

# FISU SUMMER WORLD UNIVERSITY GAMES 2025

## ARCHERY

The FISU Summer World University Games will take place across the Rhine-Ruhr region of Germany with competition dates across the 16 July 2025 to 27 July 2025.

British Universities and Colleges Sport (BUCS) is sanctioning a GB Students delegation as National University Sports Federation (NUSF) to represent the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. The GB Students delegation is anticipated to arrive at the official entry point of Dusseldorf Airport in accordance with the official arrival and departure dates for sporting disciplines.

### Athlete Arrivals

All athletes must activate their accreditation card at least 48 hours before their first competition. Athletes arriving late might not be accredited on time for the General Technical Meeting/Draw of their competition and therefore might not be allowed to compete following the rules of the concerned sports.

### Nominations

All athletes who wish to be considered for selection must submit an online registration on the [BUCS website](#) by 11.59pm on 4 March 2025 in addition to submitting Minimum Qualifying Scores as detailed in 4.1 of this policy. All nominations will be open from 11 February 2025.

Any athlete who fails to complete the online registration and submit the supporting document (IANA form) by the deadline may not be considered for selection. Please note that this process will necessitate your university confirming your eligibility in writing on a template form, and this being received by BUCS by the stated deadline.

### Selections

Selections will take place by w/b **10 March 2025**

Selected athletes will be notified by email w/b **17 March 2025**

### Athlete Costs

The cost of participation in this event will be in the region of £2100 excluding flights and will be required in full at the point of selection. Athletes submitting a nomination acknowledge this requirement and accept financial liability including in the case of withdrawal related to injury or illness.

At FISU Summer World University Games the cost of the archery Team Coach will be split between the archery athlete group. This is reflected in the above amount. Students from universities not included as part of the BUCS membership will be required to pay an additional £200 surcharge.

### Anti-Doping

All athletes must complete the UKAD Complete Clean+ eLearning course and upload a copy of their course certificate upon nomination. The **Complete Clean+** eLearning can be accessed for free via the

[UKAD Clean Sport Hub](#). Once registered, athletes can click onto the relevant eLearning and complete the modules at their convenience. **Complete Clean+** contains 11 modules which explore Anti-Doping

*topics including athletes' rights under the World Anti-Doping Code, UK Anti-Doping Rules, the Prohibited List, checking medications and supplements, the Testing Process and how to report concerns around doping in sport.*

### Eligibility Criteria

For an individual to be eligible to represent BUCS & GB Students they shall:

**INT 1.1.1** Be a British (United Kingdom) national.

**INT 1.1.2** Be a registered student at an institution which is a recognised provider of Higher Education (HE) proceeding towards a degree or diploma at the university or similar, the status of which is recognised by the appropriate national academic authority of their country (England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland).

AND

**INT 1.1.3** Be at least 18 and no older than 25 years of age on 31 December of the year of the event (i.e. born between 1 January 2000 and 31 December 2007). For 3x3 Wheelchair Basketball the age limit will be exceptionally extended allowing athletes at least 18 and no older than 28 years of age on 31 December of the year of the event (i.e. born between 1 January 1997 and 31 December 2007) to take part in it.

AND

**INT 1.1.4** Be registered on a course which is at or above one of the following minimum levels:

- Level 4 on the Framework for higher education qualifications in England, Wales and Northern Ireland (FHEQ).
- Level 7 on the Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework (SCQF).
- Level 4 on the Regulated Qualifications Framework for England and Northern Ireland (RQF).
- Level 4 on the Credit and Qualifications Framework for Wales (CQFW).

**INT 1.1.4.1** An individual at an institution outside of the UK shall be registered on a course equivalent to those covered under INT 1.1.4.

AND

**INT 1.1.5** Be undertaking a study programme equivalent to:

- Where the course is credit rated under CATS (Credit Accumulation and Transfer Scheme), at least 60 credits per year.
- Where the course is run using guided learning hours, a minimum of 225 hours per year.
- Where the course is a postgraduate course which is not credit rated, no less than 50% of the full-time student programme per year.

**INT 1.1.5.1** A year will be taken as 12 months from the start date of their course.

**INT 1.1.5.2** An individual at an institution outside of the UK shall be undertaking a study programme equivalent to the requirements of INT 1.1.5.

