

FAST FACTS – DIE LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS

Die jährliche Vergabe der **Laureus World Sports Awards** ist die einzige weltweite Preisverleihung, mit der die besten Sportlerinnen und Sportler für ihre Leistungen in allen Disziplinen geehrt werden.

- Die Laureus World Sports Awards wurden am 17. Februar 2020 zum 21. Mal vergeben. Jährlich verfolgen mehrere Millionen Zuschauer in 160 Ländern die Laureus-Zeremonie.
- Die Laureus World Sports Awards wurden im Jahr 1999 durch die **Daimler AG** und **Richemont** ins Leben gerufen. Die zu der Daimler AG und Richemont gehörenden Marken **Mercedes-Benz** und **IWC Schaffhausen** sind die Hauptpartner von Laureus.
- Es gibt ein zweiteiliges Auswahlverfahren zur Ermittlung der Gewinner der Laureus World Sports Awards. Zuerst nominiert ein Gremium von weltweit führenden Sportredakteuren, Sportautoren und Sportreportern aus über 100 Ländern sechs Personen (bzw. Teams) für jede Kategorie. Die Stimmen werden durch die unabhängige Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft **Pricewaterhouse Coopers LLP** kollationiert, dann bestimmen die Mitglieder der **Laureus World Sports Academy** in geheimer Wahl die Gewinner.
- Die Laureus World Sports Academy besteht aus 69 legendären Sportlerinnen und Sportlern aus der ganzen Welt. Ihr Vorsitzender ist die neuseeländische Rugby-Legende Sean Fitzpatrick.
- Es gibt fünf Kategorien, die von den internationalen Medien und der Akademie gewählt werden: *Laureus World Sportsman of the Year*, *Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year*, *Laureus World Team of the Year*, *Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year* und *Laureus World Comeback of the Year*.
- In zwei weiteren Kategorien wird von Spezialistengremien gewählt: der/die *Laureus World Action Sportsperson of the Year*, von weltweit führenden Berichterstattern des alternativen Sports und der/die *Laureus World Sportsperson of the Year with a Disability*; diese Kategorie wird vom Exekutivkomitee des Internationalen Paralympischen Komitees bestimmt.
- Es gibt weitere Ehrungen, die durch die Gründer und die Akademie vergeben werden können: Den *Laureus Spirit of Sport Award*, den *Laureus Sporting Inspiration Awards* sowie den *Laureus Sport for Good Award*, der an Personen und Projekte verliehen wird, die einen herausragenden Beitrag für die Gesellschaft geleistet haben.
- Die Laureus Academy kann weitere Laureus-Awards ausloben und vergeben. So wurde 2019 zusätzlich der *Laureus Academy Exceptional Achievement Award* sowie der Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award verliehen.
- **Laureus** ist das lateinische Wort für Lorbeer - das universale Symbol für den Sieg im Sport.
- Jeder Gewinner erhält eine exklusiv von Cartier hergestellte **Laureus Statuette**. Der universale Charakter des Sports wird durch eine Darstellung der fünf Kontinente hervorgehoben, die auf dem Sockel eingraviert sind. Die Statuetten sind 30 cm hoch und wiegen 2,5 kg. Jede der Figuren enthält 670 g gediegenes Silber und hat einen 650 g schweren vergoldeten Sockel.
- Neben ihrer Rolle bei der Ehrung sportlicher Leistungen durch die Laureus World Sports Awards haben Daimler und Richemont in Partnerschaft mit der Laureus World Sports Academy ein innovativ karitatives Unternehmen errichtet - die **Laureus Sport for Good Foundation**. Diese Stiftung wird durch die Gründer jährlich mit einer Spende von einer Million Euro unterstützt.

2020 LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year
 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsperson of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsperson of the Year
 Laureus Sporting Moment 2000-2020
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Academy Exceptional Achievement Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Lewis Hamilton/ Lionel Messi
 Simone Biles
 South Africa Rugby Union Team
 Egan Bernal
 Sophia Flörsch
 Oksana Masters
 Chloe Kim
 Sachin Tendulkar
 South Bronx United
 Spanish Basketball Federation
 Dirk Nowitzki

2019 LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year
 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsperson of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsperson of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Spirit of Sport Award
 Laureus Best Sporting Moment of the Year
 Laureus Academy Exceptional Achievement Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Novak Djokovic
 Simone Biles
 France World Cup Team
 Naomi Osaka
 Tiger Woods
 Henrieta Farkašová
 Chloe Kim
 Yuwa
 Lindsey Vonn
 Xia Boyu
 Eluid Kipchoge
 Arsène Wenger

2018 LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year
 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsperson of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsperson of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Sporting Inspiration
 Laureus Best Sporting Moment of the Year
 Laureus Academy Exceptional Achievement Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Roger Federer
 Serena Williams
 Mercedes-AMG Petronas F1 Team
 Sergio Garcia
 Roger Federer
 Marcel Hug
 Armel le Cléac'h
 Active Communities Network
 J. J. Watt
 Eternal Champions (Chapocoense)
 Francesco Totti
 Edwin Moses

2017 LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year
 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsperson of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsperson of the Year
 Laureus Spirit of Sport
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Sporting Inspiration
 Laureus Best Sporting Moment of the Year

Usain Bolt
 Simone Biles
 Chicago Cubs
 Nico Rosberg
 Michael Phelps
 Beatrice Vio
 Rachel Atherton
 Leicester City
 Waves for Change
 Refugee Olympic Team
 Barcelona U12S

2016 LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
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 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsperson of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsperson of the Year
 Laureus Spirit of Sport Award

Novak Djokovic
 Serena Williams
 All Blacks
 Jordan Spieth
 Dan Carter
 Daniel Dias
 Jan Frodeno
 Johan Cruyff

