



## SECURITY & COVID-19 MEASURES

**Entry Requirements:** Before travelling, all players and PST members must request an **Exceptional Entry Permit and Visa** via submitting an online form. [LINK: Visa Application](#). **All applications must be submitted by 31 January. Applications submitted after this date may not be processed in time for the event.** Further entry details on [Pg. 4 - FAQs](#). A negative PCR test result is required 72 hours prior to your arrival in Doha.

**Testing Procedure:** On arrival at the official hotel, all players and PST members will undergo a rapid antigen test (RAT). If RAT is positive: PCR test required and must isolate in room until result comes back. Positive case management will come into effect. If RAT is negative: no need to isolate and can head on-site to receive accreditation, practice and have full access to the site. Everyone will need to perform follow up RAT tests every 2-3 days. See [Pg.4 - Q5 FAQs](#) for more details.

**Controlled environment:** In order to avoid putting yourselves and others at risk, players (and PST members) must restrict their movements and all meals to either the tournament site or player hotel. **Failure to do so will result in players being subject to fines and being withdrawn from the event.**

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- Testing Times/Cost

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## TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

### SCHEDULE

#### QUALIFYING

Saturday 12 - Sunday 13 February  
Start times: Saturday 11:00am, Sunday 3:30pm

#### MAIN DRAW

Monday 14 - Saturday 19 February  
Start times: Monday - Thursday 2:30pm  
Friday doubles final at 3:45pm before singles semi-finals, Saturday singles final at 6:00pm

#### OFFICIAL DRAW

Friday 11 February. Time TBA

#### PRACTICE

Practice Courts are available from 9 February  
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#### SITE

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**SURFACE** Hardcourt Plexicushion Prestige

**BALL** Dunlop Australian Open

**ELC** Hawkeye (Centre Court & Grandstand 1)

**STRINGER** Tecnifibre €20

# SINGLES ENTRY DEADLINES

## MAIN DRAW SINGLES

Monday 17 January 2022 at 12pm EST (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone.

**NEW: Players on the Alternate Lists will be considered a Direct Acceptance from Thursday, 10 AM (Eastern Time, USA) before the tournament. Players who move in from the Alternate Lists to the Main Draw/Qualifying that have not withdrawn by the Thursday deadline will have their withdrawal count the same way as players who were directly accepted.**

## QUALIFYING SINGLES

Monday 24 January 2022 at 12pm EST (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone.

## QUALIFYING ALTERNATE SIGN-IN DEADLINE

**Friday 11 February** from 4:00pm-6:00pm local time. Qualifying vacancies after the qualifying draw is made shall be filled from the Saturday sign-in, open to any ranked players eligible to compete at the event. The Saturday sign-in deadline is 30 minutes prior to the start of qualifying matches. All sign-ins are to be done by text message to the Supervisor, **Cedric Mourier, T. +33 6 23 20 30 12** (number to be used for sign-in only). The player is responsible for having his entry confirmed by the Supervisor.

# DOUBLES ENTRY DEADLINE

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Monday 31 January 2022 at 12:00pm EST (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone.

**IMPORTANT:** The Main Draw doubles list will have an entirely advanced protocol of entry. The online on-site doubles entries will still be conducted on Friday 11 February 2022 from **12:01am - 3:00pm EST** (Florida, USA time) through ATP PlayerZone but only to populate an Alternate List for any vacancies occurring after the respective tournament withdrawal deadline and prior to the doubles draw being made.

# ATP TOUR POINTS & PRIZE MONEY BREAKDOWN

**PRIZE MONEY:** USD paid through the ATP TAX: No tax withheld.\*\* Prize money subject to the tournament's permission to receive ticketed spectators on-site.\*

|                  | RANKING<br>POINTS<br>SINGLES | SINGLES<br>\$ | RANKING<br>POINTS<br>DOUBLES | DOUBLES<br>\$ |
|------------------|------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|---------------|
| WINNER           | 250                          | \$114,875     | 250                          | \$40,720      |
| FINALIST         | 150                          | \$80,410      | 150                          | \$29,240      |
| SEMI-FINALIST    | 90                           | \$53,255      | 90                           | \$18,800      |
| QUARTER-FINALIST | 45                           | \$35,510      | 45                           | \$12,530      |
| ROUND 16         | 20                           | \$22,975      | 0                            | \$7,310       |
| ROUND 28         | 0                            | \$12,530      | ---                          | ---           |
| QUALIFYING       | 12                           | ---           | ---                          | ---           |
| QUALIFYING 2     | 6                            | \$6,265       | ---                          | ---           |
| QUALIFYING 1     | 0                            | \$3,130       | ---                          | ---           |

