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# US Speedskating Announces Short Track Winter World Cup and World Championship Teams

**KEARNS, Utah** – US Speedskating announced today the 2015-16 Short Track Winter World Cup teams that will compete in the ISU World Cup in Dresden, Germany (Feb. 5-7) and Dordrecht, Germany (Feb. 12-14). The organization also announced the 2015-16 World Championships team that will compete in Seoul, South Korea from March 11-13. Teams were selected following the US Short Track Championships that took place at the Utah Olympic Oval on Jan. 8-10.

Full rosters of the 2015-16 Short Track Winter World Cup teams and the World Championship team are below:

### World Cup Dresden – Dresden, Germany (Feb. 5-7)

Men Keith Carroll Jr. (Honey Brook, Pa.) Chris Creveling (Kitnersville, Pa.) Cole Krueger (Pittsburgh, Pa.) John-Henry Krueger (Pittsburgh, Pa.) Aaron Tran (Federal Way, Wash.)

## Women

Lexi Burkholder (Pittsburgh, Pa.) Kimi Goetz (Flemington, N.J.) Katy Ralston (Saratoga Springs, N.Y.) Kristen Santos (Fairfield, Conn.) April Shin (Rockville, Md.)

## World Cup Dordrecht – Dordrecht, Netherlands (Feb. 12-14)

### Men

Keith Carroll Jr. (Honey Brook, Pa.) Chris Creveling (Kitnersville, Pa.) Cole Krueger (Pittsburgh, Pa.) John-Henry Krueger (Pittsburgh, Pa.) Aaron Tran (Federal Way, Wash.)

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# Short Track World Championships – Seoul, South Korea (March 11-13)

### Men

Keith Carroll Jr. (Honey Brook, Pa.) \*Cole Krueger (Pittsburgh, Pa.) John-Henry Krueger (Pittsburgh, Pa.) \* Alternates

## Women

Kimi Goetz (Flemington, N.J.) \*April Shin (Rockville, Md.) Jessica Smith-Kooreman (Melvindale, Mich.) \* *Alternates* 

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### About US Speedskating

From Pond to Podium, we are US Speedskating. We grow and nurture a sport where all ages can experience the thrill of speed and the camaraderie of the skating community. US Speedskating is responsible for the development of speed skating from grassroots to the highest elite racing programs. US Speedskating is recognized by the United States Olympic Committee and the International Skating Union as the governing body for the sport of speed skating in the United States. The Organization has won 86 Olympic medals to-date, making it one of the most successful sports in U.S. Olympic history. US Speedskating is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Follow us on <u>Twitter</u>, <u>Instagram</u>, on <u>Facebook</u> and at <u>www.usspeedskating.org</u>.