

KINOSHITA GROUP JAPAN OPEN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023 - OSAKA, JPN2023-09-11 - 2023-09-17 | \$ 259,303















2001-05-19	Date of Birth	1990-12-16
Delray Beach, Florida	Residence	Vancouver, Canada
Right-Handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7'' (1.70m)	Height	6' (1.83m)
97	Career-High Ranking	38
\$560,473	Career Prize Money	\$1,789,629
\$310,755	Season Prize Money	\$471,758
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
1-3 (Round of 64: 2022 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	8-17 (Round of 32: 2022 US OPEN; 2011 FRENCH OPEN)
1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2023)	YTD / Career OSAKA W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2023)
4-5 / 6-8	YTD / Career W-L	7-16 / 44-63
2-3 / 4-6	YTD / Career Hard W-L	4-10 / 28-42
3-3 / 4-5	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	2-4 / 14-17
2-1 / 3-2	YTD / Career TB W-L	7-4 / 18-15
Quarter-Finalist: NOTTINGHAM	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: BIRMINGHAM



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ELIZABETH MANDLIK REBECCA MARINO

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

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

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
119	119	2022	64	64
496	504	2021	144	144
506	545	2020	281	311
506	514	2019	140	286
-	-	2018	184	186
-	-	2017	-	-
-	-	2016	-	-
-	-	2015	-	-
-	-	2014	-	-
-	-	2013	411	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. D. PARRY (#90) 7-5 6-2 (1h 38m)

Total time on court: 1h 38m

PLAYER NOTES

- · Making debut appearance at Osaka
- Has beaten Diane Parry so far this week to reach
- Faces No.129 Rebecca Marino in 2r today
- Owns 0-0 career record against players from Canada
 Best career result on hard court is R16 which
- she achieved at San Jose in 2022One of 2 players from United States of America
- One of 2 players from United States of America to reach 2r, along with Krueger
- Best result by United States of America at Osaka was champion achieved by Christina Mchale in 2016
- One of four qualifiers to reach 2r along with Sakatsume, Savinykh and Hartono
- Best result by a qualifier at Oskaa was champion achieved by Zarina Diyas in 2017
- Lowest ranked player (No.527) to reach 2r at Osaka was Akiko Morigami in 2009
- Is currently ranked No.167; this time last year was ranked No.124; reached career high of No.97 achieved on Jun 19, 2023
- Longest winning streak of her career was 2 matches in 2023
- Has won 4 matches so far in 2023 with record on hard court standing at 2-3
- Has been involved in 6 three-set matches in 2023

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. N. HIBINO (#81) 6-3 6-4 (1h 19m)

Total time on court: 1h 19m

PLAYER NOTES

- · Making debut tournament appearance
- Has beaten Nao Hibino so far this week to reach 2r
- Faces No.167 Elizabeth Mandlik in 2r today
- Owns 9-4 career record against players from United States of America, with record in 2023 standing at 1-1 (d. Bektas in 2r at Birmingham, l. Gauff in 2r at Miami)
- Owns 7-7 career record against qualifiers, with a record in 2023 standing at 2-4, most recently l. Boulter in 1r at Montreal
- Best career result on hard court is Runner-Up which she achieved at Memphis in 2011
- Only player from Canada to reach 2r
- Best result by Canada at Osaka was Runner-Up achieved by Eugenie Bouchard in 2013
- Last time a player from Canada reached 2r at Osaka was 2013
- Is currently ranked No.129; this time last year was ranked No.90
- During last year's Asian swing reached 2r at Seoul and QF at Chennai
- Longest winning streak of her career was 5 matches in 2011
- Has won 6 matches so far in 2023 with record on hard court standing at 4-10
- Has been involved in 6 three-set matches in 2023



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles
- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Made it to Q3 of US Open (l. Na-Lae Han)
- Achieved best result of the year reaching QF at Nottingham on grass (l. Cornet)
- Reached 2r at Indian Wells and 1r at Roland Garros
- Defeated in qualifying at Merida and 1r at Austin (as WC, l. Potapova)
- Suffered early exits at back-to-back US ITF Circuit W60 events in Rome, GA and Orlando, FL
- Fell in qualifying at Auckland and 1r at Australian Open (as LL, l. Begu)

