

## DAY 1 MATCH-UPS

**Q** CAMILA GIORGI

**1-5**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD

KAROLINA PLISKOVA **5**

*Pliskova prevailed in their most recent meeting in three sets, at 2019 Australian Open... Giorgi owns one title on grass and reached QF at 2018 Wimbledon... Pliskova is one of three former champions in the draw*

**8** ANASTASIA PAVLYUCHENKOVA

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

JELENA OSTAPENKO **WC**

*Ostapenko won their only grass court encounter, at 2016 Birmingham... Pavlyuchenkova is playing first match since memorable run to Roland Garros final... Both players have reached QF before at Eastbourne*

**WC** HARRIET DART

**0-1**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD

ELENA RYBAKINA

*Rybakina overcame Dart en route to ITF Circuit final in Istanbul three years ago... Dart is one of two home representatives in the draw this week... Rybakina's best result on grass was SF run at 's-Hertogenbosch in 2019*

ANETT KONTAVEIT

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

SVETLANA KUZNETSOVA

*Kuznetsova triumphed in three tough sets when they met in Rome last September... Kontaveit lifted her sole WTA title on grass, at 's-Hertogenbosch back in 2017... Kuznetsova was Eastbourne champion in 2004 and is playing here for the 11th time*

**Q** VIKTORIJA GOLUBIC

**0-1**  
HEAD-TO-HEAD RECORD

SAMANTHA STOSUR **WC**

*Stosur won their SF match-up at 2019 Guangzhou... After her two wins in qualifying here, Golubic has won 37 matches across all levels this season... Stosur playing only second tournament since the Australian swing in February*

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## [Q] CAMILA GIORGI (ITA #75) VS. [5] KAROLINA PLISKOVA (CZE #10)

Head-to-head: KAROLINA PLISKOVA leads 5-1

2019	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	O	R3	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	6-4 3-6 6-2
2017	CINCINNATI	HARD	O	R3	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	6-3 4-6 6-0
2017	PRAGUE	CLAY	O	R1	CAMILA GIORGI	7-6(6) 6-2
2016	PRAGUE	CLAY	O	QF	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	6-2 6-1
2014	LINZ	HARD	1	F	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	6-7(4) 6-3 7-6(4)
2014	DUBAI	HARD	O	QUAL.	KAROLINA PLISKOVA	7-5 6-2

GIORGI		PLISKOVA	
Career Prize Money	\$4,333,389	Career Prize Money	\$20,968,060
Plays	Right-handed	Plays	Right-handed
Date of Birth (Age)	Dec. 30, 1991 (29)	Date of Birth (Age)	Mar. 21, 1992 (29)
Singles Titles	2	Singles Titles	16
Eastbourne W-L (MD)	4-5	Eastbourne W-L (MD)	16-3
YTD / Career W-L (MD)	7-8 / 159-147	YTD / Career W-L (MD)	15-11 / 338-178
3-Set (YTD / Career)	3-3 / 28-21	3-Set (YTD / Career)	7-2 / 109-59
Grass Court (YTD / Career)	1-1 / 6-8	Grass Court (YTD / Career)	0-1 / 37-18
Top 10 W-L (YTD / Career)	0-1 / 9-21	Top 10 W-L (YTD / Career)	0-1 / 29-39
Coach	Pietro Cortecchi/Sergio Giorgi	Coach	Sascha Bajin

### GIORGI:

#### Eastbourne

- Making sixth appearance in Eastbourne; best result came on debut in 2014 by reaching QF (I. Wozniacki)
- Most recently fell in 1r in 2019 (I. Hsieh)
- Earned spot in main draw by coming through qualifying rounds defeating Linette in comeback three set match and Tomljanovic
- Faces No.10 Ka.Pliskova for seventh time in career however will be first match-up on grass
- Owns nine wins in career against Top 10 players most recently over No.2 Wozniacki at 2018 Tokyo
- Fell in only match against a Top 10 player so far this year retiring in match against No.4 Kenin at the Yarra Valley Classic
- Owns one title on grass lifting the trophy at 2015 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Bencic in F)
- Sole Italian in the draw this year

#### Season

- Began grass court season by making 2r at Birmingham (I. Vekic)
- Reached 2r at Parma (I. eventual champion Gauff) and Roland Garros (I. Gracheva)
- Suffered 1r defeats at Madrid (I. Samsonova) and Rome (I. Sorribes Tormo - at 3h51m is the longest match on Tour in 2021)

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- Fell 1r at Miami (I. Samsonova)<br>
- Advanced to QF at Lyon (I. eventual champion Tauson)
- Opened the season with 2r showings at Yarra Valley Classic (I. Kenin via ret. w/left thigh injury) and Australian Open (I. Swiatek)

### **Career Milestones**

- During a disrupted 2020, reached SF at Palermo and QF at Lyon, finishing the year at No.76
- In 2019, reached seventh and eighth singles finals of her career, posting R-Up finishes at Washington DC (I. Pegula) and the Bronx (I. Linette)
- Missed entire 2019 clay court season w/wrist and ankle injuries
- Played Fed Cup in 2019 for first time since 2016 - lost both her matches (I. Golubic, Bencic) as Italy fell to a 3-1 defeat to Switzerland
- Ended 2018 season perched at a career-best ranking of No.26, winning second career title in final event at Linz (d. Alexandrova in F). Won 29 tour-level matches in 2018 – the most wins she had previously posted in a single season was 28, in 2014
- Advanced to first Grand Slam QF at 2018 Wimbledon (I. eventual R-Up S.Williams) on her 26th appearance at this level; became the first Italian woman to reach the QF of Wimbledon since 2009 (Schiavone, I. Dementieva)
- Other highlights in 2018 included SF runs at Sydney (I. eventual champion Kerber), Prague (I. Buzarnescu after serving for match in third set) and Tokyo (I. Osaka)
- In 2016 reached final at Katowice for the third year in a row (I. Cibulkova). Appeared in four additional quarterfinals in 2016, at Hobart (I. Bouchard), Prague (I. Ka.Pliskova), Washington, DC (I. Davis) and Seoul (I. Zhang)
- Won first career title at 2015 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Bencic in F)
- Had never reached WTA QF prior to 2014; reached QF or better at seven events during that season
- Made Top 100 debut on July 9, 2012 and broke into Top 50 on May 26, 2014
- Tour-level main draw debut came as a qualifier at 2011 Wimbledon
- On ITF Circuit, winner of five singles titles
- Played first career professional tournament at 2006 ITF/Baku-AZE

## **KA.PLISKOVA:**

### **Eastbourne**

- Competing this week as the defending champion in her sixth career appearance in Eastbourne
- Is a two-time champion here winning the title in 2017 (d. Wozniacki in F) and 2019 (d. Kerber in F)
- Did not drop a set during that 2019 title run and lost only 19 games through five matches
- Also finished R-Up here in 2016 (l. Cibulkova)
- Faces No.75 Giorgi in 1r; has fallen to players outside the Top 50 only twice this year to No.292 Gasanova at Abu Dhabi and No.59 Stephens at Roland Garros
- Looking for first win on grass this year after falling in 2r to Pegula after a 1r bye last week at Berlin
- Loss to Pegula was first time this year losing the opening match of a tournament
- One of two players from the Czech Republic here this week
- Has hit 171 aces this year, third most on Tour behind only Barty (209) and Kudermetova (187)

### **Season**

- Began grass court season with 2r exit at Berlin (after 1r bye, l. Pegula for the fourth time this season)
- 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)

### **Career Milestones**

- Has won at least one title every year stretching back to 2013, most recently lifting trophy at 2020 Brisbane (d. Keys in F)
- Reached one more final in 2020 at Rome (l. Halep via ret.) and made QF at Dubai
- 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 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> round 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)
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in 2006



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**ANASTASIA  
PAVLYUCHENKOVA**  
RUSSIAN FEDERATION

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**JELENA  
OSTAPENKO**  
LATVIA

