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A YEAR OF CYCLING CAPTURED IN IMAGES.

UNE ANNÉE DE CYCLISME EN IMAGES.



DEAR FRIENDS,

Regardless of the discipline in question – road, track, mountain bike, BMX Racing, BMX Freestyle, cyclo-cross, trials or indoor cycling – there are three key ingredients that sustain the legend of cycling: the champions at the peak of their careers who dominate the world in their speciality; the action that unfolds on different roads, paths, tracks and terrains across five continents; and the gamut of emotions that the sport's great competitions offer us year after year.

The publication you have before you is structured around these three ingredients to give you a non-exhaustive but expansive view of the reality and appeal of cycling today.

A popular and global competitive sport, an accessible and healthy leisure pursuit, and a means of transport that is totally in tune with the challenges currently facing the world, not least climate change, cycling is continually reinventing itself in a bid to fulfil the aspirations and the needs of today's world, when not already anticipating them. Founded on a solid tradition, our sport is looking to the future with enthusiasm, as revealed by the appearance and growth of new formats such as BMX Freestyle Flatland, E-mountain bike, pump track and cycling esports.

I would like to offer my sincere thanks to all cycling's stakeholders for their year-round commitment to developing the sport: Continental Confederations, National Federations, teams and riders, organisers and sponsors, not forgetting all those who offer their support as volunteers.

On behalf of the UCI, I hope you derive great pleasure from turning the pages of Cycling 2019 and make the most of the coming year by applauding our athletes and riding your bike as often as you can.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of stylized initials 'DL' followed by a horizontal line and a small flourish.

DAVID LAPPARTIENT

President of the Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI)

CHERS AMIS,

Quelle que soit la discipline considérée – route, piste, mountain bike, BMX Racing, BMX Freestyle, cyclo-cross, trial ou cyclisme en salle –, la légende du cyclisme se nourrit invariablement de trois ingrédients : des championnes et des champions au sommet de leur art dominant le monde dans leur spécialité ; de l'action sur les routes, sentiers, pistes et terrains des cinq continents ; et la somme des émotions variées que nous offrent année après année les grandes compétitions.

C'est pour refléter cette triple nature que l'ouvrage vous tenez entre vos mains s'articule autour de ces trois composantes pour vous donner un aperçu non exhaustif mais significatif de la réalité et de l'attrait du cyclisme aujourd'hui.

Sport de compétition populaire et universel, loisir accessible et sain, et moyen de transport totalement en phase avec les enjeux, notamment climatiques, contemporains, le cyclisme ne cesse de se réinventer pour coller aux aspirations et aux besoins de son époque, quand il ne les précède pas. Ancré sur une solide tradition, notre sport regarde le futur avec enthousiasme, comme en témoignent l'apparition ou la croissance de nouveaux formats, à l'image du BMX Freestyle Flatland, de l'E-mountain bike, du pump track ou du cyclisme esport.

Je tiens à remercier sincèrement toutes les parties prenantes du cyclisme pour leur implication en faveur de son développement 12 mois par an : Confédérations Continentales, Fédérations Nationales, équipes et coureurs, organisateurs, sponsors, sans oublier toutes celles et ceux qui s'engagent à titre bénévole.

Au nom de l'UCI, je vous souhaite beaucoup de plaisir lorsque vous tournerez les pages de « Cyclisme 2019 », et espère que vous profiterez de l'année à venir pour applaudir nos athlètes et rouler à vélo vous aussi autant que possible.



DAVID LAPPARTIENT

Président de l'Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI)



ACTION

STAMINA AND EXPLOSIVENESS, TACTICAL NOUS AND INSTINCT, COURAGE AND TENACITY: THESE ATTRIBUTES, SOME OF WHICH STAND IN CONTRAST TO EACH OTHER, ALL COME TO THE FORE WHEN THE ATHLETES SPRING INTO ACTION.

ENDURANCE ET EXPLOSIVITÉ, SENS TACTIQUE ET INSTINCT, COURAGE ET TÉNACITÉ. CE SONT TOUTES CES QUALITÉS, PARFOIS ANTAGONISTES, QUI S'EXPRIMENT EN PERMANENCE LORSQUE LES ATHLÈTES PASSENT À L'ACTION.



JASPER PHILIPSEN (BEL) AND CALEB EWAN (AUS)

Santos Tour Down Under (AUS) - UCI WorldTour

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**LUIS BRETHAUER (GER) AND
CORBEN SHARRAH (USA)**

UCI BMX Supercross World Cup - Papendal (NED)

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JOLANDA NEFF (SUI)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Nové Město na Moravě (CZE)

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CHANTAL HAENEN (NED)

UCI Para-cycling Road World Cup - Ostend (BEL)

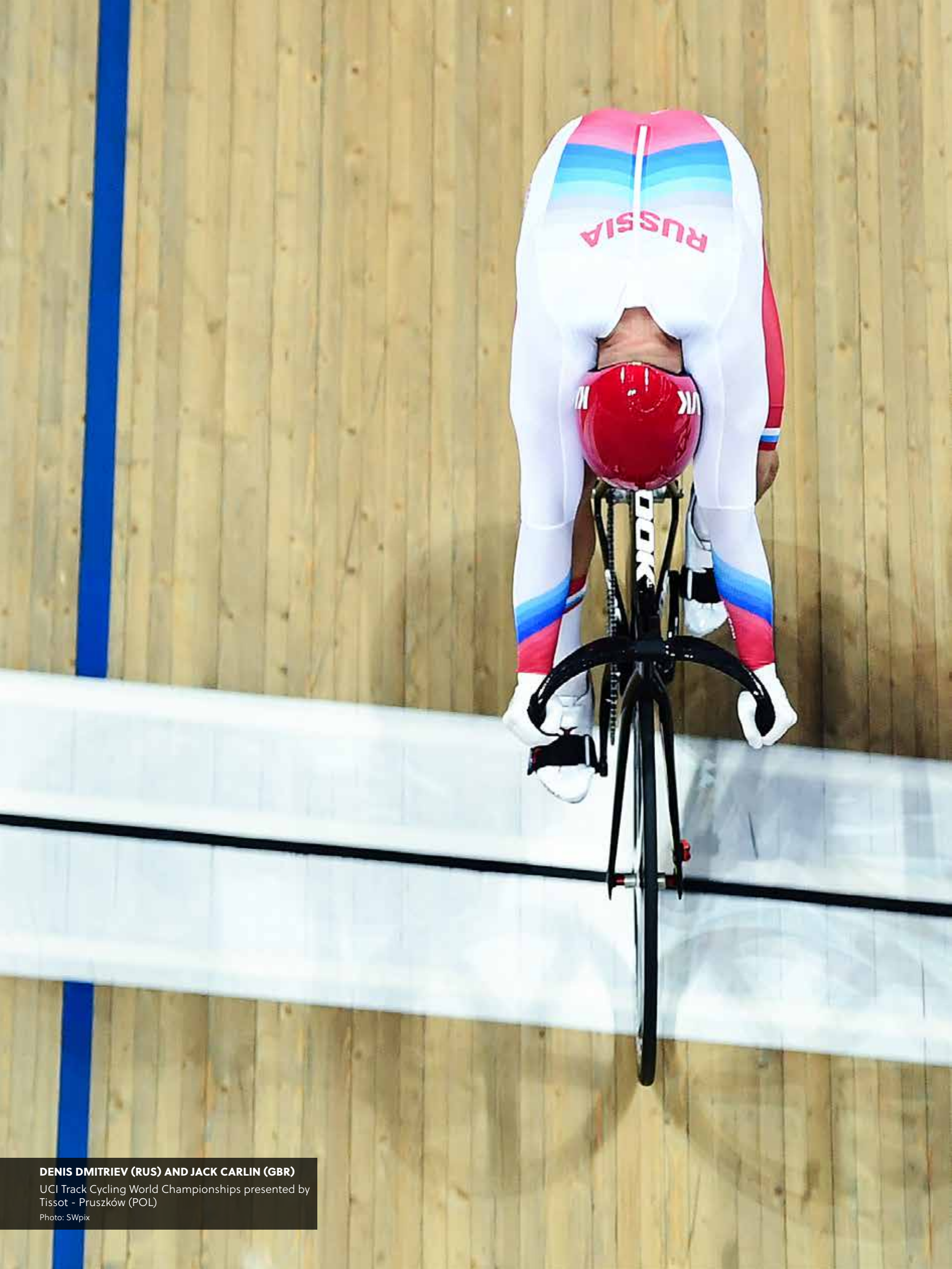
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UAE Tour - UCI WorldTour