- Played 1r at US Open (l. Tig)
- On grass, fell 1r at Wimbledon(l. Begu), Eastbourne (as LL, l. Wang Xiyu) and Nottingham (l. Hart), reached QF at Birmingham (as qualifer/LL, l. Zhu Lin)
- Fell 1r at Roland Garros (l. Shnaider), reached 2r at Madrid (l. Zhu Lin)
- Played BJK Cup for Canada (l. Bonaventure in RR)
- Fell 1r at Indian Wells (l. Vondrousova), made 2r at Miami (l. Gauff)
- Made 2r at Monterrey (l. Zhu)
 Suffered 1r exits at Abu Dhabi (as qualifier, l. Q.Zheng) and Doha (as qualifier, l. Kasatkina).
 Also contested qualifying at Dubai
- Made 2r at Auckland (l. Bonaventure), then fell 1r at both Hobart (l. Kalinina) and Australian Open (l. Zhu)



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SEASON 2023 STATS

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
18	132	Aces	154	19
56.1%	0	First serve %	58.5%	69
61.6%	0	First Serve points won %	67.9%	20
37.6%	0	Second serve points won %	41.7%	82
51.1%	0	Overall service points won %	57.0%	45
53.0%	0	Service games won %	65.1%	51
46.5%	0	Break points saved %	54.4%	54
35.8%	0	First serve return points won %	29.6%	89
54.7%	0	Second serve return points won %	50.5%	83
60.0%	0	Break points converted %	35.2%	88
39.1%	0	Return games won %	20.7%	89
43.9%	0	Return points won %	36.4%	89

Best win by ranking: No.47 vs Giorgi in NOTTINGHAM 2r Longest match: 2h 38m vs Begu in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 1r Shortest match: 53m vs Potapova in AUSTIN 1r Match points saved: Most aces in a match: 8 vs Riske-amritraj in INDIAN WELLS 1r

Best win by ranking: No.39 vs Zhu in MADRID 1r Longest match: 2h 39m vs Wang in BIRMINGHAM 1r Shortest match: 1h 2m vs Kalinina in HOBART 1r Match points saved: 4 vs Bektas in BIRMINGHAM 2r Most aces in a match: 21 vs Bektas in BIRMINGHAM 2r



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1) 2011 - MEMPHIS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r	1r			2023	1r	1r	1r	1r
			2r	2022	1r	1r	1r	3r
				2021	2r			1r
				2020				
				2019				
				2018				
				2017				
				2016				
				2015				
				2014				
				2013	1r			
				2012	1r			
				2011	2r	3r	2r	1r
				2010				2r



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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2022, made 2r at US Open (l. Jabeur) and San Jose (as qualifier, l. Badosa)
- Started US summer hard-court swing in fine form, lifting W25 ITF Circuit title in Wichita, KC and advancing to SF at W60 tournament in Evansville. IN
- Last season, enjoyed early success on ITF Circuit, posting 13-match winning streak to win back-to-back W25 titles in Florianopolis, Brazil
- In 2021, won third and fourth ITF Circuit titles of her career, both at W15 ITF Circuit events in Monastir, Tunisia
- Contested qualifying at 2021 US Open
- Fell at final hurdle on WTA qualifying debut at 2019 Bronx
- Owns seven titles in singles and three in doubles on ITF Circuit
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in 2016

- At 2022 Washington DC, advanced to first WTA QF in nearly four years (as qualifier, l. Saville)
- Last season, made further QFs at Granby (l. Kostyuk) and Chennai (l. Linette), and reached three ITF Circuit finals, winning title at W60 event in Arcadia, CA
- On July 11, 2022, returned to Top 100 after a decade-long absence
- At 2021 Australian Open, won first main draw match at a Slam since 2011 Wimbledon (d. Birrell in 1r, l. Vondrousova in 2r)
- In total, made five main draw appearances in 2021, with best result coming at Montreal where she reached 3r (l. Sabalenka)