1991-07-03	Date of Birth	1997-06-08
Dubai, United Arab Emirates	Residence	Riga, Latvia
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 9" (1.76 m)	Height	5' 10" (1.77 m)
13	Career-High Ranking	5
\$11,552,964	Career Prize Money	\$9,438,743
\$1,191,681	Season Prize Money	\$362,501
0 / 12	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 3
71-52 (Runner-Up: 2021 ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	31-21 (Champion: 2017 FRENCH OPEN)
0-0 / 5-7 (Quarter-Finalist: 2012)	YTD / Career EASTBOURNE W-L (best)	0-0 / 6-4 (Quarter-Finalist: 2018)
15-10 / 357-265	YTD / Career W-L	13-11 / 138-116
0-0 / 20-25	YTD / Career Grass W-L	1-1 / 22-13
5-4 / 121-97	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	4-5 / 48-38
3-7 / 85-79	YTD / Career TB W-L	3-4 / 36-21
5-4 / 69-114	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	2-6 / 21-33
Runner-Up: ROLAND-GARROS	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: ROME



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## HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2019	TORONTO	HARD	2r	Jelena Ostapenko	6-2 2-6 6-4	1h 48m
2019	MADRID	CLAY	1r	Jelena Ostapenko	6-2 6-1	1h 1m
2019	ST. PETERSBURG	HARD	2r	Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova	6-4 6-4	1h 25m
2016	BIRMINGHAM	GRASS	1r	Jelena Ostapenko	7-6(2) 6-1	1h 26m

## RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
19	-	2021	41	-
29	38	2020	40	44
30	30	2019	22	44
15	42	2018	5	22
14	15	2017	7	7
17	28	2016	34	44
23	28	2015	77	79
21	25	2014	305	308
19	26	2013	636	672
15	36	2012	888	892



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making eighth career appearance at Eastbourne and first time since 2018 when she fell in 2r (l. Ka.Pliskova)
- Best result was reaching QF in 2012 (l. Zakopalova)
- Faces No.43 Jelena Ostapenko in 1r today in first match since run to the final at Roland Garros
- Owns 9-3 career record against players from Latvia in main draw matches
- Best career result on grass is QF which she has reached twice: here in 2012 and Wimbledon in 2016 (l. S.Williams)
- One of a tournament leading five players from Russia (tied with USA)
- A Russian player has won the title at Eastbourne three times: Kuznetsova in 2004, Makarova in 2010 and Vesnina in 2013

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making fifth appearance at Eastbourne where her previous result was reaching 3r in 2019 (l. Alexandrova)
- Best result was reaching QF in 2018 (l. Radwanska)
- Faces No.19 Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova in 1r today; owns two Top 20 wins this year over No.11 Bertens in Doha and No.18 Konta at Rome
- Owns 10-11 career record against players from Russia in main draw matches
- Owns 24-30 career record against seeded players with a record in 2021 standing at 2-7
- Best career result on grass is SF at 2018 Wimbledon (l. Kerber)
- One of two players from Latvia in the draw this week (also LL Sevastova)
- Best result by a WC at Eastbourne were title runs by Monica Seles in 1996 and Julie Halard-Decugis in 2000
- Also playing doubles this week for the first time with Gauff; they will take on the British wildcard team of Dart/Watson in the 1r





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## RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2018	Result	Rank: 29	Seed: -
2r	L	K. PLISKOVA (#7) 6-4 2-6 6-3	
1r	W	S. CIRSTEA (#47) 2-6 7-5 6-4	
2017	Result	Rank: 17	Seed: 14
3r	L	H. WATSON (#126) 6-4 6-3	
2r	W	E. MERTENS (#56) 3-6 6-4 6-1	
2016	Result	Rank: 23	Seed: 14
2r	L	M. BRENGLE (#62) 6-4 6-3	
2014	Result	Rank: 26	Seed: -
2r	L	E. MAKAROVA (#22) 6-3 6-3	
1r	W	A. RADWANSKA (#4) 6-4 3-6 7-6(4)	
2012	Result	Rank: 33	Seed: -
QF	L	K. KOUKALOVA (#36) 6-3 7-5	
2r	W	C. MCHALE (#30) 7-5 3-6 6-4	
1r	W	S. HSIEH (#62) 6-2 3-0	

2019	Result	Rank: 35	Seed: -
3r	L	E. ALEXandroVA (#52) 6-3 2-1	
2r	W	S. STEPHENS (#9) 1-6 6-0 6-3	
1r	W	M. BUZARNESCU (#47) 6-4 6-4	
2018	Result	Rank: 12	Seed: 5
QF	L	A. RADWANSKA (#31) 6-2 7-5	
3r	W	M. BUZARNESCU (#28) 6-1 6-2	
2r	W	K. KANEPI (#44) 6-3 7-5	
2017	Result	Rank: 14	Seed: 10
3r	L	J. KONTA (#7) 7-5 3-6 6-4	
2r	W	C. SUÁREZ NAVARRO (#26) 6-3 0-6 6-4	
2016	Result	Rank: 36	Seed: -
2r	L	D. CIBULKOVA (#21) 6-3 6-3	
1r	W	D. KASATKINA (#31) 4-6 6-2 6-3	



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## SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Reached first career Grand Slam final at Roland Garros defeating two Top 20 players in Sabalenka and Azarenka en route (l. Krejckova)
- At Madrid, reached first SF since 2019 (l. Sabalenka); upset three Top 20 players en route, No.9 Ka.Pliskova in 2r, No.14 Brady in 3r and No.20 Muchova in QF
- Began clay court season with 1r defeat at Istanbul (l. Potapova)
- Reached 2r at St. Petersburg (l. Gasanova)
- Made 2r at Doha (l. eventual champion Kvitova) and suffered 1r defeat at Dubai (l. Kudermetova)
- Down under, posted 3r showings at the Yarra Valley Classic (l. Muguruza) and Phillip Island Trophy (l. eventual champion Kasatkina) and suffered 1r exit at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Osaka)
- Fell 1r in opening tournament of season, at Abu Dhabi (l. Jabeur)

- Reached 2r at Birmingham (l. Martincova)
- Advanced to QF at Rome (d. Konta and Kerber en route, l. Ka.Pliskova) and fell 1r at Roland Garros (l. Kenin)
- Made 2r at Stuttgart (l. Ka.Pliskova) and Madrid (l. Brady)
- Won singles rubber against Raina to help Latvia to a 3-1 play-off victory over India in the Billie Jean King Cup
- Produced 3r showing at Miami (l. eventual champion Barty)
- Also reached 2r at St. Petersburg (l. Cristian)
- Made 2r at Doha (d. No.11 Bertens, l. Pegula) and Dubai (l. eventual R-Up Krejckova). Also finished R-Up in doubles at Doha (w/Niculescu, l. Melichar/Schuurs)
- Opened 2021 campaign with 3r showing at Gippsland Trophy (l. Svitolina) before 1r exit at Australian Open (l. Muchova)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
54	42	Aces	62	33
68%	49	First serve %	58%	186
63%	85	First Serve points won %	64%	67
44%	110	Second serve points won %	43%	146
57%	64	Overall service points won %	55%	99
65%	59	Service games won %	63%	86
51%	129	Break points saved %	51%	127
37%	85	First serve return points won %	40%	35
57%	53	Second serve return points won %	56%	82
50%	54	Break points converted %	47%	79
40%	44	Return games won %	40%	39
45%	64	Return points won %	46%	43

- Best win by ranking: No.4 vs Sabalenka in ROLAND-GARROS 3r
- Longest match: 3h 20m vs Potapova in ISTANBUL 1r

- Best win by ranking: No.11 vs Bertens in DOHA 1r
- Longest match: 2h 23m vs Pliskova in STUTTGART 2r

- Shortest match: 0m vs Krejčíková in ROLAND-GARROS F
- Most aces in a match: 6 vs Pliskova in DOHA 1r



