



# MATCH NOTES

CHICAGO FALL TENNIS CLASSIC  
CHICAGO, IL, USA  
SEPTEMBER 27 - OCTOBER 3, 2021 | \$565,530



## DAY 4 MATCH-UPS

**CAROLINE  
GARCIA**

**0-0**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD

**CORI  
GAUFF** **15**

*Garcia is 0-7 against Top 20 ranked players this season... Gauff is making tournament debut in Indian Wells... Garcia is 3-1 against American opposition this year... Gauff playing first match since US Open*

**ALISON  
RISKE**

**0-0**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD

**BIANCA  
ANDREESCU** **16**

*Riske looking to reach third round in Indian Wells for first time in seven appearances... Andreescu won the title here on her first and only previous appearance in 2019... Riske owns only one Top 50 win this year... Andreescu has four losses this season to players outside the Top 50*

**AJLA  
TOMLIJANOVIC**

**1-3**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD

**GARBIÑE  
MUGURUZA** **5**

*Tomljanovic owns three Top 10 wins in career however is 0-6 this year... Muguruza coming off ninth career title at Chicago last week... Tomljanovic has defeated two seeded players so far this year... Muguruza's coach, Conchita Martinez, is a two-time champion here*

**1** **KAROLINA  
PLISKOVA**

**0-0**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD

**MAGDALENA  
FRECH** **Q**


*Pliskova is the top seed here for the first time... Frech looking for first Top 10 win of career... Pliskova has reached at least QF here in her last four appearances... Frech currently sitting at a career high of No.106... Pliskova has lost to a player outside the Top 100 just once this year*

**VIKTORIJA  
GOLUBIC**

**0-0**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD


**MARIA  
SAKKARI** **6**




*Sakkari has won eight of her last ten matches... Golubic earned first win in Indian Wells in first round over Vondrousova... Sakkari made Top 10 debut on September 27... Golubic owns one Top 10 win in career*



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CAROLINE GARCIA


FRANCE

CORI GAUFF

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

|  |                                      |   |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| 1993-10-16                                   | Date of Birth                        | 2004-03-13                                  |
| Lyon, France                                 | Residence                            | Delray Beach, FL. USA                       |
| Right-handed (two-handed backhand)           | Plays                                | Right-handed (two-handed backhand)          |
| 5' 10" (1.77 m)                              | Height                               | 5' 9" (1.75M)                               |
| 4  | Career-High Ranking                  | 19  |
| \$11,301,779                                 | Career Prize Money                   | \$2,416,373                                 |
| \$563,868                                    | Season Prize Money                   | \$1,354,499                                 |
| 0 / 7  | Singles Titles YTD / Career          | 1 / 2                                       |
| 44-38 (Quarter-Finalist: 2017 ROLAND GARROS) | Grand Slam W-L (best)                | 18-9 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021 ROLAND-GARROS) |
| 1-0 / 8-6 (Round of 16: 2018, 2017, 2015)    | YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L (best) | 0-0 / 0-0                                   |
| 21-23 / 246-203                              | YTD / Career W-L                     | 33-15 / 54-28                               |
| 7-5 / 89-66                                  | YTD / Career 3-Set W-L               | 12-6 / 21-12                                |
| 5-3 / 65-59                                  | YTD / Career TB W-L                  | 10-6 / 16-8                                 |
| 0-7 / 31-70                                  | YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L              | 6-5 / 10-10                                 |
| Semi-Finalist: LAUSANNE                      | YTD Best Result                      | Champion: PARMA                             |



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

| YEAR                 | TOURNAMENT | SURFACE | ROUND | WINNER | SCORE/ RESULT | TIME |
|----------------------|------------|---------|-------|--------|---------------|------|
| First career meeting |            |         |       |        |               |      |

RANKING HISTORY

| TOP RANK | YEAR-END | YEAR | TOP RANK | YEAR-END |
|----------|----------|------|----------|----------|
| 43       | 43       | 2020 | 47       | 48       |
| 19       | 45       | 2019 | 68       | 68       |
| 4        | 19       | 2018 | 874      | 875      |
| 8        | 8        | 2017 | -        | -        |
| 23       | 23       | 2016 | -        | -        |
| 25       | 35       | 2015 | -        | -        |
| 34       | 38       | 2014 | -        | -        |
| 69       | 75       | 2013 | -        | -        |
| 132      | 138      | 2012 | -        | -        |
| 135      | 146      | 2011 | -        | -        |



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. K. FLIPKENS (#132) 5-7 6-4 6-0 (2h 9m)

*Total time on court: 2h 9m*

### PLAYER NOTES


- Making seventh main draw appearance (eighth overall) in Indian Wells
- Best result here is reaching R16 three times in 2015 (l. Lisicki), 2017 (l. Kuznetsova) and 2018 (l. Kerber)
- Most recently fell in 2r in 2019 (l. Brady after 1r bye)
- Hit seven aces in three set defeat of Flipkens in 1r to snap three match losing streak
- Faces No.19 Gauff in 2r today looking for first Top 20 win of the season
- Is 0-7 against Top 20 players this year with most recent victory coming over No.20 Mertens at 2020 Roland Garros
- Owns 30-32 career record against players from the U.S., with record in 2021 standing at 3-1
- Has yet to beat a seeded player this year with 0-9 record
- Owns three titles on hardcourts: 2017 Wuhan, 2017 Beijing and 2018 Tianjin
- One of 4 players from France in the draw two of which have reached the 2r
- Best result by France at Indian Wells was Runner-Up run by Marion Bartoli in 2011

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

*Total time on court: 0m*


### PLAYER NOTES

- Making first career appearance at Indian Wells; however played the 125K event in 2019 falling 1r to Bacsinsky in three sets
- At 17 years old, is the youngest player remaining in the draw; the last teenager to win the title here was Andreescu in 2019 at the age of 18
- After a 1r bye, faces No.59 Garcia in first match since US Open
- Has lost to a player outside the Top 50 six times this season most recently to No.66 Stephens in 2r of US Open
- Playing first career match against a French player
- Owns one title on hardcourts at 2019 Linz for first career title at the age of 15
- One of a tournament leading 17 players from the U.S. to start the draw; nine have reached the 2r
- An American has won the title here eight times, most recently S.Williams in 2001
- Playing doubles here with fellow teenager Fernandez, into the 2r where they face the No.5 seeded team of Melichar/Schuurs later today



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

| 2019 | Result | Rank: 19                   | Seed: 19 |
|------|--------|----------------------------|----------|
| 2r   | L      | J. BRADY (#83) 6-3 3-6 6-0 |          |

| 2018 | Result | Rank: 7                    | Seed: 7 |
|------|--------|----------------------------|---------|
| 4r   | L      | A. KERBER (#10) 6-1 6-1    |         |
| 3r   | W      | D. GAVRILOVA (#26) 7-5 6-4 |         |
| 2r   | W      | J. BRADY (#86) 6-4 6-4     |         |

| 2017 | Result | Rank: 25                      | Seed: 21 |
|------|--------|-------------------------------|----------|
| 4r   | L      | S. KUZNETSOVA (#8) 6-1 6-4    |          |
| 3r   | W      | J. KONTA (#11) 3-6 6-3 7-6(1) |          |
| 2r   | W      | E. RODINA (#83) 6-3 6-3       |          |

| 2016 | Result | Rank: 41                | Seed: - |
|------|--------|-------------------------|---------|
| 1r   | L      | C. MCHALE (#62) 6-4 6-4 |         |

| 2015 | Result | Rank: 28                       | Seed: 25 |
|------|--------|--------------------------------|----------|
| 4r   | L      | S. LISICKI (#30) 6-4 6-4       |          |
| 3r   | W      | A. IVANOVIC (#6) 6-2 5-7 6-2   |          |
| 2r   | W      | P. HERCOG (#75) 6-4 6-7(5) 6-4 |          |

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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## SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Coming off back-to-back 1r exits to qualifiers at Ostrava (l. Potapova) and Chicago (l. Hontama)
- Fell 2r at Cleveland (l. eventual champion Kontaveit) and US Open (l. Rybakina)
- Came through qualifying at both Montreal (l. Pavlyuchenkova in 1r) and Cincinnati (l. Muguruza in 2r)
- Knocked out in 1r at Olympics (l. Vekic) and 2r at San Jose (l. Kasatkina)
- Suffered 1r defeat at Hamburg (l. Niemeier) and advanced to SF at Lausanne (l. Burel)
- On grass, made 2r at Birmingham (l. Bouzkova) before falling in qualifying at Eastbourne and in 1r at Wimbledon (l. Pegula)
- Fell 2r at Rome (as WC, l. Kudermetova), Strasbourg (l. Krejckikova) and Roland Garros (l. Hercog)
- Reached 3r at Dubai (l. Mertens) and 2r at Miami (l. Halep)
- Fell 2r on home soil at Lyon (l. Golubic)
- Made 2r at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Osaka) and posted 3r showing at Gippsland (l. eventual champion Mertens). Followed this with 1r exits at Phillip Island Trophy (l. Doi) and Adelaide (l. Sevastova)

- Reached QF of Montreal (l. eventual champion Giorgi) before falling in 2r of Cincinnati (l. Osaka) and US Open (l. Stephens)
- Made 2r at Eastbourne (l. Sevastova) and R16 at Wimbledon (l. Kerber)
- At Roland Garros, advanced to maiden Slam QF (l. eventual champion Krejckikova)
- Completed sweep of singles (d. Q.Wang in F) and doubles (w/McNally) titles at Parma; the youngest player to win both titles at the same event since Sharapova at 2004 Birmingham
- Advanced to first SF on clay, at Rome (l. eventual champion Swiatek); beat four Top 50 players en route, including No.4 Sabalenka in 3r and No.1 Barty in QF (via ret.)
- Reached QF at Charleston (l. Jabeur) and fell 1r at Madrid (l. Ka.Pliskova)
- Advanced to QF at Dubai (l. Teichmann), then suffered 2r exit at Miami (after 1r bye, l. Sevastova)
- Reached her maiden WTA 500 SF at Adelaide (l. Bencic) – first time she had won back-to-back main draw matches since SF run at 2020 Lexington
- Suffered back-to-back 2r exits at Gippsland Trophy (l. Boulter) and Australian Open (l. Svitolina). Reached the doubles QFs at Australian Open (w/McNally, l. No.4 seed Melichar/Schuurs)
- Made 2r in opening tournament of season, at Abu Dhabi (l. Sakkari)


| VALUE | WTA RANK | MATCH STATS                      | VALUE | WTA RANK |
|-------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| 163   | 19       | Aces                             | 234   | 7        |
| 63%   | 151      | First serve %                    | 60%   | 212      |
| 62%   | 131      | First Serve points won %         | 68%   | 37       |
| 48%   | 49       | Second serve points won %        | 45%   | 118      |
| 57%   | 78       | Overall service points won %     | 59%   | 41       |
| 67%   | 70       | Service games won %              | 67%   | 75       |
| 54%   | 125      | Break points saved %             | 52%   | 164      |
| 34%   | 204      | First serve return points won %  | 34%   | 205      |
| 52%   | 214      | Second serve return points won % | 55%   | 133      |
| 47%   | 121      | Break points converted %         | 43%   | 206      |
| 29%   | 214      | Return games won %               | 35%   | 134      |
| 41%   | 213      | Return points won %              | 43%   | 159      |