In 2019 contested Grand Slam qualifying at Australian Open and Roland Garros; comeback was hampered by a severe foot injury forcing her to miss second half of 2019 and all of 2020

- Reached QF at Quebec City (l. Watson) and won two more ITF Circuit titles to end 2018 with 49-12 record and back inside Top 200
- Returned to tennis in January 2018, winning her first 18 matches to lift a hat-trick of titles on ITF Circuit
- Decided in late February 2013 to take an indefinite break from tennis. During her break, she studied English literature at the University of British Columbia and was part of the rowing team
- Appeared in career-first WTA singles final at 2011 Memphis (ret. vs. Rybarikova w/left abdominal injury)
- Best Grand Slam result was 3r run at 2011
 Roland Garros (l. Kuznetsova); broke into Top 50
 following the tournament at No.45
- Made Top-100 debut on January 31, 2011
- Reached maiden WTA QF at 2010 Quebec City; recorded first Top-20 victory over No.14 Bartoli en route
- Played first WTA qualifying at 2006 Montreal and first main draw at 2008 Quebec City
- Owns 13 singles titles on ITF Circuit; won three titles in four weeks on ITF Circuit in autumn 2010, compiling an 18-match winning streak
- Made Top 50 debut on July 11, 2011

- Coached by Emilio Sebastian Eguez Paz
- Mother is four-time Grand Slam winner Hana Mandlikova
- Goes by the name of 'Elli'
- Started playing tennis aged seven and favorite surface is hard
- Follows Oklahoma University Athletics
- Partnership with Fila

- Born in Toronto and moved to Vancouver at age 2 and grew up there (loves west coast). Parents own construction company in Vancouver, 'Marino General Contracting'
- Started playing at age 10 with father and brother (says that made it lots of fun). Brother was on rowing team at Cal Berkeley (on rowing team), while uncle was gold medalist for Canada in rowing at 1964 Tokyo Olympics
- Best shots are serve and forehand; favorite surface is hard; favorite tournaments are all Canadian ones and US Open
- Best tennis memories are first Top 100 win in Québec City and qualifying for main draw at 2010 US Open
- Likes watching movies and hockey (supports Vancouver Canucks)



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1994-01-28	Date of Birth	2001-08-11
Beijing, China	Residence	Japan
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 8'' (1.73m)	Height	5' 9'' (1.74m)
33	Career-High Ranking	104
\$2,688,902	Career Prize Money	\$459,719
\$821,337	Season Prize Money	\$244,968
1/1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
9-17 (Round of 16: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	0-1 (Round of 128: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
1-0 / 2-1 (Round of 16: 2023, 2018)	YTD / Career OSAKA W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2023)
24-18 / 65-83	YTD / Career W-L	1-2 / 3-5
20-13 / 60-68	YTD / Career Hard W-L	1-2 / 3-5
6-5 / 19-26	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	0-2 / 0-3
8-3 / 21-19	YTD / Career TB W-L	1-0 / 2-0
Champion: HUA HIN	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: OSAKA



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First career meeting

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
58	62	2022	105	105
88	140	2021	493	499
69	91	2020	474	492
83	83	2019	357	583
102	114	2018	368	394
104	104	2017	800	807
140	140	2016	-	-
107	173	2015	-	-
139	139	2014	-	-
469	580	2013	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. X. WANG (#91) 6-4 6-4 (1h 42m)

