## 2016 Arizona T&T Funding Policies

**Purpose of Arizona T&T Travel Grant:** The purpose of the Arizona T&T Travel Grant is to provide monetary assistance for EDP, Elite Athletes, Coaches and Judges who travel for USAG National and International Events to represent USA and Arizona.

- All athletes must have competed for Arizona for 1 full year in order to be eligible for travel grants.
- If an athlete leaves the State and returns they must compete with in the State for 1 full year before receiving funding from AZ T&T.
- Grants may not exceed total personal expenditures of paid expenses from requested competition/camp.

These grants are to help USA Gymnastics Trampoline and Tumbling program to maintain their talent base of upper level athletes and to help provide international competition experience and to help secure positions onto USA Gymnastics Trampoline and Tumbling National Teams.

## **Eligibility for Travel Grants:**

- All partially or non funded Youth, Jr., Open and Sr. athletes, coaches, and judges named by USA Gymnastics Trampoline and Tumbling selection who are currently competing, coaching or judging for a USAG/Arizona T&T Club
- 2. Elite Developmental National Team Members and their personal coaches.
- 3. Athletes must meet the following requirements in order to qualify for funding:
  - Athletes who have been a competing member of Arizona T&T for one full year
  - · Athletes must have competed at State Championships
  - Athletes must compete in 2 Arizona Invitational competitions which are not hosted by their home club.
  - Must attend State Clinic
- 4. Personal coaches who are traveling with eligible athletes. Coaches per athletes will be limited. The Arizona State Committee will determine on a case-by-case basis if additional personal coaches will be funded for competitions/ camps. Coaches must be traveling with the athlete for the sole purpose of coaching during training sessions and competitions. Coaches must be actively coaching in an Arizona club in order to receive funding.
- 5. Brevet Judges who represent USA Gymnastics and Arizona T&T

## **Eligible Events:**

- 1. World Cups
- 2. World Championships
- 3. World Age Group Games
- 4. Jump Start Nationals Team Camp
- 5. ODP/EDP International Exchange
- 6. Any international Competition where USA Gymnastics names members of the USA delegation.