



All-Around Grand Champion Preliminaries, Finals and Wushu Scholarships Regulations

The World Wushu Open Championships (WWOC) All-Around Grand Champion Competition adopts an advancement mechanism consisting of “annual preliminaries + following-year finals + scholarship evaluation.” This system is designed to systematically motivate and cultivate outstanding international martial arts athletes with comprehensive technical abilities.

- In 2025, twenty-eight (28) All-Around Grand Champion athletes were selected to advance to the 2026 All-Around Grand Champion Finals.
- In 2026, the All-Around Grand Champion Finals will be held, and the preliminary selection for the following year’s All-Around Grand Champion competition will be conducted simultaneously.
- All All-Around Grand Champion titles and scholarship awards shall be determined solely based on the results of the corresponding year’s All-Around Grand Champion Finals.

Scholarship Funding Source

The 2026 All-Around Grand Champion Finals Scholarship is funded with a \$15,000 start-up grant jointly provided by the World Taiji Science Federation (WTSF) and the sponsoring organization KungFuDirect.com, together with additional scholarship funds publicly raised by WTSF prior to the 2026 Finals. The final total scholarship amount will be officially announced by the Organizing Committee before the competition.

The 2027 All-Around Grand Champion Finals Scholarship is funded with a \$30,400 start-up grant jointly provided by the World Taiji Science Federation (WTSF) and the sponsoring organization KungFuDirect.com, together with additional scholarship funds publicly raised by WTSF prior to the 2027 Finals. The final total scholarship amount will be officially announced by the Organizing Committee before the competition.

2026 All-Around Grand Champion Finals Regulation

1. Time and Venue

- 1) Finals & Performances:
Saturday, September 5, 2026, at 7:00 PM
- 2) Venue:
Santa Clara Convention Center, Halls A & B
Santa Clara, California, USA



2. Finals Registration and Participation Rules

- 1) The 28 All-Around Grand Champion athletes selected in 2025 will be notified by the Organizing Committee and registered separately.
- 2) The Finals are not divided by age, but are divided by gender and discipline, with rankings determined by final scores.
- 3) Each athlete shall select one routine, consistent with their preliminary category, that best represents their skill. Only one finals performance opportunity is allowed.
- 4) Performance order shall be determined by online draw.
- 5) Music Requirements for Finals Performances.
 - a. Music must comply with International Wushu Federation (IWUF) competition music regulations.
 - b. Athletes may provide their own music or request free custom music production assistance from the Organizing Committee.
 - c. Custom Music Assistance Procedure:
 - Upload the athlete's finalized routine video to YouTube. Email the video link to the WWOCC Organizing Committee.
 - The designated professional music production team will create customized competition music based on the athlete's personal style, rhythm, and technical highlights. Contact: KungFuDirect@gmail.com
 - d. If no music is submitted, the Organizing Committee will provide appropriate music based on the event category.

3. Judges Panel and Scoring Method for the Finals

- 1) Judges Panel Composition

Fifteen (15) judges will be randomly selected by draw from the invited judges pool:

 - a. 10 certified professional Wushu judges
 - b. 5 renowned martial arts masters or authorities
- 2) Evaluation Principles
 - a. All judges shall evaluate performances using a 10-point overall scoring system, taking into account movement quality and deductions for execution errors, including power, coordination, rhythm, style, and musical integration.
 - b. No deductions shall be made based on fixed compulsory content requirements for routine composition. Athletes are encouraged to independently design routines by selecting representative movements that reflect traditional Wushu style characteristics.
 - c. Difficulty (Nandu) completion standards and prescribed difficulty requirements shall not be used as a basis for difficulty verification or scoring deductions. Innovation in difficulty techniques and transitional combinations is encouraged.
 - d. All fifteen judges may, at their own discretion, award performance bonus points of up to 0.05 to athletes whose routines meet the above principles.
- 3) The judges' score calculation method is as follows:
 - a. The six (6) highest scores and the six (6) lowest scores shall be discarded.



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- b. The average of the remaining three (3) middle scores shall be taken as the athlete's final score.
- c. Rankings shall be determined based on the final scores, and corresponding scholarships shall be awarded.

4) Tie-Breaking Rules (Finals)

If final scores are tied:

- a. Higher ranking in the 2025 All-Around Preliminary Round prevails.
- b. If still tied, the athlete with the higher single-event score prevails.
- c. If still tied, ranking is determined by random draw.

4. Scholarship Awards (2026 Finals)

- 1) First Prize (6 recipients)
“Supreme Golden Dragon” Martial Arts Scholarship + Plaque
(\$1,000 + additional raised funds)
- 2) Second Prize (10 recipients)
“Brilliant Silver Tiger” Martial Arts Scholarship + Plaque
(\$600 + additional raised funds)
- 3) Third Prize (12 recipients)
“Soaring Bronze Crane” Martial Arts Scholarship + Plaque
(\$300 + additional raised funds)
- 4) The total amount of additional raised scholarship funds will be announced prior to the competition.

