

2020 EUROPEAN MEN'S AMATEUR GOLF RANKING



The European Golf Association would like to congratulate the top-three ranked players of the European Men's Amateur Golf Ranking, who receive formal recognition for their achievements in the form of an EGA medal. The final rankings were taken on Wednesday 30 September, following the conclusion of the European Amateur Championship (in the absence of a European Tour Qualifying School this year).

SANDY SCOTT, the EGA Rankings Gold Medal recipient, reached the number one spot thanks to several strong performances in the last two years, including four top-five places at college events and two wins, namely the El Macero Classic and The Carmel Cup. The Scotsman reached the quarter-final of the 2019 Amateur Championship and won both of his singles matches at the 2019 Walker Cup. In 2020, his 6th place in the WAGR earned him a start in the US Open played at Winged Foot Golf Club.

EDUARD ROUSAUD SABATE is awarded the silver medal. The 2018 Jacques Léglise Trophy and Junior Ryder Cup team member recorded six top-five finishes in 2019 on Spanish home soil. He started 2020 with successive wins at the Copa Baleares and Campeonato de Barcelona and a runner-up spot at the Portuguese International Amateur Championship before his season was paused by the Covid-19 pandemic.

JAMES SUGRUE receives the bronze medal. The most significant result in the Irishman's amateur career is his success in the 2019 Amateur Championship

at Portmarnock which earned him a start in the 2019 Open played at Royal Portrush Golf Club and the 2020 US Open at Winged Foot Golf Club. After representing Great Britain and Ireland at the 2019 Walker Cup, Sugrue started 2020 in South Africa where he placed sixth in the African Amateur Stroke Play Championship and the South African Stroke Play Championship. For his last event of the counting period two weeks ago, he made the cut at the European Tour Dubai Duty Free Irish Open.

EAGR Conditions and full results for 2020 can be viewed at: <u>http://www.ega-golf.ch/content/about</u> <u>http://www.ega-golf.ch/rankings/men</u>

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