

**TOKYO  
2020**

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WORLD TEAM  
OLYMPIC QUALIFICATION**

**JANUARY 2020**



## 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

The ITTF provides this document as a guide on sport specific information.

More details on the event location and dates will be announced once the host is allocated. Other further details will be communicated in due time.

**Event:** World Team Qualification Tournament

**Location:** TBA

**Duration:** Maximum 6 Days

**Dates:** Between Monday 20 January to Sunday 26 January 2020

(dates will be confirmed with ITTF, depending on the location the event will take place in and the overall calendar planning)

**Tokyo 2020 Olympic Qualifiers from this event:** 9 Teams (the teams to qualify can further nominate two athletes to compete in the Singles events).

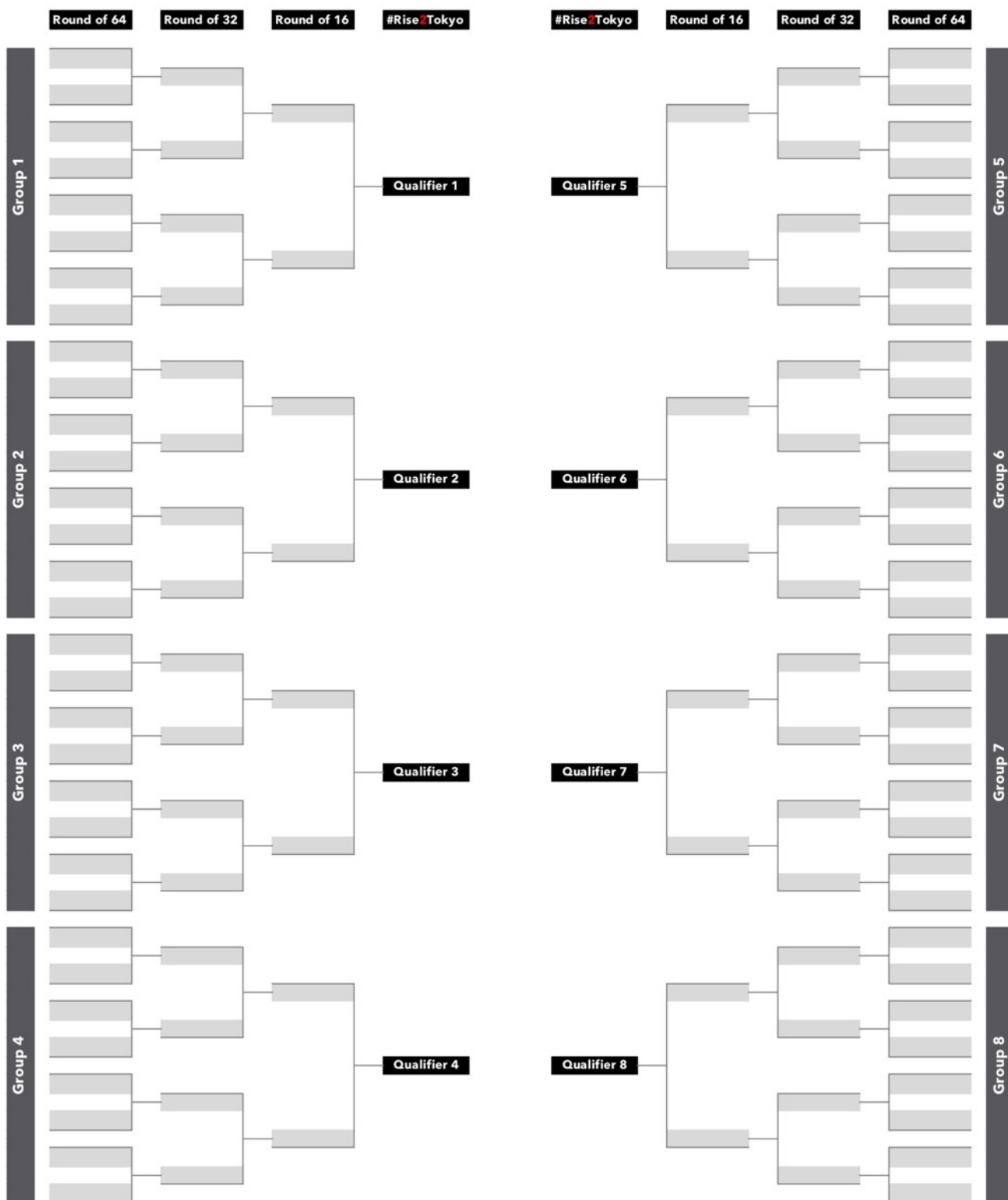
## 2. SPORT SPECIFIC DETAILS

### 2.1. General details

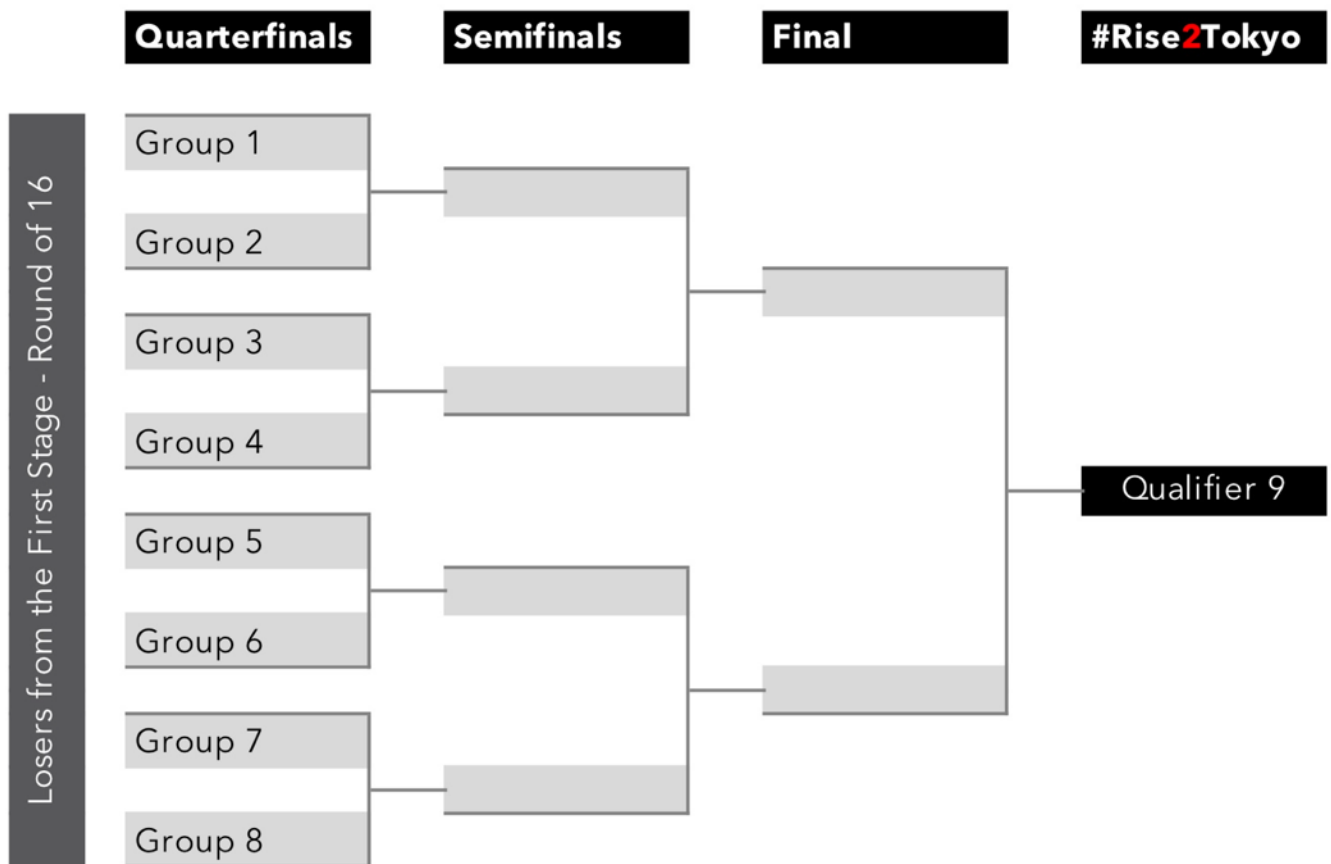
**Playing format:** Knockouts

**Stages and how to qualify:**

First stage: A knockout of 64. The 8 teams, which make it to the Quarter Finals (Round of 8) will qualify to the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games. Quarter-Finals, Semi-Finals and Final will not be played.



Second stage: All losers of the Round of 16 from the first stage, will progress to a new knockout and only the winner of this second stage will qualify to the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games.



**Number of matches:** Teams will play no more than 2 team matches per day

**Team playing system:** Olympic playing system

- Match 1: Double BC vs YZ
- Match 2: A vs X