Laureus Lifetime Achievement
 Laureus Sport for Good Award

Niki Lauda
 Moving the Goalposts

2015 LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year
 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Spirit of Sport Award
 Laureus Academy Exceptional Achievement Award
 Laureus Sport for Good Award

Novak Djokovic
 Ganzebe Dibaba
 Germany World Cup Football Team
 Daniel Ricciardo
 Schalk Burger
 Tatyana McFadden
 Alan Eustace
 Yao Ming
 Li Na
 Skateistan

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Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
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 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Spirit of Sport Award
 Laureus Sport for Good Award

Sebastian Vettel
 Missy Franklin
 Bayern München
 Marc Márquez
 Rafael Nadal
 Marie Bochet
 Jamie Bestwick
 Afghanistan Cricket Team
 Magic Bus

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 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Academy Exceptional Achievement Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Usain Bolt
 Jessica Ennis
 Europäisches Ryder-Cup-Team
 Andy Murray
 Félix Sánchez
 Daniel Dias
 Felix Baumgartner
 Michael Phelps
 Sebastian Coe

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 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Novak Djokovic
 Vivian Cheruiyot
 FC Barcelona
 Rory McIlroy
 Darren Clarke
 Oscar Pistorius
 Kelly Slater
 Raí Souza Vieira de Oliveira
 Sir Bobby Charlton

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 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
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 Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Spirit of Sport Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Rafael Nadal
 Lindsey Vonn
 Spain Men's Football Team
 Martin Kaymer
 Valentino Rossi
 Verena Bentele
 Kelly Slater
 May El-Khalil
 European Ryder Cup Team
 Zinedine Zidane

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Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year
 Laureus World Team of the Year
 Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
 Laureus World Comeback of the Year

Usain Bolt
 Serena Williams
 Brawn GP Formula One
 Jenson Button
 Kim Clijsters

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
Laureus Sport for Good Award
Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Natalie Du Toit
Stephanie Gilmore
Dikembe Mutombo
Nawal El Moutawakel

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Laureus World Team of the Year
Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
Laureus World Comeback of the Year
Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year

Usain Bolt
Yelena Isinbayeva
China Olympic Team
Rebecca Adlington
Vitali Klitschko
Daniel Dias
Kelly Slater

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Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
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Laureus World Team of the Year
Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
Laureus World Comeback of the Year
Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
Laureus Sport for Good Award
Laureus Spirit of Sport Award
Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Roger Federer
Justine Henin
South African Rugby Team
Lewis Hamilton
Paula Radcliffe
Esther Vergeer
Shaun White
Brendan & Shawn Tuohey
Dick Pound
Sergey Bubka

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Laureus World Team of the Year
Laureus World Breakthrough of the Year
Laureus World Comeback of the Year
Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
Laureus World Action Sportsman of the Year
Laureus Sport for Good Award
Laureus Spirit of Sport Award
Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Roger Federer
Yelena Isinbayeva
Italy Men's Football Team
Amélie Mauresmo
Serena Williams
Martin Braxenthaler
Kelly Slater
Luke Dowdney
FC Barcelona
Franz Beckenbauer

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Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
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Laureus World Team of the Year
Laureus World Newcomer of the Year
Laureus World Comeback of the Year
Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
Laureus World Alternative Sportsman of the Year
Laureus Sport for Good Award
Laureus Spirit of Sport Award
Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Roger Federer
Janica Kostelic
Renault Formel 1 Team
Rafael Nadal
Martina Hingis
Ernst van Dyk
Angelo d'Arrigo
Jürgen Griesbeck
Valentino Rossi
Johan Cruyff

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Laureus World Comeback of the Year
Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
Laureus World Alternative Sportsman of the Year
Laureus Sport for Good Award
Laureus Spirit of Sport Award

Roger Federer
Kelly Holmes
Greece Men's Football Team
Liu Xiang
Alessandro Zanardi
Chantal Petitclerc
Ellen MacArthur
Gerry Storey
Boston Red Sox

2004 LAUREUS WORLD SPORTS AWARDS WINNERS

Laureus World Sportsman of the Year
Laureus World Sportswoman of the Year
Laureus World Team of the Year
Laureus World Newcomer of the Year

Michael Schumacher
Annika Sorenstam
England Rugby Union Team
Michelle Wie

Laureus World Comeback of the Year
 Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Alternative Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Hermann Maier
 Earle Connor (aufgehoben)
 Layne Beachley
 Mathare Youth Sports Association
 Arne Naess

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 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Lance Armstrong (aufgehoben)
 Serena Williams
 Brazil (Men's) Football Team
 Yao Ming
 Ronaldo
 Michael Milton
 Dean Potter
 Arnold Schwarzenegger
 Gary Player

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 Laureus World Comeback of the Year
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 Laureus World Alternative Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Michael Schumacher
 Jennifer Capriati
 Australian Cricket Team
 Juan Pablo Montoya
 Goran Ivanisevic
 Esther Vergeer
 Bob Burnquist
 Sir Peter Blake
 Sir Peter Blake

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 Laureus World Sportsman of the Year with a Disability
 Laureus World Alternative Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Tiger Woods
 Cathy Freeman
 French (Men's) Football Team
 Marat Safin
 Jennifer Capriati
 Vinny Lauwers
 Mike Horn
 Kip Keino
 Sir Steven Redgrave

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 Laureus World Alternative Sportsman of the Year
 Laureus Sport for Good Award
 Laureus Lifetime Achievement Award

Tiger Woods
 Marion Jones (aufgehoben)
 Manchester United
 Sergio Garcia
 Lance Armstrong (aufgehoben)
 Louise Sauvage
 Shaun Palmer
 Eunice Kennedy Shriver
 Pelé