## DRAW SIZE

### MAIN DRAW SINGLES

28  
(19DA + 4Q + 3WC + 2SE)

### QUALIFYING SINGLES

16  
(11DA + 3RA\* + 2WC)  
\*See FAQs

### MAIN DRAW DOUBLES

16  
(14DA + 2WC)

## 2021 CUT-OFFS

### 2021 SINGLES MAIN

#### DRAW CUT-OFF

39 - After WD: 63

### 2021 SINGLES

#### QUALIFYING CUT-OFF

123 - After WD: Byes

### 2021 DOUBLES MAIN

#### DRAW CUT-OFF

160

## PRIZE MONEY

\*Prize Money stated is based on the tournament's approval to have ticketed spectators. Amounts are subject to change per further local restrictions imposed on the attendance of fans.

\*\*Taxes stated do not include those imposed on residents in tax-havens. Please enquire with the Tournament Prize Money desk for further information.

# HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

## MAIN DRAW HOTEL

### Ritz Carlton Doha

West Bay  
Doha - Qatar  
Tel: +974 4484 8000  
[Hotel website](#)

## Rates

US \$151 - Single or Double room. Breakfast included

## QUALIFYING HOTEL

### Dusit Doha

Diplomatic Area, West Bay, P.O.Box 23373  
Doha - Qatar  
Tel: +974 4004 4444  
[Hotel website](#)

## Rates

US \$65 - Single room. Breakfast included

US \$74 - Double room. Breakfast included

**Due to Government regulations, all players and their PST members must stay at the official tournament hotel.**

# HOSPITALITY

**Singles Qualifying:** Starting Friday 11 February through the night of the player's last Qualifying match.

**Singles Main Draw:** Starting Saturday 12 February. Minimum of 5 nights.

**Doubles Main Draw:** Starting Saturday 12 February. Minimum of 2 nights if staying in individual rooms; minimum of 5 nights, if sharing a room with another player. (NB. Sharing rooms is strongly discouraged due to Covid-19)

# TRANSPORTATION

**Airport Transportation:** Nearest airport is Hamad International Airport (DOH). Airport pick up available for all players. Transport service available from 8 February.

# ATP STAFF ON-SITE



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## HOTEL BOOKING

**Reservations: To be made via [Tennis UNO](#).**

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**Booking deadline:** 31 January 2022 (per ATP rules)

## VISA

See Q1 - FAQs for the Exceptional Entry Permit details. Tournament will provide Exceptional Entry Permit and Visa

## TRANSPORT BOOKING

**Airport transfers: To be made via [Tennis UNO](#).**

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## ACCREDITATION

**Credentials: To be requested via [Tennis UNO](#)**

**The number of PST members eligible to receive tournament accreditation is strictly limited to two (2) per player.** Singles and Doubles players still competing at the start of the day of singles quarter-finals matches will be allowed to bring on-site and at the tournament hotel two (2) additional PST members. All PST members are subject to the same testing protocols and guidelines as players.

# FAQS

## Q1: WHAT ARE THE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR FOREIGN TRAVELLERS ENTERING QATAR?

A1: Before travelling, all players and PST members must request an **Exceptional Entry Permit and Visa** via submitting an online form - LINK: [Visa Application](#). **All applications must be submitted by 31 January. Applications submitted after this date may not be processed in time for the event.** Permits will take 3-4 working days to be processed.

Travellers are required to take a **negative-PCR test 72-hours prior to time of landing, regardless of vaccination status**. However, due to the constantly evolving nature of the pandemic and travel restrictions, this requirement might change at short notice.

## Q2: WHICH DOCUMENTS DO PLAYERS AND THEIR TEAM MEMBERS NEED TO TRAVEL WITH? WHO CAN PROVIDE THESE DOCUMENTS?

A2: **Printed Exceptional Entry Permit and Visa and hotel confirmation are required as supporting travel documents when boarding flight from origin.**

ATP can provide all players (and their nominated player support team (PST) members) planning to participate with the tournament invitation letter, ATP letter of support and proof of travel insurance (AXA) which covers Player plus one PST member. All travel support documents can be downloaded from Tennis UNO.

Players are also required to travel with appropriate visa documents. It is each player's responsibility to check with the airline which document(s) is required for travel.

