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MATCHES  
PLAYED

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WIN



**27** **MAGDA LINETTE (1)**  
POLAND

**XIYU WANG 88**  
CHINA

1992-02-12	Date of Birth	2001-03-28
Poznan, Poland	Residence	Beijing, China
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Left-Handed (Two-Handed Backhand)
5' 7" (1.71m)	Height	5' 11" (1.82m)
19	Career-High Ranking	49
\$5,764,310	Career Prize Money	\$1,546,765
\$1,612,327	Season Prize Money	\$586,870
0 / 2	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
26-33 (Semi-Finalist: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	4-9 (Round of 32: 2022 US OPEN)
4-0 / 4-2 (Runner-Up: 2023)	YTD / Career GUANGZHOU W-L (best)	4-0 / 4-2 (Runner-Up: 2023)
25-19 / 155-161	YTD / Career W-L	15-21 / 40-52
17-11 / 113-105	YTD / Career Hard W-L	9-13 / 31-37
10-6 / 54-59	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	7-10 / 15-21
6-8 / 51-33	YTD / Career TB W-L	5-11 / 19-19
3-2 / 11-14	YTD / Career L Hand W-L	2-1 / 4-2
Runner-Up: GUANGZHOU	YTD Best Result	Runner-Up: GUANGZHOU



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## HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2020	HUA HIN	HARD	QF	Magda Linette	2-6 6-3 6-3	1h 57m

## RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
45	49	2022	50	50
40	57	2021	118	128
33	40	2020	106	123
41	42	2019	115	143
55	83	2018	180	200
70	71	2017	585	592
81	96	2016	-	-
64	89	2015	-	-
106	117	2014	-	-
148	148	2013	-	-



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. J. BURRAGE (#91) 6-7 6-0 6-2 (2h 20m)  
2r: d. D. SAVILLE (#264) 6-0 7-6 (2h 4m)  
QF: d. R. MASAROVA (#64) 7-5 7-6 (2h 3m)  
SF: d. Y. PUTINTSEVA (#81) 6-2 6-3 (1h 16m)

*Total time on court: 7h 43m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making third appearance at Guangzhou, where she is into the QF for the first time; fell 1r in 2014 (as qualifier, I. Bacsinszky) and 2015 (L. Wickmayer)
- Has beaten Jodie Burrage, Daria Saville, Rebeka Masarova and Yulia Putintseva to reach her first since R-UP at Chennai 2022 (L. Fruhvirtova in F)
- Faces No.88 Xiyu Wang in F today
- Owns 10-12 career record against players from China, with record in 2023 standing at 0-1 (L. Zhu Lin at Birmingham)
- Record in WTA F matches stands at 2-3
- Has won two career titles on hard courts at 2019 Bronx and 2020 Hua Hin
- Four of her five WTA final appearances have come in Asia at 2015 Tokyo [250] (R-Up), 2019 Seoul (R-Up), 2020 Hua Hin (WON) and 2022 Chennai (R-Up)
- Is No. 1 seed this week; has been top seed at two other tournaments in career at 2023 Merida (QF, L. Peterson) and 2023 Strasbourg (2r, L. Pavlyuchenkova)
- Previous best result by Poland at Guangzhou was SF run by Urszula Radwanska in 2012
- First time a player from Poland reached final at Guangzhou
- Is currently ranked No.27; this time last year was ranked No.51
- Trying to become the third player to win a tournament as the top seed this year - Swiatek (Doha, Stuttgart, Roland Garros, Warsaw) and Gauff (Auckland)

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. N. PODOROSKA (#84) 6-3 6-3 (1h 17m)  
2r: d. D. SHNAIDER (#83) 6-4 7-5 (1h 38m)  
QF: d. V. HRUNCAKOVA (#128) 6-4 4-6 6-3 (2h 14m)  
SF: d. G. MINNEN (#68) 6-3 6-4 (1h 29m)