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NINA REICHENBACH (GER)
UCI Trials World Cup - Val di Sole (ITA)
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UCI Women's WorldTour
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Telenet UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup - Iowa City (USA)

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Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Lenzerheide (SUI)

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MADS PEDERSEN (DEN)

UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)

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**THEO BOS (NED), MATTHEW GLAETZER (AUS) AND
GADIEL HERSONY CANELÓN VERA (VEN)**

UCI Track Cycling World Championships presented by
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UCI Mountain Bike World Championships presented
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ZDENEK STYBAR (CZE) AND TIESJ BENOOT (BEL)

Strade Bianche (ITA) - UCI WorldTour

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Giro d'Italia Internazionale Femminile (ITA)
UCI Women's WorldTour

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KATE COURTNEY (USA) AND NADINE RIEDER (GER)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Nové Město na Moravě (CZE)

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ETHAN HAYTER AND OLIVER WOOD (GBR)

UCI Track Cycling World Championships presented by Tissot - Pruszków (POL)

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MACARENA VALENTINA PEREZ GRASSET (CHI)

UCI BMX Freestyle World Cup - Montpellier (FRA)

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Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Nové Město na Moravě (CZE)

Photo: Michal Červený



RICARDO TEN (ESP) AND ERICH WINKLER (GER)

UCI Para-cycling Track World Championships
Apeldoorn (NED)

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TOUR DU RWANDA

UCI Africa Tour

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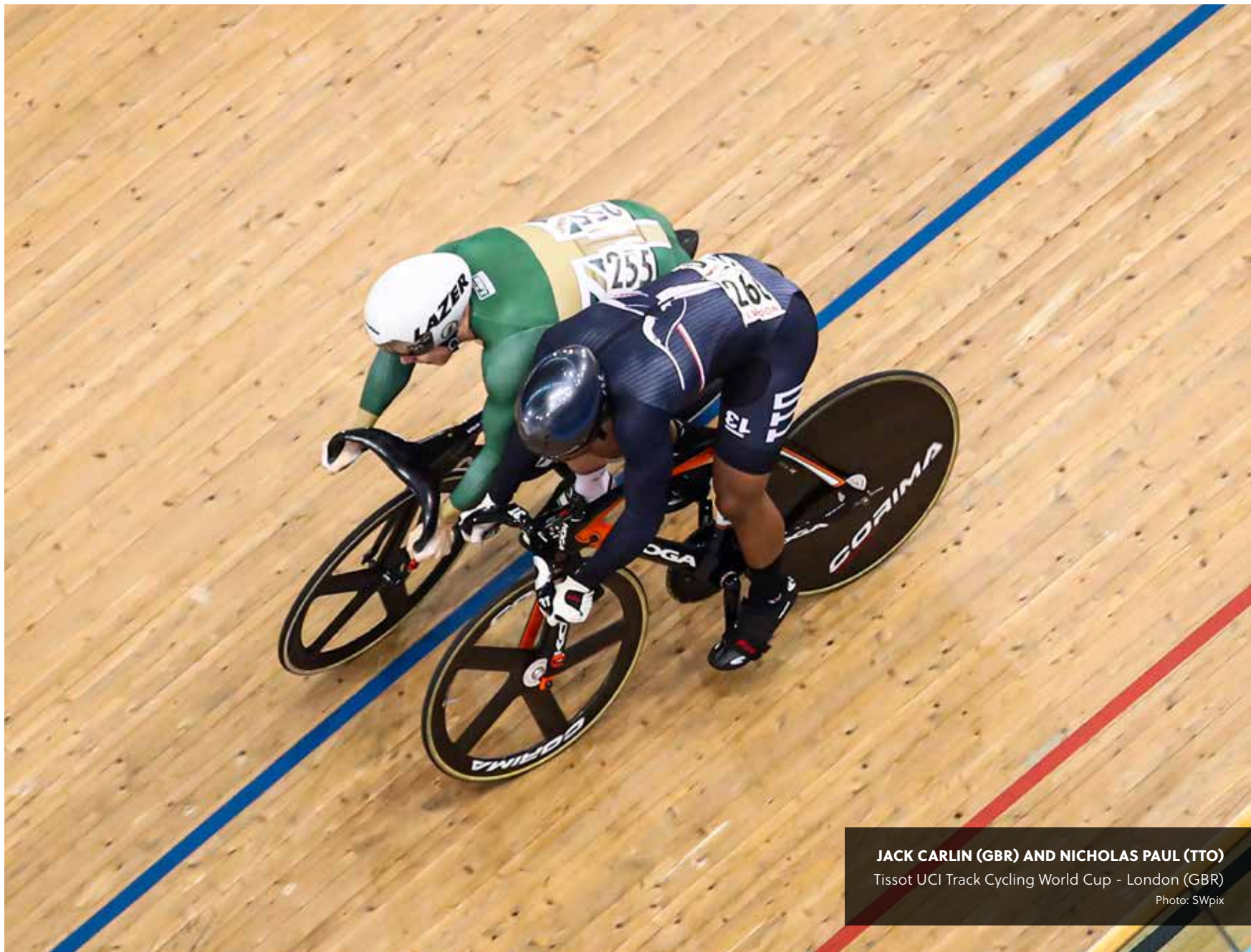


ANNEMIEK VAN VLEUTEN (NED)

UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)

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JACK CARLIN (GBR) AND NICHOLAS PAUL (TTO)
Tissot UCI Track Cycling World Cup - London (GBR)
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OSCAR NILSSON-JULIEN (GBR)
UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)
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UCI Trials World Cup - Salzburg (AUT)

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Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup

Maribor (SLO)

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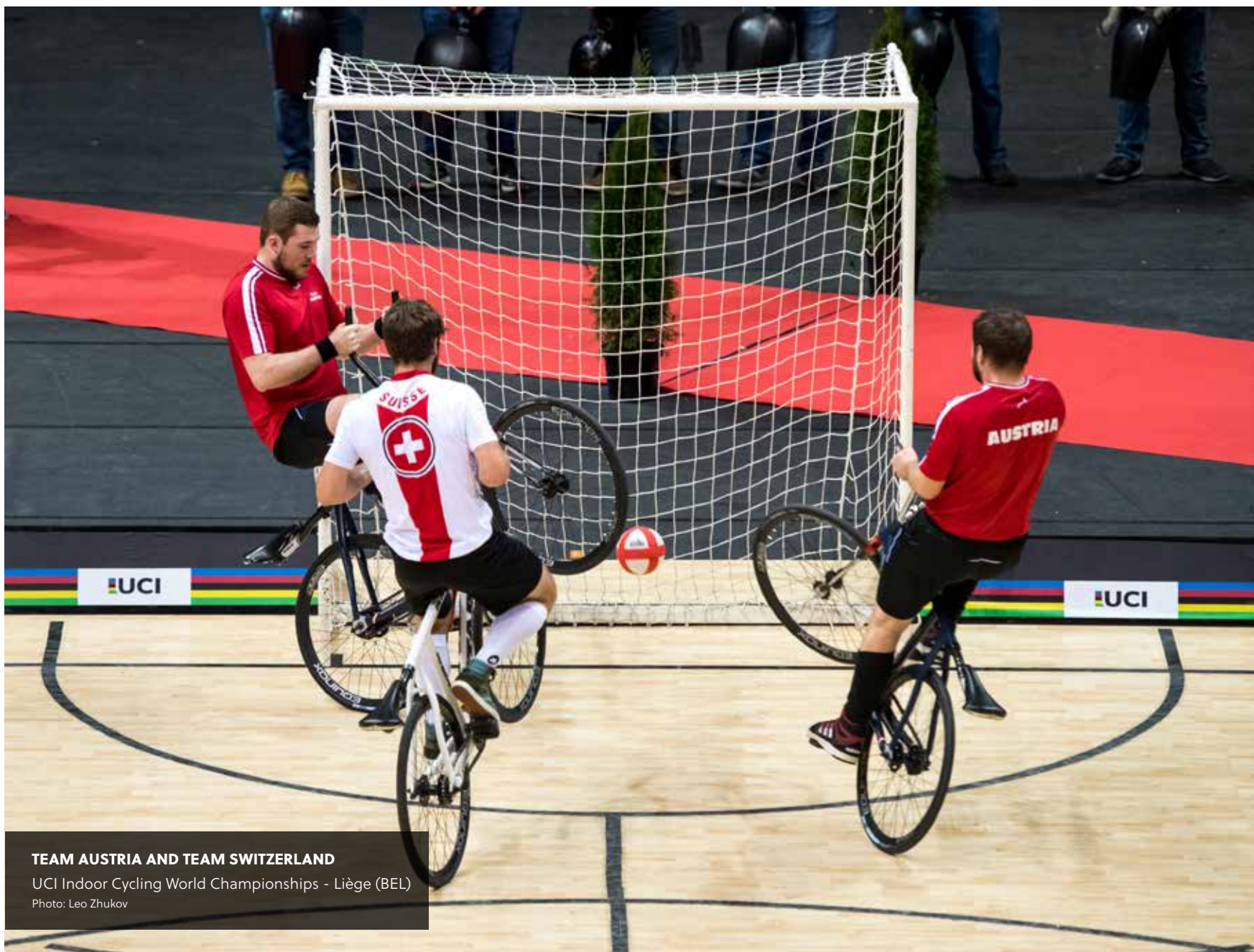
UCI Para-cycling Road World Championships
Emmen (NED)