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)

2019 - NOTTINGHAM

2018 - TIANJIN

2017 - BEIJING, WUHAN

2016 - MALLORCA , STRASBOURG

2015 - LIMOGES

2014 - BOGOTA

Runner-Up (4)

2019 - STRASBOURG

2016 - LIMOGES

2015 - MONTERREY, ACAPULCO

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (7)

2016 - FRENCH OPEN (w/Mladenovic), MADRID (w/Mladenovic), STUTTGART (w/Mladenovic), CHARLESTON (w/Mladenovic)

2015 - EASTBOURNE (w/Srebotnik)

2014 - BOGOTA (w/Arruabarrena)

2013 - TAIPEI (w/Shvedova)

Runner-Up (10)

2016 - BEIJING (w/Mladenovic), US OPEN (w/Mladenovic), DUBAI (w/Mladenovic), SYDNEY (w/Mladenovic)

2015 - TORONTO (w/Srebotnik), STUTTGART (w/Srebotnik), BRISBANE (w/Srebotnik)

2014 - MOSCOW (w/Parra Santonja), LINZ (w/Beck), WUHAN (w/Black)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2021 - PARMA

2019 - LINZ

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2021 - PARMA (w/Mcnally)

2019 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Mcnally), WASHINGTON DC (w/Mcnally)

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - US OPEN (w/Mcnally)

| AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |      | AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|
| 2r              | 2r            | 1r        | 2r      | 2021 | 2r              | QF            | 4r        | 2r      |
| 2r              | 4r            |           | 3r      | 2020 | 4r              | 2r            |           | 1r      |
| 3r              | 2r            | 1r        | 1r      | 2019 |                 |               | 4r        | 3r      |
| 4r              | 4r            | 1r        | 3r      | 2018 |                 |               |           |         |
| 3r              | QF            | 4r        | 3r      | 2017 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              | 2r            | 2r        | 3r      | 2016 |                 |               |           |         |
| 3r              | 1r            | 1r        | 1r      | 2015 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              | 1r            | 3r        | 1r      | 2014 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              | 2r            | 2r        | 2r      | 2013 |                 |               |           |         |
|                 | 1r            |           |         | 2012 |                 |               |           |         |

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2011



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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Best results in 2020 came at Slams, reaching R16 at Roland Garros (l. Svitolina) and 3r at US Open (l. Brady)
- Defeated No.3 Ka.Pliskova in 2r at Flushing Meadows to record her first Top 10 win since 2018 Tianjin title (d. No.6 Ka.Pliskova in F)
- Highlights of 2019 campaign include capturing her seventh career WTA singles title at Nottingham and reaching the finals at Strasbourg
- Member of French Fed Cup team that won the 2019 competition final vs. Australia, teaming up with Mladenovic to win the decisive doubles runner against Barty/Stosur. Also took part in the team that advanced to 2016 Fed Cup final vs. Czech Republic
- Fell out of the Top 20 on March 18, 2019 after holding her position there since August 14, 2017
- In 2018, won sixth career title at Tianjin; also made semifinals at Stuttgart and Madrid
- Broke into the Top 5 on August 13, 2018 and reached a career-high of No.4 on September 10, 2018
- Became first player to win Wuhan and Beijing back-to-back in 2017. As a result, qualified for WTA Finals. Was ranked No.30 on the Race to Singapore leaderboard in May 2017
- Best win of her career came over No.2 Halep in 2017 Beijing final
- In 2017, lifted first Premier-5 level title at Wuhan and first Premier-Mandatory crown at Beijing; subsequently made Top 10 debut
- Won a career-best 48 main draw matches in 2017 (48-22 record, two titles), Advanced to QF at 2017 Roland Garros (l. Ka.Pliskova) for best Grand Slam singles result to date
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- Qualifying for WTA Finals in 2017, became the first Frenchwoman to compete at WTA Finals in singles since Mauresmo in 2006 (l. Henin in F)
- At 2016 Roland Garros w/Mladenovic, won first major doubles title. They were the first French pair to win in Paris since 1971, when Gail Chanfreau and Francoise Durr triumphed
- Represented France at 2016 Rio Olympics in singles (2r) and doubles (1r, w/Mladenovic)
- Member of French Fed Cup team that advanced to 2016 competition final vs. Czech Republic
- Played 2015 WTA Finals Rising Stars Invitational in Singapore (l. Osaka in F)
- Made professional debut at 13 on ITF Circuit in France in 2007
- Ended 2020 season at No.48, just one shy of her career high which she reached on October 26, 2020
- First cracked the Top 50 earlier in the season on Feb. 24, 2020 at No.49 following a R16 appearance at Australian Open to tie her career best Grand Slam result – during performance, defeated V.Williams in 1r and her first Top 5 opponent in No.4 Osaka in 3r (l. eventual champion Kenin in 3s)
- Enjoyed breakout season in 2019, highlighted by maiden WTA singles title at Linz (as lucky loser, d. Ostapenko in F) – earned her first Top 10 win en route to title over No.8 Bertens in QF
- At 15y214d, her title run in Linz made her youngest to win a WTA tour-level title since Vaidisova (15y177d) won Tashkent in 2004
- Also claimed maiden WTA doubles titles at Washington, DC (w/McNally, d. Sanchez/Stollar in F) and Luxembourg (w/McNally, d. Christian/Guarachi in F)
- By winning the doubles title at Washington, DC at 15 yrs, 144 days, became the youngest player to win a doubles title since May 1995 (Martina Hingis won Hamburg at 14 yrs, 219 days)
- Reached R16 at 2019 Wimbledon on Grand Slam main draw debut defeating V.Williams in 1r (l. eventual champion Halep) – followed with 3r showing at US Open (as WC, l. Osaka)
- Made WTA main draw debut as a wildcard at 2019 Miami where she earned her first WTA main draw win over good friend McNally (l. Kasatkina in 2r)
- Made professional debut in May 2018 as a qualifier into the \$25K ITF/Osprey, FL-USA
- Member of US Billie Jean King Cup team in 2020
- Former Junior World No.1 (July 2018). Won 2018 Roland Garros girls' title (d. McNally in F) and 2018 US Open doubles title (w/McNally), while finished R-Up at 2017 US Open girls' event (l. Anisimova) becoming the youngest girls' singles finalist in US Open history at 13-years-old



- In juniors, singles runner-up at 2011 US Open (L. Min) and was a semifinalist at the other three Slams

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Emiliano Redondi; formerly worked with father, Louis Paul Garcia
- Mother is Marylene
- Played many sports when she was younger and chose tennis because it was the one she enjoyed the most
- Enjoys reading and spending time with family, and a big sports fan
- Best tennis memories are winning Limoges, Strasbourg, and the 2016 Roland Garros doubles title

- Coached by father, Corey, who played basketball at Georgia State; mother, Candi, excelled in gymnastics before competing in a track and field at Florida State University
- Started playing tennis at six
- Favorite surface is hard, describes her playing style as aggressive as possible with a big serve; depends on her quickness and athleticism to keep her in any point - describes herself as a "fighter"
- Tennis idols growing up were the Williams sisters whose tenacity and fearlessness made her want to become a professional tennis player
- Enjoys hanging out with her brother and family, watching superhero movies and making TikTik videos
- Does not have any pets but has been trying to convince her mom to get a dog ... Favorite city is Paris because of the history, food and architecture
- Favorite celebrity is Beyonce because she is an incredible performer



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**51 ALISON RISKE**  
UNITED STATES

**BIANCA ANDREESCU 21**  
CANADA

|  |   |                                    |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| 1990-07-03                               | <b>Date of Birth</b>                        | 2000-06-16                         |
| Nashville, TN, USA                       | <b>Residence</b>                            | Monaco                             |
| Right-handed (two-handed backhand)       | <b>Plays</b>                                | Right-handed (two-handed backhand) |
| 5' 9" (1.75 m)                           | <b>Height</b>                               | 5' 7" (1.70 m)                     |
| 18                                       | <b>Career-High Ranking</b>                  | 4                                  |
| \$5,451,827                              | <b>Career Prize Money</b>                   | \$7,472,837                        |
| \$326,582                                | <b>Season Prize Money</b>                   | \$743,453                          |
| 0 / 2                                    | <b>Singles Titles YTD / Career</b>          | 0 / 3                              |
| 24-37 (Quarter-Finalist: 2019 WIMBLEDON) | <b>Grand Slam W-L (best)</b>                | 13-6 (Champion: 2019 US OPEN)      |
| 1-0 / 2-6 (Round of 64: 2015)            | <b>YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L (best)</b> | 0-0 / 7-0 (Champion: 2019)         |
| 10-13 / 161-174                          | <b>YTD / Career W-L</b>                     | 16-11 / 66-26                      |
| 3-4 / 59-72                              | <b>YTD / Career 3-Set W-L</b>               | 10-4 / 28-11                       |
| 2-1 / 43-57                              | <b>YTD / Career TB W-L</b>                  | 10-4 / 22-9                        |
| Runner-Up: PORTOROZ                      | <b>YTD Best Result</b>                      | Runner-Up: MIAMI                   |



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| YEAR | TOURNAMENT | SURFACE | ROUND | WINNER | SCORE/ RESULT | TIME |
|------|------------|---------|-------|--------|---------------|------|
|------|------------|---------|-------|--------|---------------|------|

First career meeting

## RANKING HISTORY

| TOP RANK | YEAR-END | YEAR | TOP RANK | YEAR-END |
|----------|----------|------|----------|----------|
| 18       | 26       | 2020 | 4        | 7        |
| 18       | 18       | 2019 | 4        | 5        |
| 58       | 63       | 2018 | 173      | 178      |
| 36       | 70       | 2017 | 143      | 182      |
| 41       | 41       | 2016 | 306      | 306      |
| 40       | 97       | 2015 | 627      | 633      |
| 40       | 45       | 2014 | -        | -        |
| 56       | 57       | 2013 | -        | -        |
| 121      | 179      | 2012 | -        | -        |
| 104      | 135      | 2011 | -        | -        |



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. E. LIANG (#224) 6-2 6-2 (1h 13m)

*Total time on court: 1h 13m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making seventh main-draw appearance at BNP Paribas Open (ninth overall), where she is through to 2r for the second time in her career (also 2015)
- Broke serve seven times to beat qualifier En-shuo Liang in 1r
- Faces No.21 Bianca Andreescu in 2r today; is 1-7 against Top-50 ranked opponents this season, with sole win coming over No.32 Kudermetova at Eastbourne
- Owns 3-4 career record against players from Canada in main-draw matches, while is 1-0 this season (d. Fernandez at Cincinnati)
- Owns 0-6 record against seeded players in 2021
- One of nine players from United States in 2r line-up (17 in starting field). An American has won the title here eight times, most recently S.Williams in 2001
- Owns one WTA hard-court title, at 2014 Tianjin

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

*Total time on court: 0m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making second appearance at Indian Wells, where she is defending champion
- Two years ago, became was fourth unseeded woman and first wildcard to lift the title here; upset four Top-20 players en route, including No.6 Svitolina in SF and No.8 Kerber in F
- Bidding to become the second woman after Navratilova (1990-91) to defend title here
- After 1r bye, opens her campaign against No.51 Riske in 2r today; has lost four times this season to players ranked outside Top 50, falling to No.71 Hsieh (Australian Open), No.85 Zidansek (Roland Garros), No.63 Cornet (Berlin) and No.58 Cornet (Wimbledon)
- Owns 16-3 career record against players from United States in main draw matches, while is 4-1 this season; loss to Rogers last week in Chicago ended an 11-match winning streak vs. Americans
- One of two Canadian women in the draw (also Fernandez)
- This Monday, slipped out of Top 20 for the first time since August 2019
- In addition to title here, two other career titles both came on hard courts in 2019, at Toronto and US Open



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## RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

| 2019 | Result | Rank: 46                                 | Seed: - |
|------|--------|--|---------|
| 1r   | L      | A. VAN UYTVANCK (#51) 7-6(1) 6-4         |         |
| 2017 | Result | Rank: 39                                 | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | D. VEKIC (#86) 6-3 7-6(2)                |         |
| 2016 | Result | Rank: 91                                 | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | L. HRADECKA (#77) 7-6(4) 6-2             |         |
| 2015 | Result | Rank: 44                                 | Seed: - |
| 2r   | L      | A. RADWANSKA (#8) 6-3 6-1                |         |
| 1r   | W      | M. LUCIC-BARONI (#59) 6-2 6-3            |         |
| 2014 | Result | Rank: 45                                 | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | B. JOVANOVSki PETROVIC (#41) 3-6 6-3 6-3 |         |
| 2011 | Result | Rank: 114                                | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | B. STRYCOVA (#57) 6-2 6-1                |         |

| 2019 | Result | Rank: 60                      | Seed: - |
|------|--------|-------------------------------|---------|
| F    | W      | A. KERBER (#8) 6-4 3-6 6-4    |         |
| SF   | W      | E. SVITOLINA (#6) 6-3 2-6 6-4 |         |
| QF   | W      | G. MUGURUZA (#20) 6-0 6-1     |         |
| 4r   | W      | Q. WANG (#18) 7-5 6-2         |         |
| 3r   | W      | S. VOEGELE (#109) 6-1 6-2     |         |
| 2r   | W      | D. CIBULKOVA (#35) 6-2 6-2    |         |
| 1r   | W      | I. BEGU (#70) 6-7(3) 6-3 6-3  |         |



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## SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- R-Up at Portoroz (l. Paolini) and made 2r at Ostrava (l. Teichmann)
- Fell in 1r at US Open (l. Pavlyuchenkova), Montréal (l. Cirstea) and made 2r at Cincinnati (l. Azarenka)
- Suffered defeats in 1r at the Olympics (l. Buzarnescu) and 2r at San Jose (l. Konjuh)
- Reached 3r at Nottingham (l. Davis), 2r at Eastbourne (l. Sabalenka) and made 1r exit at Wimbledon (l. Martincova)
- Fell 1r at Madrid (l. Swiatek) and Rome (l. Swiatek via ret. w/left foot injury); withdrew from Roland Garros
- Withdrew from Miami w/left foot injury
- In opening tournament of 2021 season, fell 1r at Australian Open (l. Potapova)

- Coming off 2r exit at Chicago 500 (after 1r bye, l. Rogers)
- Reached 3r at Montreal (l. Jabeur) and dropped 2r opener at Cincinnati (l. Muchova). Made R16 during US Open title defense (l. Sakkari)
- Elected not to play at Tokyo Olympics, citing challenges posed by the pandemic
- On grass, suffered defeats in 2r at Berlin (after 1r bye, l. Cornet) and Eastbourne (l. Kontaveit) before making 1r exit at Wimbledon (l. Cornet)
- Fell 1r at Roland Garros (l. Zidansek)
- Withdrew prior to QF match against Cirstea at Strasbourg w/abdominal injury
- Pulled out of Madrid and Rome after testing positive for COVID-19
- Finished R-Up at Miami (l. Barty via ret. w/right foot injury)
- Opened 2021 with 2r exit at Australian Open (l. Hsieh) and SF showing at Philip Island Trophy (l. Bouzkova)
- Win over Buzarnescu in 1r of Australian Open in February was first professional match since 2019 WTA Finals, where she withdrew during the group stage due to a knee injury sustained during loss via ret. to Ka.Pliskova

| VALUE | WTA RANK | MATCH STATS                      | VALUE | WTA RANK |
|-------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| 45    | 99       | Aces                             | 68    | 67       |
| 65%   | 94       | First serve %                    | 65%   | 86       |
| 61%   | 148      | First Serve points won %         | 65%   | 77       |
| 43%   | 178      | Second serve points won %        | 46%   | 103      |
| 55%   | 129      | Overall service points won %     | 58%   | 50       |
| 62%   | 138      | Service games won %              | 65%   | 99       |
| 55%   | 109      | Break points saved %             | 50%   | 203      |
| 37%   | 138      | First serve return points won %  | 36%   | 142      |
| 53%   | 175      | Second serve return points won % | 52%   | 205      |
| 48%   | 103      | Break points converted %         | 43%   | 210      |
| 34%   | 152      | Return games won %               | 32%   | 181      |
| 43%   | 148      | Return points won %              | 42%   | 181      |

Best win by ranking: No.32 vs Kudermetova in EASTBOURNE 1r  
Longest match: 2h 42m vs Wang in NOTTINGHAM 2r

Best win by ranking: No.13 vs Muguruza in MIAMI 4r  
Longest match: 3h 30m vs Sakkari in US OPEN 4r  
Most aces in a match: 5 vs Brengle in MELBOURNE 250 2r

Most aces in a match: 4 vs Kuznetsov in PORTOROZ 2r  
4 vs Lovric in PORTOROZ 1r  
4 vs Fernandez in CINCINNATI 1r  
4 vs Davis in NOTTINGHAM 3r



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

| SINGLES FINALS  | SINGLES FINALS   |
|---|--|
| Champion (2)<br>2019 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH<br>2014 - TIANJIN<br>Runner-Up (8)<br>2021 - PORTOROZ<br>2019 - WUHAN, SHENZHEN<br>2018 - NÜRNBERG<br>2017 - SHENZHEN<br>2016 - TIANJIN, NOTTINGHAM, SHENZHEN | Champion (3)<br>2019 - US OPEN, TORONTO, INDIAN WELLS<br><br>Runner-Up (2)<br>2021 - MIAMI<br>2019 - AUCKLAND<br><br>DOUBLES FINALS<br>Runner-Up (1)<br>2017 - QUEBEC CITY (w/Branstine) |

| AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |      | AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|
| 1r              |               | 1r        | 1r      | 2021 | 2r              | 1r            | 1r        | 4r      |
| 4r              | 1r            |           | 2r      | 2020 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              | 1r            | QF        | 2r      | 2019 | 2r              | 2r            |           | WON     |
| 1r              | 1r            | 2r        | 1r      | 2018 |                 |               |           |         |
| 3r              | 1r            | 3r        | 1r      | 2017 |                 |               | 1r        |         |
| 1r              | 1r            | 1r        | 1r      | 2016 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              | 1r            | 1r        | 1r      | 2015 |                 |               |           |         |
| 3r              | 2r            | 3r        | 1r      | 2014 |                 |               |           |         |
|                 |               | 3r        | 4r      | 2013 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              |               |           |         | 2012 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              |               | 1r        | 1r      | 2011 |                 |               |           |         |
|                 |               | 1r        |         | 2010 |                 |               |           |         |



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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Best results of 2020 came in the opening month with a QF showing at Brisbane (QF) and R16 run at Australian Open
- Ended 2019 at career-high ranking of No.18, posted on November 4, 2019 – up from No.63 in 2018
- In a breakout 2019 campaign, achieved best Slam result by advancing to QF at Wimbledon, ousting World No.1 Barty to notch biggest win of her career before being halted by eventual R-Up S.Williams
- Additionally, lifted second career WTA singles title at 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Bertens in F after saving 5mp) and finished runner-up at Shenzhen (l. Sabalenka) and Wuhan (l. Sabalenka)
- Highlights in 2018 include reaching 3r at 2018 Miami, her best result at a Premier Mandatory tournament (l. Y.Wang on third set tiebreak), and advancing to QF at Hobart (l. Buzarnescu), 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Vandeweghe), Mallorca (l. Stosur) and Tokyo [PPO] (l. Ka.Pliskova). Also won eighth ITF Circuit singles title at Surbiton (d. Perrin in F)
- In 2017, finished R-Up at Shenzhen (d. No.3 A.Radwanska, l. Siniakova). Also part of Fed Cup winning USA team and reached QF at Nürnberg and 3r at Australian Open and Wimbledon
- Won maiden WTA singles title at 2014 Tianjin without dropping a set (d. Bencic in F)
- Made Top 100 debut on July 22, 2013 (No.96)
- Reached first WTA SF at 2010 Birmingham (as qualifier, l. Sharapova)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2010 Charleston
- Winner of nine singles and one doubles title on ITF Women's Circuit

- Skipped entirety of 2020 season due to injury and opting out after return to play
- Won WTA's 2019 Newcomer of the Year Award
- Lifted maiden Slam title at 2019 US Open (d. S.Williams in F), becoming the first Canadian woman to win a major singles title in the Open Era and breaking into the Top 5 for the first time after the tournament (September 9)
- Was the first home representative to lift the women's singles title at 2019 Rogers Cup since 1969 when Urban d. Berner in all-Canadian final (d. S.Williams in F; ret. w/ upper back injury)
- Shoulder injury forced her to miss entire 2019 grass swing
- Won maiden career title at 2019 Indian Wells (d. No.6 Svitolina in SF and No.8 Kerber in F)
- Made first WTA final at 2019 at Auckland finishing R-Up as a qualifier (d. Wozniacki and V.Williams, l. Goerges)
- Produced first WTA QF run at 2017 Washington DC (as WC, l. Petkovic). Upset No.13 Mladenovic in 2r to become first player born in 21st century to register a Top-20 win
- Fel 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2017 Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. Kucova) – later that year, earned first WTA win in 1r of Quebec City (d. Brady, l. Hradecka)
- Broke into Top 100 on January 28, 2019 and Top 20 on August 12, 2019
- Career best wins occurred over No.3 Wozniacki at 2019 Auckland (maiden Top-10 win) and No.3 Ka.Pliskova at 2019 Toronto
- Has qualified for WTA Finals on one occasion in 2019, went 0-2 in group play retiring from her final match with a knee injury
- Made professional debut by finishing R-Up at \$25k ITF/Gatineau-CAN (l. Glatch in F)

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Tom Gutteridge
- Parents, Albert and Carol, are retired; sister is Sarah McGlamery (formerly coached her), brother is Daniel. Started playing tennis at age 3 (siblings did and father started her too)
- Married Stephen Amritraj in Alison's hometown of Pittsburgh after 2019 Wimbledon
- Aggressive style of play; liked watching Monica Seles

- Coached by Sven Groeneveld
- Parents are Nicu and Maria Andreescu
- Born in Mississauga, Ontario, but moved to her parents' native country of Romania as a child and started playing tennis at age seven. On her return to Canada at 11, joined the Ontario Racquet Club before joining Tennis Canada's U14 National Training Centre in Toronto for the 2011-2012 season



- Earned tennis scholarship to Vanderbilt University in summer 2009; after good results and finding backing decided to play on WTA
- Enjoys writing (keeps a journal), reading and spending time with family and friends
- If hadn't been a tennis player, would have gone into medicine.

- Credits meditation and visualization in addition to hard work in the gym and on the court as the recipe for her success
- Nicknamed Bibi
- Owns one dog named Coco. Loves music and notes hip-hop/rap as her favorite genre. Favorite sports team is the NBA's Toronto Raptors. Enjoys fashion and beauty.



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**3**  
WIN



**47** **AJLA TOMLJANOVIC**  
AUSTRALIA

**GARBIÑE MUGURUZA** **6**  
SPAIN

|  |                                      |  |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1993-05-07                               | Date of Birth                        | 1993-10-08   |
| Brisbane, Australia                      | Residence                            | Geneva, Switzerland                                |
| Right-handed (two-handed backhand)       | Plays                                | Right-handed (two-handed backhand)                 |
| 5' 11" (1.80 m)                          | Height                               | 6' 0" (1.82 m)                                     |
| 39                                       | Career-High Ranking                  | 1  |
| \$4,165,883                              | Career Prize Money                   | \$22,392,127                                       |
| \$953,225                                | Season Prize Money                   | \$1,216,634  |
| 0 / 0                                    | Singles Titles YTD / Career          | 2 / 9  |
| 21-28 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021 WIMBLEDON) | Grand Slam W-L (best)                | 83-33 (Champion: 2017 WIMBLEDON; 2016 FRENCH OPEN) |
| 1-0 / 3-6 (Round of 64: 2019, 2014)      | YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L (best) | 0-0 / 10-7 (Quarter-Finalist: 2019, 2017)          |
| 20-19 / 123-145                          | YTD / Career W-L                     | 37-14 / 296-158                                    |
| 5-7 / 46-57                              | YTD / Career 3-Set W-L               | 6-6 / 88-68  |
| 5-3 / 39-39                              | YTD / Career TB W-L                  | 6-4 / 46-52  |
| 0-6 / 3-19                               | YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L              | 3-7 / 36-41  |
| Quarter-Finalist: WIMBLEDON              | YTD Best Result                      | Champion: CHICAGO 500, DUBAI                       |



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## HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

| YEAR | TOURNAMENT      | SURFACE | ROUND | WINNER           | SCORE/ RESULT  | TIME   |
|------|-----------------|---------|-------|------------------|----------------|--------|
| 2020 | DOHA            | HARD    | 2r    | Garbiñe Muguruza | 6-1 6-2        | 59m    |
| 2020 | AUSTRALIAN OPEN | HARD    | 2r    | Garbiñe Muguruza | 6-3 3-6 6-3    | 2h 21m |
| 2018 | MONTERREY       | HARD    | QF    | Garbiñe Muguruza | 6-3 6-0        | 58m    |
| 2014 | MIAMI           | HARD    | 2r    | Ajla Tomljanovic | 3-6 7-6(6) 6-1 | 1h 48m |

## RANKING HISTORY

| TOP RANK | YEAR-END | YEAR | TOP RANK | YEAR-END |
|----------|----------|------|----------|----------|
| 51       | 68       | 2020 | 15       | 15       |
| 39       | 51       | 2019 | 15       | 36       |
| 43       | 43       | 2018 | 2        | 18       |
| 150      | 151      | 2017 | 1        | 2        |
| 65       | 930      | 2016 | 2        | 7        |
| 47       | 66       | 2015 | 3        | 3        |
| 51       | 63       | 2014 | 21       | 21       |
| 78       | 78       | 2013 | 53       | 64       |
| 146      | 453      | 2012 | 94       | 104      |
| 145      | 145      | 2011 | 249      | 249      |



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. U. ARCONADA (#189) 6-0 6-2 (1h 16m)

*Total time on court: 1h 16m*

### PLAYER NOTES


- Making seventh main draw appearance (ninth overall) at Indian Wells looking to reach 3r here for the first time in career
- Is now into the 2r for the second time doing so also in 2014 (l. Stephens) and 2019 (l. Sabalenka)
- Defeated American Arconada in straight set win in 1r
- Faces No.6 Muguruza in 2r today; owns 3 wins in career over Top 10 players including No.3 Radwanska (2014 Roland Garros), No.9 Sabalenka (2019 Miami) and most recently No.8 Bertens (2019 Zhengzhou)
- Win today would be best by-ranking win of the year which is currently over No.17 Mertens at Birmingham
- Has gone 0-6 against Top 10 players this year falling to No.10 Sabalenka (Abu Dhabi), No.2 Halep (Australian Open), No.2 Osaka (Miami), No.1 Barty (Wimbledon), No.6 Svitolina (Olympics) and No.4 Ka.Pliskova (US Open)
- Owns 5-6 career record against players from Spain
- Hold 2-6 record over seeded players defeating No.1 seed Mertens at Birmingham and No.30 seed Martić at US Open
- Has reached three career finals on hardcourts at 2015 Pattaya City, 2018 Seoul and 2019 Hua Hin
- Along with Sharma, one of 2 players from Australia in the draw both of whom have reached 2r
- Best result by Australia at Indian Wells was Runner-Up run by Jenny Byrne in 1989
- Playing doubles here with American Rogers, set to face L.Kichenok/Ostapenko in 1r

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

*Total time on court: 0m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making eighth appearance at Indian Wells where she has reached the QF twice in 2017 (l. Ka.Pliskova) and 2019 (l. eventual champion Andreescu)
- On debut in 2013, reached R16 as a qualifier ranked No.95 upsetting No.19 Makarova in 2r (l. Kerber)
- Has fallen in opening match here three times all coming after a bye: 2014 as No.32 seed (l. Kleybanova), 2016 as No.4 seed (l. Mchale) and 2018 as No.3 seed (l. Vickery)
- Faces No.47 Tomljanovic in 2r today winning the last three meetings against the Australian
- Owns 9-8 career record against players from Australia, with record in 2021 standing at 0-1
- Seven of her nine career titles have come on hard courts including two this year at Dubai and just last week the Chicago 500 event
- Has won six of her last seven matches reaching R16 at US Open then title run at Chicago
- One of four players from Spain in the draw, three of whom are into the 2r
- Best result by Spain at Indian Wells was Runner-Up run by her now coach Conchita Martínez in 1992 and 1996
- Currently sitting at No.6 on the Porsche Race to the WTA Finals which is set to be held in Guadalajara this year



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY


| 2019 | Result | Rank: 44                           | Seed: - |
|------|--------|------------------------------------|---------|
| 2r   | L      | A. SABALENKA (#9) 6-3 4-6 6-0      |         |
| 1r   | W      | A. CORNET (#52) 7-5 6-3            |         |
| 2017 | Result | Rank: 664                          | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | J. GOERGES (#50) 7-5 6-2           |         |
| 2015 | Result | Rank: 53                           | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | I. FALCONI (#103) 7-6(6) 6-4       |         |
| 2014 | Result | Rank: 68                           | Seed: - |
| 2r   | L      | S. STEPHENS (#18) 6-4 6-0          |         |
| 1r   | W      | L. DOMÍNGUEZ LINO (#70) 6-4 7-6(2) |         |
| 2010 | Result | Rank: 224                          | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | P. MARTIC (#75) 7-6(4) 6-1         |         |

| 2019 | Result | Rank: 20                          | Seed: 20 |
|------|--------|-----------------------------------|----------|
| QF   | L      | B. ANDREESCU (#60) 6-0 6-1        |          |
| 4r   | W      | K. BERTENS (#7) 5-7 6-1 6-4       |          |
| 3r   | W      | S. WILLIAMS (#10) 6-3 1-0         |          |
| 2r   | W      | L. DAVIS (#199) 6-1 6-3           |          |
| 2018 | Result | Rank: 3                           | Seed: 3  |
| 2r   | L      | S. VICKERY (#100) 2-6 7-5 6-1     |          |
| 2017 | Result | Rank: 7                           | Seed: 7  |
| QF   | L      | K. PLISKOVA (#3) 7-6(2) 7-6(5)    |          |
| 4r   | W      | E. SVITOLINA (#10) 7-6(5) 1-6 6-0 |          |
| 3r   | W      | K. DAY (#175) 3-6 7-5 6-2         |          |
| 2r   | W      | K. FLIPKENS (#87) 6-2 6-3         |          |
| 2016 | Result | Rank: 4                           | Seed: 4  |
| 2r   | L      | C. MCHALE (#62) 7-5 6-1           |          |
| 2015 | Result | Rank: 22                          | Seed: 19 |
| 3r   | L      | K. PLISKOVA (#15) 7-5 6-4         |          |
| 2r   | W      | I. FALCONI (#103) 4-6 6-2 6-3     |          |



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SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Coming off 1r exit at Chicago 500 (l. Vondrousova)
  - Made run to 3r at US Open for best career result at Flushing Meadows (l. Ka.Pliskova)
  - Fell 2r at Olympics (l. Svitolina) and San Jose (l. Putintseva)
  - At Wimbledon, advanced to maiden Grand Slam QF (l. eventual champion Barty)
  - Reached 2r at Birmingham (l. Vandeweghe) and contested qualifying at Eastbourne
  - Made 1r exit at Madrid (as qualifier, l. Rybakina), followed by 2r showings at Rome (as qualifier, l. Ostapenko), Belgrade (l.Peterson) and Roland Garros (l. Pavlyuchenkova)
  - In Charleston, won back-to-back main draw matches for the first time since 2019 to reach 3r at Volvo Car Open (l. Stephens) and then 2r at MUSC Health Women's Open (l. Tauson)
  - Made 2r at Miami (l. Osaka)
  - Suffered 1r exit at Adelaide (l. Sanders)
  - Also on home soil, posted 2r showings at Phillip Island Trophy (l. Pavlyuchenkova) and Australian Open (l. Halep – having led 5-2 in final set), and suffered 1r exit at Gippsland Trophy (l. Cornet)
  - Reached 2r in opening tournament of the season, at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Sabalenka); also reached SF in doubles (w/Kenin, l. eventual champions Aoyama/Shibahara)
- Coming off winning ninth career title at Chicago 500 defeating Jabeur in a three set final
  - Reached R16 at US Open defeating Azarenka in 3r (l. Krejcikova)
  - Made 2r exit at Montreal (after 1r bye, l. Siniakova) and 3r exit at Cincinnati (l. Krejcikova)
  - Progressed to QF at Olympics (l. Rybakina)
  - Advanced to QF at Berlin (l. Cornet - held 1MP) - first back-to-back wins on grass since 2017 Wimbledon title - and 3r at Wimbledon (l. Jabeur)
  - Reached 3r at Rome (l. Svitolina) before suffering 1r defeat at Roland Garros (l. Kostyuk)
  - Produced R16 showing at Miami (l. Andreescu) and then made 3r at Charleston (l. Putintseva via ret. w/left thigh injury)
  - Enjoyed a tremendous campaign in the Middle East, lifting the first title in nearly two years, and also the biggest one since 2017 Cincinnati, at Dubai (d. Krejcikova in F) after finishing R-Up at Doha (l. Kvitova) – is the first player to reach back-to-back finals at these two events since Wozniacki in 2017
  - Made R16 at Australian Open, falling to the eventual champion Osaka after holding 2MP at 5-3 in the final set
  - Produced R-Up finish at the Yarra Valley Classic (l. Barty) and opened the season with a 3r showing at Abu Dhabi (d. Mladenovic and Sasnovich, l. Sakkari)