*Total time on court: 6h 38m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making third appearance at Guangzhou; fell 1r on both previous outings in 2018 (L. Ferro) and 2019 (as qualifier, L. Golubic)
- Has beaten Nadia Podoroska, Diana Shnaider, Viktoria Hruncaikova and Greet Minnen so far this week to reach her first career final at Guangzhou 2023
- Faces No.27 Magda Linette in F today; owns 7 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.27 Irina-camelia Begu at Rome 2023
- Owns 0-1 career record against players from Poland - defeated by today's opponent Linette at 2020 Hua Hin
- Owns 9-24 career record against seeded players (4-9 in 2023)
- Making first career final, having previously failed SF at 2020 Acapulco (L. Watson), 2022 Washington DC (L. Samsonova) and 2022 Cluj-Napoca (L. Paolini)
- Only player from China to reach F
- Best result by China at Guangzhou was title run by Qiang Wang in 2018; Shuai Zhang in 2013 and 2017; and Na Li in 2004
- Is currently ranked No.88; this time last year was ranked No.58
- Trying to become the third Chinese woman to win a singles title this year - also Zhu Lin (Hua Hin) and Qinwen Zheng (Palermo); the last time players from China won three titles in a season was 2006 - Zheng Jie (Estoril, Stockholm) and Sun Tiantian (Tashkent)



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## RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2015	Result	Rank: 64	Seed: -
1r	L	Y. WICKMAYER (#56) 6-4 6-4	
2014	Result	Rank: 148	Seed: -
1r	L	T. BACSINSZKY (#71) 6-2 4-6 6-4	

2019	Result	Rank: 140	Seed: -
1r	L	V. GOLUBIC (#73) 6-3 6-3	
2018	Result	Rank: 235	Seed: -
1r	L	F. FERRO (#124) 6-3 6-3	



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## SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Played 1r at San Diego (L. Kostyuk)
- Fell in 1r at San Diego (L. Kostyuk) and reached 2r at US Open (L. Brady)
- Suffered 1r exits at Cincinnati (L. Li) and Montreal (L. Azarenka)
- Reached 3r at Wimbledon (L. Bencic)
- Reached 2r at Nottingham (L. Burrage) and Birmingham (L. Zhu Lin)
- Fell in opening round at Roland Garros (L. Fernandez)
- Reached 3r at both Madrid (L. Andreeva) and Rome (L. Haddad Maia), before 2r exit at Strasbourg (L. Pavlyuchenkova)
- Made 3r at Charleston (L. Keys), then lost both rubbers as Poland suffered 3-1 defeat to Kazakhstan in Billie Jean King Cup
- Defeated in 2r at Indian Wells (after 1r bye, L. Raducanu) and R16 at Miami (L. Pegula)
- Advanced to QF at Merida (L. Peterson)
- Fell 1r at Hobart (L. Van Uytvanck) before reaching maiden Grand Slam SF at Australian Open (L. eventual champion Sabalenka)
- Opened season at United Cup, going 3-1 in singles as Poland contested the City Final in Sydney

- Played 1r at Osaka (L. L. Zhu)
- Played 2r at US Open (L. Pera)
- Fell in 1r at Cincinnati as a qualifier (L. Sherif)
- Reached 2r at Prague (L. Schmiedlova)
- Fell 1r at Warsaw (L. Zhu Lin)
- Fell 1r at Wimbledon (L. Andreeva); reached 2r at Eastbourne (as qualifier, L. eventual champion Keys)
- Started grass court season at Nottingham where she fell in 1r (L. Sakkari); reached main draw at Birmingham as qualifier but fell 1r (L. Marino)
- At Roland Garros fell in 1r (L. Garcia)
- Fell 1r at Charleston (L. Baptiste), then reached 3r at Madrid (L. Krejickova) and R16 at Rome (L. Zheng)
- Advanced to 2r at Indian Wells (L. Potapova in 3-sets) and Miami (L. B.Fruhvirtova)
- Lost in opening round at Monterrey (L. Parrizas Diaz)
- Reached 2r at Merida (recorded first win of season defeating Riske-Amritraj; L. Birrell)
- Lost in opening round of first three tournaments of the season - Auckland (1r, ret. vs. Muchova), Australian Open (L. Ka.Pliskova) and Hua Hin (L. Lin)