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**BRUNO MARTINS LEMES (BRA), ANDREAS
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UCI Mountain Bike Marathon World Championships
Grächen (SUI)
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TEAM AUSTRIA AND TEAM SWITZERLAND

UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships - Liège (BEL)
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- 26th - 27th Sept
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MEN UNDER 23 ROAD RACE
UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)
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UCI Trials World Cup - Il Ciocco (ITA)
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JEAN WILLIAM PRÉVOST (CAN)

UCI BMX Freestyle World Cup
Montpellier (FRA)

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CHAMPIONS

PERFORMANCE, SPECTACLE AND SUSPENSE ARE JUST SOME OF THE ELEMENTS THAT MAKE CYCLING SUCH GREAT THEATRE. SPOTLIGHT ON THE CHAMPIONS WHO, SEASON AFTER SEASON, HELP MAKE THE SPORT WHAT IT IS.

PERFORMANCE, SPECTACLE ET SUSPENSE FIGURENT PARMIS LES ÉLÉMENTS CONSTITUTIFS DE LA GRANDE DRAMATURGIE DU CYCLISME. GROS PLAN SUR SES ACTEURS, CES CHAMPIONS QUI CHAQUE SAISON LA NOURRISSENT.



NINO SCHURTER (SUI)

UCI Mountain Bike World Championships presented
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MATHIEU VAN DER POEL (NED)

Amstel Gold Race (BEL) - UCI WorldTour

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UCI Para-cycling Track World Championships
Apeldoorn (NED)

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Telenet UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup - Waterloo (USA)

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JULIAN ALAPHILIPPE (FRA)

Tour de France - UCI WorldTour

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MATTHEW GLAETZER (AUS)

Tissot UCI Track Cycling World Cup - Berlin (GER)

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MATTHEW WALLS (GBR)
Tissot UCI Track Cycling World Cup - London (GBR)
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YAKOB DEBESAY (ERI)
Tour du Rwanda - UCI Africa Tour
Photo: Nils Laengner



JOLANDA NEFF (SUI)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Snowshoe (USA)

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KENNETH FABIAN TENCIO ESQUIVEL (CRC)

UCI Urban Cycling World Championships
Chengdu (CHN)

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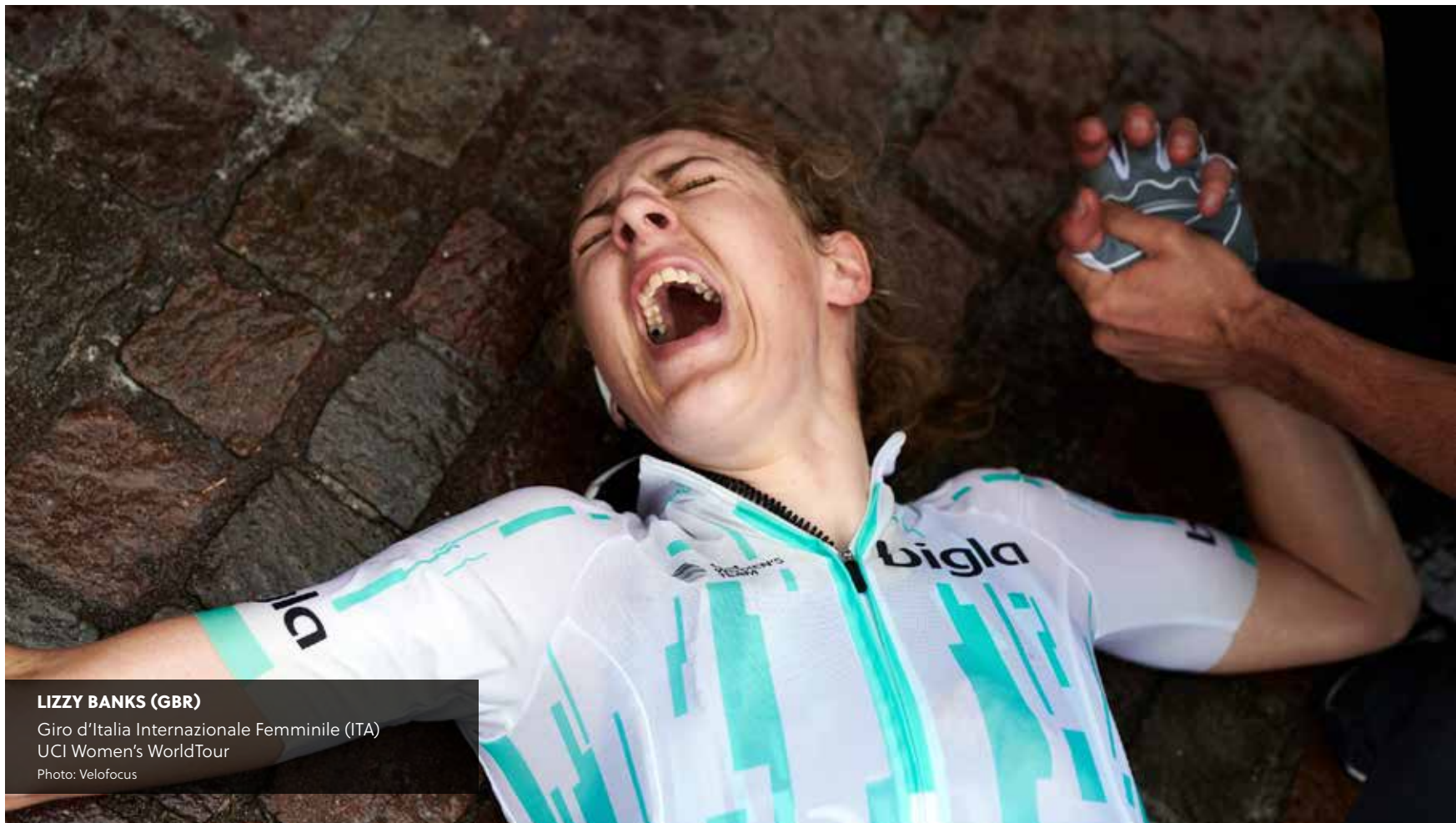
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NICOLAS VALLÉE (FRA)

UCI Urban Cycling World Championships
Chengdu (CHN)

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LIZZY BANKS (GBR)

Giro d'Italia Internazionale Femminile (ITA)

UCI Women's WorldTour

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PAULINE FERRAND-PRÉVOT (FRA)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup

Val di Sole (ITA)

