPM became complete. Where previously the "UIPM world" consisted of unconnected digital parts, now it is integrated as a whole, and stronger as a result.

As of today, UIPM has the means to connect to 500,000 people online at the same time, with the potential to reach millions more. The growth of the internet has created

an appetite for content and engagement which is insatiable, such is the speed of change in consumer behaviour. But UIPM is meeting the challenge head-on. Now there is an integrated digital family comprising the new UIPM website, UIPM TV, the UIPM Shop and their social media siblings on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest, LinkedIn, Snapchat, VK in Russia, and Sina Weibo & WeChat in China.

This global network enables UIPM to talk directly to different age groups in different means at any time on a variety of platforms, devices and in three different languages: English, Russian and Chinese. One word that does not require translation is UIPM itself, and the brand was established as the title-holder on all digital platforms as part of a strategic move to establish UIPM ahead of Modern Pentathlon as the

recognised governing entity of a diverse range of sports.

Each of the social networks in the portfolio does the same thing: spread the word. Social media does the same job as the distribution vans that still carry newspapers overnight from print plants across territories to newsagents, albeit in lower numbers than they used to. Now the latest news and informative content is circulated via broadband fibre, and word is spread more quickly and with a reach that is limitless.

So what messages did UIPM transmit through these channels in 2016?

On Pentathlon.org, it took the form of news, results and magazine-style digital features such as "A Day In The Life of a Modern Pentathlete".

UIPMTV.org allowed us to send another form of rich content around the world: video. Whether fans were tuning in to a live stream or catching up via highlights, the most important UIPM competitions were broadcast on this cutting-edge platform. In the same place fans could see what their favourite athletes were saying on their own social media, creating a full circle of real-time engagement.

The development of these two websites meant that a spectator could watch with their own eyes as a gold medallist crossed the line, check the result on a big screen and then refer back to it later on Pentathlon.org before watching the highlights package on UIPM TV. In the meantime the spectator could tweet a message of congratulations to the winner and receive a reply, then read a full report on Pentathlon.org after being notified on Facebook that it had gone live.

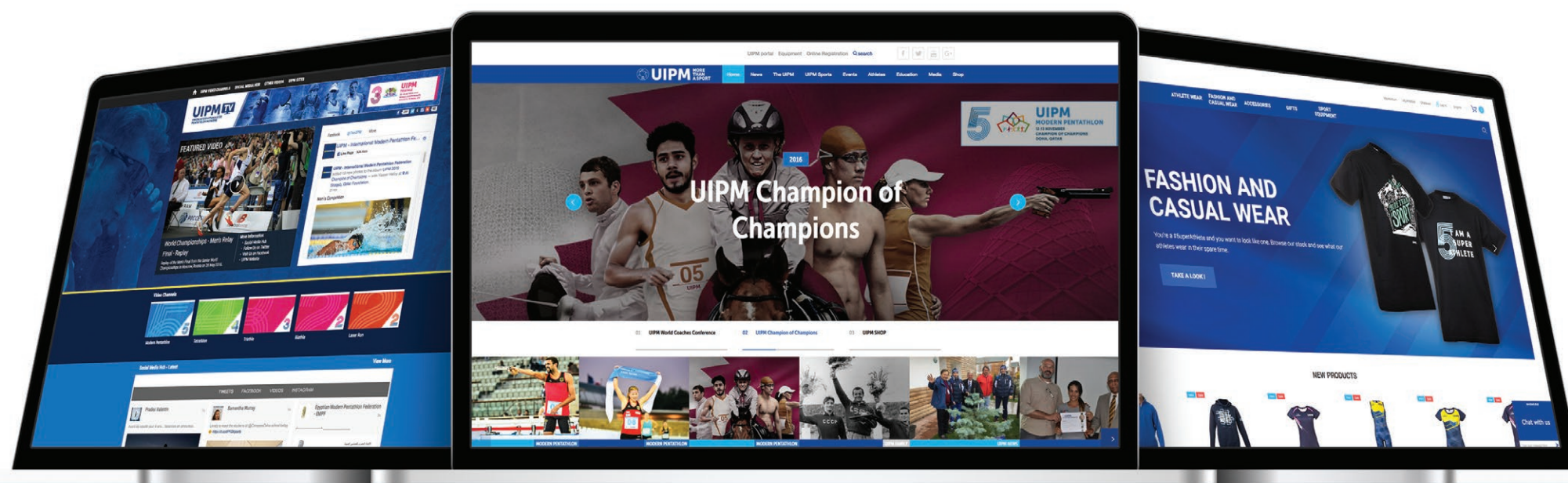
Later in 2016, the UIPM Shop came into being. A commercial enterprise aimed at creating revenue to be channelled back into the UIPM Sports, this retail outlet brings a fan the added benefit of being able to buy high-spec athlete clothing within minutes of watching their hero win an event. Equipment, merchandise and gifts are also for sale.