- Most aces in a match: 7 vs Kovinic in MELBOURNE 500 GIPPSLAND TROPHY 2r

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### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (12)

2018 - STRASBOURG  
2017 - HONG KONG, RABAT, MONTERREY  
2015 - LINZ  
2014 - MOSCOW, PARIS  
2013 - OEIRAS (ESTORIL), MONTERREY  
2011 - MONTERREY  
2010 - ISTANBUL, MONTERREY

Runner-Up (9)

2021 - ROLAND-GARROS  
2019 - MOSCOW, OSAKA  
2017 - TOKYO  
2015 - MOSCOW, WASHINGTON DC  
2013 - SEOUL, BRISBANE  
2012 - WASHINGTON DC

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2017 - SYDNEY (w/Babos)  
2013 - MADRID (w/Safarova)  
2012 - CHARLESTON (w/Safarova)  
2011 - BRISBANE (w/Kleybanova)  
2008 - FES (w/Cirstea)

Runner-Up (3)

2019 - STUTTGART (w/Safarova)  
2015 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH (w/Jankovic)  
2008 - PALERMO (w/Kudryavtseva)

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2019 - LUXEMBOURG  
2017 - SEOUL, FRENCH OPEN

Runner-Up (5)

2019 - LINZ  
2018 - MIAMI  
2017 - CHARLESTON  
2016 - DOHA  
2015 - QUEBEC CITY

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2018 - DOHA (w/Dabrowski)  
2017 - STUTTGART (w/Atawo), ST. PETERSBURG (w/Rosolska)

Runner-Up (4)

2021 - DOHA (w/Niculescu)  
2020 - DOHA (w/Dabrowski)  
2019 - BEIJING (w/Yastremska), JURMALA (w/Voskoboeva)

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



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## CAREER MILESTONES

- At 2020 Roland Garros, made 50th main draw appearance at a major – one of 10 active players to reach this milestone
- Upset No.2 Ka.Pliskova and former champion Kerber en route to QF at 2020 Australian Open
- Advanced to two finals in 2019 – both at Premier-level – at Osaka (l. Osaka in F) and Moscow (l. Bencic in F). Also made QF in Melbourne in 2019 to match best Grand Slam result (l. Collins), upsetting No.9 Bertens and No.5 Stephens en route
- Notched only win over a reigning World No.1 against Kerber during run to fourth Monterrey title in 2017
- Represented Russia at 2016 Rio Olympics, losing to eventual gold medalist Puig in 2r
- In doubles, owns five titles and has reached QF of all four majors – most recently at 2021 Roland Garros w/Rybakina. Career-high doubles ranking is No.21 (September 16, 2013)
- In 2011, won 39 main draw matches, one title and reached first two Grand Slam QFs to end the year inside Top 20 for the first time
- Made Top 20 debut at No.20 on September 13, 2010, after R16 showing at US Open
- Won the first title of her career at Monterrey in 2010 (d. Hantuchova in F); has gone on to lift this title three more times (2011, 2013 and 2017)
- Advanced to maiden WTA SF at 2009 Indian Wells, scoring first Top 10 wins of her career en route, over No.3 Jankovic and No.10 A.Radwanska
- Broke into Top 100 in singles on July 7, 2008 – following run through qualifying to 3r at Wimbledon – and entered Top 50 on November 3 of the same year
- Reached first two WTA QFs in 2008, first on clay at Palermo and then on hard at Tokyo [Japan Open]
- Made Grand Slam debut at 2007 Wimbledon as a WC, losing 6-0 6-1 to No.10 seed Hantuchova
- Played first WTA main draw as a wildcard at 2006 Moscow
- Named 2006 ITF Junior World Champion, having won girls' singles titles at Australian Open (2006-07) and US Open (2006)
- Highlights of 2020 season included three Top 10 wins: defeating No.4 Ka.Pliskova at Roland Garros, No.7 Kenin at Fed Cup qualifiers and No.8 Bertens at Strasbourg (via ret.). Also recorded 20th Top 20 win of her career at Ostrava (d. Martic in 1r)
- Finished R-Up in doubles w/Dabrowski at 2020 Doha (l. Hsieh/Strycova)
- The 2019 season saw her capture third career title at Luxembourg (d. Goerges in F) right after finishing R-Up at Linz (l. Gauff)
- Also R-Up in mixed doubles at 2019 Wimbledon w/ Lindstedt
- Her 2018 campaign was highlighted by finishing R-Up at Miami (l. Stephens); saw off No.9 Kvitova and No.4 Svitolina en route to register multiple Top 10 wins in the same tournament for the first time in her career
- Reached 2018 Wimbledon SF (l. eventual champion Kerber) to become first Latvian woman to reach final four at All England Club
- Achieved career-high ranking of No.5 on March 19, 2018
- Champion at 2017 Roland Garros (d. Halep in F) becoming first woman to win first tour-level title at a Grand Slam since Barbara Jordan at 1979 Australian Open (d. Walsh in F). Also became the first unseeded player to lift the trophy in the Open Era and the first Latvian player to reach the championship match at a Grand Slam
- Followed up title run with QF appearance at 2017 Wimbledon to become only second player in last 10 year (also S.Williams in 2015) to follow up victory at Roland Garros with a run to the QF or better at Wimbledon
- Qualified for debut WTA Finals in 2017 going 1-2 in group stage (d. Ka.Pliskova, l. V.Williams, l. Muguruza)
- Enjoyed career-best season in 2017, finishing the year in the Top 10 for the first time in her career (at No.7); was No.44 at end of 2016 (first Top 50 finish) and No.79 at end of 2015 (first Top 100 finish)
- Made Top 10 debut at No.10 on September 11, 2017
- In doubles, won first and second career titles in 2017, at St. Petersburg (w/Rosolska) and Stuttgart (w/Atawo)
- Breakthrough result of 2016 season was reaching final at Premier 5 Doha (l. Suárez Navarro)

- Ended 2015 at No.79 for first Top 100 finish (up from No.308 in 2014). Having leapt 229 spots, was second highest year-end rankings jump, after Kasatkina who went from No.370 to No.72 (298 spots)
- Scored first Top 10 win over No.9 Suárez Navarro in 1r at 2015 Wimbledon; upset Muguruza in QF at 2017 Beijing to register first win over a reigning World No.1
- Reached first WTA final of career at 2015 Québec City (l. Beck)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2014 Taskent advancing to 2r (l. Pervak)
- Began playing ITF Circuit events in 2012

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently working with her brother Aleksandr Pavlyuchenkov
- Mother's name is Marina. Grandmother played basketball for USSR; grandfather was high-level basketball referee; father was Olympic-level canoeist; mother was a swimmer
- Introduced to tennis at age 6 by family
- Baseline player whose favorite surface is clay; favorite shot is forehand down the line
- Speaks Russian, English and French
- Likes comedy movies; favorite actors are Johnny Depp and Ben Stiller
- Favorite music is R&B, hip-hop, favorite book is Eat, Pray, Love, favorite foods are Japanese and Russian
- Enjoys karaoke, shopping, dancing, seeing friends, music, sleeping
- Best memories are winning 2006 Australian Open juniors, first WTA title in Monterrey and playing World TeamTennis

- Currently coached by mother Jelena Jakovleva; formerly worked with David Taylor, Glen Schaap, Marion Bartoli and Krisjanis Stabins
- Father, Jevgenijs Ostapenko, is a former football player; half-brother's name is Maksim Ostapenko (graduated from art academy in California and lives there now); also has a dog named Juljeta
- Introduced to tennis at age 5 by mother (who was also her first coach)
- Favorite shots are serve and backhand; favorite surfaces are grass and hard; favorite tournament is Wimbledon
- Speaks Russian, Latvian and English
- Tennis idols are Serena Williams
- Enjoys spending time with parents and dog, listening to music and going out with friends. Was a ballroom dancer for seven years



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**HARRIET  
DART**  
UNITED KINGDOM