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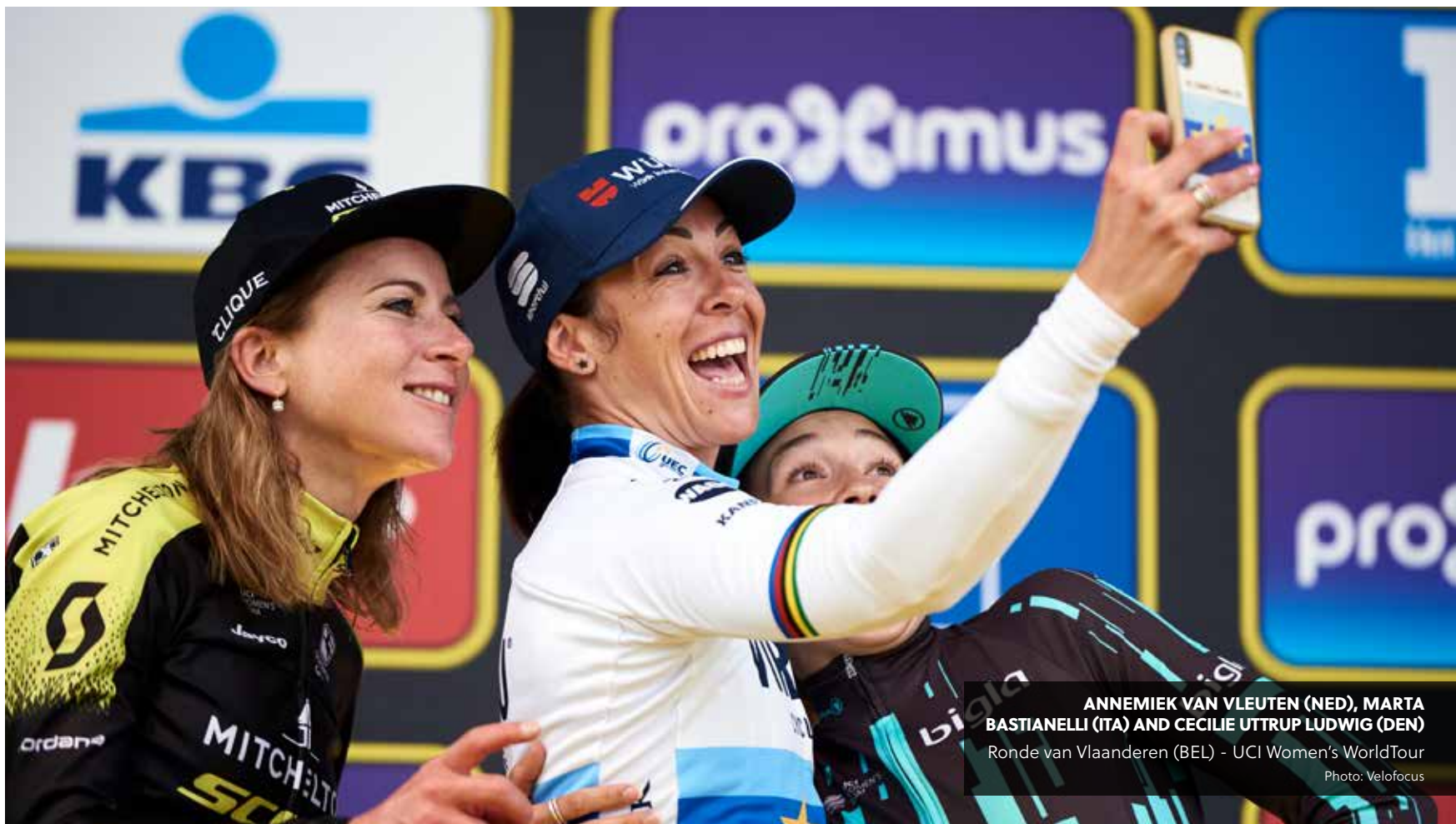
UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)

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KATE COURTNEY (USA)
Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Albstadt (GER)
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ANNEMIEK VAN VLEUTEN (NED), MARTA BASTIANELLI (ITA) AND CECILIE UTRUP LUDWIG (DEN)
Ronde van Vlaanderen (BEL) - UCI Women's WorldTour
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MOHAMAD IEZUAN JAMIAN (MAS)

UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships - Liège (BEL)

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WORLD CHAMPION



**NADINE AEBERHARD (SUI), TOMMY ZULA (USA),
PAYTON RIDENOUR (USA) AND TRISTAN BOREL (SUI)**
Red Bull UCI Pump Track World Championships
Köniz (SUI)

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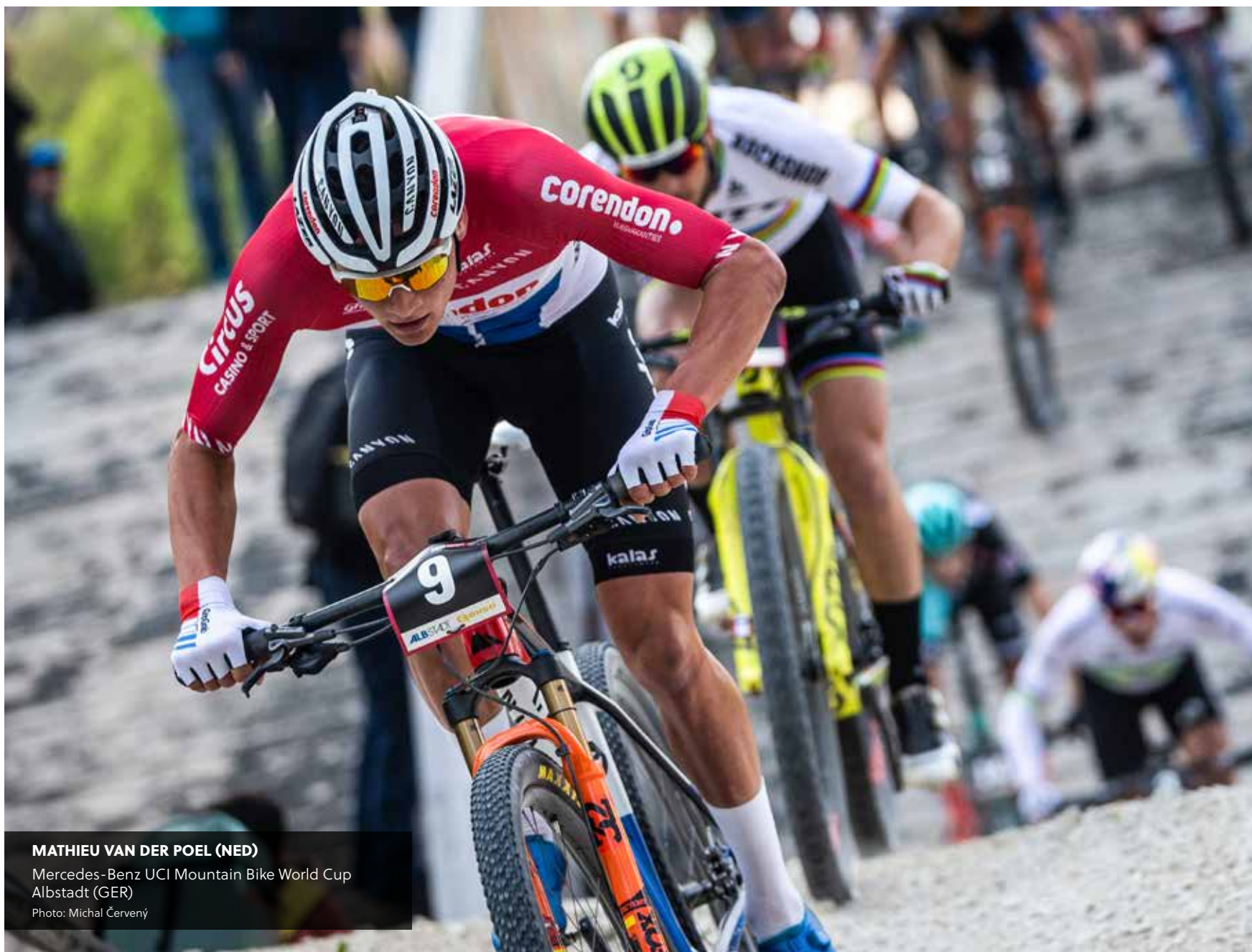
JACK CARTHY (GBR)