Another digital newcomer arrived on the scene in 2016: the UIPM Educational Platform.

This is a private network that allows communities within the UIPM family to communicate and collaborate. Those groups include coaches, judges and athletes. Documents and publications can be stored here, integrated with databases and discussion forums. UIPM online is no longer merely a sum of its parts. It is one organic whole, a digital resource that seeks to cater better for existing audiences and attract a new crowd to join in and interact, creating tomorrow's supporters, customers, sponsors, even tomorrow's athletes.

Of course, none of this online innovation would be worthwhile if the sport itself did not live up to the same standards of image and brand consistency. That is why UIPM in 2016 completed a two-year Visual Guidelines project, overhauling the way competitions and other events are seen on the ground and transmitted around the world via the lens.

In the beginning, conversations between UIPM and Local Organizing Committees were not always easy. It was a transitional process, but all UIPM events now benefit from a high consistency of presentation that incorporates venue dressing, awards ceremonies, VIP protocol and media coverage through press releases and other digital content. There have been two immediate positive consequences of the Visual Guidelines project: brand recognition by stakeholders and a broader appeal for potential sponsors.



The 2016 UIPM World Championships, held in Moscow (RUS), was the first to benefit from the fully-incorporated improvements in marketing & promotion. In media reach, TV production and high standards of competition, this could be hailed as the greatest World Championships yet.