**INT 1.1.6** Be a player who is permitted by the International or National Governing Body of the sport concerned to participate in FISU competition alongside any other competition in that sport.

**INT 1.2 Special cases for participation** Further to any FISU regulations in place at the time, the following individuals are classified as eligible to represent BUCS & GB Students in FISU competitions:

**INT 1.2.1** Notwithstanding INT 1.1.5, an individual who is otherwise eligible under INT 1.1 on a sandwich/industrial placement as part of their course is eligible during this time.

**INT 1.2.2** A former student of an eligible institution (as per INT 1.1.2) who has obtained an eligible qualification (as per INT 1.1.4) from said institution in the calendar year preceding the event. For this event Students graduating in 2024 will be eligible to compete in 2025, as former students who have obtained their qualification in the calendar year preceding the event.

See also detailed eligibility information at the end of this document in **Appendix 1**.

Please note that any athlete who is currently suspended or expelled by FISU, WADA, International or National Federation is ineligible for selection.

## **Sport Specific Regulations**

### **ARCHERY**

#### **GENERAL TERMS**

1.1. The Archery events will be organised in accordance with the most recent technical regulations of the "World Archery Federation" (WA). In any dispute the English text will be regarded as authoritative.

1.2. The programme and duration of the competitions are fixed by FISU in agreement with the Organising Committee. In principle, the programme will last five days and will include: a. Individual events:

<b>Men</b>	<b>Women</b>
Recurve bow	Recurve bow
Compound bow	Compound bow

1.3. Each delegation is authorised to enter a maximum of 12 athletes (maximum 6 men and 6 women) as follows: Individual events: - A maximum of 3 athletes in each bow category and gender (3 RW, 3 RM, 3 CW, 3 CM)

Team events: - A maximum of 1 team in each bow category and gender (1 Team RW, 1 Team RM, 1 Team CW, 1 Team CM).

- A team is composed by 3 athletes from the same delegation, bow division and gender.

Mixed Team events: - A maximum of 1 team in each bow category (1 Mixed Team Recurve and 1 Mixed Team Compound). A mixed team is composed by 2 athletes from the same bow division but different genders.

1.4. At the first General Technical Meeting, the Head of Delegation or their representative shall confirm and sign the official list of athletes.

Any entry not duly confirmed at the first General Technical Meeting will not be taken into consideration except for force majeure.

Only with an accreditation card approved by the CIC can an athlete be entitled to participate in any of the competitions.

1.5. All athletes must take part in the official practice scheduled the day prior to the start of the competition. Any athlete not present will not be taken into consideration except for force majeure or previous approval from Technical Committee Chair.

## **TECHNICAL OFFICIALS**

### **3.1. Nomination**

All international technical officials are nominated by WA and approved by the FISU Archery Technical Committee Chair. These ITOs must be invited by the OC no less than three months before the opening ceremony of the FISU World University Games.

The OC and the NF will appoint NTOs to complement the team of technical officials required for Archery.

### **3.2. Number of Technical Officials**

There shall be 4 ITOs chosen among experienced international judges.

The number and the roles of the NTOs shall be agreed between the OC and FISU.

### **3.3. Arrival and departure days**

Unless otherwise stated by FISU, all international technical officials are to arrive one day prior to their first official meeting as agreed between FISU and the OC and depart one day after the end of competition.

### **3.4. Accommodation**

Unless otherwise stated by FISU, ITOs are to be accommodated in single rooms.

### **3.5. Financial obligations**

The cost (travel expenses, accommodation, full board and the per-diem) of the ITOs is to be borne by the Organising Committee.

## **Sports Criteria**

Minimum standards are set for entry into the selection process.

#### 4. Registration and Performance Tracking

4.1 Athletes can register three scores achieved in WA70/WA50 rounds in an online score tracking system:

- [Submit scores here](#)

4.2 Scores must have been achieved at World Record Status competition and evidence of the score must be provided.

4.3 Athletes can register up to three scores in one entry but may register as many entries as they wish.

4.4 It is the athlete's sole responsibility to ensure they register their scores and that those scores have been accepted onto that system.

