

Le Mondial du Lion Equine Hall of Fame

La Biosthetique Sam

A legend in his own time, **La Biosthetique Sam** is the only horse ever to win individual Gold Medals at two Olympic Games and a World Championship. He is also the first to hold World, Olympic and European titles simultaneously.

'**Sam**' began his international championship career as a six year old with a Silver Medal at Le Mondial du Lion in 2006. He again won Silver at Le Lion d'Angers in 2007.

He went on to win individual Gold Medals at the World Equestrian Games 2010 at Lexington, Kentucky, the London Olympic Games in 2012 and the Rio de Janeiro Olympics in 2016.

La Biosthetique Sam also completed seven times at five star level winning on three occasions :

Luhmühlen : 1st place in 2009

Burghley : 1st in 2015

Badminton : 1st in 2016, 2nd place in 2013 & 2017, 10th place in 2018

Lexington : 3rd in 2015

He began his retirement in 2018 at the home of the Jung family where, in the words of Michael « *He will continue to be ridden and treated like the champion he is.* »

Why aren't there more horses like Sam ? Well one reason might be that in 2002 the stallion licensing committee at Marbach turned him down - they considered he lacked in quality !

Name	La Biosthetique Sam
6yo MdL	2 nd in 2006
7yo MdL	2 nd in 2007
Olympic Games	Gold medal at both London 2012 & Rio de Janeiro 2016
World Champs	Gold at the Lexington World Equestrian Games 2010
5* winner	Luhmühlen 2009, Burghley 2015, Badminton 2016
DoB	2000
Sex	Gelding
Studbook	BAD-WÜ (Baden-Württemberg)
Origins	By Stan the Man out of Halla by Heraldik
Breeder	Gunter Seitter (Ger)
1 st Owner	Sabina Kreuter
2 nd Owners	Sabina Kreuter & Joachim Jung
Rider	Michael Jung