- Match 3: C vs Z
- Match 4: A vs Y
- Match 5: B vs X

**Number of players per team:** Minimum 3 players – maximum 5 players.

**Seeding for the first stage:** Will be done as following:

- **Ranking List:** January 2020 World Team Ranking.
- Draw will be done according to seeding:
  - Seed no. 1: position 1
  - Seed no. 2: position 64
  - Seed no. 3-4: positions 32, 33
  - Seed no 5-8: positions 16, 17, 48, 49
  - Seed no. 9-16: positions 8, 9, 24, 25, 40, 41, 56, 57
  - Seed no. 17-32: positions 4,5 12, 13, 20, 21, 28, 29, 36, 37, 44, 45, 52, 53, 60, 61
  - Seeds no. 32-64: drawn randomly to remaining positions, with any byes drawn into the highest seeds.

**Separation:** There will be no other separation at any of the stages.

### 3. ENTRY FEES, DEADLINES AND HOSPITALITY

Details will be announced on the prospectus for the event in due time.

#### 3.1.1. Entry deadlines

- Specific dates will be listed in the prospectus.
- No entries will be accepted after the date specified in the prospectus.

#### 3.1.2. Entry fees

- The entry fees will be quoted in USD (\$) or EUR (€) and have to be collected together with the hospitality fees.
- The accreditation fee, inclusive of the participation fee, will be USD \$300 (or approximate equivalent in EUR (€) as confirmed by ITTF) per accredited person. The accreditation fee must be waived for those participants who choose one of the hospitality packages.

#### 3.1.3. Cancellation deadlines and fees

- Specific dates will be listed in the prospectus.
- Specific amounts and terms of payments will be listed in the prospectus.

#### 3.1.4. Hospitality Fees

- The fees and terms of payment will be listed in the prospectus.