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## SEASON 2023 STATS

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
113	35	<b>Aces</b>	160	20
66.9%	19	<b>First serve %</b>	64.4%	31
64.2%	45	<b>First Serve points won %</b>	68.9%	13
47.6%	27	<b>Second serve points won %</b>	44.0%	66
58.7%	29	<b>Overall service points won %</b>	60.1%	16
69.7%	32	<b>Service games won %</b>	70.6%	28
49.8%	82	<b>Break points saved %</b>	59.6%	13
36.4%	49	<b>First serve return points won %</b>	32.6%	87
53.1%	65	<b>Second serve return points won %</b>	53.3%	62
42.2%	74	<b>Break points converted %</b>	38.1%	86
32.8%	58	<b>Return games won %</b>	27.1%	83
42.6%	56	<b>Return points won %</b>	40.3%	82

Best win by ranking: No.4 vs Garcia in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 4r  
Longest match: 2h 58m vs Strycova in WIMBLEDON 2r  
Shortest match: 1h 4m vs Zhu in BIRMINGHAM 2r  
Match points saved: 1 vs Masarova in GUANGZHOU QF  
2 vs Osorio in MÉRIDA 1r  
Most aces in a match: 10 vs Rodina in MIAMI 2r

Best win by ranking: No.27 vs Begu in ROME 2r  
No.27 vs Andreescu in MADRID 2r  
Longest match: 3h 22m vs Riske-amritraj in MÉRIDA 1r  
Shortest match: 1h 4m vs Marino in EASTBOURNE 1r  
1h 4m vs Pliskova in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r  
Match points saved: 1 vs Townsend in ROME 3r  
2 vs Riske-amritraj in MÉRIDA 1r  
Most aces in a match: 11 vs Marino in BIRMINGHAM 1r



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## TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)  
2020 - HUA HIN  
2019 - BRONX

Runner-Up (3)  
2022 - CHENNAI  
2019 - SEOUL  
2015 - TOKYO INTERNATIONAL

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (2)  
2022 - EASTBOURNE (w/Krunic), CHARLESTON  
(w/Klepac)

Runner-Up (3)  
2017 - BOGOTA (w/Cepede Royg)  
2016 - TIANJIN (w/Xu)  
2014 - GUANGZHOU (w/Cornet)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
SF	1r	3r	2r	2023	1r	1r	1r	2r
2r	2r	2r	1r	2022	2r		1r	3r
	3r	3r	1r	2021		1r		
1r	1r		3r	2020				
1r	2r	3r	2r	2019				1r
3r	1r	1r	1r	2018				
1r	3r	1r	1r	2017				
1r	1r	1r	1r	2016				
	1r	1r	2r	2015				