Total time on court: 1h 42m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Osaka, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2018 at Hiroshima (l. Kato)
- Has beaten Wang Xiyu so far this week to reach 2r
- Faces No.174 Moyuka Uchijima in 2r today
- Owns 3-1 career record against players from Japan, with record in 2023 standing at 0-0
- Owns 5-9 career record against wildcards, with a record in 2023 standing at 2-1, including defeating Venus Williams in 2r at Auckland
- Owns one hard court title achieved at Hua Hin in 2023
- Is No. 1 seed this week; she is No.1 seed for the first time in her career
- One of 2 players from China to reach 2r
- Best result by China at Osaka was semifinal achieved by Zhang Shuai in 2018 and 2016, Wang Qiang in 2018 and Zhang Jie in 2011
- Last time 2 players from China reached 2r at Osaka was 2018 (Zhang Shuai)
- Is currently ranked No.35; this time last year was ranked No.69; reached a career high ranking of No.33 on Mar 6, 2023
- During last year's Asian swing reached QF at Seoul
- Longest winning streak of her career was 6 matches in 2023
- Has won 24 matches so far in 2023 with record on hard court standing at
- Has been involved in 10 three-set matches in 2023

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. RAINA (#181) 6-4 6-2 (1h 20m)

Total time on court: 1h 20m

PLAYER NOTES

- · Making tournament debut at Osaka
- Has beaten No. 181 Ankita Raina so far this week to reach 2r, her best win by ranking this year
- Faces No.35 Zhu Lin in 2r today; owns 1 career win over Top 50 players, most recently No.41 Petra Martic at Monastir 2022
- · Debut match against a Chinese player
- Owns 1-3 career record against seeds, with a record in 2023 standing at 0-0
- Best career result on hard court is quarterfinal which she has reached at Monastir in 2022
- One of 3 players from Japan to reach 2r, along with Sakatsume and Hontama
- Best result by Japan at Osaka was champion achieved by Nao Hibino in 2019
- One of 2 wildcards to reach 2r, along with Hontama
- Best result by a wildcard at Osaka was champion achieved by Marion Bartoli in 2011
- Lowest ranked player (No.527) to reach 2r at Osaka was Akiko Morigami in 2009
- Is currently ranked No.174; this time last year was ranked No.125
- During last year's Asian swing reached 1r at Seoul and 1r at Chennai
- Longest winning streak of her career was 2 matches in 2022
- Has won 1 match so far in 2023 with record on hard court standing at 1-2
- Has been involved in 2 three-set matches in 2023



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2018	Result	Rank: 112 Seed: -
2r	L	A. TOMLJANOVIC (#60) 7-5 6-4
1r	w	M. KATO (#184) 7-6(3) 6-2

• Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Played 3r at US Open (l. Bencic)
- Reached SF at Cleveland (l. Alexandrova)
- Fell in 1r at Prague (l. Wickmayer), Montreal (l. Ka. Pliskova) and Cincinnati (l. Kalinina)
- Reached 2r at Warsaw (l. Siegemund)
- Suffered 1r exit at Wimbledon (l. Swiatek)
- Advanced to career first SF on grass at Birmingham (l. Krejcikova)
- Reached 2r at Nottingham (l. Frech)
- Suffered 1r defeat at Roland Garros (l. Davis)
- Fell in 1r at Madrid (l. Marino) and withdrew from Rome due to injury
- Defeated in 1r at Indian Wells (l. Tsurenko) and 2r at Miami (after 1r bye, l. Muchova)
- Fell 1r at Merida (l. McNally) and advanced to SF at Monterrey (l. eventual champion Vekic)
- Lifted maiden WTA title at Hua Hin (d. Tsurenko in F)
- At Australian Open advanced to R16 at a Slam for the first time (l. Azarenka); scored maiden Top-10 win over No.6 Sakkari in 3r
- Fell 1r at Hobart (l. Kenin)
- Opened season by reaching QF at Auckland (l. eventual champion Gauff)

