

Looking forward to the IAAF World Championships London 2017

An outstanding **Rio 2016 Olympic Games** was the highlight of a busy competition year for athletics, which also included four IAAF World Athletics Series events. But as 2016 draws to a close, another packed programme is on the horizon.

Next season will culminate with the **IAAF World Championships London 2017** where many athletes will return to the stadium that hosted a memorable Olympic Games in 2012.

There will be three other IAAF World Athletics Series events next year: the **IAAF World Cross Country Championships Kampala 2017**, the **IAAF World Relays Bahamas 2017** and the **IAAF World U18 Championships Nairobi 2017**.

And of course, throughout the year the world's leading athletes will compete in various annual series such as the revamped **IAAF Diamond League**, the **IAAF World Challenge**, **IAAF Label Road Races**, the **IAAF World Indoor Tour**, the **IAAF Combined Events Challenge**, the **IAAF Hammer Throw Challenge**, the **IAAF Race Walking Challenge** and **IAAF Cross Country Permit** meetings.

IAAF HQ HEADLINE NEWS



OVERWHELMING VOTE FOR IAAF REFORM DELIVERED BY MEMBERSHIP

The IAAF Special Congress delivered a 95% vote in favour of a resolution for constitutional reform which will be delivered in two stages, 1 January 2017 and 1 January 2019, issuing in a new era of transparent and accountable sports administration.

In his opening address, IAAF President Sebastian Coe had urged the 197 national member federations who were represented in the Congress room to back the governance structure reforms which were the basis for the constitutional reform.

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OTHER NEWS

- [IAAF Athletes Commission declares 'absolute support' for proposed governance structure reforms](#)
- [IAAF statement in response to second McLaren report](#)
- [Statement from IAAF Ethics Board](#)
- [Taicang to host 2018 World Race Walking Team Championships](#)
- [Aarhus to host 2019 IAAF World Cross Country Championships](#)
- [\\$3.2 million prize money for finals of 2017 IAAF Diamond League](#)
- [2nd Official Bulletin – IAAF World Championships London 2017](#)
- [Remaining IAAF World Championships London 2017 tickets now on sale](#)
- [Marathon and race walk routes revealed for IAAF World Championships London 2017](#)
- [IAAF World Championships London 2017 LOC updates IAAF Congress on 'unique' and 'creative' event](#)

FEATURED NEWS



Bolt and Ayana crowned 2016 World Athletes of the Year

Jamaica's Usain Bolt and Ethiopia's Almaz Ayana were named the male and female World Athletes of the Year at the IAAF Athletics Awards 2016, held at Sporting Monte Carlo.



Standing tall for clean athletes

Trust, integrity and protecting clean athletes were the focus of the IAAF's 207th Council Meeting ahead of a Special Congress to approve revolutionary reforms on Saturday 3 December.



IAAF launches online portal – Report Doping

The IAAF has launched a secure online portal in six languages that can be used to report doping, the latest weapon in its fight against cheating in sport.



IAAF and ASICS announce new partnership

ASICS and the IAAF are delighted to announce a new multiple-year partnership with ASICS becoming the latest addition to the prestigious group of Official IAAF Partners.

FOR THE RECORD

ATHLETES SANCTIONED FOR A DOPING OFFENCE

An up-to-date list can be downloaded [here](#).

NEW MEMBER FEDERATION OFFICERS – RECENT ELECTIONS / APPOINTMENTS

An up-to-date list can be downloaded [here](#).

WORLD RECORDS RATIFIED



Women's hammer

82.98m Anita Wlodarczyk (POL) Warsaw 28 Aug 2016
Previous: 82.29m Anita Wlodarczyk (POL) Rio de Janeiro 15 Aug 2016



Women's 3000m steeplechase

8:52.78 Ruth Jebet (BRN) Paris St Denis 27 Aug 2016
Previous: 8:58.81 Gulnara Galkina (RUS) Beijing 17 Aug 2008



Women's U20 400m hurdles

54.15 Sydney McLaughlin (USA) Eugene 10 Jul 2016
Previous: 54.40 Wang Xing (CHN) Nanjing 21 Oct 2005



Men's U20 3000m

7:28:19 Yomif Kejelcha (ETH) Paris St Denis 27 Aug 2016
Previous: 7:28.78 Augustine Choge (KEN) Doha 13 May 2005

OBITUARIES

- **Former IAAF General Secretary John Holt**
- **Cuban Athletics Federation General Secretary Jesus Molina Hernandez**
- **Former IAAF Technical Committee member Cecil Smith**

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