

USA SHOOTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES
INTERNATIONAL SHOOTING HALL OF FAME
ELECTION PROCEDURES

A. CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION

1. An athlete nominee must be retired for more than five years from active international competition.
2. The nominee is to have produced consistent winning performances in major ISSF competition with emphasis on the Olympic Games and World Shooting Championship. Consideration is also to be afforded winning performances over several years in other ISSF events; such as World Cup Finals, World Clay Target Championships and Pan-American Games.
3. A Special Contributor nominee shall have made a significant contribution to the shooting sports over several years as a coach, official, volunteer or in some other special capacity.
4. All nominees shall have demonstrated exemplary conduct as a person. Their contributions to the international shooting sports shall have been significant.

B. NOMINATION PROCEDURES

1. Nominations to the International Shooting Hall of Fame, election and induction will take place twice during the quadrennial; typically in the odd-numbered years.
2. Nominations will be solicited from the USAS Shooting Board of Directors and members of the International Shooting Hall of Fame. The USA Shooting staff will select a slate of candidates from those nominated.
3. The nomination process will be initiated in a timely manner relevant to the induction ceremony.

C. ELECTION PROCEDURES

1. A Committee of USA Shooting staff will select a listing of candidates from those nominated in a relevant time frame for the year of elections.

2. All current members of the USA Shooting Board of Directors, inducted members of the Shooting Hall of Fame and members of the USA Shooting Team Alumni Association are eligible to vote. Proxy votes are not permissible.
3. Ballots will be mailed to all eligible voters in a timely manner relevant to the induction ceremony. Ballots must be returned as specified on the ballot, normally within 21 days.
4. Each voting member may vote for two nominees. In the event of a tie vote, the election outcome will be determined using an email vote of all eligible voters if time does not allow for voting by mail.
5. Up to two nominees receiving the most votes may be inducted into the International Shooting Hall of Fame. All inductees must agree to attend the induction ceremony, unless deceased. Please note that only one living candidate will be inducted. In such cases where a deceased athlete, coach, volunteer, staff member or special contributor has been nominated and elected per the foregoing procedures, then two nominees will be eligible for induction.

D. INDUCTION CEREMONY

1. An induction ceremony will take place in conjunction with an appropriate event sponsored by USA Shooting. The induction will typically be held in conjunction with the USA Shooting Alumni reunion and a concurrent coach education event.
2. USA Shooting will pay travel and lodging expenses for the inductee and one guest to attend the ceremony. Should a deceased athlete be inducted, expenses will be paid for a family member or appropriate person to represent the deceased inductee.

E. LIFE MEMBERSHIP

1. Hall of Fame inductees will be provided honorary life membership to USA Shooting. They will receive all associated benefits and recognition provided with life membership.
2. Hall of Fame members inducted prior to 2000 will be provided life membership retroactively. Those Hall members will also receive all associated benefits and recognition provided with life membership.