- At US Open, reached Q3 (l. Zvonareva)
- Played qualifying at Wimbledon (Q2, l. Kenin)
- On clay, reached Q3 at Roland Garros (l. Rus), Q1 at Rome and Madrid (l. Friedsam both times)
- Fell in first round of qualifying at Doha (l. Ruse) and Abu Dhabi (l. Zavatska)
- Played 1r of main draw at Hua Hin (l. Yastremska) and Australian Open (l. Pera)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
64	59	Aces	15	142
66.1%	20	First serve %	49.3%	0
61.2%	65	First Serve points won %	65.8%	0
49.4%	11	Second serve points won %	49.1%	0
57.2%	43	Overall service points won %	57.3%	0
65.8%	47	Service games won %	60.0%	0
58.1%	24	Break points saved %	48.1%	0
37.0%	42	First serve return points won %	36.6%	0
57.2%	13	Second serve return points won %	52.4%	0
49.7%	13	Break points converted %	57.1%	0
36.8%	29	Return games won %	33.3%	0
44.5%	27	Return points won %	42.4%	0





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Champion (1)

2023 - HUA HIN

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (1)

2019 - NANCHANG (w/Wang)

Runner-Up (2)

2023 - HUA HIN (w/Wang)

2022 - GUADALAJARA (w/Wang)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r	1r	1r	3r	2023	1r			
	1r	1r		2022				
2r	1r	2r		2021				
2r				2020				
1r	1r	1r	2r	2019				
1r				2018				
1r				2017				
				2016				
		1r		2015				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Last season reached QF at Seoul (I. Maria) and 2r at four other WTA tournaments. Also won 13th, 14th and 15th career titles on ITF Circuit, including at W100 event in Landisville, PA
- Won biggest career title at end of 2021, at WTA 125K Series event at Seoul. Also in 2021 reached 2r at Australian Open and Wimbledon (l. Mertens at both tournaments)
- Ended 2020 ranked at No.91 for her second successive Top 100 finish, recording career-high ranking of No.69 on February 17. Season highlight was QF run at Acapulco
- Played primarily on the ITF Circuit in 2019, winning three titles and finishing runner-up at three further tournaments. First broke into Top 100 on February 25 and finished the season at No.83
- Won first Grand Slam main draw match of career at 2019 US Open, defeating compatriot Wang Xinyu in 1r before falling to Keys
- Lifted first WTA doubles title at 2019 Nanchang (w/Wang Xinyu)
- Highlight of 2018 season was second career WTA SF at Nanchang (l. Zheng). At tour level, also made 2r at Hiroshima (l. Tomljanovic) and fell 1r on four occasions (including Australian Open)
- Won two ITF Circuit titles in 2018, at \$60k Luan-CHN and \$60k Jinan-CHN
- Prior to 2018, best results on tour were SF at Kuala Lumpur in 2016 (l. Svitolina) and QF runs at Taipei City, Nanchang and Tianjin in 2017
- Notched first Top-20 win of career over No.17 Kvitova at 2017 Tianjin
- Won doubles title at WTA 125K Series event at Zhengzhou in 2017 (w/Han)
- Member of Chinese Bille Jean King Cup Team, 2017-18, 2022
- Was selected to participate in the 2015 WTA Rising Stars Invitational in Singapore
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2014 Hong Kong as qualifier, l. Cepelova in 2r
- Winner of 15 singles and six doubles titles on ITF Circuit
- Played first events of career on ITF Circuit in China in 2009

· No notes have been added for this player

OTHER INFORMATION

· Coached by Tim Nicholls; trains in Guangzhou

· Started playing tennis at the age of nine

- Father is Zhu Jiangming (works in finance); mother is Chen Yunqi (travel agent); father introduced her to tennis at age 4
- Aggressive player; favorite shot is forehand; tennis idol growing up was Martina Hingis
 Enjoys shopping, watching movies and cooking
 If she was not a tennis player, would probably work in travel industry like her mother

• Likes to listen to BTS



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FIRST MEETING













2001-09-26	Date of Birth	2001-08-03
	Residence	null
Right-Handed (Two-handed backhand)	Plays	null
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	null
39	Career-High Ranking	164
\$2,150,941	Career Prize Money	\$163,548
\$1,228,013	Season Prize Money	\$0
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
8-10 (Round of 16: 2023 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	0-0
1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2023)	YTD / Career OSAKA W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2023)
20-17 / 39-54	YTD / Career W-L	1-0 / 1-1
17-11 / 35-40	YTD / Career Hard W-L	1-0 / 1-1
7-7 / 15-19	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	0-0 / 0-0
7-4 / 12-9	YTD / Career TB W-L	0-0 / 0-1
Semi-Finalist: HUA HIN	YTD Best Result	Round of 16: OSAKA



