

2024 US Olympic Trials Statistics – Men's HJ

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Summary:

All time performance list at the Olympic Trials

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5	5	2.33	JuVaughn Harrison	1	Eugene	2021
5	5	2.33	Darryl Sullivan	2	Eugene	2021
8	8	2.32	Hollis Conway	2	Indianapolis	1988
8	8	2.32	Brian Stanton	3	Indianapolis	1988
8	8	2.32	Charles Austin	3	New Orleans	1992
8	8	2.32	Tony Barton	4	New Orleans	1992
8		2.32	Charles Austin	1	Sacramento	2000

Margin of Victory

	Difference	Winning Height	Name	Venue	Year
Max	9.6cm 8cm	2.23 2.15	John Thomas Charles Dumas	Stanford Los Angeles	1960 1956
Min	0cm				2021, 2012, 1996, 1992, 1972, ...

Best Marks for Places in the Olympic Trials

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Last six Olympic Trials

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2021	JuVaughn Harrison	2.33	Darryl Sullivan	2.33	Shelby McEwen	2.30
2016	Erik Kynard	2.29	Kyle Landon	2.26	Bradley Adkins	2.21
2012	Jamie Nieto	2.28	Erik Kynard	2.28	Nick Ross	2.28
2008	Jesse Williams	2.30	Andra Manson Jamie Nieto	2.27 2.27		
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3		2.39	Charles Austin		Atlanta	28 July 1996

Highest jumps in Eugene

Performance	Performer	Height	Name	Nat	Pos	DMY
1	1	2.41	Mutaz Essa Barhim	QAT	1	30 May 2015
2		2.40	Mutaz Essa Barshim		1	1 June 2013
3	2	2.38	Zhang Guowei	CHN	2	30 May 2015
4	3	2.37	Jesse Williams	USA	1	26 June 2011
4	3	2.37	Erik Kynard	USA	1	26 June 2015
4		2.37	Mutaz Essa Barshim		1	18 July 2022

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8		2.32	Charles Austin	1	Sacramento	2000
13	12	2.31	Doug Nordquist	2	Los Angeles	1984
14		2.30	Charles Austin	1	Atlanta	1996
14	13	2.30	Ed Broxterman	2	Atlanta	1996
14	13	2.30	Cameron Wright	3	Atlanta	1996
14	13	2.30	Matt Hemingway	4	Atlanta	1996
14		2.30	Matt Heimingway	2	Sacramento	2004
14	13	2.30	Jesse Williams	1	Eugene	2008
14	13	2.30	Shelby McEwen	3	Eugene	2021
21	18	2.29	James Lott	4	Indianapolis	1988
21		2.29	Doug Nordquist	5	Indianapolis	1988
21	18	2.29	Jake Jacoby	6	Indianapolis	1988
21	18	2.29	Erik Kynard	1	Eugene	2016
25	21	2.28	Bill Jankunis	1	Eugene	1976
25	21	2.28	Milton Goode	3	Los Angeles	1984
25	21	2.28	Leo Williams	4	Los Angeles	1984
25	21	2.28	Joe Radan	5	Los Angeles	1984
25		2.28	Jamie Nieto	1	Eugene	2012
25		2.28	Erik Kynard	2	Eugene	2012
25	21	2.28	Nick Ross	3	Eugene	2012
25		2.28	Jesse Williams	4	Eugene	2012
33	26	2.27	Eric Bishop	5	Atlanta	1996
33		2.27	Hollis Conway	6	Atlanta	1996
33	26	2.27	Kenny Evans	2	Sacramento	2000
33	26	2.27	Nathan Leeper	3	Sacramento	2000
33	26	2.27	Charles Clinger	4	Sacramento	2000
33	26	2.27	Tora Harris	3	Sacramento	2004
33	26	2.27	Keith Moffatt	4	Sacramento	2004
33	26	2.27	Henry Patterson	5	Sacramento	2004
33	26	2.27	Andra Manson	2=	Eugene	2008
33		2.27	Jamie Nieto	2=	Eugene	2008
33	26	2.27	Cedric Norman	4	Eugene	2008
33		2.27	Keith Moffatt	5	Eugene	2008
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Lowest winning height since 1984: 2.28 by Nieto in 2012, 2.30 by Austin in 1996 & J Williams in 2008

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Difference between 3rd and 4th place (Making versus not making the team)

	Difference	3 rd place Height	Name	Venue	Year
Max	6.5cm	2.21	Chris Dunn	Eugene	1972
Min	0cm				2016, 2012, 2008, 2004, 2000, 1996, 1992, 1984...

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Highest jump in each round

Round	Height	Name	Venue	Year
Final	2.35	Hollis Conway Darrin Plab	New Orleans New Orleans	1992 1992
Qualifying	2.26	All finalist	Indianapolis	1988

Making the team multiple times:

Erik Kynard	2012, 2016
Jamie Nieto	2004, 2008, 2012
Charles Austin	1992, 1996, 2000
Hollis Conway	1988, 1992
Jim Howard	1980, 1988
Dwight Stone	1972, 1976, 1984

Average from last ten Olympic Trials

	Average	2021	2016	2012	2008	2004	2000	1996	1992	1988	1984
Winning Height	2.32	2.33	2.29	2.28	2.30	2.33	2.32	2.30	2.35	2.34	2.34
Making team (3 rd)	2.28	2.30	2.21	2.28	2.27	2.27	2.27	2.30	2.32	2.32	2.28
Missing team (4 th)	2.28	2.27	2.21	2.28	2.27	2.27	2.27	2.30	2.32	2.29	2.28

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7		2.36	Erik Kynard		2	1 June 2013
7	5	2.36	Derek Drouin	CAN	3	1 June 2013
7		2.36	Mutaz Essa Barshim		1	26 May 2018

Highest jumps in June

Performance	Performer	Height	Name	Pos	Venue	DMY
1	1	2.42	Patrik Sjöberg	1	Stockholm	30 June 1987
1	1	2.42	Javier Sotomayor	1	Sevilla	5 June 1994
1	1	2.42	Bogdan Bondarenko	1	New York	14 June 2014
1	1	2.42	Mutaz Essa Barshim	2	New York	14 June 2014

Combined 2023 & 2024 US List

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1	1	2.36	JuVaughn Harrison	2	Budapest-WC	22 Aug 2023
2		2.35	JuVaughn Harrison	1	London	23 July 2023
3		2.34	JuVaughn Harrison	1	Baton Rouge	20 Apr 2024
4		2.33	JuVaughn Harrison	1	Austin	1 Apr 2023
4		2.33	JuVaughn Harrison	3	Eugene	16 Sept 2023
6		2.32	JuVaughn Harrison	1	Doha	5 May 2023
6		2.32	JuVaughn Harrison	1	Firenze	2 June 2023
8	2	2.30	Vernon Turner	1	Norma	13 May 2023

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