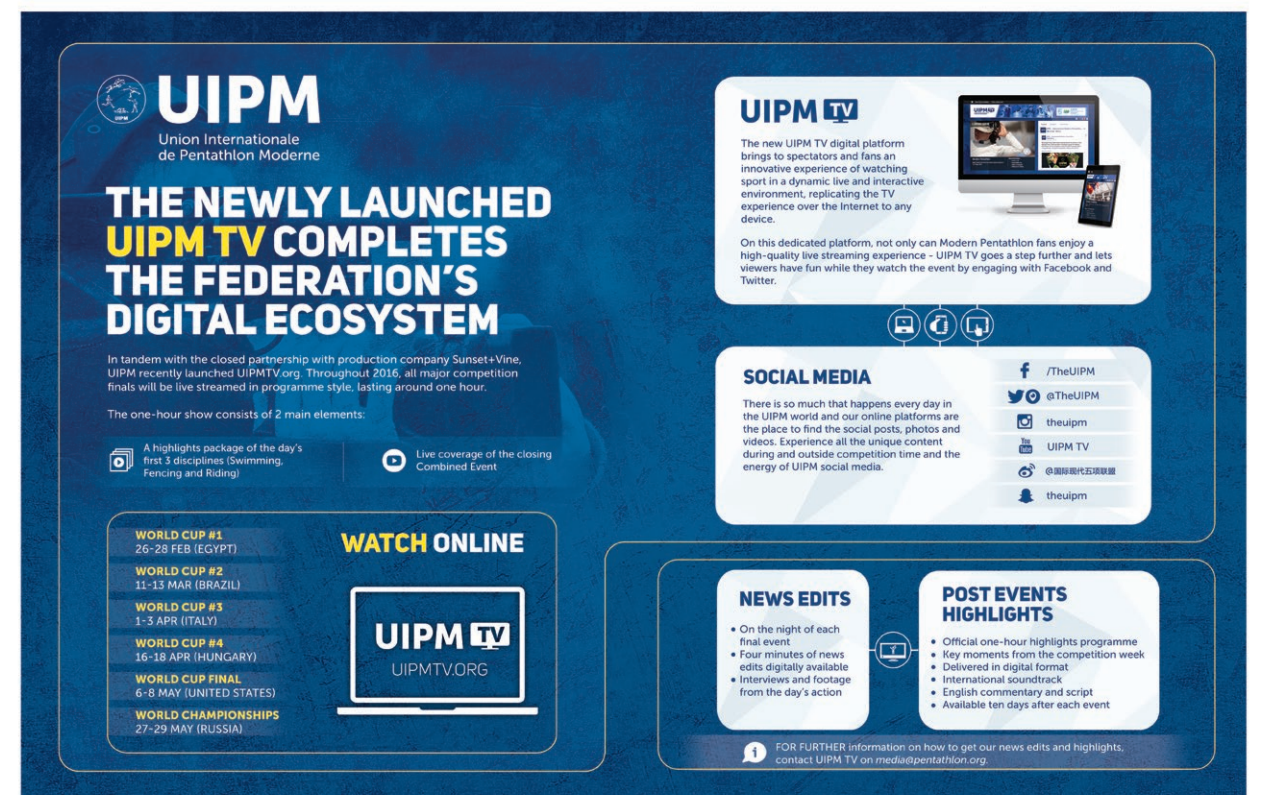
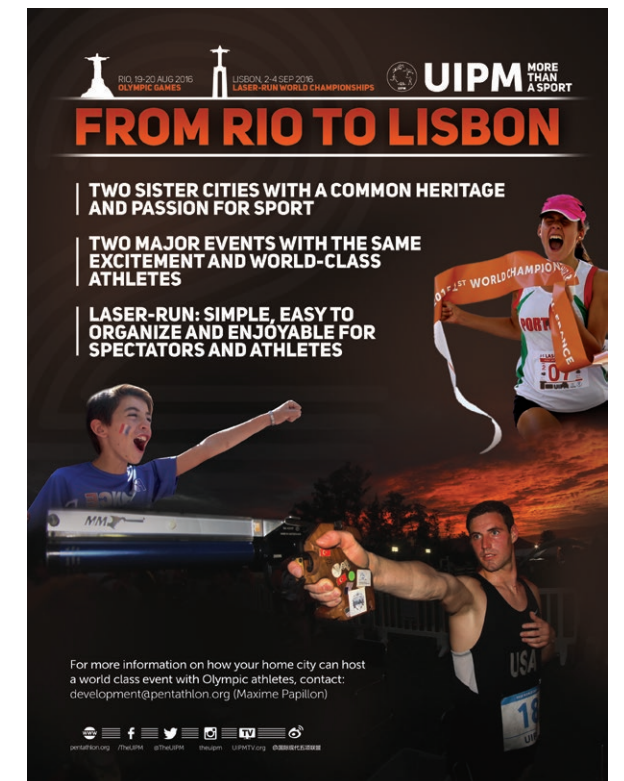
In terms of literature and promotion, UIPM produced a Media Guide, a glossy Olympic Games brochure, Constitutional &

Directory Books, a 2016 Coaches Conference leaflet, a Modern Pentathlon Stadium brochure and the Yearbook you are reading now. UIPM was represented at a number of international exhibitions: SportsProLive! in London (GBR) in April, Sportel in Monaco (MON) in October, HostCity in Glasgow (UK) in November and, still to come, the International Sports Convention in Geneva (SWI) in December.

The UIPM movement was advertised and featured in a number of editions of the following

magazines: Sportsbusiness, SportsPro, Sportel, HostCity and insidethegames.biz. This content focused on the launch of UIPM TV and the relaunch of Pentathlon.org, the growth of Laser Run and the introduction to the Olympic Games of the Fencing Bonus Round.

This was a year of engagement, of evolution and, we hope you will agree, education and enjoyment.