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XINYU WANG HIMENO SAKATSUME

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YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
					GGGRE, REGGE	

First career meeting

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
68	97	2022	294	294
99	99	2021	560	598
135	153	2020	627	646
142	150	2019	599	736
306	306	2018	696	696
975	983	2017	_	_



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XINYU WANG

HIMENO SAKATSUME

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. J. TEICHMANN (#138) 7-6 6-3 (2h 0m)

Total time on court: 2h 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- · Making 1st appearance at Osaka
- Has beaten Jil Teichmann in straight sets so far this week to reach 2r
- Faces No.184 Himeno Sakatsume in 2r today; where she will look for her first win against a player from Japan in 2023
- Owns 12-10 winning career record against qualifiers, with a record in 2023 standing at 7-4
- Best career result on hard court is Semi-Finalist which she has reached 2 times: Hua Hin in 2023 (l. Zhu); Prague in 2021 (l. Krejcikova)
- One of 2 players from China to play 2r, along with Zhu Lin
- Best result by a player from China at Osaka was Semi-Finalist run by Zhang Shuai in 2018 and 2016, Wang Qiang in 2018, Zheng Jie in 2011
- Wang is currently holding her highest career ranking at No.39; this time last year was ranked No.77
- During last year's Asian swing contested 2r at Tokyo (l. Samsonova)
- Has won 19 matches so far in 2023 with record on hard court standing at 17-11
- Has been involved in 14 three-set matches in 2023
- The winner of today will go up against Putintseva, who defeated Savinykh in straight sets

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. EALA (#195) 6-0 6-3 (1h 14m)

Total time on court: 1h 14m

PLAYER NOTES

- · Making 1st appearance at Osaka
- Has beaten Alexandra Eala in straight sets so far this week to reach her first 2r at Osaka 2023
- Faces No.39 Xinyu Wang in 2r today; where she will look for her first win against a player from China in 2023
- Best career result on hard court is Round of 32 which she has reached once: Granby in 2022 (l. Paolina)
- One of 3 players from Japan to play 2r, along with Uchijima and Hontama
- Best result by a player from Japan at Osaka was Champion run by Nao Hibino in 2019
- Last time 3 players from Japan played 2r at Osaka was 2019
- One of four qualifiers to reach 2r along with Mandlik, Savinykh and Hartono
- Best result by a qualifier at Osaka was Champion earned by Zarina Diyas in 2017
- Is currently ranked No.184; this time last year was ranked No.357
- Has won 1 match so far in 2023, which was her 1r win against Raina



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XINYU WANG HIMENO SAKATSUME

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles
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XINYU WANG HIMENO SAKATSUME

SEASON 2023 HISTORY

- Played 4r at US Open (l. Muchova)
- Reached QF at Cleveland (l. eventual R-Up Alexandrova)
- Defeated in 1r at Prague (l. Kuzmova)
- Reached 2r at Wimbledon (l. Kenin)
- Fell 1r at Berlin (l. Fourlis, as qualifier)
- Reached 3r in singles at Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Swiatek); in doubles, lifted first career Grand Slam doubles trophy with Hsieh (d. Fernandez/Townsend in F)
- Suffered 1r exits at Madrid (l. Niemeier), Rome (l. Paolini) and Strasbourg (l. Kanepi). Also fell 1r at WTA 125K Series event at Reus
- Reached 3r at Indian Wells (l. Krejcikova) and 2r at Miami (l. Ka.Pliskova)
- In Mexico, reached 2r at both Merida (l. Cocciaretto) and Monterrey (l. Sherif - held 2MP). Also made QF at W60 ITF Circuit event in Irapuato
- Advanced to SF at Hua Hin (l. eventual champion Zhu)
- Fell 1r at Auckland (l. Kenin), then reached QF at Hobart (as LL, l. eventual champion Davis) and 2r at Australian Open (l. Keys)