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## CAREER MILESTONES

- 2022 season highlight was R-Up finish at Chennai (l. Fruhvirtova). Also won two doubles titles, at Charleston (w/Klepac) and Eastbourne (w/Krunic)
- Posted seventh successive Top 100 season in 2021, finishing at No.57 after starting her season at Miami in March, due to a knee injury
- Reached two semifinals in 2021, at Strasbourg (l. Cirstea) and Cleveland (l. Begu)
- Matched previous best results at Grand Slams in 2021 with 3r runs at Roland Garros (d. World No.1 Barty via ret. in 2r; l. Jabeur) and Wimbledon (d. No.5 Svitolina in 2r for best win of career in a completed match, before falling to Badosa)
- Won second WTA singles title at Hua Hin in 2020 (d. Kung in F), rising to new career-high ranking of No.33 (on February 17)
- Posted best result at US Open by advancing to 3r (l. Kontaveit); now has reached this stage at all four Grand Slams
- Winner of 2020 WTA Shot of the Year; became the third Polish woman to win this award (after A.Radwanska and Swiatek)
- Her 2019 campaign was highlighted by lifting maiden WTA title at the Bronx and finished R-Up at Seoul (l. Muchova); broke into Top 50 on September 9, 2019
- Season highlights in 2018 included QF run at Washington DC (l. Vekic); win over No.17 Osaka in 2r was first Top 20 victory - previous career-best win came over No.21 Gavrilova at 2017 Tokyo [PPO]
- Posted first career victories at 2018 Australian Open during 3r run (d. Brady in 1r and No.22 seed Kasatkina in 2r, l. Allertova)
- Highlight of 2017 campaign was SF at Kuala Lumpur (l. Hibino). Also made QF at Bogotá and reached 3r at major for first time at Roland Garros
- In 2016 enjoyed run to first Premier-level quarterfinal of career at Tokyo [PPO] (as qualifier, l. eventual champion Wozniacki); also advanced to QF at Katowice (l. Parmentier)
- Reached maiden WTA singles final at 2015 Tokyo [Japan Open] (l. Wickmayer)
- Broke into Top 100 on June 15, 2015
- Played first two WTA main draws in 2013: 2r at Strasbourg (l. Cornet) and SF at Baku (l. Peer)
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in Poland in 2007; owns 12 singles titles and eight doubles
- Recorded first Top 100 season finish in 2022, ending the year ranked No.50; season highlighted by reaching the semifinals at two WTA 250 tournaments - Cluj-Napoca and Washington DC; also reached the quarterfinals at Granby and Budapest
- In 2021, made 2r at Abu Dhabi (l. Rybakina) and Nottingham (l. Riske). Also finished R-Up at W25 ITF Circuit event in Florence, SC, USA
- Ended 2020 season at No.123, making steady progress from No.143 in 2019
- Enjoyed WTA breakthrough by reached her maiden tour-level SF on debut appearance at Acapulco as qualifier, where she defeated No.2 seed Y.Wang and two-time champion Errani before l. eventual champion Watson; following this week, posted new career-high ranking of No.106 on March 2
- Also reached her maiden WTA QF at Hua Hin earlier that month (l. eventual champion Linette), upsetting No.15 Martić in 1r for first victory over a Top 20 player
- Best result of 2019 at Tour-level was 2r showing at Miami (as WC, l. Bertens). Also fell 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2019 US Open (as LL, l. Flipkens)
- Won third singles title on ITF Circuit at \$60k Internacional de Solgironès in 2019
- Season highlights in 2018 were maiden ITF Singles titles at \$25,000 Nonthaburi and \$25,000 Tsukuba
- Also won three doubles titles in 2018; at \$25k Barcelona (w/Ho), \$25k Madrid (w/Gonzalez), \$25k Nonthaburi (w/X.Wang)
- At tour-level in 2018 contested Wuhan; fell 2r to Kasatkina in what was her first match vs. Top 20 opponent
- Made WTA singles main draw debut at 2017 Tianjin Open as wildcard, defeating Kovinic in 1r; made WTA qualifying debut at 2018 Miami
- Made professional debut at 2016 \$10k ITF/Anning, CHN
- In Juniors, became first Chinese girl to win a Grand Slam Junior singles title at 2018 US Open; also teamed up with Wang Xinyu to claim Junior doubles title at 2018 Wimbledon
- As a junior, achieved career-high ranking of No.1 in both singles and doubles
- Took bronze in the girls' doubles (w/X.Wang) at 2018 Summer Youth Olympics in Buenos Aires





## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Mark Gellard. Previously worked with Nikola Horvat and Izo Zunic
  - Parents are Tomasz and Beata; sister is Dagmara
  - Started playing at age 6, favorite shot is backhand; favorite surfaces are hard and grass, and favorite tournament is Roland Garros
  - Tennis idol growing up was Monica Seles
- Previously worked with Mico Ratkovic; trains in Beijing
  - Father is Frank Wang, owner of a fabric factory, while mother is Ma Xiaodan  
Favorite surface is hard, started playing tennis aged eight
  - In spare time, enjoys making Lego and watching anime

