

THE DAVE RAYNER FUND



RIDER APPLICATION CRITERIA 2019

Closing Date

The closing date for applications is 31st October 2018

Rider Criteria

Basic criteria for rider selection is as follows:

- 1 The Fund is to help road race riders only, racing during the European road racing season.
- 2 New applicants for funding must be in the under 23 category (for the 2019 season this means born in the years 1997 to 2000)
- 3 Existing funded riders can apply for continuing support if older than the under 23 category
- 4 Preference will be given to applicants who are either based in Europe or follow a continental race programme outlined by their respective teams, in either case supporting the Fund's principal objective of pursuing a career in a professional team.
- 5 Priority will be given to applicants who have already secured team placements and arranged accommodation abroad for the 2019 season
- 6 The Fund must be the primary funding source for riders and must be acknowledged as such, unless discussed previously.

Note – a limited number of places is available for students who are available to compete during the summer (for up to three months) after completing their education.

Completing the Application Form

- 1 The form should be completed fully by the applicant
- 2 Selection will be made on the information contained in the form, additional information is not required by the Dave Rayner Fund at this stage. If we require further information we will contact the applicant by email or telephone.
- 3 Previous results, in the UK and abroad, will be considered when assessing applicants

Returning the Form

This completed form should be returned to applications@daveraynerfund.co.uk

Rider Reporting Once Selected

- 1 Provide a monthly report by email within 3 days of the end of the month. Details of races entered and results obtained. Full details of any time away from the Team (ie any return trips to UK or any National Selection)
- 2 Inform the Dave Rayner Fund immediately of any win or other significant performance so that the Fund can consider issuing PR regarding it.
- 3 Ensure that they regularly Tweet, Instagram and FaceBook to the Dave Rayner Fund Social Media Channels all forthcoming races, results, photos and other interesting and relevant information. Full information on how to do this will be provided.
- 4 Inform the Dave Rayner Fund immediately if their health, team or financial situation changes at all.