2026 Preliminary Round and 2027 Finals Competition Regulation

Athletes participating in the 2026 Finals may simultaneously register for the following year's All-Around Grand Champion Preliminary Round. Any athlete who registers for the All-Around competition in accordance with WWOC regulations shall automatically enter the All-Around Grand Champion Preliminary Round for the corresponding year.

1. All-Around Competition Grouping

The All-Around competition is divided by gender and age group, and is organized into three categories: Traditional Wushu, Modern Wushu, and Taiji and Health Qigong.

- 1) Traditional Wushu and Modern Wushu All-Around Grouping
The age group divisions for the Traditional Wushu All-Around and Modern Wushu All-Around competitions are the same and are grouped as follows:
 - a. Group A: 7 and under
 - b. Group B: Age 8
 - c. Group C: Age 9
 - d. Group D: Age 10
 - e. Group E: Age 11



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- f. Group F: Age 12
- g. Group G: Age 13
- h. Group H: Age 14
- i. Group I: Age 15
- j. Group J: Age 16
- k. Group K: Ages 17–19
- l. Group L: Ages 20–25
- m. Group M: Ages 26–55
- n. Group N: Age 56 and above

2) Participation Requirements for Modern and Traditional Wushu All-Around

- a. In the Modern Wushu All-Around competition, athletes must register for and compete in at least one modern wushu fist routine, one modern wushu short weapon routine, and one modern wushu long weapon routine in order to qualify for the Modern Wushu All-Around competition.
- b. In the Traditional Wushu All-Around competition, athletes must register for and compete in at least one traditional fist routine, one traditional short or soft weapon routine, and one traditional long weapon routine in order to qualify for the Traditional Wushu All-Around competition.

3) Taiji & Qigong All-Around Age Groups:

- a. Group O: 11 and under
- b. Group P: Ages 12–16
- c. Group Q: Ages 17–19
- d. Group R: Ages 20–25
- e. Group S: Ages 26–55
- f. Group T: Age 56 and above

4) Requirements for Competing in Taiji and Health Qigong All-Around Events:

- a. Athletes must register for at least one Taijiquan routine and one Health Qigong routine (bare-hand + apparatus).
- b. Evaluation Method: All-Around events are not held as separate competitions. Instead, the sum of the highest scores from each athlete's respective categories will determine the All-Around ranking.

2. Grouping and Scholarship Evaluation for the 2026 All-Around Preliminary Round and the 2027 All-Around Grand Champion Finals

- 1) Competition Categories: Traditional Wushu, Modern Wushu, and Taiji and Health Qigong.
- 2) Gender Division: Men's Division and Women's Division.
- 3) Traditional Wushu and Modern Wushu are further divided into two age groups:
 - a. Children's All-Around Grand Champion Group: age 12 and under;
 - b. Youth and Adult All-Around Grand Champion Group: age 13 and above.
- 4) Taiji events are not divided by age group.

3. 2026 Grand Champion Preliminary Rounds and Advancement to the 2027 Final

The 2026 World Wushu Open Championships will select 98 athletes through the



preliminary rounds from all Modern Wushu All-Around, Traditional Wushu All-Around, and Taijiquan All-Around events to advance to the 2027 All-Around Grand Champion Final and scholarship selection.

- 1) The seed scholarship fund will be doubled to \$30,400.

Details of the qualification slot allocation are shown in the table below.

2026 Scholarship Qualification Slot Allocation Table

Children's Modern Wushu and Traditional Wushu Scholarships

(Newly Added)

Age Group	Modern Wushu Male	Modern Wushu Female	Traditional Wushu Male	Traditional Wushu Female
7 and under	1	1	1	1
8	2	2	2	2
9	2	2	2	2
10	2	2	2	2
11	2	2	2	2
12	2	2	2	2

Adult and Youth Modern Wushu and Traditional Wushu Scholarships

(Updated)

Age Group	Modern Wushu Male	Modern Wushu Female	Traditional Wushu Male	Traditional Wushu Female
13	2	2	2	2
14	2	2	2	2
15	2	2	2	2
16	2	2	2	2
17 to 19	2	2	2	2
20 and up	1	1	1	1

Taijiquan Scholarship

(Updated)

Age Group	Taiji Male	Taiji Female
16 and under	2	2
17 to 19	2	2
20 and up	1	1

- 2) All-Around Grand Champion Selection and Scholarship Awards for Adult and Youth Divisions:



- a. 8 First Prizes – “Supreme Golden Dragon” Award
\$1,000 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- b. 12 Second Prizes – “Brilliant Silver Tiger” Award
\$500 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- c. 16 Third Prizes – “Soaring Bronze Crane” Award
\$200 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- d. 12 Encouragement Awards
All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform

3) All-Around Grand Champion Selection and Scholarship Awards for the Children’s Division:

- a. 4 First Prizes – “Children’s Golden Dragon” Award
\$500 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform.
- b. 12 Second Prizes – “Children’s Silver Tiger” Award.
\$400 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- c. 16 Third Prizes – “Children’s Bronze Crane” Award
\$200 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- d. 12 Encouragement Awards
All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform

4) Selection and Scholarship Awards for the Taiji and Health Qigong Overall Grand Champions

- a. 2 First Prizes – “Supreme Golden Dragon” Award
\$1,000 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- b. 4 Second Prizes – “Brilliant Silver Tiger” Award
\$500 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- c. 2 Third Prizes – “Soaring Bronze Crane” Award
\$200 + additional raised funds + All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform
- d. 2 Encouragement Awards
All-Around Grand Champion All-Around Grand Champion Team Uniform

5) Any athlete who has qualified for the finals but is unable to compete due to special circumstances shall forfeit the spot, which will be filled by the next highest-ranked athlete in the same category from the all-around preliminary round. In the event of a tie in total score, the matter shall be resolved in accordance with the WWOC all-around tie-breaking rules.

