

CIA WORLD RANKING LIST– HOT AIR BALLOONING - 2019

of the Commission International Aérostatique (CIA) within the Fédération Aéronautique Internationale (FAI)

Version Mai 2019 includes 20 Pilots from 10 Nations



The World Ranking List was first established in 2000. Its purpose is to show a ranking of the top hot air balloon pilots of the world. The list is established by a calculation formula that includes the results of the World Championships, the World Air Games and to minor effect the competitor's national ranking position. The list is updated whenever new results of the World Championships or the World Air Games are available. All former lists expired by January 31st 2019.

The intention of this World Ranking List is to provide a performance comparison among pilots of the world. This World Ranking List is not intended to be used for invitational purposes!
The calculation formula of this Ranking List was established over 10 years ago and might be adapted. Intention: Uploading NAC results should not change the top 100, but only modify the list beyond rank 100.

A service by the Competitors Subcommittee of the CIA / FAI. Detailed explanation is available on request.

CIA Hot Air Balloon World Ranking List – as of January 2019

Rank	Name	NAC	Points
1.	Stefan ZEBERLI	SUI	1000,00
2.	David STRASMANN	GER	949,73
3.	Clement SEIGEOT	FRA	947,72
4.	Sergey LATYPOV	RUS	933,01
5.	Rhett HEARTSILL	USA	930,21
6.	Yudai FUJITA	JPN	915,95
7.	Dominic BAREFORD	GBR	913,00
8.	Rimas KOSTIUSKEVICIUS	LTU	890,18
9.	Rokas KOSTIUSKEVICIUS	LTU	888,63
10.	Roman HUGI	SUI	875,57
11.	Joe HEARTSILL	USA	866,10
12.	Nicolas SCHWARTZ	FRA	862,87
13.	Ivan MENYAYLO	RUS	862,34
14.	David HOCHREUTENER	SUI	860,19
15.	Uwe SCHNEIDER	GER	859,58
16.	Matthew SCAIFE	AUS	846,74
17.	Johnny PETREHN	USA	845,27
18.	Marc BLASER	SUI	827,49
19.	Chase DONNER	USA	822,67
20.	Steven VLEGELS	BEL	810,98