UCI Trials World Cup - Il Ciocco (ITA)

Photo: Leo Zhukov



PAULIENA ROOIJAKKERS (NED)
Strade Bianche (ITA) - UCI Women's WorldTour
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MATHEU VAN DER POEL (NED)
Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Albstadt (GER)
Photo: Michal Červený



COLE PATON (USA) AND CHRISTOPHER BLEVINS (USA)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Albstadt (GER)

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JEFFERSON CEPEDA (ECU)
UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)
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OLENA STARIKOVA (UKR)

Tissot UCI Track Cycling World Cup - Cambridge (NZL)

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MATHIEU VAN DER POEL (NED)

UCI Cyclo-cross World Championships - Bogense (DEN)

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LOÏC BRUNI (FRA)

UCI Mountain Bike World Championships presented
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ALFREDO DE LOS SANTOS (USA)

UCI Para-cycling Road World Cup - Corridonia (ITA)

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BINIAM GIRMAY (ERI)

UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)

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**TAHNÉE SEAGRAVE (GBR), MYRIAM NICOLE (FRA)
AND MARINE CABIROU (FRA)**

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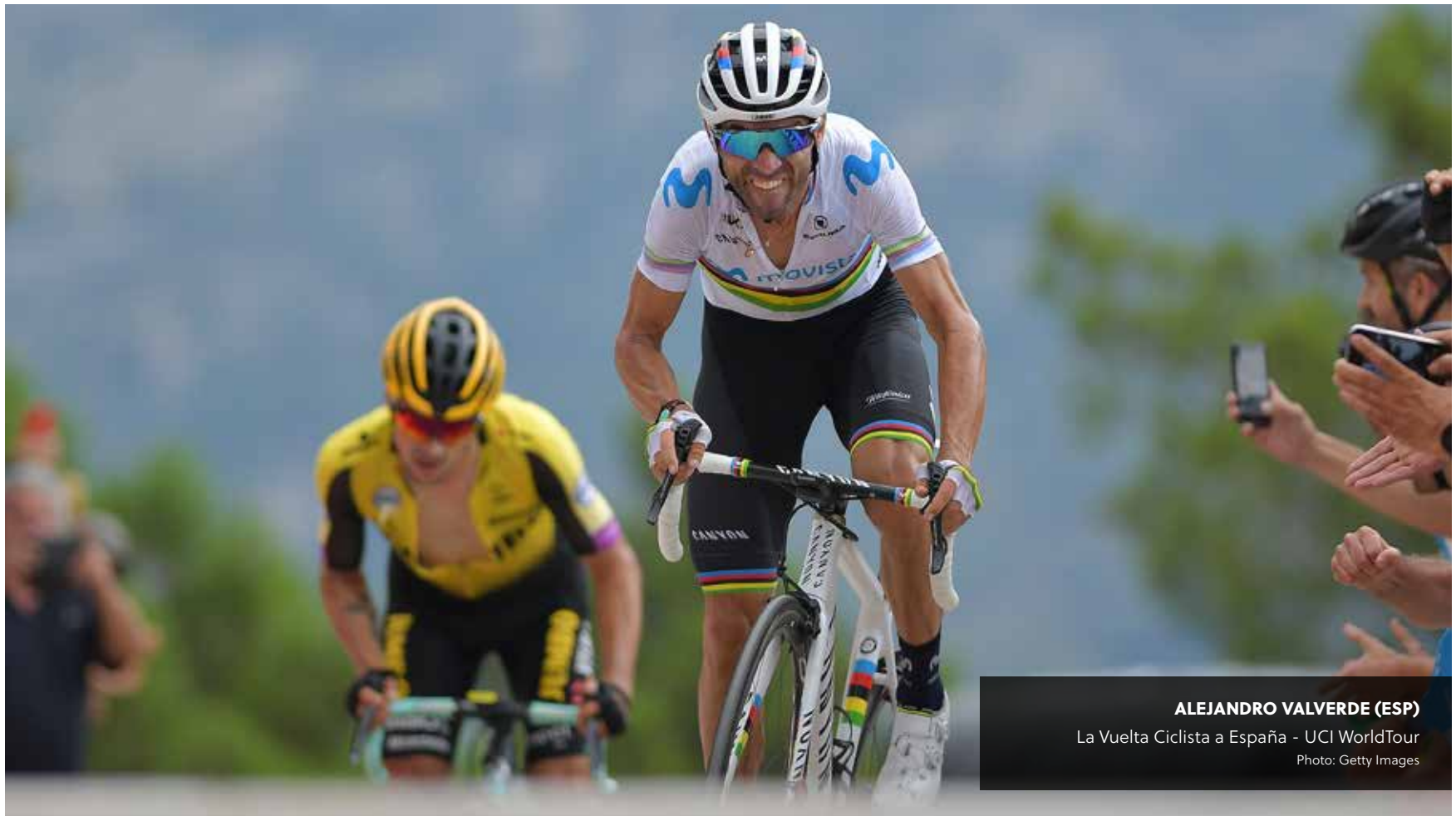




VICTOR CAMPENAERTS (BEL)

UCI Hour Record timed by Tissot
Aguascalientes (MEX)

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ALEJANDRO VALVERDE (ESP)

La Vuelta Ciclista a España - UCI WorldTour
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UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships - Liège (BEL)

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TITOUAN CAROD (FRA)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Albstadt (GER)

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JENNY RISSVEDS (SWE)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Lenzerheide (SUI)

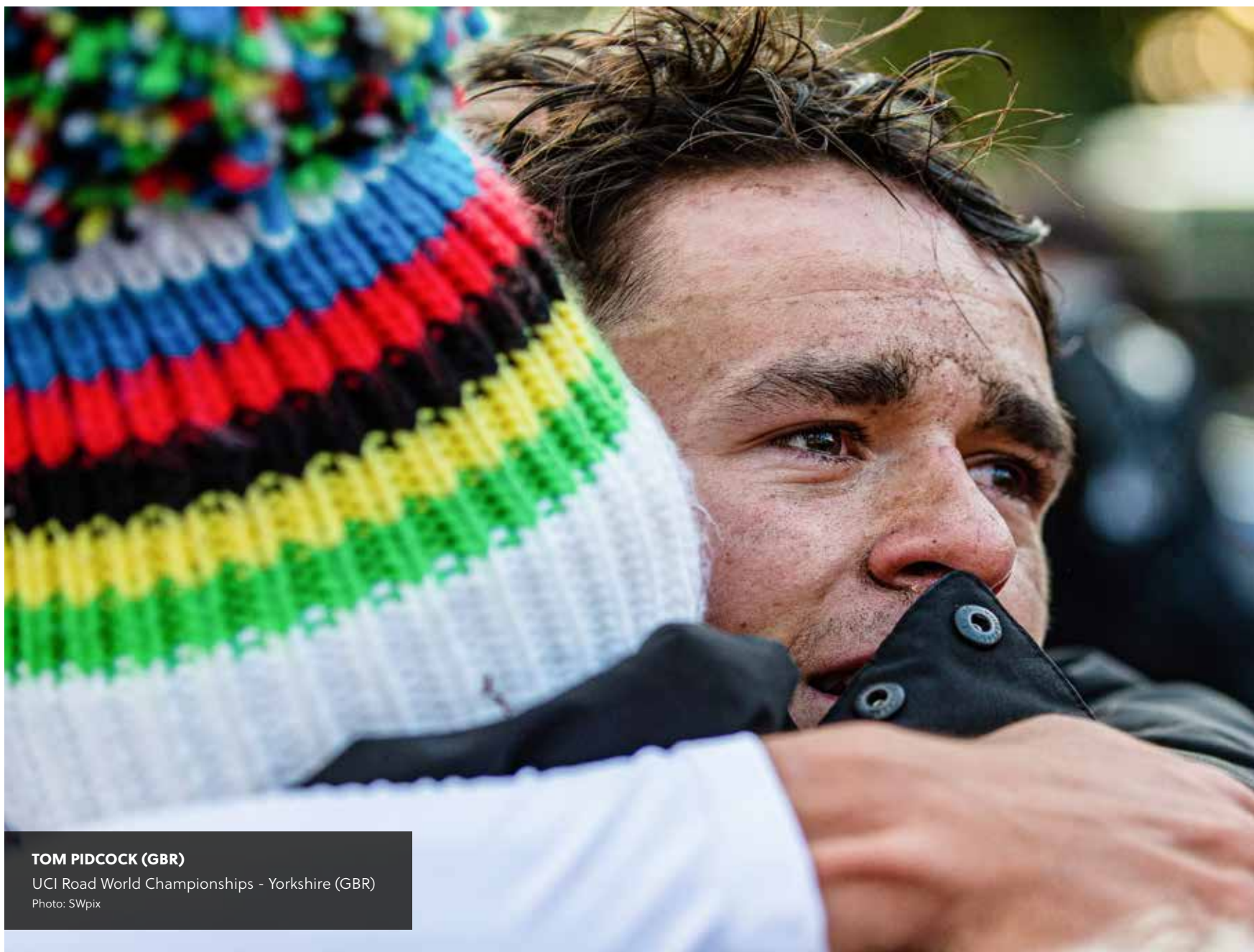
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TWAN VAN GENDT (NED)

