

# BNP PARIBAS OPEN INDIAN WELLS, CA, USA





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# **BNP PARIBAS OPEN – QUARTERFINALS (BOTTOM HALF)**

[6] COCO GAUFF (USA #6)

Head-to-Head

3-1

[2] ARYNA SABALENKA (#2)

<u>GAUFF</u>: Triumphed on a third set tie-break when they last met at 2022 Toronto... Recovered from 4-2 down in the final set to beat qualifier Peterson on Tuesday... Had never been past third round in two previous visits to Indian Wells Tennis Garden... At least one American has reached the QF stage in 10 consecutive WTA 1000 tournaments... Has not won a set in past five matches against Top-10 opponents... Celebrated 19th birthday earlier this week

SABALENKA: Only win over the American came at 2020 Ostrava, a result that began a 15-match, three-tournament, winning streak... Has lost just one match and five sets in 16 outings this season... Appearing in QF at Indian Wells for the first time... Is defending only 20 points at Indian Wells and Miami... Along with Bencic is one of two women with multiple singles titles in 2023... Lifted doubles title here with Mertens four years ago

[7] MARIA SAKKARI (GRE #7)

Head-to-Head

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[15] PETRA KVITOVA (CZE #15)

**SAKKARI**: Dropped just three games in winning their most recent encounter, at Indian Wells in 2022... Bidding to become the first woman to reach back-to-back finals here since Sharapova in 2013... Each match this fortnight has gone to three sets, including coming from a break down in the decider to beat Pliskova in the last round... Has won her past 10 hard-court QFs

**KVITOVA**: Last beat the Greek on clay at 2021 Stuttgart... Saved four match points to upset No.3 seed Pegula in round of 16... Since 2009 has appeared in 98 WTA 1000 tournaments, second behind only Pavlyuchenkova on 100... Has never been beyond QF in 11 previous visits to Indian Wells... Two Czechs have reached this stage at Indian Wells for the first time since 2019

## **CLOSER LOOK AT THE QUARTERFINALISTS**

PLAYER	RANK	AGE	YTD PRIZE \$^	YTD W/L*	YTD TITLES	CAREER PRIZE \$^	CAREER W/L*	CAREER TITLES
[1] Iga Swiatek	1	21	1,008,793	15-3	1	15,743,870	143-43	12
[2] Aryna Sabalenka	2	24	2,271,221	15-1	2	14,446,131	209-97	12
[6] Coco Gauff	6	19	531,049	14-3	1	6,081,140	531,049	3
[7] Maria Sakkari	7	27	622,352	14-5	0	8,674,380	184-134	1
[10] Elena Rybakina	10	23	1,245,229	13-4	0	7,606,187	137-69	3
[15] Petra Kvitova	15	33	354,588	11-4	0	35,118.239	492-241	29
Karolina Muchova	76	26	193,928	11-3	0	3,899,035	74-43	1
Sorana Cirstea	83	32	118,888	6-5	0	7,594,395	279-285	2

\*includes current tournament /^Does not include current tournament



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## **INDIAN WELLS AND WTA 1000 RECORDS**

PLAYER	IW W-L*	IW BEST RESULT*	WTA 1000 W-L*	WTA 1000 BEST RESULT*
[1] Iga Swiatek	11-1	WON (2022)	46-13	WON (5): Doha (2022), Indian Wells (2022), Miami (2022), Rome (2021-22)
[2] Aryna Sabalenka	6-3	QF (2023)	62-31	WON (4): Doha (2020), Madrid (2021), Wuhan (2018-19)
[6] Coco Gauff	5-2	QF (2023)	33-19	SF (2): Dubai (2023), Rome (2021)
[7] Maria Sakkari	11-4	R-Up (2022)	53-35	R-Up (2): Guadalajara (2022), Indian Wells (2022)
[10] Elena Rybakina	6-2	QF (2022-23)	30-17	QF (4): Cincinnati (2022), Indian Wells (2022-23), Wuhan (2019)
[15] Petra Kvitova	18-11	QF (2013, 2016, 2023)	171-89	WON (8): Doha (2018), Madrid (2011, 2015, 2018), Montreal (2012), Tokyo (2013), Wuhan (2014, 2016)
Karolina Muchova	4-0	QF (2023)	18-9	QF (3): Dubai (2023), Indian Wells (2023), Madrid (2021)
Sorana Cirstea	11-10	QF (2023)	55-68	R-Up (1): Toronto (2013)

<sup>\*</sup>includes 2023 Indian Wells

## **INDIAN WELLS APPEARANCES**

PLAYERS	R128	R64	R32	R16	QF	SF	R-UP	WON	TOTAL*
CIRSTEA, SORANA	2	5	2	1					11
GAUFF, COCO			2						3
KVITOVA, PETRA		3	5	1	2				12
MUCHOVA, KAROLINA									1
RYBAKINA, ELENA		1			1				3
SABALENKA, ARYNA		1	1	1					4
SAKKARI, MARIA	1	1		1			1		5
SWIATEK, IGA				1				1	3