- Played qualifying at Roland Garros (Q1, l. Arango), Wimbledon (Q1, 1. Burel) and reached Q3 at US Open (l. Juvan)
- On ITF circuit, reached W25 Federicton final (l.Knutson) and W25 Toronto final (l. Sebov). Won W80 Gifu (d. Boulter)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
80	49	Aces	3	217
55.7%	81	First serve %	70.0%	0
62.8%	54	First Serve points won %	68.6%	0
47.9%	21	Second serve points won %	46.7%	0
56.2%	52	Overall service points won %	62.0%	0
65.1%	50	Service games won %	85.7%	0
55.2%	46	Break points saved %	80.0%	0
36.3%	50	First serve return points won %	45.7%	0
54.3%	47	Second serve return points won %	77.8%	0
46.2%	47	Break points converted %	85.7%	0
35.1%	39	Return games won %	75.0%	0
43.0%	51	Return points won %	56.6%	0





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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2023 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Hsieh) 2021 - COURMAYEUR (w/Zheng) 2019 - NANCHANG (w/Zhu)

Runner-Up (4)

2023 - MÉRIDA (w/Wu), HUA HIN (w/Zhu)

2022 - GUADALAJARA (w/Zhu)

2021 - LINZ (w/Zheng)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r	3r	2r	4r	2023				
2r	1r		1r	2022				
		1r		2021				
				2020				
			1r	2019				
1r				2018				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Reached 2r on six occasions in 2022, including at Australian Open (l. Sabalenka). Also won sixth career ITF Circuit title, at W60 event in Tokyo in November
- Made Top 100 debut on November 15, 2021
- Highlight of 2021 was SF at Prague (l. eventual champion Krejcikova). Also advanced to QF at Courmayeur (l. Vekic) and Linz (as qualifier, l. eventual champion Riske)
- In 2020, fell 1r at Shenzhen (l. Muguruza) and Hua Hin (l. Liang)
- Opened 2019 season with maiden Tour-level main draw win at Shenzhen Open (d. F.Xun, l. Sharapova), went on to post two more 2r runs at Nanchang (l. Rybakina) and Tianjin (as qualifier, l. Peterson)
- Lifted maiden WTA doubles title at 2019 Nanchang w/L.Zhu (d. Peng/Zhang in F)
- Won three consecutive ITF titles in 2019, at \$25K ITF/Shenzhen 2-CHN (d. F.Xun in F), \$25K ITF/Hengyang-CHN (d. Z.Sun in F) and \$25K ITF/Tianhin-CHN (d. Jovic in F)
- In 2018, won maiden title of career at \$25K ITF/Nonthaburi 4-THA (d. Wang Xiyu in F)
- Made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2018 Australian Open (l. Cornet in 1r)
- Also in 2018, contested qualifying on WTA Tour for the first time at Shenzhen Open and competed in maiden WTA main draw at Guangzhou (l. Khazaniuk)
- Advanced to 2r on professional debut at \$10K ITF/Prokuplje 2-SRB in 2016 (as qualifier, l. Zakarlyuk)

• No notes have been added for this player

OTHER INFORMATION

- · Coached by Miro Hrvatin
- Father, Peng Wang, is a former professional player and Fed Cup captain, mother is Jinghui Zhou
- Started playing tennis with father at the age of six. Describes her game as "aggressive and decisive"
- Best moment in tennis to date was playing Maria Sharapova at Shenzhen in 2019
- Favorite surface is hard and favorite tournaments are the Australian and US Opens
- · Li Na was her role model growing up

· No notes have been added for this player

- Long-term goal is to win a Grand Slam
 Passions away from the court are yoga and food.
 Favorite book is Little Women, movie is The Hunger Games and musician is Jay Chou

 Words she would use to describe herself are
- "peace and love".