

2021 PDGA Masters (Pro & Amateur) Disc Golf World Championships - Invitation To Register Criteria



All participants in the 2021 PDGA Masters Disc Golf World Championships must be current 2021 PDGA Members and Certified Officials through the end of the event before they can register for the event. In order to receive an invite, players must have been a 2020 current member prior to 12/15/2020.

Qualification Criteria for Pros

1 Top Pro Points earners of the 2020 PDGA Tour year. Minimum Pro Points Required are:

MP40 - 600 Points	FP40 - 40 Points
MP50 - 200 Points	FP50 - 40 Points
MP55 - 200 Points	FP55 - 40 Points
MP60 - 60 Points	
MP65 - 60 Points	

2 Older Divisions: FP60, FP65, FP70 & MP70, MP75, MP80

All 2020 current Pro class members whose 2021 Primary Worlds Division is FP60, FP65, FP70, MP70, MP75, or MP80, who completed any PDGA sanctioned tournament (not league) in a professional division during the 2020 PDGA tour year.

3 Additional invites:

Any US State, Canadian Province, or International Country that did not have at least 10% of it's resident master Pro 2020 **tour participants** qualify (across all masters divisions) through criteria #1-2 above, will have additional invites provided to the top pro masters points earners across all masters divisions, by highest % of their Primary Worlds Division points requirement goal attained, to reach 10% of invites.

Qualification Criteria for Amateurs

4 United States Top Amateur Points earners of the 2020 PDGA Tour year. Minimum Amateur Points Required are:

MA40 - 750 Points	FA40 - 50 Points
MA50 - 500 Points	FA50 - 40 Points
MA55 - 500 Points	FA55 - 40 Points
MA60 - 100 Points	FA60 - 10 Points
MA65 - 100 Points	FA65 - 10 Points
MA70 - 20 Points	

5 Female Amateur Legends:

All 2020 current female Amateur members whose 2021 Primary Worlds Division is FA70 that completed any PDGA sanctioned tournament (not league) in any Amateur division during the 2020 PDGA tour year.

6 Additional US State Invites:

Any US State that did not have at least 10% of it's resident master Amateur 2020 **tour participants** qualify (across all masters divisions) through criteria #4-5 above, will have additional invites provided to the top amateur masters points earners across all masters divisions, by highest % of their Primary Worlds Division points requirement goal, to reach 10% of invites.

7 International:

All 2020 current International (country other than USA or Canada) Amateur members (age 19 and older in 2021) who completed a PDGA sanctioned tournament (not league) in any Amateur or Professional division during the 2020 tour year.

8 Canadian:

All 2020 current Canadian Amateur members (age 19 or older in 2021) who completed three (3) PDGA sanctioned tournaments (not leagues) in either an Amateur or Professional division during the 2020 tour year.

How the Invite Process Works:

Primary Worlds Division

A member's Primary Worlds Division is based on their class, gender, and age and is the division they will be invited to play in at Worlds if they meet one of the above criteria. Examples of Primary Worlds Divisions for Masters Worlds are:

- Ages 40-49 on their birthday in 2021 = MP40 or FP40 for Pros and MA40 or FA40 for Amateurs
- Ages 50-54 on their birthday in 2021 = MP50 or FP50 for Pros and MA50 or FA40 for Amateurs
- Ages 55-59 on their birthday in 2021 = MP55 or FP55 for Pros and MA55 or FA55 for Amateurs; etc.

Important: Only members at least 40 years of age in 2021 have their Primary Worlds Division held at Master Worlds.

Pro class players of any age in 2021 may also have Pro Worlds invite for MPO or FPO based on their player rating.

Amateur members aged 19-39 years of age in 2021 have a Primary Worlds Division held at MA1 & FA1 Amateur Worlds.

Amateur members age 8 to 18 in 2021 have their Primary Worlds Division held at Junior Worlds.

Primary Worlds Division Invite Process

A player's Primary Worlds Division Invite uses ALL of the 2020 points they earned from divisions of their **same class** regardless of the division (all of Pro Points for Pros, all of Amateur Points for Amateurs), towards the requirement in #1 or #4 above. This allows for an invite to Worlds even if they had aged into a new age bracket for which they could not have earned points in the previous year.

IMPORTANT: This primary invite process ONLY applies to current 2020 Pro or Amateur members at least 40 years of age in 2021.

Secondary Worlds Invite Process:

The process for an invite to Master Worlds in any division other than the member's Primary Worlds Division, uses only those 2020 points earned **while actually playing in the specific division** to meet that division's points requirement in #1 or #4 above.

IMPORTANT: This Secondary Worlds Invite Process applies only to 2020 current members of at least 40 years of age in 2021.

Example of the Worlds invite process:

A 2020 Pro member who is male and age 64 had earned 55 points playing MP60, 300 points playing MP50, and 550 points playing MP40.

- A Since he is an MP60-aged player he receives a Primary Invite for MP60 because **ALL of his Pro points** (905) equaled at least the 60 point requirement for an MP60 Primary Invite (even though he had less than 60 points actually playing in MP60.)
- B He receives a Secondary Invite for the MP50 division because he had 300 points **actually playing** in the MP50 division and the requirement was 200 points.
- C He does **NOT** receive a Secondary Invite for the MP40 division as he only had 550 points **actually playing** in the MP40 division, but needed 600 points.

Additional Important Notes:

An invitation to register for Worlds, does **NOT** guarantee a spot at Worlds. Timely registration is still required to get in.

ONLY 2020 CURRENT members (prior to 12/15/2020) earn 2020 points towards Worlds invites.

ONLY 2020 Professional points (those points earned playing in a Professional division by a Pro) count towards Criteria #1-3.

ONLY 2020 Amateur points (those points earned playing in an Amateur division by an Amateur) count towards Criteria #4-8.

ONLY 2020 CURRENT members (prior to 12/15/2020) are invited to register for the 2021 Master Worlds.

Please direct any questions regarding the Worlds invitation process to the PDGA Tour Manager.