



# 2025-2026 SUMMIT BID DECLARATION

## DIVISION REGISTRATION

To be eligible for a bid to The Summit, Non-US. teams must participate in a Summit eligible division at a Varsity Spirit or Varsity partner event. During on-site registration, teams will select whether they will accept a bid to The Summit. Competing out of division on the performance order will make a team ineligible for bids. Non-US teams are not eligible to compete in USASF divisions.

US based teams, at Canadian events only, must register in a USASF or IASF division. During on-site registration, teams will designate if they are seeking a DI or DII Summit event bid. US based teams competing in the IASF division are eligible for AT-LARGE bids only. One Paid USASF Bid to The Youth Summit will be given at Aloha Toronto Showdown and Sea to Sky.

## NON-US BASED TEAMS - AT-LARGE BIDS

AT-LARGE bids will go to the highest-scoring bid eligible teams across different levels. At events where PAID bids are awarded first, AT-LARGE bids will then go to the highest-scoring bid eligible teams across the different remaining levels.

- The levels will be divided as follows: L1, L2, L3, L4
- When awarding AT-LARGE bids, any awarded PAID bids will be considered when determining remaining bid eligible levels (ex: The PAID bids are awarded to a L2 team and a L3 team, the AT-LARGE bids must go to a L1 and L4 before circling back to all eligible divisions). Once all levels have been satisfied, the remaining bids will go to the highest scoring teams regardless of level. The order of levels does not go in numerical order but in order of highest scoring team.
- At Sea to Sky, At-Large bids will be awarded for The 2027 Summit Championship.

## NON-US BASED TEAMS - PAID BIDS

PAID bids are awarded before AT-LARGE bids.

- PAID bids will go to the highest-scoring bid eligible teams across different levels. The levels will be divided as follows: L1, L2, L3, L4.
- One Paid upgrade bid will be given for The 2026 Summit. Three Paid Bids will be given for The 2027 Summit.



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## AT-LARGE BIDS (US TEAMS ONLY)

AT-LARGE bids will go to the highest-scoring bid eligible teams across different levels.

- The levels will be divided as follows: L1, L2, L3, L4, and L4.2/L5/L6.
- When awarding AT-LARGE bids, any awarded PAID bids will be considered when determining different levels (ex: An event where there are 6+ AT-LARGE Bids; the PAID bids are awarded to a L2 team and a L3 team, the L1, L4, and L4.2/L5/L6 are the only levels eligible for the first three AT-LARGE bids. Once all levels have been satisfied, ALL levels are eligible for the remaining bids and the process to satisfy the levels starts over with the first bid eligible team regardless of level.

## PAID BIDS (US TEAMS ONLY)

PAID bids will go to the highest-scoring bid eligible teams across different levels. The levels will be divided as follows: L1, L2, L3, L4, and L4.2/L5/L6. PAID bids are awarded before AT-LARGE bids.

- At Sea to Sky, 1 Lift Ticket to the Summit will be given in place of a Paid Bid to The Summit.

## TIE BREAKER POLICY

- FINAL PLACEMENT TIES:  
In the event that there is a tie for the final placements at any Varsity All Star competition, the tie will not be broken, and both/all teams will share the placement
- AT-LARGE SUMMIT BIDS:  
In the event that there is a tie for an AT-LARGE Summit Bid, the tie will not be broken, and the bid will be awarded to both/all teams.
- PAID SUMMIT BIDS:  
In the event that there is a tie for a PAID Summit Bid, the following Tie-Breaker policy will apply:
  - The bid will be awarded to the team with the least amount of deductions for Performance 2.
  - If the deductions for Performance 2 are equal or zero, the team with the least amount of deductions for Performance 1 will be awarded the bid.
  - If the deductions for Performance 1 are equal or zero, the bid will be awarded to the team with the highest Performance 2 score in the Overall Impression category.
  - If the Performance 2 Overall Impression category scores remain equal, the bid will be awarded to the team with the highest Performance 1 score in the Overall Impression category.
  - If the Performance 1 Overall Impression category scores remain equal, the tie will be broken by the Judges' Choice.