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**ELENA  
RYBAKINA**  
KAZAKHSTAN

1996-07-28	Date of Birth	1999-06-17
	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (double-handed backhand)
1.75m (5' 9")	Height	6' 0" (1.84m)
121	Career-High Ranking	17
\$804,508	Career Prize Money	\$2,016,083
\$76,516	Season Prize Money	\$557,306
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 2
3-5 (Round of 32: 2019 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	9-7 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021 ROLAND-GARROS)
0-0 / 1-3 (Round of 32: 2018)	YTD / Career EASTBOURNE W-L (best)	0-0 / 0-0
2-5 / 9-24	YTD / Career W-L	12-10 / 69-35
1-2 / 5-9	YTD / Career Grass W-L	1-1 / 4-2
0-3 / 7-8	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	2-5 / 19-15
1-2 / 5-4	YTD / Career TB W-L	1-4 / 17-14
Round of 16: MONTERREY	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: ROLAND-GARROS, ABU DHABI



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2018	ISTANBUL	HARD	2r	Elena Rybakina	6-4 ret.	-

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
142	-	2021	19	-
140	150	2020	17	19
121	142	2019	37	37
153	153	2018	182	191
277	315	2017	420	425
335	338	2016	612	616
345	385	2015	-	-
530	532	2014	-	-
811	1019	2013	-	-
929	942	2012	-	-



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making fourth appearance at Eastbourne, where her best previous result was reaching 2r in 2018
- Faces No.21 Elena Rybakina in 1r today; in terms of ranking, best career win came over No.65 Watson at 2021 Monterrey
- Best career result on grass is 3r run at 2019 Wimbledon
- One of two British players in the draw (also fellow WC Watson); is playing doubles w/Watson (face Gauff/Ostapenko in 1r)
- Best result by a British player at Eastbourne was title run by Virginia Wade in 1975
- A wildcard has won the Eastbourne title twice: Julie Halard-Decugis (2000) and Monica Seles (1996)

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making tournament debut at Eastbourne - is one of nine debutantes in this year's draw
- Faces No.142 Harriet Dart in 1r today; has lost twice to players ranked outside Top 100 this season, via ret. w/illness vs. No.118 McNally (Charleston) and against No.430 Carle in the Billie Jean King Cup
- Beat Dart (via ret.) en route to final at \$60k ITF/Istanbul-TUR in 2018
- Only previous grass court main draw appearances of her career are SF run at 2019 's-Hertogenbosch and last week's 2r showing at Berlin. Also fell in the final hurdle of Wimbledon qualifying in 2019
- Only player from Kazakhstan in the draw





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## RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2019	Result	Rank: 170	Seed: -
1r	L	A. KONTAVEIT (#20) 3-6 6-4 6-2	
2018	Result	Rank: 181	Seed: -
2r	L	A. SEVASTOVA (#21) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	K. PLISKOVA (#78) 7-5 3-6 6-3	
2015	Result	Rank: 358	Seed: -
1r	L	D. CIBULKOVA (#49) 6-1 6-3	

- Making her tournament debut in main draw



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SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Opened grass court season with 2r showing at Nottingham (l. Davis) and 1r exit at Birmingham (l. Garcia)
  - Fell at final hurdle of qualifying for Roland Garros
  - On ITF Circuit, reached SF at \$100k Charleston-SC, USA and QF at \$60k Charlottesville-VA, USA
  - Advanced to 2r at Monterrey (as LL, l. Kuzmova), fell 1r at Guadalajara (as LL, l. Sharma) and contested qualifying at Lyon and Miami
  - Fell at first hurdle of Australian Open qualifying event in Dubai
- Began grass court season with 2r showing at Berlin (l. Muguruza)
  - At Roland Garros, advanced to maiden major QF (l. Pavluyuchenova); upset No.8 S.Williams in R16
  - Suffered 2r exit at Madrid (l. Mertens)
  - Retired w/GI illness midway through 1r match against McNally at Charleston
  - Produced 3r showing at Miami (l. Sorribes Tormo)
  - Suffered 1r exit at Doha (l. Siegemund)
  - Advanced to QF in opening tournament of the season, at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Sabalenka in 3s - only player to take a set off the Belarusian), before falling 1r at Grampians Trophy (l. Krejcikova) and 2r at Australian Open (l. Ferro)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
11	134	Aces	113	11
51%	243	First serve %	58%	185
63%	76	First Serve points won %	69%	20
47%	52	Second serve points won %	48%	43
56%	89	Overall service points won %	60%	15
68%	42	Service games won %	69%	36
55%	61	Break points saved %	53%	95
36%	122	First serve return points won %	37%	103
55%	102	Second serve return points won %	52%	162
50%	49	Break points converted %	45%	104
33%	123	Return games won %	33%	120
44%	94	Return points won %	42%	130

- Best win by ranking: No.65 vs Watson in MONTERREY 1r
  - Longest match: 2h 29m vs Garcia in BIRMINGHAM 1r
- Best win by ranking: No.8 vs Williams in ROLAND-GARROS 4r
  - Longest match: 2h 33m vs Pavlyuchenkova in ROLAND-GARROS QF



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS	
Champion (2)	
2020 - HOBART	
2019 - BUCHAREST	
Runner-Up (5)	
2020 - STRASBOURG, DUBAI, ST. PETERSBURG, SHENZHEN	
2019 - NANCHANG	

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
				2021	2r	QF		
2r				2020	3r	2r		2r
1r		3r	1r	2019		1r		1r
		1r		2018				



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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Best results of 2020 were a run through qualifying to 2r at Australian Open (l. Halep) and R-Up finish at \$25k ITF/Cherbourg-en-Cotentin-FRA
- Ended 2019 campaign at No.142; season was highlighted by 3r run at Wimbledon (l. Barty) and 2r showings at Brisbane (l. Sevastova) and Nottingham (l. Tomljanovic)
- Also in 2019 fell in 1r at Australian Open, Monterrey, Birmingham, Eastbourne, US Open, Tashkent and Tianjin; rose to career-high No.121 in the rankings following run through qualifying at Melbourne Park (January 28)
- Highlights in 2018 included reaching 2r at Eastbourne and making Grand Slam main draw debut at Wimbledon (l. Ka.Pliskova in 1r)
- Also in 2018 fell 1r at Washington, DC, Linz and in qualifying at Istanbul, US Open, Hiroshima, Seoul, Tashkent and Moscow [Kremlin Cup]
- Won two ITF Circuit titles in 2018 at \$25k/Altenkirchen-GER and \$25k/Oslo-NOR
- In 2017, played mainly on ITF Circuit, reaching SF four times. At tour level, fell 1r at Nanchang (as qualifier, l. Q.Wang) and in qualifying at Birmingham and Wimbledon
- Played sparingly in 2013-16, spending time on sidelines with foot and hip injuries
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- WTA main draw debut came at 2015 Eastbourne (as WC, l. Cibulkova)
- WTA qualifying debut was at 2014 Eastbourne (l. Babos)
- On ITF Circuit, winner of four singles titles and 14 doubles titles
- Played first professional events of career on ITF Circuit in Great Britain in 2011
- Opened 2020 season by reaching the championship match at four of her first five tournaments, including a title run at Hobart (d. Zhang in F)
- Made first final appearance at a Premier-level tournament with R-Up finish at St. Petersburg (l. Bertens); was rewarded with Top 20 debut at No.19 following run in Russia (February 17, 2020)
- First win over a Top-5 ranked opponent came over No.3 Ka.Pliskova during R-Up finish at 2020 Dubai
- Won back-to-back Slam matches for the first time during 3r showing at 2020 Australian Open (l. Barty)
- Won maiden WTA singles title at 2019 Bucharest (d. Tig in F), breaking into Top 100 for the first time in the following week's rankings at No.65 (July 22, 2019)
- Also in 2019, went on to make Top 50 debut on September 16, 2019, after reaching second career final at Nanchang (l. Peterson), produced SF appearances at Luxembourg and 's-Hertogenbosch, and made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2019 Roland Garros, falling 1r (as qualifier, l. Siniakova)
- Finished 2019 campaign with 57-21 win-loss record (across all levels) to end season at No.37, up from 2018's final ranking of No.191. On the ITF Circuit in 2019, lifted silverware on three occasions: back-to-back at \$25k Moscow-RUS and \$25k Kazan-RUS, and at \$60k ITF/Launceston-AUS
- Highlights of 2018 included reaching maiden WTA QF at St. Petersburg (l. Goerges) and clinching title at \$15k ITF/Kazan-RUS
- First Top 10 win came over No.7 Garcia at 2018 St. Petersburg
- Made WTA qualifying and main draw debut at 2017 Moscow (as qualifier, l. Begu in 1r)
- Professional debut came at \$10k ITF/Antalya-TUR in 2014