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UIPM LANDS AT RIO 2016
WITH ITS LATEST INNOVATION

The Fencing Bonus Round
is the latest innovation designed to make Modern
Pentathlon more spectator-friendly and broaden its visual
appeal. At Rio 2016 the bonus round will be staged on a showpiece
piste inside the Deodoro Stadium. Spectators will be able to see riding,
fencing and the combined event (running and shooting) in one place.

WOMEN'S INDIVIDUAL FINAL: 19 AUGUST

MEN'S INDIVIDUAL FINAL: 20 AUGUST



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TOGETHER TOWARDS NEW OBJECTIVES

Outlook

While we have improved our organization a lot during the 2012-2016 cycle, there are many challenges ahead and it is important to highlight those for the benefit of our sport as we approach the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games with the guiding principles set out by the IOC's 2020 Agenda.

Modern Pentathlon's Olympic status has been challenged at times over the years, and our President and Executive Board deserve huge credit for having managed to negotiate this threat. For us, like many sports, the challenge is ever-present and exercises the minds of many experienced and wise people in the UIPM family who work together to preserve our Olympic heritage as created by Pierre de Coubertin.

As UIPM Secretary General since 2013, I have found myself on many occasions, even in the highest sport circles, having to explain what Modern Pentathlon is. The same applies locally to many countries, making the work on the ground of our National Federations difficult every day. The accessibility and awareness of our sport is what drives its commercial value, which we are working hard to raise all the time.

Every sport is fighting its own battle for survival, in order to remain relevant for the Olympic Games but more importantly for the youth of tomorrow. Five new sports, youth and TV-friendly measures have been added to the 2020 Tokyo Olympic Games, making the future more competitive for all.

Our one-stadium concept and Bonus Fencing have been excellent, fresh innovations. When

Rio 2016 accepted the new model of bonus fencing it was a big moment and I am sure the one-stadium concept championed by our President will be even more successful in Tokyo. Another sustainable new concept is Laser-Run, a very promising sport that can compete successfully with traditional and modern urban sports like marathons, parkour and triathlon. We will focus on and develop this and other new sports at the base of the MP Pyramid.

As we contemplate Tokyo 2020, we are determined to concentrate on things that we control directly and I am convinced that our way forward lies with consolidating our foundations by regrouping and improving around our core values and our own strategy.

We will therefore continue to concentrate on the 4E Program we have started:

Education: We need to continue to invest in coaching clinics to develop our coaches

Equipment: We need to continue to provide equipment to National Federations

Empowerment: We need to enable our National Federations to achieve

By Shiny Fang

autonomy and sustainably run their organization and events

Expansion: We need to find new interested host cities as well as growing the base of our pyramid with innovative new sport variations and events to increase participation numbers

At all times we will keep in mind that we need to become a truly accessible sport movement, from grassroots to elite, and if we do that I am convinced the Olympic Movement will recognize our progress.

The road to Tokyo 2020 will be an exciting journey. On the way to Japan, many UIPM events will be held and we look forward to helping our hosts ensure that they are a success.

I thank the entire UIPM Family for the support given to me personally and to the team over the past four years. This has been always a great source of motivation to us as we seek to evolve and improve.

“Our one-stadium concept and Bonus Fencing have been excellent, fresh innovations.”



