



EUROPEAN MASTER ATHLETICS

Criteria and procedures for determining “European Best Master” ('EBM') one Male and one Female Athlete

It is a combination of skills to estimate and it is desirable that the 'EBM' fulfil the seven criteria stated below:

Criteria

1. The 'EBM' has to participate during the actual year in EMAC or WMAC.
2. The 'EBM' should preferably have beat European and/or World Master Record/Records in at least one event during the actual year.
3. The 'EBM' should preferably have been European and/or World Master Champion in at least one event during the actual year.
4. The 'EBM' should fairly be superior to other masters in European Championships in at least one event during the actual year.
5. The 'EBM' should practice sportsmanship and fair play.
6. The 'EBM' should never have been guilty for drug use, is an opponent of drug use.
7. The 'EBM' can only be awarded once in the same category.

Procedures

An 'EBM' is selected by the EMA Award Working Group after a General Assembly and proposes in September every year candidates for 'EBM' to the EMA Council (in connection to the “IAAF-/WMA- Best Master”).

The 'EBM' - Award Working Group for 2014 - 2017 consists of the Statistician Working Group and the Technical Director of EMA.

The 'EBM' is nominated by EMA Council in September every year (three proposals - Male and Female - are selected by the Award Working Group).

The 'EBM' is awarded the following year and honoured on the occasion of the next 'EMA' championships.

The 'EBM' will be invited to attend to the ceremony.