4.5 Registration on this tracking system will automatically be taken as an expression of interest for entry to the selection process.

4.6 This system will allow athletes to retrospectively add their scores from 01 April 2024 – 30 September 2024, which is compulsory for consideration.

4.7 Athletes must have registered their scores by 17 February 2025. All athletes who have met the minimum qualifying scores, general points of eligibility and satisfied provision 4.8 (below) will be considered for selection.

4.8 Archery GB also reserves the right to take into consideration other aspects, including athlete conduct and previous performances, when considering invitations to the selection process. It is not an athlete's right under any circumstances to be invited. Where other elements are taken into account, the athlete has a right to be given the explanation as well as a right to appeal.

#### 5. Performance Standards for Consideration to be Invited to the Selection Process

5.1 Minimum qualifying scores (MQS) have been set for Archery GB to consider inviting athletes into the selection process. Due to differences in the respective depths of field, these are commensurate with an average 8<sup>th</sup> (compound) and 16<sup>th</sup> (recurve) qualification ranking over the previous three World University Games.

5.2 The MQS for recurve and compound athletes are:

Recurve Men	Recurve Women	Compound Men	Compound Women
3 x <u>652</u> on WA70	3 x <u>627</u> on WA70	3 x <u>693</u> on WA50	3 x <u>680</u> on WA50

#### 6. Selection of the team

6.1 Selection for each category will be determined on the basis of the scores submitted.

6.2 To be eligible for selection, athletes must demonstrate that they have achieved the MQS at least three times during the score window.

6.3 Each eligible athlete's top three scores will be added together to form a ranking table for each category.

6.4 If two or more athletes have the same total for three scores, then ranking for those athletes will further be determined based on the total for each athlete's top two scores.

Correspondingly, if the total for two scores is subsequently equal, then ranking for those athletes will further be determined on the basis of the athletes' single top score.

6.5 Subject to satisfying all other criteria, the top three ranked athletes in each category will be selected.

### Selection Panel

- Performance Pathway Manager
- Non-Olympic Programme Manager
- Olympic Performance Manager
- BUCS & GB Students International Performance Manager
- Pathway Administrator (meeting minutes)

### Appeals

Appeals against process must be submitted within 72 hours of the selection announcement on the dates stipulated above.

Appeals will be conducted according to the policy on the Archery GB website, which can be downloaded from the following location:

<https://archerygb.org/performance/international-team-selection-criteria>

## Appendix 1 - Eligibility for FISU Summer World University Games 2025

**INT 1.1 Eligible participants** Further to any FISU regulations in place at the time, for an individual to be eligible to represent BUCS & GB Students in FISU competitions they shall:

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**INT 1.1.7** Meet the Sport Specific Eligibility Requirements as defined in the individual competition selection policy for that competition

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**INT 1.2.3** A student who would otherwise be eligible under INT 1.1. who has their studies suspended will not be eligible to compete until such a time as their studies recommence.

**INT 1.3 Transgender athletes** BUCS promotes a zero-tolerance approach to transphobia and any person or institution found to be in contravention of this regulation will face disciplinary action under REG 5.

**INT 1.3.1** For FISU competitions, the policy on transgender participation of FISU and/or the International Federation whose sport specific regulations are being followed shall apply.

**INT 1.3.2** Drug testing procedures and prohibitions, as outlined in INT 1.4, also apply to athletes who identify as transgender. Any athlete receiving treatment involving a Prohibited Substance or Method, as described on the World Anti-Doping Agency's Prohibited List, should apply for a standard Therapeutic Use Exemption.

**INT 1.4 Anti-Doping** All participants in FISU competitions are subject to the Anti-Doping rules of UK Anti-Doping (UKAD), the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA), FISU, and the specific sport's International and/or National Governing Body. As such:

**INT 1.4.1** All participants are subject to testing.

**INT 1.4.2** Any individual who is serving a suspension as a result of an Anti-Doping rule violation will not be eligible to participate in any FISU competitions.

**INT 1.5** Allowing ineligible participants to represent an institution will result in appropriate disciplinary action being taken. Athletic Union or equivalent staff should in cases of doubt refer the circumstances to the BUCS Sport Compliance and Governance Manager.