6) All award-winning athletes may receive their scholarships on site at the event. Scholarship funds are to be managed at the recipient’s discretion; however, in principle, they should be used for purposes related to wushu study and training, including but not limited to tuition at martial arts schools, training apparel, and equipment.

4. Honors and Awards for the All-Around Grand Champion

1) Based on the results of the all-around competition, the Organizing Committee will establish an “Annual Overall Grand Champion Ranking” on the official event and



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federation websites, and will form the World Wushu Open Championships (WWOC) Overall Champions Team, composed of athletes selected through the WWOC Overall Champion preliminaries.

- 2) Members of the All-Around Grand Champions Team will be given priority access to international wushu exchange and training programs, as well as competition and exhibition activities organized by the Organizing Committee.
- 3) Athletes who do not advance to the finals but place within the top three overall may be eligible to purchase the official WWOC Overall Champions Team uniform.

5. WWOC World All-Around Grand Champion Hall of Fame

This honor is awarded exclusively to athletes aged 16 and above who have won the highest title of “All-Around Grand Champion” three or more times and have received the maximum scholarship award.

6. Music Requirements Music Requirements for the All-Around Grand Champion Finals

- 1) All athletes participating in the All-Around Grand Champion Finals, regardless of whether they are competing in Modern Wushu, Traditional Wushu, or Taiji events, must use competition music.
- 2) Athletes may provide their own competition music; however, all music must comply with the relevant competition rules of the IWUF (International Wushu Federation).
- 3) Exclusive Competition Music Customization Service:
 - a. Athletes may upload their final confirmed performance video to YouTube and submit the video link to the professional wushu music production team designated by the WWOC Organizing Committee.
 - b. The production team will customize exclusive wushu competition music free of charge, based on the athlete’s personal style and temperament, routine rhythm, and key movement highlights. For music customization inquiries, please contact: masterli@wtsf.org
- 4) If an athlete does not provide competition music by the specified deadline, the Organizing Committee will supply appropriate music based on the competition category.

7. Composition of the Judging Panel and Scoring Method for the All-Around Grand Champion

- 1) The Organizing Committee shall select 15 judges by random draw, including 10 professional wushu judges and 5 renowned wushu masters or recognized wushu authorities. The competition shall adopt a 10-point scoring system.
- 2) In the All-Around Grand Champion Finals, in addition to deductions for common execution errors, judging shall not be based on prescribed difficulty requirements or mandatory movement criteria. Athletes are encouraged to demonstrate a more comprehensive expression of traditional wushu styles, as well as innovation in



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modern wushu technical movements. Judges may, at their discretion, award additional performance points based on the overall quality of the routine.

- 3) Scoring calculation method of the 15 judges:
 - a) The six highest scores and the six lowest scores shall be discarded;
 - b) The average of the remaining three middle scores shall be taken as the athlete's final score;
 - c) Rankings shall be determined based on the final scores, and corresponding scholarships shall be awarded.
- 4) In the event of a tie in the final score:
 - a) The athlete with the higher score in the 2025 All-Around Grand Champion preliminary round shall be ranked higher;
 - b) If the tie remains, the athlete with the higher score in an individual all-around scoring event shall be ranked higher;
 - c) If the tie still cannot be resolved, the final ranking shall be determined by drawing lots.

8. Substitution for Special Circumstances

- 1) Athletes who have qualified for the All-Around Grand Champion Finals but are unable to participate due to special circumstances shall have their positions filled by the next highest-ranked athlete from the same category in the 2026 Preliminary Round.
- 2) In the event of tied total scores, the tie-breaking procedures of the WWOC All-Around Competition shall apply.

9. All-Around Grand Champion Honors and Development Program

- 1) The Organizing Committee will establish a "WWOC Annual All-Around Grand Champion Honor Roll" on the official event website.
- 2) Athletes selected for the All-Around Grand Champion Finals will collectively form the WWOC All-Around Champion Team.
- 3) Members of the All-Around Champion Team will receive priority access to the following development opportunities:
 - a. International martial arts exchange and professional training programs
 - b. Professional competitions, performances, and showcase opportunities

10. Scholarship Collection and Usage Guidelines

- 1) All scholarship recipients may collect their scholarships on-site at the competition venue.
- 2) Scholarship funds are intended primarily for purposes related to martial arts education and training, including but not limited to tuition, training uniforms, and equipment.

Matters not covered herein will be announced separately.