<sup>\*</sup>includes 2023 Indian Wells

## POTENTIAL INDIAN WELLS SEMIFINAL HEAD-TO-HEADS

	MUCHOVA	RYBAKINA
SWIATEK	Muchova leads 1-0	Series tied 1-1
CIRSTEA	Muchova leads 2-0	Rybakina leads 2-0

	GAUFF	SABALENKA		
SAKKARI	Sakkari leads 4-1	Sabalenka leads 4-3		
KVITOVA	Gauff leads 1-0	Kvitova leads 3-2		



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## **QUARTERFINALS QUICK HITS**

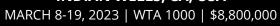
- The leading two seeds No.1 Iga Swiatek and No.2 Aryna Sabalenka have advanced to the quarterfinals for the first time at Indian Wells since 2014, when No.1 Li Na and No.2 Agnieszka Radwanska reached the semifinals and final, respectively
- The Czech Republic is the only country with multiple representatives left in the singles draw Petra Kvitova and Karolina Muchova. The last time two Czech women reached the Indian Wells quarterfinals was 2019, when Karolina Pliskova and Marketa Vondrousova both fell at this stage
- Coco Gauff's progress means that for the 10th consecutive WTA 1000 tournament at least one American has reached the quarterfinals. The last time an American did not advance to this stage was 2021 Cincinnati, while at Indian Wells it was 2014
- Kvitova is into the last eight at a WTA 1000 event for the 35th time in her career; only Agnieszka Radwanska (42),
   Simona Halep (39) and Caroline Wozniacki (36) have done so more often
- **Sorana Cirstea** and Kvitova are the last remaining players aged over thirty in the draw. It is the third year in a row multiple thirtysomethings have appeared in the Indian Wells quarterfinals
- Muchova has spent the most time on court this fortnight, requiring nine hours and 40 minutes to negotiate her four
  matches. She is followed by Maria Sakkari, who took seven hours and 14 minutes to reach this stage, across
  three matches. In contrast, Sabalenka has needed barely over three hours, although she did receive an opening
  match bye and a walkover in the third round

# A SNAPSHOT OF 2023 SO FAR

- Top-10 debuts (1): Elena Rybakina (January 30)
- Most aces in a match (20): Veronika Kudermetova (d. Victoria Azarenka at Adelaide 2)
- Most titles (2): Aryna Sabalenka (Adelaide 1, Australian Open), Belinda Bencic (Adelaide 2, Abu Dhabi)
- Fewest games dropped en route to a title (5): Iga Swiatek (Doha)
- Lowest-ranked title winner (No.84): Lauren Davis (Hobart)
- Youngest title winner (18): Coco Gauff (Auckland)
- Oldest title winner (31): Camila Giorgi (Mérida)
- Longest Match (3h 32m): Erika Andreeva d. Harriet Dart 7-6(4) 3-6 7-6(3) (Austin)



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Most main-draw wins in 2023	W	L	
Caroline Garcia	17	7	
Aryna Sabalenka	15	1	
Belinda Bencic	15	4	
Jessica Pegula	15	5	
Iga Swiatek	15	3	
Donna Vekic	14	3	
Coco Gauff	14	3	
Maria Sakkari	14	5	
Elena Rybakina	13	4	
Barbora Krejcikova	13	5	
Zhu Lin	13	6	
Marta Kostyuk	13	6	

Most aces in	2023	2023 IW
Caroline Garcia	170	26
Elena Rybakina	135	19
Aryna Sabalenka	118	16
Liudmila Samsonova	97	8
Zheng Qinwen	93	-
Karolina Pliskova	93	14
Veronika Kudermetova	91	9
Alycia Parks	90	2
Coco Gauff	75	15
Maria Sakkari	72	16

Most active career wins at IW	W	L
Victoria Azarenka	34	11
Simona Halep	28	10
Angelique Kerber	23	12
Vera Zvonareva	22	10
Venus Williams	21	7
Karolina Pliskova	21	8
Petra Kvitova	18	11
Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova	14	12
Elina Svitolina	13	9
Yanina Wickmayer	13	10

Most three-set wins in 2023	W	L
Anastasia Potapova	7	3
Marta Kostyuk	6	2
Ysaline Bonaventure	6	2
Caroline Garcia	6	4
Maria Sakkari	6	4
Jessica Pegula	5	2
Belinda Bencic	4	1
Donna Vekic	4	1
Bernarda Pera	4	1
Varvara Gracheva	4	1