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Father is Nick (surveyor), Mother is Susie (teacher); sister is Phoebe (at university studying Politics)
- Coached by Stefano Vukov
- Trained at Spartak Club in Moscow as a junior; previous coaches included Andrei Cheshnokov

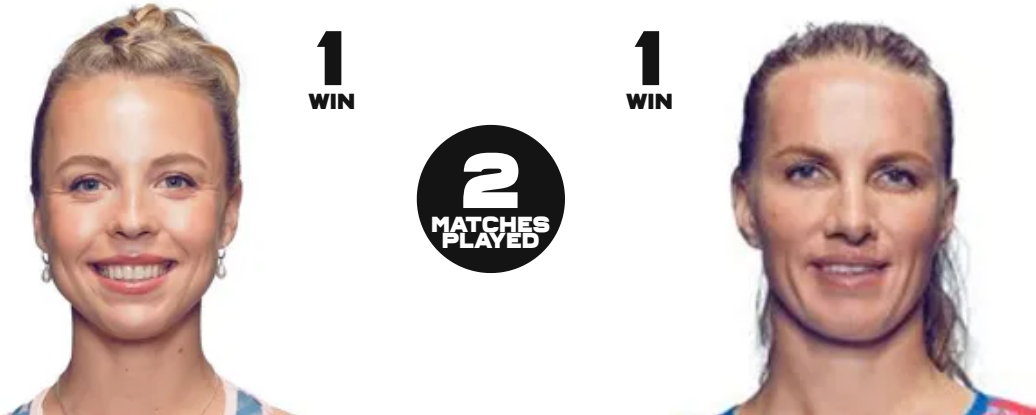
- Introduced to tennis aged 7 by her parents at the club they met at
  - Best Tennis Memory is representing Great Britain in the Billie Jean King Cup
  - Supports Arsenal FC
  - Hobbies include going to concerts, fashion and interior design
  - Enjoys spending time with family and friends.
- (Elena Vesnina's former coach) and Evgenia Kulikovskaya

  - Nominated for 2019 WTA Newcomer of the Year Award
  - Started playing tennis aged five and favorite surface is hard



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**ANETT KONTAVEIT**  
ESTONIA

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**SVETLANA KUZNETSOVA**  
RUSSIAN FEDERATION

1995-12-24	Date of Birth	1985-06-27
Tallinn, Estonia	Residence	Moscow, Russia
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 9" (1.74 m)	Height	5' 9" (1.74 m)
14	Career-High Ranking	2
\$5,307,883	Career Prize Money	\$25,745,973
\$431,170	Season Prize Money	\$246,681
0 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 18
30-23 (Quarter-Finalist: 2020 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	154-68 (Champion: 2009 ROLAND GARROS; 2004 US OPEN)
0-0 / 2-3 (Round of 32: 2019)	YTD / Career EASTBOURNE W-L (best)	0-0 / 15-9 (Champion: 2004)
15-8 / 324-171	YTD / Career W-L	5-7 / 670-346
0-0 / 14-12	YTD / Career Grass W-L	0-0 / 49-28
4-3 / 47-37	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	3-4 / 195-127
2-3 / 34-31	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-1 / 126-103
Finalist: GRAMPIANS TROPHY	YTD Best Result	Semi-Finalist: ST. PETERSBURG



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## HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2020	ROME	CLAY	2r	Svetlana Kuznetsova	4-6 7-5 6-3	2h 46m
2018	ROME	CLAY	2r	Anett Kontaveit	7-5 7-5	1h 49m

## RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
22	-	<b>2021</b>	35	-
20	23	<b>2020</b>	32	36
15	26	<b>2019</b>	54	54
20	21	<b>2018</b>	12	107
27	34	<b>2017</b>	7	12
73	110	<b>2016</b>	7	9
88	91	<b>2015</b>	18	25
139	166	<b>2014</b>	20	28
228	228	<b>2013</b>	21	21
400	436	<b>2012</b>	18	72



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making third appearance at Eastbourne, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2019
- Faces No.39 Svetlana Kuznetsova in 1r; owns 65 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.4 Sofia Kenin at Stuttgart 2021
- Owns 15-8 career record against players from Russia, with record this season standing at 0-1 (l. Kudermetova at Abu Dhabi)
- Best career result on grass is title run at 's-Hertogenbosch in 2017
- Only player from Estonia in main draw
- Best results by an Estonian at Eastbourne were 2r runs by herself in 2019 and Kanepi in 2018

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 11th appearance at Eastbourne, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2018
- Won title here in 2004 (d. Hantuchova in final); is one of three former champions in the draw (also Bencic and Ka.Pliskova)
- Faces No.29 Anett Kontaveit in 1r; owns 346 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.6 Svitolina at Dubai 2021
- Owns 4-2 career record against players from Estonia in main draw matches
- Best career result on grass is title run at Eastbourne in 2004
- One of five players from Russia in the main draw
- Last time five players from Russia appeared in main draw at Eastbourne was 2013
- In addition to her own title, two other Russians have lifted the trophy here: Elena Vesnina in 2013 and Ekaterina Makarova in 2010





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## RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2019	Result	Rank: 20	Seed: 16
2r	L	A. FRIEDSAM (#356) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	H. DART (#170) 3-6 6-4 6-2	
2016	Result	Rank: 96	Seed: -
1r	L	A. FRIEDSAM (#58) 6-7(3) 6-4 6-4	

2018	Result	Rank: 57	Seed: -
2r	L	E. MERTENS (#15) 6-1 6-1	
1r	W	M. SAKKARI (#36) 6-3 3-6 6-4	
2017	Result	Rank: 8	Seed: 7
QF	L	K. PLISKOVA (#3) 6-7(7) 6-2 6-4	
3r	W	K. MLADENOVIC (#13) 6-4 2-6 6-3	
2r	W	M. BARTHEL (#50) 4-6 7-5 6-2	
2016	Result	Rank: 14	Seed: 6
2r	L	K. BONDARENKO (#65) 2-6 6-4 7-5	
2015	Result	Rank: 27	Seed: -
3r	L	C. WOZNIACKI (#5) 6-7(3) 6-3 6-1	
2r	W	F. PENNETTA (#24) 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	M. RYBARIKOVA (#66) 7-6(5) 6-4	
2010	Result	Rank: 20	Seed: -
QF	L	E. MAKAROVA (#100) 6-4 7-5	
2r	W	S. CIRSTEAN (#57) 4-6 7-6(6) 7-6(4)	
1r	W	A. KLEYBANOVA (#27) 4-6 7-5 6-2	



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## SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Round of 32 run at Roland Garros (d. Mladenovic in 2r, Golubic in 1r, l. Swiatek)
- Advanced to QF at Stuttgart (d. No.4 Kenin in 2r, l. Sabalenka) and then fell 2r at Madrid (l. Sakkari)
- Reached 3r at Dubai (l. Sabalenka) and Miami (l. Mertens)
- Produced QF run at Doha (l. eventual champion Kvitova in 3s)
- Posted 3r showing at Australian Open (l. Rogers) after reaching the Grampians Trophy final (the final was not played)
- Opened 2021 season with 1r exit at Abu Dhabi (l. Kudrmetova)

- Fell 1r at Roland Garros (l. Azarenka) Withdrew from Madrid w/hamstring injury
- Fell 1r at Miami (l. Cornet)
- Advanced to SF at St. Petersburg (l. Kasatkina)
- Suffered 1r defeat at Doha (l. Azarenka) before advancing to 3r at Dubai (d. No.5 Svitolina, l. Krejckikova)
- Opened 2021 season with 1r exit at Grampians Trophy (l. Brady) before 2r showing at Australian Open (l. Bencic)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
80	27	Aces	21	103
60%	161	First serve %	64%	93
66%	43	First Serve points won %	61%	123
47%	54	Second serve points won %	41%	170
59%	29	Overall service points won %	54%	128
66%	56	Service games won %	62%	96
48%	169	Break points saved %	55%	72
38%	74	First serve return points won %	35%	145
53%	132	Second serve return points won %	53%	141
48%	69	Break points converted %	50%	52
38%	66	Return games won %	33%	118
44%	80	Return points won %	42%	140

- Best win by ranking: No.4 vs Kenin in STUTTGART 2r
- Longest match: 2h 28m vs Sabalenka in STUTTGART QF
- Shortest match: 51m vs Mladenovic in ROLAND-GARROS 1r
- Most aces in a match: 12 vs Kenin in STUTTGART 2r

- Best win by ranking: No.5 vs Svitolina in DUBAI 2r
- Longest match: 2h 40m vs Bencic in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 2r
- Shortest match: 1h 0m vs Brady in MELBOURNE 500 GRAMPIANS TROPHY 1r
- Most aces in a match: 5 vs Cristian in ST. PETERSBURG QF



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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS


Champion (1)  
2017 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH  
Runner-Up (6)  
2021 - MELBOURNE 500 GRAMPIANS TROPHY  
2020 - PALERMO  
2019 - STUTTGART  
2018 - WUHAN  
2017 - GSTAAD, BIEL

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (18)  
2018 - WASHINGTON DC  
2016 - MOSCOW, SYDNEY  
2015 - MOSCOW  
2014 - WASHINGTON DC  
2010 - SAN DIEGO  
2009 - BEIJING, FRENCH OPEN, STUTTGART  
2007 - NEW HAVEN  
2006 - BEIJING, BALI, MIAMI  
2004 - BALI, US OPEN, EASTBOURNE  
2002 - BALI, HELSINKI  
  
Runner-Up (24)  
2019 - CINCINNATI  
2017 - INDIAN WELLS  
2016 - MIAMI  
2015 - MADRID  
2014 - OEIRAS (ESTORIL)  
2011 - DUBAI  
2009 - ROME  
2008 - BEIJING, TOKYO - PAN PACIFIC, INDIAN WELLS, DUBAI, SYDNEY  
2007 - US OPEN, ROME, BERLIN, INDIAN WELLS, DOHA  
2006 - FRENCH OPEN, WARSAW  
2005 - WARSAW  
2004 - BEIJING, WARSAW, DOHA, DUBAI

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (16)  
2013 - MOSCOW (w/Stosur)  
2012 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Zvonareva)  
2009 - MIAMI (w/Mauresmo)  
2006 - EASTBOURNE (w/Mauresmo)  
2005 - MIAMI (w/Molik), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Molik)  
2004 - DOHA (w/Likhovtseva), GOLD COAST (w/Likhovtseva)  
2003 - LEIPZIG (w/Navratilova), TORONTO (w/Navratilova), ROME (w/Navratilova), DUBAI (w/Navratilova), GOLD COAST (w/Navratilova)  
2002 - TOKYO (TOYOTA) (w/Sanchez-vicario), HELSINKI (w/Sanchez-vicario), SOPOT (w/Sanchez-vicario)  
  
Runner-Up (15)  
2007 - DUBAI (w/Molik)  
2006 - DUBAI (w/Petrova)



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2005 - WIMBLEDON (w/Mauresmo), DUBAI (w/Molik)  
2004 - BALI (w/Sanchez-vicario), US OPEN (w/Likhovtseva), EASTBOURNE (w/Likhovtseva), MIAMI (w/Likhovtseva), INDIAN WELLS (w/Likhovtseva), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Navratilova)  
2003 - TOKYO - JAPAN OPEN (w/Sanchez-vicario), BALI (w/Sanchez-vicario)

ANETT KONTAVEIT

SVETLANA KUZNETSOVA

GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r	3r			2021	2r	1r		
QF	1r		4r	2020	2r	1r		
2r	1r	3r	3r	2019		1r	1r	1r
4r	4r	3r	1r	2018		1r	1r	1r
1r	2r	3r	1r	2017	4r	4r	QF	2r
1r	1r	1r	1r	2016	2r	4r	4r	2r
		1r	4r	2015	1r	2r	2r	1r
		1r		2014	1r	QF	1r	1r
				2013	QF	QF		3r
				2012	3r	4r	1r	
				2011	4r	QF	3r	4r
				2010	4r	3r	2r	4r
				2009	QF	WON	3r	4r
				2008	3r	SF	4r	3r
				2007	4r	QF	QF	RUP
				2006	4r	RUP	3r	4r
				2005	QF	4r	QF	1r
				2004	3r	4r	1r	WON
				2003	1r	1r	QF	3r
				2002	2r			3r



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KONTAVEIT**

**SVETLANA  
KUZNETSOVA**

## CAREER MILESTONES

- During an interrupted 2020, reached sixth final of career at Palermo (l. Ferro) and posted 21 match wins across the season (joint-fifth most, level with Jabeur)
- Made Grand Slam breakthrough by reaching maiden major QF at Australian Open (l. Halep), becoming the first Estonian to make the last eight at Australian Open, also the first Estonian to reach a Grand Slam QF since Kanepi at 2017 US Open
- Finished 2019 ranked No.26 despite missing final two months of the season w/viral illness
- Reached her fifth career final in 2019 at Stuttgart (l. Kvitova). Also in 2019, advanced to her first Premier Mandatory SF at Miami (l. eventual champion Barty), which propelled her to a career high ranking of No.14 (April 1, 2019)
- In 2018, season highlighted by fourth WTA singles final at Wuhan (l. Sabalenka); posted 33 main draw wins – the first time she had registered 30 or more wins in a season
- Breakthrough season came in 2017, winning first career singles title at 2017 's-Hertogenbosch (d. Vikhlyantseva in F). Also reached finals at Biel/Benne (l. Vondrousova) and Gstaad (l. Bertens)
- Broke into Top 30 for first time at No.27 following run at Gstaad (July 24, 2017)
- Posted her first career win over a reigning No.1 with defeat of Kerber at 2017 Rome
- In 2016, played main draw at all four Grand Slams for first time, but dropped out of Top 100
- Made Top 100 debut on September 14, 2015 at No.96, up from No.152. One of five teenagers in 2015 year-end Top 100
- Scored first Top 20 win of career over No.17 Errani at 2016 Monterrey (2r)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2013 Miami as WC (l. McHale, 1r)
- Played first events of career on ITF Circuit in 2010; owns 11 singles titles and five doubles titles on ITF Circuit
- Junior highlights included winning 2011 Orange Bowl, defeating Bouchard and Putintseva en route
- Best result in 2020 was SF showing at Doha (d. No.9 Bencic, l. Sabalenka)
- Season highlight in 2019 was reaching final at Cincinnati (l. Keys) as a WC ranked No.153 – defeated four Top 20 seeds en route to the final (No.11 Sevastova, No.10 Stephens, No.3 Ka.Pliskova and No.1 Barty). Returned to Top 100 after tournament
- Missed first few months of 2019 season due to knee injury – returned at Lugano, where she reached QF
- At 2018 Washington, DC won first title since October 2016 (d. Vekic in F after saving 4mp)
- After falling 2r at 2018 Wimbledon (l. Strycova), dropped out of the Top 100 for the first time since August 12, 2002 (ending a run of 831 consecutive weeks)
- Missed opening two months of 2018 (w/wrist injury)
- Secured 600th match win (all levels) at 2017 Brisbane – is one of five active players to reach the milestone, along with V.Williams, S.Williams, Kerber and Stosur
- In 2016, won 45 matches, two titles (Sydney and Moscow) and qualified for WTA Finals for sixth time in career (reached SF)
- Is a two-time Grand Slam singles champion, winning 2004 US Open (d. Dementieva in F) and 2009 Roland Garros (d. Safina in F). Also a two-time finalist, reaching the championship match at Roland Garros in 2006 (l. Henin) and 2007 US Open (l. Henin)
- One of three Russian women to lift a Grand Slam singles title (also Myskina, Sharapova), and one of five Russians to rank in Top 2; had a chance to become No.1 by winning 2008 Roland Garros (fell two matches short with SF loss to Safina)
- At 2011 Australian Open, played her part in setting the record for the longest women's match at a Slam, eventually succumbing to Schiavone in 4h 44min
- Ranked continuously in Top 20 from March 1, 2004 to July 11, 2010 (including over four years ranked continuously in Top 10 – April 2006 to June 2010)
- Owns seven wins over reigning world No.1s, most recently defeating S.Williams at 2016 Miami. Also Mauresmo, Safina and Henin twice each when they were No.1; one of only two players (also S.Williams) to beat Henin twice when she was No.1

- Haul of 16 tour level doubles titles includes two Australian Open crowns, won in 2005 (w/Molik) and 2012 (w/Zvonareva). Rose as high as No.3 in doubles (week of June 7, 2004)
- Member of victorious Russia Fed Cup sides in 2004 and 2007-08 and Russian Olympic Team in 2004, 2008, 2016
- Won a career-best 60 main draw matches in 2006 campaign, which saw her lift two titles and finish R-Up a further three times (including Roland Garros)
- Breakthrough 2004 season, saw her make debut in Top 20 (March 1) and Top 10 (June 1) before lifting maiden Slam title at US Open (d. Dementieva in F)
- Made Top 50 debut at No.45 on September 30, 2002, after winning title at Bali (d. Martínez in F)
- In 2002, reached first WTA QF at Warsaw, SF at Casablanca and then lifted maiden title at Helsinki (as qualifier, d Chladkova in F)
- Started 2002 season by reaching 2r on Grand Slam main draw debut at Australian Open (d. Cho, l. Tulyaganova)
- Reached 2r on WTA debut (main draw and qualifying) at Madrid in 2001 (d. Ruano Pascual, l. Raymond)
- Advanced to QF on professional debut at \$10K ITF/Mallorca-ESP in 2000

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently without a full-time coach; previously worked with Nigel Sears
- Mother is Ulle (tennis coach); father is Andrus (manager at Port of Tallinn); has a half-sister (works at H&M); introduced to tennis at age 6 by mother (was her coach until age 11, then worked with Estonian coaches)
- Aggressive player; favorite shot is forehand. Favorite surface is hard; favorite tournament is Wimbledon
- Enjoys shopping, going to movies and seeing friends
- Tennis idols are Maria Sharapova, Roger Federer and Victoria Azarenka. Goal is to reach Top 10
- Coached by Artem Derepasko; fitness trainer is Marco Panichi
- Father is Alexandr Kuznetsov, cycling coach of six Olympic champions and world champions and now coach of Lokomotiv (best cycling club in Russia); also coached Svetlana's mother, Galina Tsareva (six-time world champion and holder of 20 world records) and Svetlana's brother, Nikolai Kuznetsov (silver medalist at 1996 Atlanta Olympics)
- Began playing tennis at the age of seven
- Favorite movies are Love Actually and Save the Last Dance
- Best tennis memories are winning 2004 US Open final and 2009 Roland Garros final



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GOLUBIC**  
SWITZERLAND

**SAMANTHA  
STOSUR** **151**  
AUSTRALIA

1992-10-16	Date of Birth		1984-03-30
Zürich, Switzerland	Residence		Gold Coast, Australia
Right-handed (one-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	
5' 7" (1.69 m)	Height	5' 9" (1.75 m)	
51	Career-High Ranking		4
\$1,922,444	Career Prize Money		\$19,191,876
\$175,668	Season Prize Money		\$125,521
0 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career		0 / 9
4-17 (Round of 32: 2019 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)		93-65 (Champion: 2011 US OPEN)
0-0 / 0-1 (Round of 64: 2019)	YTD / Career EASTBOURNE W-L (best)	0-0 / 12-11 (Semi-Finalist: 2011, 2010, 2008)	
10-7 / 56-69	YTD / Career W-L		1-3 / 453-336
1-2 / 7-8	YTD / Career Grass W-L		0-0 / 36-38
3-4 / 31-33	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L		0-1 / 127-118
3-1 / 22-26	YTD / Career TB W-L		0-0 / 93-97
R-Up: LYON, MONTERREY	YTD Best Result		Round of 32: ADELAIDE



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## HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2019	GUANGZHOU	HARD	SF	Samantha Stosur	2-6 7-6(4) 6-1	2h 18m

## RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
71	-	2021	107	-
76	137	2020	95	112
65	81	2019	72	96
89	92	2018	39	72
51	128	2017	17	41
53	57	2016	14	21
178	178	2015	18	27
156	227	2014	16	23
192	193	2013	9	18
497	609	2012	5	9





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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making second appearance at Eastbourne, where her previous result was reaching 1r in 2019 (as qualifier, L. Gavrilova)
- Came through qualifying again this year, beating Grey and Brengle over the weekend - her 36th and 37th wins (at all levels) this season
- Faces No.145 Samantha Stosur in 1r today; owns 29-6 record against players ranked outside Top 100 this season (including ITF Circuit and qualifying matches)
- Owns 0-3 career record against players from Australia in main draw matches, most recently losing to today's opponent Stosur at 2019 Guangzhou
- Best result of career on grass is QF run at 2016 's-Hertogenbosch
- One of two Swiss players in the draw (also Bencic); only Swiss woman to win title here was Bencic in 2015
- Best result by qualifier at Eastbourne was Ekaterina Makarova's title run in 2010
- Is currently ranked No.72; broke back into Top 100 in late March, following R-Up finish at Monterrey

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

#### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 12th appearance at Eastbourne, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2019 (as qualifier, L. Kerber)
- Best results here were SF runs in 2008, 2010 and 2011
- Also won doubles title here in 2007 (w/Raymond). This year, is playing doubles w/Vandeweghe (face L.Kichenok/Ninomiya in 1r)
- Faces No.71 Viktorija Golubic in 1r today; her second match since February (also L. Martincova last week at Birmingham)
- Owns 7-9 career record against players from Switzerland in main draw matches
- In addition to SF run here, best career result on grass was SF showing at 2018 Mallorca
- Only player from Australia in the draw
- Best result by an Australian woman here were R-Up finishes by Wendy Turnbull in 1980 and 1983
- Best result by wildcards at Eastbourne were title runs by Julie Halard-Decugis (2000) and Monica Seles (1996)
- Is currently ranked No.151; received a wildcard here and is competing next week at Wimbledon under a special ranking



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## RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2019	Result	Rank: 83	Seed: -
1r	L	D. GAVRILOVA (#78) 6-0 6-7(2) 7-6(6)	