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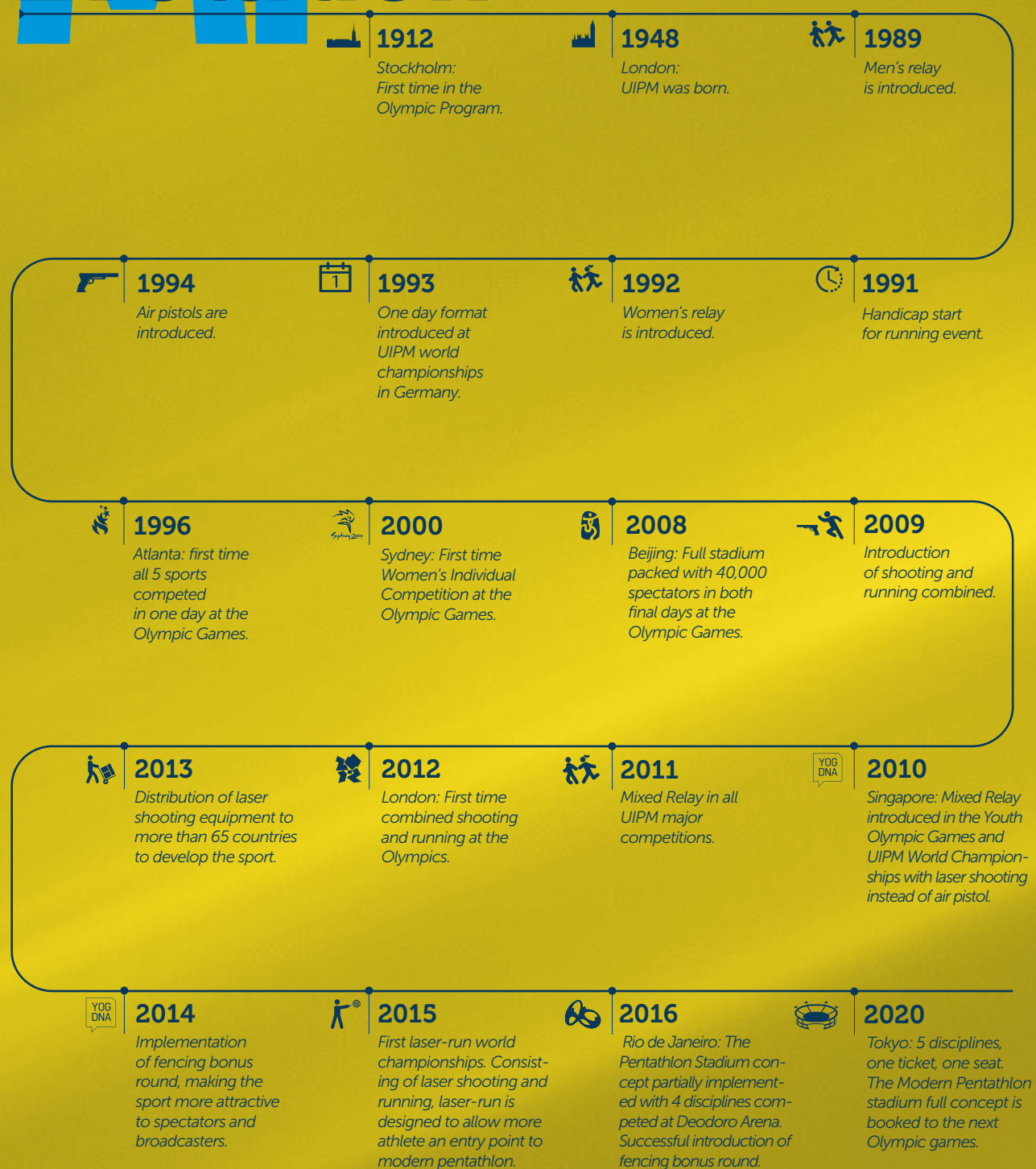
5 Sports
1 Stadium

Watch all the energy filled action from one seat

Watch all five modern pentathlon sports in five hours

A great live spectator and television experience

MP Evolution



2017 UIPM Calendar

- 1 | **23-27 Feb** | World Cup #1
Los Angeles, USA
- 2 | **21-25 Mar** | World Cup #2
Cairo, EGY
- 3 | **04-08 May** | World Cup #3
Kecskemét, HUN
- 4 | **25-29 May** | World Cup #4
Drzonkow, POL
- 5 | **23-25 Jun** | World Cup Final
Druskininkai, LTU
- 6 | **17-24 Jul** | Youth A World Championships
Prague, CZE
- 7 | **07-14 Aug** | Junior World Championships
Székesfehérvár, HUN
- 8 | **21-28 Aug** | World Championships
Cairo, EGY
- 9 | **27-30 Oct** | Biathle/Triathle World Championships
Kuşadası, TUR
- 10 | **25-27 Nov** | UIPM Congress
Frankfurt am Main, GER
- 11 | **TBC** | Laser-Run World Championships
- 12 | **TBC** | UIPM 2017 Champion of Champions

**“ The important thing
in life is not to triumph
but to compete.**

Pierre de Coubertin



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