UCI BMX World Championships
Heusden-Zolder (BEL)

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TOM PIDCOCK (GBR)

UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)

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FROM A DIFFERENT ANGLE

**THERE IS MORE TO CYCLING THAN PERFORMANCES
AND RESULTS. IT ALSO SERVES UP MOMENTS OF
GRACE, HIGH DRAMA AND MANY A SCENE OF
UNBRIDLED JOY.**

UN AUTRE REGARD

***LE SPORT CYCLISTE NE SE LIMITE PAS À LA
PERFORMANCE ET AUX RÉSULTATS. IL EST AUSSI LA
SOMME DES INSTANTS DE GRÂCE, DES MOMENTS
GRAVES ET DES ÉCLATS DE JOIE QU'IL NOUS
PROCURE EN ABONDANCE.***



KRIS BOSMANS (BEL)

UCI Para-cycling Track World Championships
Apeldoorn (NED)

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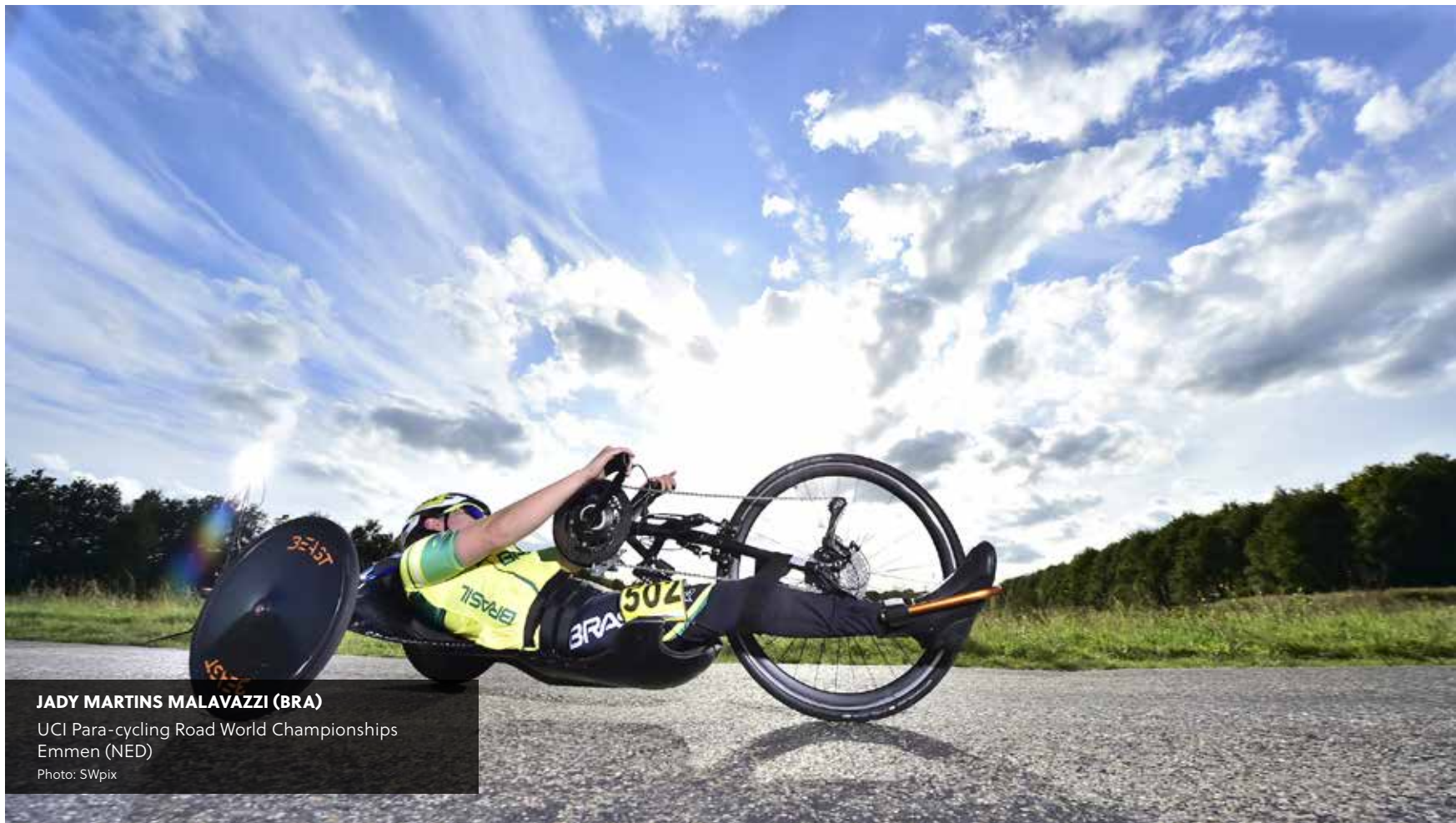






VLAD DASCALU (ROU)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Snowshoe (USA)
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JADY MARTINS MALAVAZZI (BRA)

UCI Para-cycling Road World Championships
Emmen (NED)

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Telenet UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup
Hoogerheide (NED)

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EMILIE SIEGENTHALER (SUI)
Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Snowshoe (USA)
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Tissot UCI Track Cycling World Cup
Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines (FRA)
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PETER SAGAN (SVK)

Tour de France - UCI WorldTour
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LOÏC BRUNI (FRA)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Fort William (GBR)

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JAKOB ARENTZ (DEN)

UCI Trials World Cup - Il Ciocco (ITA)

Photo: Leo Zhukov



Tour du Rwanda - UCI Africa Tour
Photo: Nils Laengner



XU CHAO (CHN) AND HIS COACH A. PEDEN (NZL)
UCI Track Cycling World Championships presented by
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Santos Tour Down Under (AUS) - UCI WorldTour