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|-------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| 96    | 40       | Aces                             | 143   | 22       |
| 62%   | 162      | First serve %                    | 66%   | 82       |
| 64%   | 93       | First Serve points won %         | 66%   | 56       |
| 45%   | 124      | Second serve points won %        | 49%   | 30       |
| 57%   | 83       | Overall service points won %     | 60%   | 13       |
| 66%   | 76       | Service games won %              | 67%   | 74       |
| 55%   | 108      | Break points saved %             | 51%   | 180      |
| 34%   | 202      | First serve return points won %  | 38%   | 83       |
| 56%   | 74       | Second serve return points won % | 58%   | 47       |
| 42%   | 220      | Break points converted %         | 48%   | 109      |
| 33%   | 160      | Return games won %               | 43%   | 32       |
| 43%   | 142      | Return points won %              | 46%   | 40       |

Best win by ranking: No.17 vs Mertens in BIRMINGHAM 1r

Longest match: 3h 36m vs Ostapenko in MELBOURNE 500

Most aces in a match: 10 vs Kenin in MELBOURNE 500



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|---------------------|---|
| Runner-Up (4)       | Champion (9)  |
| 2019 - HUA HIN      | 2021 - CHICAGO 500, DUBAI   |
| 2018 - SEOUL, RABAT | 2019 - MONTERREY  |
| 2015 - PATTAYA CITY | 2018 - MONTERREY  |
|                     | 2017 - CINCINNATI, WIMBLEDON  |
|                     | 2016 - FRENCH OPEN  |
|                     | 2015 - BEIJING  |
|                     | 2014 - HOBART   |
|                     | Runner-Up (8)   |
|                     | 2021 - DOHA, MELBOURNE 500 YARRA VALLEY   |
|                     | 2020 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN  |
|                     | 2018 - DOHA   |
|                     | 2015 - WUHAN, WIMBLEDON   |
|                     | 2014 - SOFIA, FLORIANOPOLIS   |
|                     | DOUBLES FINALS  |
|                     | Champion (5)  |
|                     | 2015 - TOKYO (w/Suárez Navarro), BIRMINGHAM (w/Suárez Navarro)                            |
|                     | 2014 - STANFORD (w/Suárez Navarro), MARRAKECH (w/Oprandi)                                 |
|                     | 2013 - HOBART (w/Torró-flor)  |
|                     | Runner-Up (5)   |
|                     | 2015 - WTA FINALS (w/Suárez Navarro), MADRID (w/Suárez Navarro), DUBAI (w/Suárez Navarro) |
|                     | 2014 - TOKYO (w/Suárez Navarro), MADRID (w/Suárez Navarro)                                |

| AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |      | AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|
| 2r              | 2r            | QF        | 3r      | 2021 | 4r              | 1r            | 3r        | 4r      |
| 2r              | 1r            |           | 1r      | 2020 | RUP             | 3r            |           | 2r      |
| 1r              | 1r            | 2r        | 2r      | 2019 | 4r              | 4r            | 1r        | 1r      |
| 1r              | 1r            | 1r        | 2r      | 2018 | 2r              | SF            | 2r        | 2r      |
|                 | 1r            |           | 2r      | 2017 | QF              | 4r            | WON       | 4r      |
| 1r              |               |           |         | 2016 | 3r              | WON           | 2r        | 2r      |
| 2r              | 2r            | 2r        | 1r      | 2015 | 4r              | QF            | RUP       | 2r      |
| 2r              | 4r            | 1r        | 1r      | 2014 | 4r              | QF            | 1r        | 1r      |
|                 |               | 1r        | 2r      | 2013 | 2r              | 2r            | 2r        |         |
|                 |               |           |         | 2012 |                 |               |           | 1r      |

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**GARBIÑE  
MUGURUZA**

## CAREER MILESTONES

- Equaled best result at home Slam by advancing to 2r at 2020 Australian Open (l. Muguruza)
- Ended 2019 season by representing Australia in Perth final of Billie Jean King Cup vs. France – went 1-1 in singles (d. Parmentier, l. Mladenovic) as visitors prevailed 3-2
- Posted career-high ranking of No.39 on April 1, 2019 (following 3r run at Miami 3r)
- Four-time WTA singles finalist, most recently finishing runner-up at 2019 Hua Hin (l. Yastremska). Earlier finals came at 2015 Pattaya City (l. Hantuchova), 2018 Rabat (l. Mertens) and 2018 Seoul (l. Bertens)
- Posted two Top 10 wins in 2019, her first for almost five years, defeating No.10 Sabalenka (Miami) and No.8 Bertens (Zhengzhou). Other Top 10 defeat, and best win of career, came over No.3 A.Radwanska at 2014 Roland Garros
- Reached first Premier-level SF of career at 2019 Zhengzhou (l. eventual champion Ka.Pliskova)
- Underwent shoulder surgery in February 2016 and was sidelined for rest of season; returned at 2017 Acapulco, more than 12 months later
- Made Top 50 debut in 2015, rising as high as No.47 (week of February 23)
- Best Grand Slam result to date is R16 run at 2014 Roland Garros (d. No.32 seed Vesnina in 2r and No.3 seed A.Radwanska in 3r, l. Suárez Navarro)
- Announced in 2014 she would switch nationalities and start representing Australia (first did so at 2014 US Open)
- On ITF Circuit, winner of four singles titles and three doubles titles
- Made pro debut on ITF Circuit in Croatia in 2007 and WTA main draw debut at 2009 Indian Wells (as WC, l. 1r)
- As a junior, achieved career-high ranking of No.4, won Australian Open junior doubles title in 2009 (w/McHale), and was a member of Croatia's victorious junior Fed Cup team in 2009

- Reached fourth Grand Slam singles final of career at 2020 Australian Open (l. Kenin in 3s). Was first Spaniard to reach the final at Melbourne Park since Conchita Martinez in 1998
- In 2019, successfully defended her title in Monterrey for seventh career WTA trophy (d. Azarenka in F)
- Is a two-time Grand-Slam champion winning titles at 2016 Roland Garros (d. S.Williams in F) and 2017 Wimbledon (d. V.Williams in F). Dropped only one set in Roland Garros title run
- Is only player to ever beat both Williams sisters in a Grand Slam final and one of 29 women in the Open Era to win multiple Grand Slam titles. One of just eight players all-time to defeat Serena in a Grand Slam final
- Also finished R-Up at 2015 Wimbledon (l. S.Williams) to make Top 10 debut. Is one of two players to meet both Williams sisters in the final of the same Grand Slam – also Hingis at US Open (1997, d. V.Williams; 1999, l. S.Williams)
- First Spaniard to reach Wimbledon final since Sánchez Vicario in 1996 and first to reach any Slam final since Conchita Martínez at 2000 Roland Garros
- Rose to World No.1 on September 11, 2017 to become the 24th woman in history to hold the top spot and second from Spain (after Sánchez Vicario in 1995). Also named ITF World Champion for 2017
- Reached R16 at Rio Olympics in 2016
- In 2015, became first Spanish player to compete at the WTA Finals in singles since 2001 (Sánchez Vicario) and reached doubles final (w/Suárez Navarro, l. Hingis/Mirza). Overall, has qualified three times for the season-ending championships (2015-17)
- Owns five WTA doubles titles, most recently at 2015 Tokyo [PPO] (w/Suarez Navarro), and reached SF at 2014 Roland Garros (w/Suarez Navarro); rose to No.10 in WTA doubles rankings on February 23, 2015.
- Advanced to R16 on WTA main draw debut at 2012 Miami (l. eventual champion A.Radwanska), defeating No.9 Zvonareva en route for first Top 10 win

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently working with Vladimir Valchkov

- Coached by Conchita Martinez, formerly with



- Father is Ratko, mother is Emina; sister is Hana
- Started playing tennis at age 7 (introduced by sister). Favorite shot is backhand; favorite surface is hard
- Speaks Croatian, English, German
- Favorite movie is The Hangover; favorite actor is Brad Pitt; favorite type of music is hip hop; favorite artist is Rihanna; favorite city to visit is Charlotte, North Carolina (family)
- Likes watching basketball
- Pet peeve is loud chewing
- Best tennis memory was first time on court with Chris Evert

**Sam Sumyk**

- Mother's name is Scarlet Blanco; father's name is José Antonio Muguruza; brothers' names are Asier (an engineer) and Igor (an economist); mother is from Venezuela and father is from Spain
- Began playing tennis at age 3; first memory of the sport was playing with her brothers
- Aggressive style of play; favorite surface is hardcourts; favorite shot is serve
- Enjoys cooking, reading and listening to music
- Favorite tennis players growing up were Serena Williams and Pete Sampras.



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|--|---|--|
| 1992-03-21   | Date of Birth                           | 1997-12-15                               |
| Monte Carlo, Monaco                                | Residence                               | Lodz, Poland                             |
| Right-handed (two-handed backhand)                 | Plays                                   | Right-handed                             |
| 6' 1" (1.86 m)                                     | Height                                  | 5'7" (1.71 m)                            |
| 1  | Career-High Ranking                     | 106                                      |
| \$22,888,403                                       | Career Prize Money                      | \$625,077                                |
| \$2,486,970  | Season Prize Money                      | \$145,468                                |
| 0 / 16   | Singles Titles YTD / Career             | 0 / 0                                    |
| 76-37 (Runner-Up: 2021 WIMBLEDON;<br>2016 US OPEN) | Grand Slam W-L (best)                   | 1-3 (Round of 64: 2018 ROLAND<br>GARROS) |
| 0-0 / 18-6 (Semi-Finalist: 2017, 2016)             | YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L<br>(best) | 1-0 / 1-0                                |
| 34-17 / 357-184                                    | YTD / Career W-L                        | 5-6 / 14-30                              |
| 11-4 / 113-61                                      | YTD / Career 3-Set W-L                  | 1-2 / 4-10                               |
| 7-5 / 71-77  | YTD / Career TB W-L                     | 1-1 / 3-5                                |
| 2-2 / 20-22  | YTD / Career TOP 5 W-L                  | 0-0 / 0-1                                |
| Runner-Up: MONTREAL, WIMBLEDON,<br>ROME            | YTD Best Result                         | Champion: CONCORD 125                    |



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## HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

| YEAR | TOURNAMENT | SURFACE | ROUND | WINNER | SCORE/ RESULT | TIME |
|------|------------|---------|-------|--------|---------------|------|
|------|------------|---------|-------|--------|---------------|------|

First career meeting

## RANKING HISTORY

| TOP RANK | YEAR-END | YEAR | TOP RANK | YEAR-END |
|----------|----------|------|----------|----------|
| 2        | 6        | 2020 | 155      | 156      |
| 2        | 2        | 2019 | 149      | 198      |
| 4        | 8        | 2018 | 115      | 151      |
| 1        | 4        | 2017 | 165      | 166      |
| 5        | 6        | 2016 | 320      | 321      |
| 7        | 11       | 2015 | 374      | 459      |
| 24       | 24       | 2014 | 493      | 493      |
| 63       | 67       | 2013 | 977      | 1008     |
| 107      | 120      | 2012 | -        | -        |
| 159      | 159      | 2011 | -        | -        |



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

*Total time on court: 0m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making seventh appearance at BNP Paribas Open, where her best results are SF runs in 2016 (l. eventual champion Azarenka) and 2017 (l. Kuznetsova)
- After 1r bye, faces No.106 Frech in 2r today; last defeat to a player ranked outside Top 100 came at hands of No.292 Gasanova in opening tournament of 2021 campaign at Abu Dhabi
- Owns 4-8 career record against players from Poland in main draw matches, while is 0-1 this season (l. Swiatek 6-0 6-0 in Rome final)
- Has lost three times to qualifiers this season, against Gasanova at Abu Dhabi, Pegula at Doha and Giorgi at Eastbourne
- Is top seed this fortnight; has been seeded every year here except her debut in 2014
- Has notched up 19 victories in her past five tournaments; by contrast she compiled 15 wins across her opening 12 events of the season
- Enters Indian Wells, ranked first on Tour for aces hit this season, with 381
- One of five Czech women in 2r line-up (seven in starting field). Best result by a Czech woman at Indian Wells was Sukova's R-Up finish in 1990
- Owns 10 career WTA singles titles on hard courts, at 2013 Kuala Lumpur, 2014 Seoul, 2014 Linz, 2016 Cincinnati, 2017 Brisbane, 2017 Doha, 2018 Tokyo, 2019-2020 Brisbane and 2019 Zhengzhou
- Is currently ranked No.3, having returned to Top 10 following Wimbledon R-Up finish and Top 5 after run to the final at Montréal

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. ZHENG (#89) 6-1 6-4 (1h 25m)

*Total time on court: 1h 25m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making Indian Wells debut (main draw and qualifying)
- Beat Cabrera and Marino in qualifying earlier this week
- In 1r of main draw, overcame No.89 Saisai Zheng - third Top-100 win of the season and 10th of her career
- Has now won five main draw matches in 2021, the most she has amassed in a single season during her career to date
- Including qualifying and 1r here, has won 18 of her past 22 matches (at all levels)
- Faces No.3 Karolina Pliskova in 2r today; two previous meetings with Top-10 ranked opponents ended in defeats to No.10 Stephens (2018 Roland Garros) and No.2 Halep (2020 Prague)
- In terms of ranking, best career win came over No.69 Pera in 2019 Brisbane qualifying
- Currently ranked at career-high No.106 (October 4, 2021)
- One of three players from Poland in draw (also No.2 seed Swiatek and Linette). Best result by a Polish woman at Indian Wells was A.Radwanska's R-Up finish in 2014
- Eight qualifiers and lucky losers are in 2r line-up. The best result by a qualifier here was Jenny Byrne R-Up finish in 1989, while more recently Gisela Dulko (2004), Casey Dellacqua (2014) and Lesia Tsurenko (2015) have made the QF



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## RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

| 2019 | Result | Rank: 5                                | Seed: 5  |
|------|--------|--|----------|
| QF   | L      | B. BENCIC (#23) 6-3 4-6 6-3            |          |
| 4r   | W      | A. KONTAVEIT (#21) 7-6(0) 4-6 6-2      |          |
| 3r   | W      | Y. BONAVENTURE (#144) 6-3 6-2          |          |
| 2r   | W      | M. DOI (#121) 6-7(4) 6-1 6-1           |          |
| 2018 | Result | Rank: 5                                | Seed: 5  |
| QF   | L      | N. OSAKA (#44) 6-2 6-3                 |          |
| 4r   | W      | A. ANISIMOVA (#149) 6-1 7-6(2)         |          |
| 3r   | W      | S. ZHANG (#33) 7-5 5-7 6-3             |          |
| 2r   | W      | I. BEGU (#36) 7-6(4) 6-1               |          |
| 2017 | Result | Rank: 3                                | Seed: 3  |
| SF   | L      | S. KUZNETSOVA (#8) 7-6(5) 7-6(2)       |          |
| QF   | W      | G. MUGURUZA (#7) 7-6(2) 7-6(5)         |          |
| 4r   | W      | T. BACSINSZKY (#16) 5-1                |          |
| 3r   | W      | I. BEGU (#32) 6-4 7-6(2)               |          |
| 2r   | W      | M. PUIG (#43) 1-6 6-4 6-4              |          |
| 2016 | Result | Rank: 19                               | Seed: 18 |
| SF   | L      | V. AZARENKA (#15) 7-6(1) 1-6 6-2       |          |
| QF   | W      | D. KASATKINA (#48) 6-3 6-2             |          |
| 4r   | W      | J. KONTA (#26) 7-6(2) 3-6 6-3          |          |
| 3r   | W      | A. IVANOVIC (#18) 6-2 6-0              |          |
| 2r   | W      | S. ROGERS (#107) 6-2 6-4               |          |
| 2015 | Result | Rank: 15                               | Seed: 14 |
| 4r   | L      | S. HALEP (#3) 6-4 6-4                  |          |
| 3r   | W      | G. MUGURUZA (#22) 7-5 6-4              |          |
| 2r   | W      | L. ARRUBARRRENA (#92) 6-3 7-5          |          |
| 2014 | Result | Rank: 67                               | Seed: -  |
| 3r   | L      | N. LI (#2) 6-3 6-4                     |          |
| 2r   | W      | K. KOUKALOVA (#29) 7-5 6-2             |          |
| 1r   | W      | M. LARCHER DE BRITO (#123) 6-2 3-6 6-2 |          |

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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## SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Finished R-Up at Montréal (L. Giorgi), then advanced to SF at Cincinnati (L. Teichmann) and QF at US Open (L. Ka.Pliskova)
- Reached 3r at Olympics (L. Giorgi)
- Returned to form at Wimbledon where she reached second Grand Slam final (L. Barty in 3s)
- Began grass court season with 2r exit at Berlin (after 1r bye, L. Pegula for the fourth time this season), then fell 1r at Eastbourne (L. Giorgi)
- Reached Rome final for third year in a row, finishing R-Up (L. Swiatek), then fell 2r at Roland Garros (L. Stephens)
- Advanced to QF at Stuttgart (L. eventual champion Barty in 3s) then fell 2r at Madrid (L. Pavlyuchenkova)
- Was upset by Pegula at three consecutive tournaments in March, first in QF at Doha, then in 3r at both Dubai and at Miami
- At Melbourne Park, reached 3r at Australian Open (L. Muchova) and the Yarra Valley Classic in Melbourne (L. Collins)
- Made 2r in opening tournament of the season, at Abu Dhabi (L. No.292 Gasanova)

- Fell 1r at Chicago 500 (as qualifier, L. Pegula)
- Won fifth ITF Circuit title of her career at \$60k Prague, CZE. Followed this with 2r showing at WTA 125K Series event at Karlsruhe
- Reached QF at \$100k ITF/Landisville-PA, USA and contested qualifying at US Open
- Won biggest title of her career at WTA 125K Series event in Concord
- Reached 2r at Hamburg (L. Yastremska) and fell 1r at Gdynia (L. Párrizas Díaz)
- Made exits in 1r at Berlin (as qualifier, L. Keys) and in qualifying at Wimbledon
- Fell in qualifying at Roland Garros
- Remained in the United States in May, competing in a series of ITF Circuit events, including SF run at \$100k Charleston-SC
- Progressed through qualifying to reach 2r at Charleston (L. Muguruza)
- Made qualifying exits at Dubai and St.Petersburg
- In first Tour outing of the year, fell 1r at Lyon (as qualifier, L. Ferro in 3s)
- Opened season by reaching 2r at \$25k ITF/Altenkirchen-GER

| VALUE | WTA RANK | MATCH STATS                      | VALUE | WTA RANK |
|-------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| 353   | 1        | Aces                             | 41    | 105      |
| 62%   | 172      | First serve %                    | 61%   | 188      |
| 70%   | 18       | First Serve points won %         | 63%   | 110      |
| 44%   | 161      | Second serve points won %        | 47%   | 83       |
| 60%   | 17       | Overall service points won %     | 57%   | 86       |
| 71%   | 31       | Service games won %              | 68%   | 54       |
| 60%   | 34       | Break points saved %             | 57%   | 56       |
| 35%   | 171      | First serve return points won %  | 38%   | 84       |
| 53%   | 186      | Second serve return points won % | 51%   | 246      |
| 43%   | 205      | Break points converted %         | 43%   | 204      |
| 33%   | 158      | Return games won %               | 34%   | 143      |
| 42%   | 188      | Return points won %              | 43%   | 154      |

Best win by ranking: No.3 vs Sabalenka in MONTREAL SF  
Longest match: 2h 35m vs Vekic in MONTREAL 2r  
Match points saved: 1 vs Anisimova in MONTREAL 3r  
3 vs Ostapenko in ROME QF  
Most aces in a match: 24 vs Anisimova in US OPEN 2r

Best win by ranking: No.89 vs Zheng in INDIAN WELLS 1r  
Longest match: 2h 54m vs Ferro in LYON 1r  
Shortest match: 1h 6m vs Pegula in CHICAGO 500 1r  
Match points saved: 2 vs Scott in CONCORD 125 QF  
Most aces in a match: 6 vs Marino in CONCORD 125 1r



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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (16)

2020 - BRISBANE  
2019 - ZHENGZHOU, EASTBOURNE, ROME,  
BRISBANE  
2018 - TOKYO, STUTTGART  
2017 - EASTBOURNE, DOHA, BRISBANE  
2016 - CINCINNATI, NOTTINGHAM  
2015 - PRAGUE  
2014 - LINZ, SEOUL  
2013 - KUALA LUMPUR

Runner-Up (16)

2021 - MONTREAL, WIMBLEDON, ROME  
2020 - ROME  
2019 - MIAMI  
2018 - TIANJIN  
2016 - US OPEN, EASTBOURNE  
2015 - ZHUHAI, STANFORD, BIRMINGHAM, DUBAI,  
SYDNEY  
2014 - HONG KONG, NÜRNBERG, PATTAYA CITY

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2016 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Strycova)  
2014 - HONG KONG (w/Pliskova), BAD GASTEIN  
(w/Pliskova), NÜRNBERG (w/Krajicek)  
2013 - LINZ (w/Pliskova)

Runner-Up (2)

2016 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Goerges)  
2013 - PALERMO (w/Pliskova)



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## GRAND SLAMS

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|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|
| 3r              | 2r            | RUP       | QF      | 2021 |                 |               |           |         |
| 3r              | 2r            |           | 2r      | 2020 |                 |               |           |         |
| SF              | 3r            | 4r        | 4r      | 2019 |                 |               |           | 1r      |
| QF              | 3r            | 4r        | QF      | 2018 | 1r              | 2r            |           |         |
| QF              | SF            | 2r        | QF      | 2017 |                 |               |           |         |
| 3r              | 1r            | 2r        | RUP     | 2016 |                 |               |           |         |
| 3r              | 2r            | 2r        | 1r      | 2015 |                 |               |           |         |
| 2r              | 2r            | 2r        | 3r      | 2014 |                 |               |           |         |
| 1r              | 1r            | 2r        | 1r      | 2013 |                 |               |           |         |
|                 | 1r            | 1r        |         | 2012 |                 |               |           |         |





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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Reached two finals across 2020, at Brisbane (d. Keys) and Rome (l. Halep via ret.). Has won at least one title every year since 2013
- Lifted a WTA-leading four titles across the 2019 season (tied with Barty) – triumphed at Brisbane, Rome, Eastbourne and Zhengzhou. Dropped 19 games across five matches during Eastbourne title win (d. Kerber in F) – most economic title run in 2019
- Also reached first Premier Mandatory final at Miami, losing to Barty in straight sets, and produced best Australian Open performance of career, reaching SF (l. eventual champion Osaka in 3s); saved four match points to beat S.Williams in QF
- Lost to twin sister Kr.Pliskova in 2r at Birmingham, in what was their first career main draw encounter
- Made fourth straight appearance at the WTA Finals in 2019, reaching SF for the third year in a row
- Won two titles in 2018 from three finals contested, triumphing at Stuttgart (d. Vandeweghe in F) and Tokyo [PPO] (d. Osaka in F). Posted R-Up finish in Tianjin (l. Garcia in F)
- Won Billie Jean King Cup for Czech Republic in 2015-16 and 2018
- Claimed No.1 ranking on July 17, 2017 despite making 2r exit at Wimbledon (l. Rybarikova). Was the first Czech woman to achieve the No.1 ranking since the computer rankings were introduced in 1975 (Martina Navratilova became No.1 on July 10, 1978 while representing USA)
- Won three titles in 2017, at Brisbane (d. Cornet in F), Doha (d. Wozniacki in F) and Eastbourne (d. Wozniacki in F)
- Is a Grand Slam finalist, reaching the title match at 2016 US Open (l. Kerber)
- Captured fifth WTA doubles title of career at 2016 Birmingham (w/Strycova). At 2013 Linz, with sister Kristyna, became first set of twins to ever win a tour-level doubles title
- Made Top 10 debut after 2015 Stanford R-Up finish; was first time in WTA history that three Czech women ranked inside Top 10 at the same time (also Kvitova and Safarova)
- Scored first Top 20 win of her career over No.16 Petrova in 1r at 2013 Wimbledon
- Won first career WTA title at 2013 Kuala Lumpur (d. Mattek-Sands) and followed it up with two more in 2014 Seoul (d. Lepchenko) and 2014 Linz (d. Giorgi)
- Reached first WTA QF as WC at 2008 Prague (l. Azarenka)
- Campaign in 2020 was highlighted by maiden WTA QF, at Prague (as LL, l. eventual champion Halep) – first back-to-back main draw wins at a WTA event
- Only other WTA main draw appearance in 2020 was 1r exit at Lyon (as qualifier, l. Tomova); also won her fourth career singles title on ITF Circuit, at \$25K Bendigo-AUS and contested qualifying at Australian Open, Dubai and Doha
- Appeared in six WTA main draws in 2019, falling 1r at Dubai (l. Kasatkina), Charleston (l. Buzarnescu), Lugano (l. Peterson), Nottingham (l. Mladenovic), US Open (l. Siegemund) and Guangzhou (l. Stojanovic)
- In 2018, made 2r at Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Stephens), Rabat (l. Fett), Nottingham (l. Jakupovic) and San Jose (l. Tomljanovic). Also fell 1r at six other tour-level events, including qualifying for Grand Slam debut at Australian Open
- Achieved career high singles ranking of No.115 after 2018 Roland Garros run (July 2, 2018)
- Won two of her four ITF singles titles in 2017, at \$25k ITF/Leipzig-GER and \$25k ITF/Braunschweig-GER – both on clay
- Played first WTA qualifying event at home tournament in Katowice in 2013, falling to Raluca. Made WTA main draw debut at Katowice the following year (as wildcard, l. Meusburger in 1r)

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently coached by Sascha Bajin; fitness coach is Martin Nosko and Ivan Trebatickia; trains at and plays for Sparta Praha tennis club
  - Married Michal Hrdlicka after 2018 Wimbledon
  - Away from the court, enjoys fresh-water fishing, as well as contributing to her foundation which benefits various causes, including pediatric oncology and children battling cancer in her native Czech Republic
  - Enjoys listening to Czech pop music and watching movies (favorites is Public Enemies). Favorite author is Paulo Coelho
- Coached by Andrzej Kobierski
  - Started playing tennis aged six.



# MATCH NOTES

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MEETING



WIN




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**VIKTORIJA  
GOLUBIC**  
SWITZERLAND

**MARIA  
SAKKARI**  
GREECE


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|   |                                      |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1992-10-16                              | Date of Birth                        | 1995-07-25   |
| Zürich, Switzerland                     | Residence                            | Monte Carlo, Monaco                                |
| Right-handed (one-handed backhand)      | Plays                                | Right-handed (two-handed backhand)                 |
| 5' 7" (1.69 m)                          | Height                               | 5' 8" (1.72 m)                                     |
| 45                                      | Career-High Ranking                  | 9  |
| \$2,467,827                             | Career Prize Money                   | \$5,149,164  |
| \$717,376                               | Season Prize Money                   | \$1,608,545  |
| 0 / 1                                   | Singles Titles YTD / Career          | 0 / 1  |
| 8-19 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021 WIMBLEDON) | Grand Slam W-L (best)                | 37-23 (Semi-Finalist: 2021 US OPEN, ROLAND-GARROS) |
| 1-0 / 1-2 (Round of 128: 2019, 2017)    | YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L (best) | 0-0 / 3-2 (Round of 16: 2018)                      |
| 19-14 / 65-76                           | YTD / Career W-L                     | 34-16 / 126-102                                    |
| 5-7 / 28-37                             | YTD / Career 3-Set W-L               | 7-9 / 37-45  |
| 5-2 / 18-26                             | YTD / Career TB W-L                  | 4-6 / 32-21  |
| 0-2 / 1-7                               | YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L              | 7-4 / 17-17  |
| Champion: SAINT-MALO 125K               | YTD Best Result                      | Runner-Up: OSTRAVA                                 |



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

| YEAR                 | TOURNAMENT | SURFACE | ROUND | WINNER | SCORE/ RESULT | TIME |
|----------------------|------------|---------|-------|--------|---------------|------|
| First career meeting |            |         |       |        |               |      |

RANKING HISTORY

| TOP RANK | YEAR-END | YEAR | TOP RANK | YEAR-END |
|----------|----------|------|----------|----------|
| 76       | 137      | 2020 | 20       | 22       |
| 65       | 81       | 2019 | 22       | 23       |
| 89       | 92       | 2018 | 29       | 41       |
| 51       | 128      | 2017 | 48       | 52       |
| 53       | 57       | 2016 | 89       | 89       |
| 178      | 178      | 2015 | 184      | 188      |
| 156      | 227      | 2014 | 284      | 301      |
| 192      | 193      | 2013 | 587      | 610      |
| 497      | 609      | 2012 | 568      | 627      |
| 560      | 564      | 2011 | 702      | 702      |



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. VONDROUSOVA (#37) 6-1 4-6 6-3 (1h 52m)

*Total time on court: 1h 52m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making third main draw appearance (fifth overall) at Indian Wells; has fallen in 1r both times in 2017 (l. Davis) and 2019 (as qualifier, l. Strycova)
- Earned first win at the BNP Paribas Open over No.37 Vondrousova in 1r
- Faces No.9 Sakkari in 2r today; owns one career win against a Top 10 player over No.6 Muguruza at 2016 Linz
- Is 0-2 against Top 10 players this year falling to No.2 Osaka at the Olympics at and No.7 Andreescu at the US Open; best by-ranking win this year was over No.11 Bencic at Eastbourne
- Owns 23-20 career record against seeded players, with a record in 2021 standing at 5-3
- Best career result on hardcourts is runner-up finishes at 2016 Linz (l. Cibulkova), 2021 Lyon (l. Tauson) and 2021 Monterrey (l. Fernandez)
- Only player from Switzerland remaining out of three who were on the original draw; countrywoman Bencic withdrew yesterday from her 2r match with a knee injury
- Best result by Switzerland at Indian Wells was title run by Hingis in 1998
- Also playing doubles with countrywoman Teichmann

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

*Total time on court: 0m*


### PLAYER NOTES

- Making third main draw appearance (fifth overall) in Indian Wells where she is seeded for the first time
- Best result is reaching R16 on debut in 2018 (l. eventual champion Osaka); fell in 1r last year (l. Mchale)
- After a 1r bye, faces No.46 Golubic in 2r today; has suffered four losses to players outside the Top 40 this year most recently to No.150 Raducanu in SF of US Open
- Owns 4-2 career record against players from Switzerland
- Has lost her opening match three times this year at Australian Open (l. Mladenovic), Dubai (l. Krejickova) and Cincinnati (l. Kerber)
- Best career result on hardcourts is Runner-Up finish which she has reached 2 times: 2019 San Jose and most recently 2021 Ostrava
- Is currently ranked No.9 making her Top 10 debut after reaching final at Ostrava; this time last year was ranked No.24
- By reaching SF at US Open and final at Ostrava, has won eight of her last ten matches
- Currently sitting at No.5 on the Porsche Race to the WTA Finals