2019	Result	Rank: 132	Seed: -
2r	L	A. KERBER (#5) 6-4 6-4	
1r	W	S. KENIN (#28) 6-2 6-3	

2018	Result	Rank: 86	Seed: -
1r	L	A. VAN UYTVANCK (#46) 5-7 7-6(3) 6-3	

2016	Result	Rank: 16	Seed: 7
2r	L	C. WOZNIACKI (#37) 6-2 6-1	

2015	Result	Rank: 22	Seed: 16
2r	L	T. PIRONKOVA (#44) 7-5 7-6(0)	

2014	Result	Rank: 17	Seed: -
1r	L	C. WOZNIACKI (#16) 7-5 6-4	



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SEASON 2021 HISTORY

- Began grass court season with 3r showing at Nottingham (l. Van Uytvanck) and 1r defeat at Birmingham (l. Watson)
  - Reached 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
  - Also finished R-Up at Monterrey (as qualifier, l.Fernandez)
  - Produced R-Up finish, as a qualifier, at Lyon in first WTA main draw of the year defeating the No.2 and No.3 seeds, Ferro and Garcia, en route (l. fellow qualifier Tauson)
  - 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 1r exit at Birmingham (l. Martincova)
  - Reached 2r at Australian Open (l. Pegula) and then fell 1r at Adelaide (l. Inglis)
  - Opened season with 1r exit at Yarra Valley Classic (l. Bouzkova)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
11	135	Aces	14	125
73%	14	First serve %	68%	46
59%	161	First Serve points won %	59%	157
42%	148	Second serve points won %	37%	215
55%	120	Overall service points won %	52%	168
60%	118	Service games won %	46%	212
51%	135	Break points saved %	35%	239
38%	73	First serve return points won %	32%	191
58%	41	Second serve return points won %	47%	222
47%	86	Break points converted %	38%	191
40%	48	Return games won %	20%	214
46%	45	Return points won %	36%	225

- Best win by ranking: No.46 vs Ferro in LYON SF
  - Longest match: 2h 58m vs Friedsam in PARMA 1r
- Best win by ranking: No.203 vs Aiava in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r
  - Longest match: 2h 46m vs Inglis in ADELAIDE 500 1r



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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)  
2016 - GSTAAD  
Runner-Up (3)  
2021 - MONTERREY, LYON  
2016 - LINZ

### DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)  
2017 - GSTAAD (w/Stojanovic)

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (9)  
2017 - STRASBOURG  
2015 - BAD GASTEIN, STRASBOURG  
2014 - OSAKA  
2013 - OSAKA, CARLSBAD  
2011 - US OPEN  
2010 - CHARLESTON  
2009 - OSAKA

Runner-Up (16)  
2019 - GUANGZHOU  
2016 - PRAGUE  
2013 - SOFIA, MOSCOW  
2012 - MOSCOW, DOHA  
2011 - OSAKA, TORONTO, ROME  
2010 - FRENCH OPEN, STUTTGART  
2009 - LOS ANGELES  
2008 - SEOUL  
2006 - PRAGUE  
2005 - SYDNEY, GOLD COAST

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (26)  
2019 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Zhang)  
2018 - HONG KONG (w/Zhang)  
2013 - MOSCOW (w/Kuznetsova)  
2011 - STUTTGART (w/Lisicki)  
2007 - EASTBOURNE (w/Raymond), BERLIN (w/Raymond), MIAMI (w/Raymond), INDIAN WELLS (w/Raymond), TOKYO - PAN PACIFIC (w/Raymond)  
2006 - TOUR CHAMPIONSHIPS (w/Raymond), HASSELT (w/Raymond), LINZ (w/Raymond), STUTTGART (w/Raymond), FRENCH OPEN (w/Raymond), CHARLESTON (w/Raymond), MIAMI (w/Raymond), INDIAN WELLS (w/Raymond), MEMPHIS (w/Raymond), TOKYO (PAN PACIFIC) (w/Raymond)  
2005 - TOUR CHAMPIONSHIPS (w/Raymond), MOSCOW (w/Raymond), LUXEMBOURG (w/Raymond), US OPEN (w/Raymond), NEW HAVEN (w/Raymond), AMELIA ISLAND (w/Stewart), SYDNEY (w/Stewart)

Runner-Up (15)  
2019 - MIAMI (w/Zhang)  
2013 - OSAKA (w/Zhang)  
2011 - WIMBLEDON (w/Lisicki)  
2010 - MIAMI (w/Petrova), INDIAN WELLS (w/Petrova)



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OPEN (w/Raymond)

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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
	1r			2021	2r			
1r			1r	2020	1r			
1r	1r	3r	1r	2019	1r	2r	1r	1r
1r	1r	1r		2018	1r	3r	2r	1r
1r	1r	2r	1r	2017	1r	4r		
1r	2r		1r	2016	1r	SF	2r	2r
				2015	2r	3r	3r	4r
				2014	3r	4r	1r	2r
				2013	2r	3r	3r	1r
				2012	1r	SF	2r	QF
				2011	3r	3r	1r	WON
				2010	4r	RUP	1r	QF
				2009	3r	SF	3r	2r
				2008		2r	2r	1r
				2007	2r	3r	2r	1r
				2006	4r	1r	2r	1r
				2005	1r	2r	1r	1r
				2004	2r	1r	1r	2r
				2003	3r		1r	
				2002	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

- Contested 65th career Grand Slam main draw appearance at 2020 Australian Open – among active players, only V.Williams (87), S.Williams (76) and Kuznetsova (68) have played more majors
- Won third Grand Slam doubles title at 2019 Australian Open (w/Zhang), having previously triumphed at 2005 US Open and 2006 Roland Garros (both w/Raymond)
- Member of Australian team that advanced to final of Billie Jean King Cup in 2019 –country's first final in the team competition since 1993; l. decisive doubles rubber to France (w/Barty)
- Won ninth and most recent WTA singles title at 2017 Strasbourg (d. Gavrilova in F)
- Advanced to fifth Grand Slam SF of career at 2016 Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Muguruza). Following Roland Garros result, rose to No.14 – marked first time ranked inside Top 15 since week of August 26, 2013
- Represented Australia at Rio Olympics in 2016, progressing to 3r in singles (l. Kerber)
- Achieved 500th career match win (all levels) at 2015 Washington, DC
- Owns one Grand Slam singles title, winning 2011 US Open (d. S. Williams in F). One of seven women who have defeated S.Williams in a Grand Slam final (also V.Williams, Sharapova, Kerber, Muguruza, Osaka, Halep, and Andreescu)
- Reached first Grand Slam singles final at 2010 Roland Garros (l. Schiavone) and achieved career-high singles ranking the following February, when she peaked at No.4
- Posted four consecutive Top 10 seasons from 2010-13 and 16 Top 100 seasons in a row, 2004-19
- Qualified for WTA Finals in singles on two occasions, reaching SF in both 2010 and 2011
- Owns two wins over a reigning World No.1: S.Williams (2010 Roland Garros) and Wozniacki (2010 WTA Finals)
- Diagnosed with Lyme disease in 2007, and did not play any events after US Open
- Two-time WTA Finals doubles champion, in 2006-06 (both w/Raymond). Ascended to doubles World No.1 ranking on February 6, 2006
- Owns three Grand Slam mixed doubles titles: 2005 Australian Open (w/ Draper), 2008 Wimbledon (w/B.Bryan) and 2014 Wimbledon (w/Zimonjic)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2002 Gold Coast, as WC (l. Myskina in 1r)

- Played first events of career on ITF Circuit in Australia in 1998

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Dominik Utzinger
- 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 Rennae Stubbs, formerly with Josh Eagle, Nick Watkins and David Taylor
- Father is Tony; mother is Dianne; brothers are Daniel and Dominic
- Became a mother on June 16, 2020 when partner Liz gave birth to a baby daughter, Genevieve ('Evie')
- Friend introduced her to tennis at age 8; was given a racquet for Christmas and started hitting with brother Daniel, loved it from the first time
- Tennis idol growing up was Steffi Graf; favorite tournament is Charleston
- Self-described as happy, easy-going
- Favorite TV shows include Brothers & Sisters, Seinfeld, Homeland, Grey's Anatomy; favorite movies include Notting Hill, Anchor Man and Love Actually
- Also enjoys going to the beach, swimming in the sea, hanging out with friends, surfing and listening to music
- Can't live without lip balm, passport and her racquets. Loves travelling to Japan