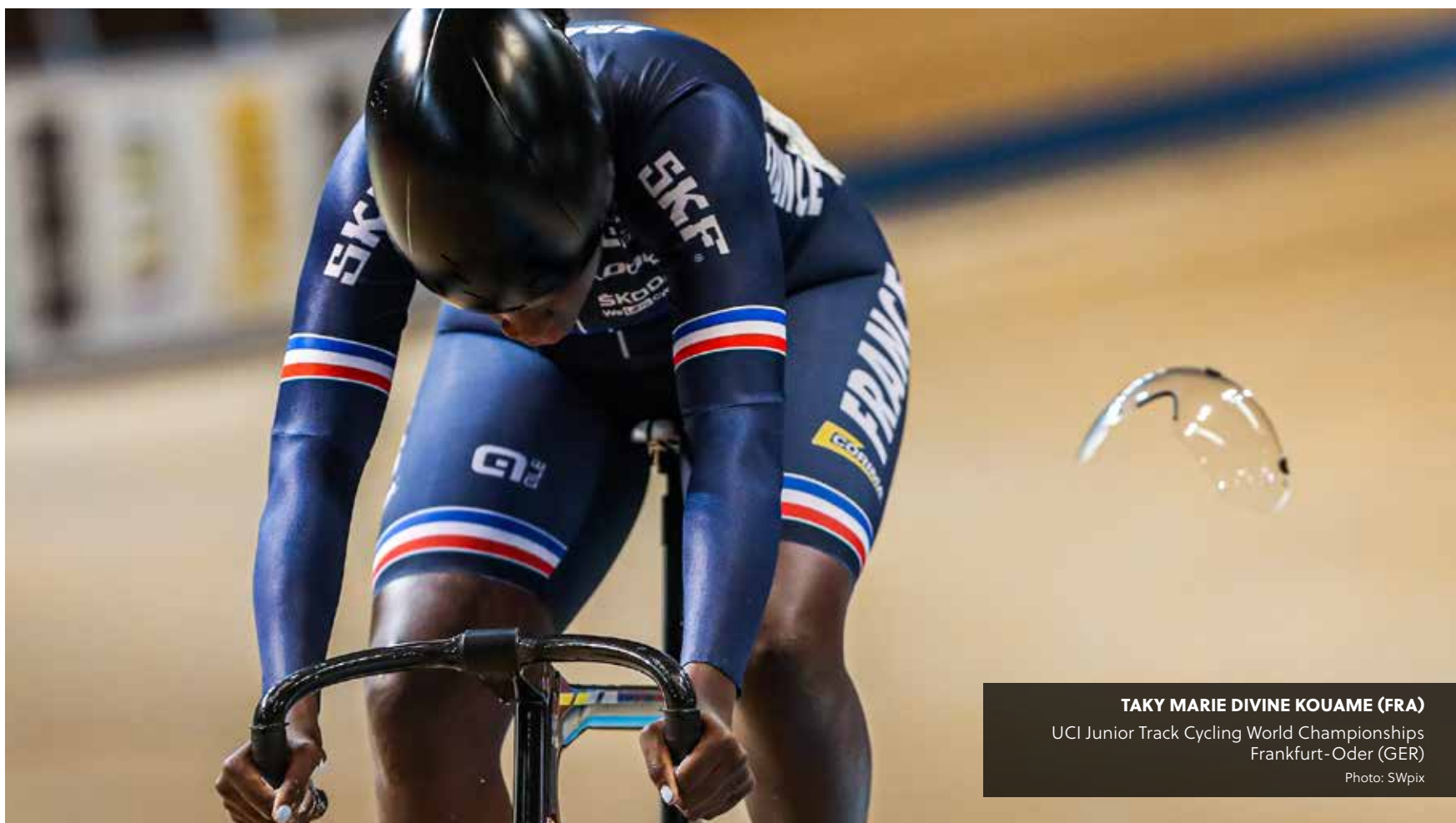
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UCI BMX Supercross World Cup - Papendal (NED)

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TAKY MARIE DIVINE KOUAME (FRA)

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Frankfurt-Oder (GER)

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ESTHER VAN VEEN (NED)

Tour of Chongming Island UCI Women's WorldTour (CHN)
UCI Women's WorldTour

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TEAM JAPAN AND TEAM CANADA

UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships - Liège (BEL)

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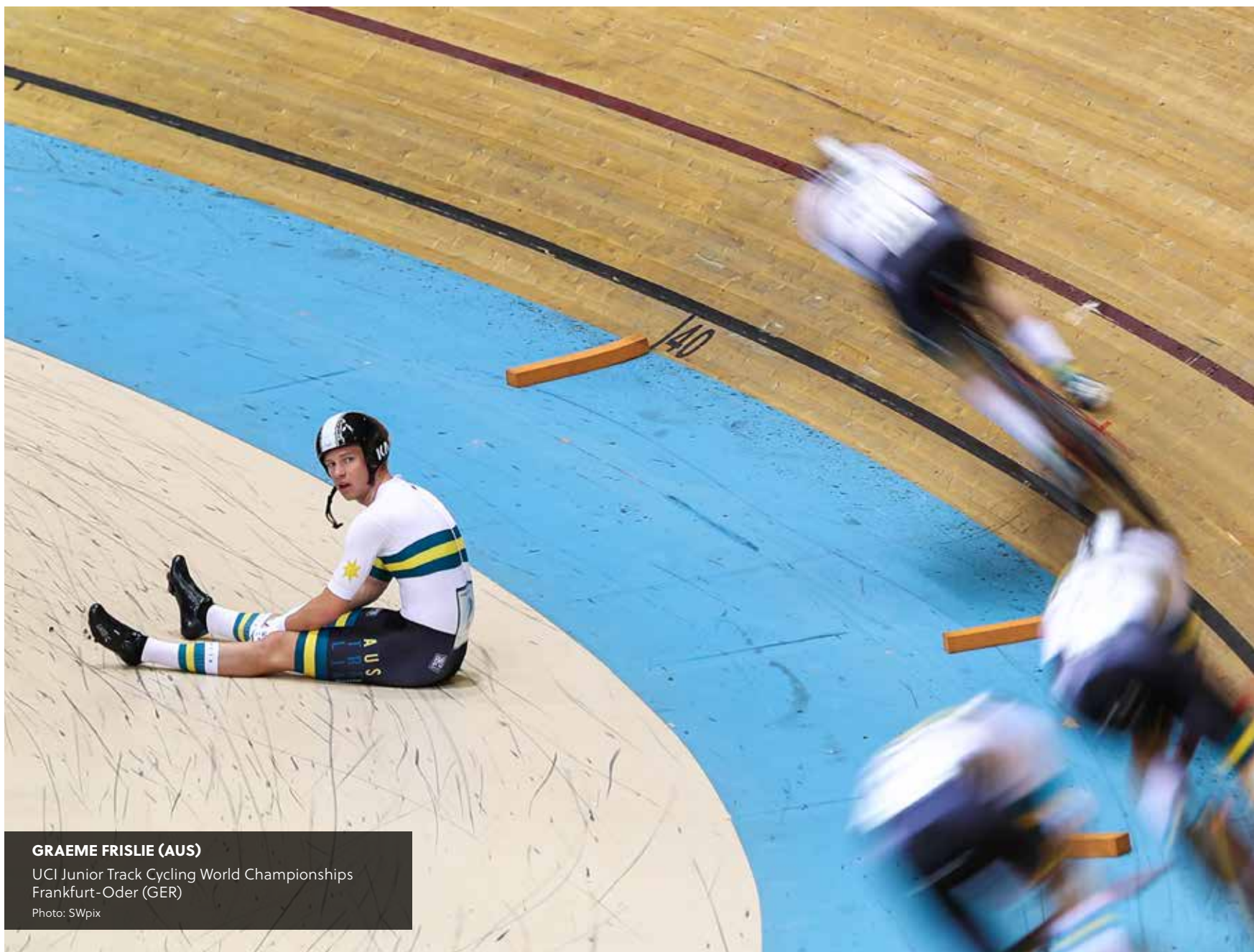




TAKAHIRO IKEDA (JPN)

UCI BMX Freestyle World Cup - Montpellier (FRA)

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UCI Junior Track Cycling World Championships
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MACKENZIE MYATT (CAN)

