



**2013 Nations Forum  
PARA-CYCLING  
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*Union Cycliste Internationale*



## *Topics of the forum*

- Classification – Division H
  - 1) Dr. A. Krassioukov
  - 2) Dr. C. West
  - 3) Discussion
- Division T – type of tricycle
- Rio 2016
- UCI para-cycling calendar
- Groups in WC and WCh
  - 1) Within national structure
  - 2) Within AB races (road & track)
  - 3) Development of other disciplines



## *Classification – Division H*

- Dr A. Krassioukov
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## *Division T – type of tricycle*

- Traditional vs recumbent tricycle
- Results of the survey
  - 17 nations participated
  - 9 nations in favor with recumbent tricycle
  - 6 disagree with the use of recumbent tricycle
  - 2 nations put conditions
  - Period before introduction (1 to 6 years)



# 2016 Rio Paralympic Games

- London program and quotas
  - 50 medal events (27 Men, 19 Women and 4 Mixed)
  - 225 slots (155 Men and 70 Women)
- Request to IPC for Rio
  - 55 medal events (30 Men, 23 Women and 2 Mixed)
  - 260 slots (160 Men and 100 Women)
- Granted by IPC for Rio
  - 50 medal events (28 Men, 20 Women and 2 Mixed)
  - 230 slots (150 Men and 80 Women)



# 2016 Rio Paralympic Games

- Program presented (55 medal events)
  - T 1-2 men and women – 2 more medals
  - H 1-2 and H 3 women – 1 more medal: road race
  - C 3-5 men and women – 2 more medals: scratch
- IPC's answer
  - # of slots and medals for all sports exceed IOC agreement
  - Para-cycling had been granted increases for the 2 previous Games



# *2016 Rio Paralympic Games*

- Program for 2016 – changes from London 2012
  - Tricycles Men and Women separated – 2 more medals
  - H 3 and 4 women combined (with or without factor) for the ITT
  - Men tandem sprint removed from the Games (only 7 athletes and 6 nations in London)



# *2016 Rio Paralympic Games*

- Qualification process – London
  - Nations rankings at the end of 2010: one slot per nation, Top 40 for men and Top 25 for women
  - Combined road and track nations rankings: 105 slots for men and 40 slots for women
  - Bipartite slots: 10 slots for men and 5 slots for women





# 2016 Rio Paralympic Games

- Qualification process – Rio
  - Nations rankings at the end of 2014: one slot per nation. Based on regional rankings: 45 men (4 – Africa, 10 – America, 6 – Asia, 23 – Europe, 2 – Oceania), and 25 women (2 – Africa, 4 – America, 3 – Asia, 14 – Europe, 2 – Oceania)
  - Combined road and track nations rankings: 100 slots for men and 50 slots for women
  - Bipartite slots: 5 slots for men and 5 slots for women



# *UCI Para-cycling calendar*

- Track World Championships (none at this time for 2014-2016)
- Road World Championships
  - Greenville, USA (2014)
  - Nothwill, SUI (2015)
- Almost no events in the track
- Very few events outside of Europe
- Solutions



## *Groups in WC and WCh*

- C 1-2 Men with C 4-5 Women
- C 3 Men with C 4-5 Men
- H 4 Women with H 2 Men
- Other combinations for World Cups and/or World Championships



*Thanks for your participation !*

Enjoy your World Championships!