**Ehteraz pre-registration (via this [link](#)) is not mandatory with the tournament-provided exceptional entry permit but in order to avoid occasional issues at the airport, it is recommended that all travelers do the Ehteraz pre-registration before their trip. The Ehteraz mobile app must be active at all times while in the country. Prior to leaving the airport it must be activated. To avoid delays and to avoid purchasing local sim-card, all travelers are encouraged to download the app and activate it before their trip, using their Qatar Visa number. When using the visa number and passport for activation, it can be activated with an international simcard for receiving the activation OTP.**

For any assistance with travel documents, please contact: [TravelSupport@ATPTour.com](mailto:TravelSupport@ATPTour.com).

## Q3: WILL THERE BE SPECTATORS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE QATAR EXXONMOBIL OPEN?

A3: Yes. 50% spectator attendance. Subject to change due to rapid changes in COVID-19 situation.

## Q4: FROM WHICH DATE CAN PLAYERS PRACTICE?

A4: **Wednesday 9 February.** Once a player or PST member has been cleared by virtue of a negative test, they will be permitted to access the courts for practice, as well as the players' areas of the tournament site.

## Q5: WHEN WILL TESTING BE ADMINISTERED?

A5: Rapid antigen test on arrival will be administered at the hotel. Thereafter, unvaccinated players and their PST members will be tested every two (2) days. Fully vaccinated or recovered individuals will be required to re-test (RAT) every three (3) days, per local public health regulations. Testing will be from 9am to 11am at the official hotels, plus other times based on flight arrivals. Times for the second and further tests TBA. Departure testing (PCR) will be available daily from 9am to 11am ONLY at the official hotels. Expected turnaround time is 12-18 hours. Cost is QAR 300 (approx. US \$85). Please plan accordingly.

## Q6: WHAT IS THE PROTOCOL IN QATAR FOR PERSONS WHO HAVE A POSITIVE TEST RESULT AND IDENTIFIED CLOSE CONTACTS?

A6: \*Please be advised that it is purely informative and is subject to change. Local health officials have the authority to decide the protocol to follow on each case.

### Positive Test Result

If someone tests positive for COVID-19, that person will be placed in a designated quarantine/isolation facility for a mandatory period of 10 days. Currently, the location where participants are moved is a compound with villas, named BuSidra. On the tenth day, a PCR test will be performed and, if the result is still positive four (4) more days of isolation will be required. After 14 days of isolation, the person will be allowed to leave the country. All quarantine costs will be the responsibility of the individual. These requirements may change at short notice depending on the prevailing conditions.

### Close Contact

Close contacts of a positive COVID-19 test, as determined by the local health authorities, will be forced to quarantine for seven (7) days - this may occur in the Tournament hotel but the decision is made by the Ministry of Public Health contact tracing team. Please remain vigilant and respectful of social distancing rules, PPE requirements and do not leave the secure environment of the tournament.

## Q8: WHAT ARE THE NEW LIST MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES?

A8: Since February 2021 ATP has adjusted the List Management procedures for all Tour and Challenger level events due to an increase in government-imposed travel restrictions.

### **KEY INFORMATION**

- Once the acceptance lists are finalised, lists will be frozen until **Tuesday, 12 Noon, Eastern Time, USA** the week before the tournament
- Any player that cannot enter the tournament's country by the Freeze Deadline because of government-issued travel restrictions will be allowed to enter and compete at another event in the same week.
- After the Freeze Deadline, the lists will move as per normal until the withdrawal deadline on Friday, **10AM, Eastern Time, USA** the week before the tournament

### **Vacancies before the Freeze Deadline at the Tour and Challenger level will be filled in the following manner:**

- The highest-ranked player from the Main Draw (MDS Acceptance List Ranking) withdrawn due to government-imposed travel restrictions introduced after the entry deadline
- The highest-ranked player from the original main draw alternate list or players from the Tour Qualifying that were also entered on the Main Draw alternate list, withdrawn because of government-imposed travel restrictions introduced after the entry deadline
- Players may be moved to another tournament's Main Draw if there is a spot available because of withdrawals/unused Special Exempt (SE) positions and if their ranking would have qualified them as a Direct Acceptance on the original entry list
- Players whose ranking would not have made them a Direct Acceptance at other Tournament in the same week will be added to the Main Draw/Qualifying Alternate Lists or the Reserve Acceptance\* (RA) positions in the Qualifying

### **SPECIAL EXEMPTS**

- Special Exempts remain reserved for players that perform well in the previous week. However, any unused Special Exempt spots will be kept available for players that would need to switch from one tournament to another due to travel restrictions
- The criteria described above will fill out unused Special Exempts spots