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2004-03-13	Date of Birth	1998-05-05
Delray Beach, Fl. USA	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand	) Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 9" (1.75m)	Height	5' 11" (1.82m)
4	Career-High Ranking	2
\$6,081,140	<b>Career Prize Money</b>	\$14,446,131
\$531,049	Season Prize Money	\$2,271,221
1/3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	2 / 12
33-14 (Runner-Up: 2022 ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	43-19 (Champion: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
3-0 / 5-2 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023)	YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L (best)	. 2-0 / 6-3 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023)
14-3 / 107-54	YTD / Career W-L	15-1 / 209-97
14-3 / 67-39	YTD / Career Hard W-L	15-1 / 152-63
1-1 / 30-17	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	3-1 / 70-51
2-0 / 28-15	YTD / Career TB W-L	4-1 / 46-34
0-1 / 4-12	YTD / Career TOP 5 W-L	0-0 / 11-12
0-1 / 7-17	YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L	1-0 / 22-21
Champion: AUCKLAND	YTD Best Result	Champion: AUSTRALIAN OPEN, ADELAIDE #1







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## **HEAD TO HEAD RECORD**

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2022	TORONTO	HARD	3r	Coco Gauff	7-5 4-6 7-6(4)	3h 11m
2021	ROME	CLAY	3r	Coco Gauff	7-5 6-3	1h 30m
2020	OSTRAVA	HARD	2r	Aryna Sabalenka	1-6 7-5 7-6(2)	2h 14m
2020	LEXINGTON	HARD	2r	Coco Gauff	7-6(4) 4-6 6-4	2h 48m

## **RANKING HISTORY**

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
4	7	2022	2	5
19	22	2021	2	2
47	48	2020	10	10
68	68	2019	9	11
874	875	2018	11	11
-	-	2017	76	78
-	-	2016	154	159
_	_	2015	539	548



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## **TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. C. BUCSA (#90) 6-2 6-4 (1h 16m) 3r: d. L. NOSKOVA (#54) 6-4 6-3 (1h 36m) 4r: d. R. PETERSON (#103) 6-3 1-6 6-4 (2h 17m)

Total time on court: 5h 9m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making 3rd appearance at BNP Paribas Open, where she fell 3r in 2021 (l. eventual champion Badosa) and 2022 (l. Halep)
- After 1r bye, defeated Bucsa in 2r, Noskova in 3r and Peterson in R16 to reach her fourth QF from five touraments in 2023
- Deepest runs of her career at WTA 1000 tournaments are to SF at 2021 Rome and 2023 Dubai, with an overall win-loss record of 33-19 (only other teenager to play 50 or more matches at this level is Pavlyuchenkova with 53)
- Faces No.2 Sabalenka in QF today; owns seven wins in career over Top-10 players, most recently against No.6 Sabalenka at 2022 Toronto
- Since then, has lost five straight matches against Top-10 opponents (all in straight sets)
- Owns 21-36 career record against seeds (1-3 in 2023)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 10-11 (6-9 on hard courts)
- Last American remaining in the draw; at least one home player has reached QF every year since 2014
- V.Williams was the last American to reach SF here (2018), while S.Williams was the most recent to reach the final (2016) and also win the title (2001)
- Has won 14 matches so far in 2023; only Garcia (17), Sabalenka (15), Bencic (15), Swiatek (15) and Pegula (15) have more
- Seeded No.2 in doubles this fortnight w/Pegula (l. Kato/Sutjiadi in 3r)
- Two of her three career titles have come on hard courts, at 2019 Linz (indoor) and 2023 Auckland (outdoor)
- Best career result on US soil was SF run at 2020 Lexington

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. E. RODINA (#427) 6-2 6-0 (1h 5m) 3r: d. L. TSURENKO (#95) w/o (0m) 4r: d. B. KREJCIKOVA (#16) 6-3 2-6 6-4 (2h 3m)

Total time on court: 3h 8m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making a 4th appearance at Indian Wells, where her best previous result was R16 showing in 2019 (l. Kerber)
- Also won doubles title here in 2019 (w/Mertens)
- Now reached QF at all regular WTA 1000 tournaments (exception being 2022 inaugural event in Guadalajara)
- This is her 36th appearance at WTA 1000 level, winning four titles
- After 1r bye, advanced past Rodina in 2r,
   Tsurenko (via walkover) in 3r and Krejcikova in
   R16; struck 16 aces taking her season total to 118
- Faces No.6 Gauff in QF today; has lost three of their four career meetings, although did beat her en route to 2020 Ostrava title (first match in 15match, three-tournament, winning streak)
- Since losing to Gauff at 2022 Toronto, has won seven straight matches against Americans
- Owns 22 wins in career over Top-10 players, most recently beating No.10 Bencic at 2023 Australian Open
- Has 65-42 career record against seeds (5-0 in 2023)
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 30-16 (20-13 on hard courts)
- Seeded second this fortnight; Navratilova in 1991, Davenport in 2000 and Sharapova in 2013 are the only No.2 seeds to win this title
- Following her Australian Open win, she returned to her career-high ranking of No.2 (first achieved in August 23, 2021)
- Has lost just one of her 15 matches this season (in Dubai QF against eventual champion Krejcikova); only Garcia (17-7) has won more
- Owns 12 career titles, including at Australian Open (2023), WTA EliteTrophy Zhuhai (2019), and WTA 1000 events in Wuhan (2018-19), Doha(2020) and Madrid (2021)
- