

## Top Awards and Professional Events

### Top Awards

#### Categories

Solos: (Based on highest score) - Bronze, Silver, Gold, Theatre Arts, Showcase  
 Top Students:(Based on accumulated points) - Top Newcomer, Top Bronze, Top Silver, Top Gold, Top Gold Star, Top Overall, Top Amateur Couple, Top Pre-Teen, Top Junior, Top Youth  
 Top Merit Students (Based on 1st Places in Contested Heats) - Bronze, Silver, Gold and Gold Star  
 Top Teachers: (Based on accumulated points)  
 Top Studios: (Based on accumulated points)

#### Points Table

Category	Entry	1st	2nd	3rd
Single Dances	1	3	2	1
2 Dance	2	6	4	2
3 Dance	3	9	6	3
4 Dance	4	12	8	4
5 Dance	5	15	10	5

#### Top Teachers:

Place	Minimum Entries	Prize Money
1st	250	\$3000
2nd	200	\$2000
3rd	150	\$1000
4th	100	\$ 500
5th	50	\$ 250

### Open Professional Events (American Smooth and Rhythm and International Ballroom and Latin)

Place	Prize Money*
1st	\$1000
2nd	\$ 750
3rd	\$ 500
4th	\$ 400
5th	\$ 300
6th	\$ 200

\*Professional events with less than 3 couples will receive half the prize money