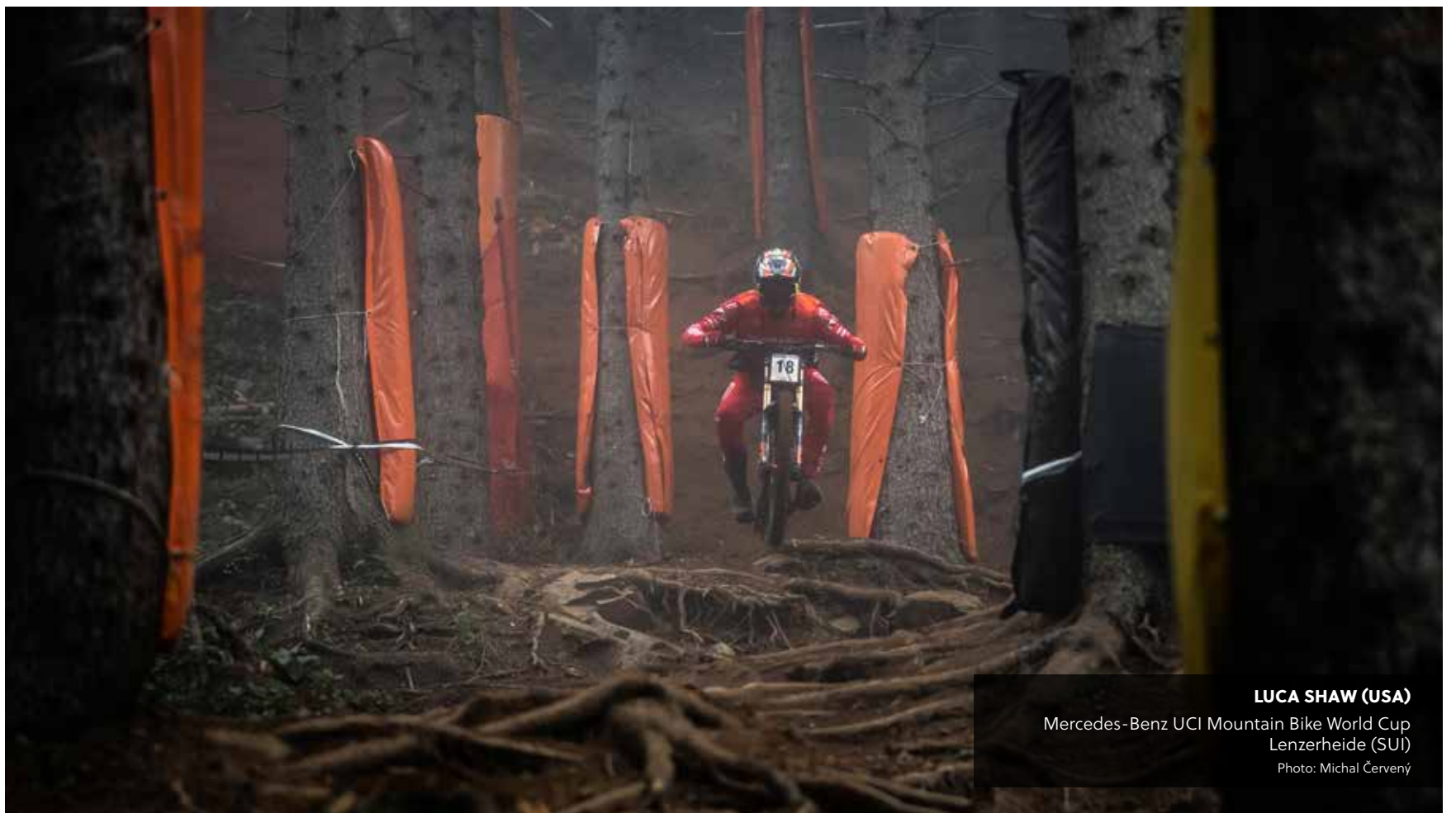
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Vallnord - Pal Arinsal (AND)

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Arctic Race of Norway - UCI Europe Tour
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LUCA SHAW (USA)
Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Lenzerheide (SUI)
Photo: Michal Červený



SANNE CANT (BEL)

Telenet UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup
Hoogerheide (NED)

Photo: Balint Hamvas



THOMAS PECHHACKER (AUT)

UCI Trials World Cup - Il Ciocco (ITA)

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DANIELLA REIS (POR) AND JESSICA ALLEN (AUS)

Tour of Chongming Island UCI Women's WorldTour (CHN)
UCI Women's WorldTour

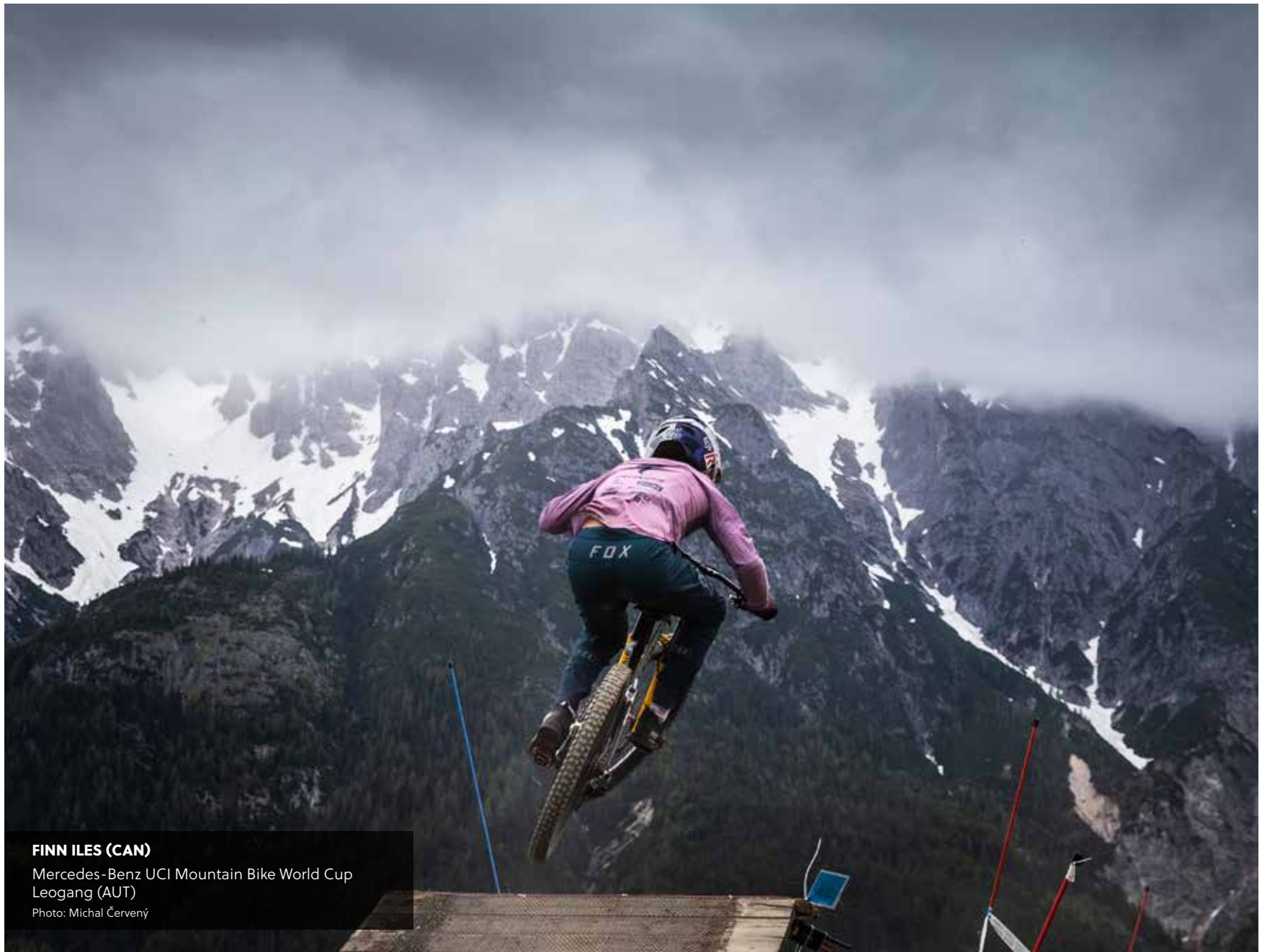
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**VICO MERKLEIN (GER) AND
JEAN-FRANÇOIS DEBERG (BEL)**

UCI Para-cycling Road World Cup - Baie-Comeau (CAN)

Photo: Jean-Baptiste Benavent



FINN ILES (CAN)

Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain Bike World Cup
Leogang (AUT)

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2. T. BROSNAN
3. L. VERGIER



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UCI Road World Championships - Yorkshire (GBR)

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UCI BMX Supercross World Cup
Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines (FRA)

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Vallnord - Pal Arinsal (AND)
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Hoogerheide (NED)

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5. Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain
Bike World Cup
Lenzerheide (SUI)

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6. Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain
Bike World Cup
Nové Město na Moravě (CZE)

(Photo : Michal Červený)



7. Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain
Bike World Cup
Leogang (AUT)

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8. Mercedes-Benz UCI Mountain
Bike World Cup
Fort William (GBR)

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