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**MARIA SAKKARI**

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

| 2019 | Result | Rank: 82                     | Seed: - |
|------|--------|------------------------------|---------|
| 1r   | L      | B. STRYCOVA (#50) 6-2 7-6(4) |         |
| 2017 | Result | Rank: 56                     | Seed: - |
| 1r   | L      | L. DAVIS (#38) 6-4 4-6 7-5   |         |

| 2019 | Result | Rank: 41                    | Seed: - |
|------|--------|-----------------------------|---------|
| 1r   | L      | C. MCHALE (#140) 7-5 6-0    |         |
| 2018 | Result | Rank: 58                    | Seed: - |
| 4r   | L      | N. OSAKA (#44) 6-1 5-7 6-1  |         |
| 3r   | W      | C. VANDEWEGHE (#16) 6-2 6-4 |         |
| 2r   | W      | A. BARTY (#21) 6-4 6-2      |         |
| 1r   | W      | D. VEKIC (#52) 6-4 6-2      |         |



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SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Coming off 1r loss at Chicago 500 (l. Anisimova)
  - Reached 2r at Chicago 250 (l. Peterson) and made 1r exit at US Open (l. Andreescu)
  - Fell 1r at Montreal (l. Badosa) and in qualifying at Cincinnati (l. Ferro)
  - Defeated in 2r in singles at Olympics (l. Osaka); won doubles silver medal w/Bencic
  - Made Grand Slam breakthrough at Wimbledon, advancing to QF (l. Ka.Pliskova). Also on grass, reached 3r at Nottingham (l. Van Uytvanck) and fell 1r at Birmingham (l. Watson)
  - Made SF at \$60k ITF/Saint-Gaudens-FRA, before suffering 1r exits at Parma (l. Friedsam) and Roland Garros (l. Kontaveit)
  - Kicked off clay court season with 2r showing at Istanbul (l. Mertens), then won title at WTA 125K Series event at Saint-Malo
  - Finished R-Up at Lyon (as qualifier, l. Tauson) and Monterrey (as qualifier, l.Fernandez)
  - Continued to play on ITF Circuit in February, highlighted by her 10th career title at this level,at \$25k Grenoble-FRA
  - Opened season with R-Up finish at \$25k ITF/Fujairah-UAE (l. Tauson), then fell in qualifying for Australian Open
- Coming off run to final at Ostrava for third WTA final appearance (l. Kontaveit); broke into Top 10 for the first time on Sept. 27
  - Reached second Grand Slam SF of the year by advancing to final four at US Open (l. eventual champion Raducanu)
  - Made 3r at Montreal (l. Azarenka) before making 1r exit at Cincinnati (l. Kerber)
  - Reached 2r at Wimbledon (l. Rogers) and 3r at Olympics (l. Svitolina)
  - At Roland Garros, became first Greek woman to reach a Grand Slam SF run at Roland-Garros (l. to eventual champion Krejcikova, having held 1MP in third set)
  - Started clay court campaign by reaching 2r at Stuttgart (l. Kvitova) and then 3r at Madrid (l. Muchova)
  - Advanced to SF at Miami (l. Andreescu) - first Greek woman to reach this stage since former World No.14 Daniilidou in 2004
  - Victory over No.2 Osaka in Miami was one of six Top-5 wins in her career – also No.5 Ka.Pliskova (2018 Rome), No.5 Kvitova (2019 Rome), No.5 Bencic (2020 St. Petersburg), No.5 Svitolina (2020 Ostrava) and No.4 Kenin (2021 Abu Dhabi)
  - Advanced to QF at Doha (l. Muguruza) and then made 1r exit at Dubai (l. eventual R-Up Krejcikova)
  - Upset in 1r at Australian Open (l. Mladenovic)
  - Opened season with back-to-back SF runs at Abu Dhabi (d. No.4 Kenin in QF, l. eventual champion Sabalenka) and Grampians Trophy (l. Kontaveit)

| VALUE | WTA RANK | MATCH STATS                      | VALUE | WTA RANK |
|-------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| 22    | 145      | Aces                             | 221   | 8        |
| 71%   | 33       | First serve %                    | 58%   | 251      |
| 61%   | 162      | First Serve points won %         | 69%   | 27       |
| 44%   | 140      | Second serve points won %        | 46%   | 95       |
| 56%   | 95       | Overall service points won %     | 60%   | 22       |
| 65%   | 94       | Service games won %              | 68%   | 65       |
| 55%   | 87       | Break points saved %             | 54%   | 138      |
| 37%   | 107      | First serve return points won %  | 40%   | 46       |
| 58%   | 39       | Second serve return points won % | 52%   | 209      |
| 48%   | 100      | Break points converted %         | 43%   | 212      |

41%  
46  
Return games won %  
38%  
79

46%  
51  
Return points won %  
44%  
88



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es by: 2h 58m vs Bencic in PARIS No.9 vs Swiatek in ROLAND-GARROS 3r  
Longest match: 2h 58m vs Friedsam in PARIS  
Shortest match: 48m vs Ahn in NOTTING  
Most aces in a match: 2 vs Bencic in EASTBOURNE 2r  
2 vs Friedsam in PARMA 1r  
2 vs Kalinskaya in MONTERREY QF

No.9 vs Swiatek in ROLAND-GARROS 3r  
50m vs Andreescu in US OPEN 4r  
Shortest match: 50m vs Rus in WIMBLEDON F  
Most aces in a match: 11 vs Muguruza in ABU DHABI 3r

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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)  
2021 - SAINT-MALO 125K  
2019 - INDIAN WELLS 125K  
2016 - GSTAAD  
Runner-Up (3)  
2021 - MONTERREY, LYON  
2016 - LINZ

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)  
2021 - OLYMPICS (w/Bencic)  
2017 - GSTAAD (w/Stojanovic)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)  
2019 - RABAT  
  
Runner-Up (2)  
2021 - OSTRAVA  
2018 - SAN JOSE

| AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |      | AUSTRALIAN OPEN | ROLAND GARROS | WIMBLEDON | US OPEN |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|---------|
|                 | 1r            | QF        | 1r      | 2021 | 1r              | SF            | 2r        | SF      |
| 1r              |               |           | 1r      | 2020 | 4r              | 3r            |           | 4r      |
| 1r              | 1r            | 3r        | 1r      | 2019 | 3r              | 2r            | 3r        | 3r      |
| 1r              | 1r            | 1r        |         | 2018 | 1r              | 3r            | 1r        | 2r      |
| 1r              | 1r            | 2r        | 1r      | 2017 | 3r              | 1r            | 3r        | 3r      |
| 1r              | 2r            |           | 1r      | 2016 | 2r              |               | 2r        | 1r      |
|                 |               |           |         | 2015 |                 |               |           | 1r      |





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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Ended 2020 outside Top 100 (at No.137) for first time since 2017 – after a campaign in which she fell 1r three times (including Australian Open and US Open) and in qualifying on four occasions
- Other than run to SF at Guangzhou, highlights of 2019 season include QF runs at Hua Hin and last week in Nanchang, and 3r showing at Wimbledon – the deepest run of her career at a major
- Finished 2018 ranked No.92 for second-best career-end finish (after No.57 in 2016)
- Made 2r at three events in 2018, at Gstaad, Hiroshima and Wuhan, and fell 1r on seven occasions  
Also won ninth career title on ITF Circuit at \$80k Poitiers-FRA
- The 2017 campaign saw her play all four Grand Slam main draws for first time in her career and post career-high ranking of No.51 on April 3, 2017
- Ended 2016 at No.57 for best year-end finish of career (up from No.178 in 2015)
- Season highlights were winning maiden WTA singles title at Gstaad (d. Bertens in F) and R-Up finish at Linz (l. Cibulkova in F)
- Made Slam debut at 2016 Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Suárez Navarro in 1r) and qualified for Roland Garros, reaching 2r (l. Safarova). Prior to 2016 Australian Open, had fallen six times in Grand Slam qualifying
- Other 2016 highlights included QFs at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Bencic), Tokyo [Japan Open] (l. eventual champion McHale) and Guangzhou (l. Kontaveit). Reached 2r at Katowice (l. Babos) and Bastad (l. Errani), and fell 1r at Cincinnati (l. Nara) and Luxembourg (l. Lisicki)
- Posted first and second Top 50 wins (vs. No.18 Ka. Pliskova and No.33 Strycova) during 2016 Fed Cup World Group SF against Czech Republic
- Entering 2016, had posted just two tour-level main draw wins in career. By comparison, registered 20 main draw wins in 2016
- Prior to 2016 had contested two tour-level events, having come through qualifying on both occasions: 2013 Bad Gastein (d. Bertens, l. Hlavackova), 2014 Shenzhen (d. Wozniack, l. Beck)
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2010 Budapest, and main draw debut at 2013 Bad Gastein
- Debut on ITF Circuit came at \$10k ITF/Budapest-HUN in 2008
- Secured best year-end ranking of No.22 in 2020; broke into Top 20 on February 24 for first time, at No.20
- Scored third and fourth Top 5 wins of her career last season, over No.5 Svitolina at Ostrava and No.5 Bencic (2020 St. Petersburg). Previous wins came over No.5 Ka.Pliskova (2018 Rome) and No.5 Kvitova (2019 Rome, via ret.)
- Upset No.10 seed Keys to reach the R16 for the first time at one of the four Slams, at 2020 Australian Open (l. Kvitova)
- Qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai in 2019 for first time in career (fell in RR stage). That season won maiden WTA title at Rabat, recovering from a set and break down to defeat Konta in final
- Highlights of 2018 were reaching her first tour-level final at San Jose (l. Buzarnescu) and scoring maiden Top 5 win over No.5 Ka.Pliskova in 2r at Rome
- Notched first Top 10 victory of career over No.6 Wozniacki en route to first WTA SF of career at 2017 Wuhan Open
- Broke into Top 50 for first time at No.49 on October 9, 2017
- At 2016 Australian Open, by reaching 2r (d. Y.Wang, l. Suárez Navarro) became the first woman from Greece to win a main draw match at a Slam since Daniilidou d. Ka.Pliskova at 2013 Australian Open
- Reached first career WTA QF at 2016 Istanbul (as qualifier, l. Kovinic)
- Fell 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2015 US Open (as qualifier, l. Q.Wang)
- WTA qualifying debut came at 2012 Palermo
- Made debut on ITF Circuit in 2010; owns seven ITF Circuit singles titles and five in doubles

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Phillip Wallbank
- Mother, Vucica Golubic was born in Serbia and father, Ignacije Golubic was born in Croatia; both are now Swiss nationals
- Has a sister, Natalija and two brothers, Kristijan and David
- Began playing tennis at age 5; sister played tennis and family was fan of sport
- Favorite surface is hard; favorite shot is backhand
- Tennis idol growing up was Monica Seles (played with two hands both sides until age 11)
- Speaks German, English, Serbian and Croatian
- Practiced Kung Fu for a while; also enjoys Harry Potter books (has read each one multiple times).

- Coached by Tom Hill
- Parents are Konstantinos and Angeliki; brother is Yannis (studies at Boston University) and sister is Amanda. Introduced to tennis by parents at age 6; mother played on WTA; achieved a Top 50 singles ranking
- Born and raised in Athens; moved to Barcelona at age 18 to train
- Favorite surfaces are hard and clay; favorite shot is serve
- Tennis idols are Serena Williams, Rafael Nadal and Roger Federer
- During free time enjoys going back to Greece and seeing friends.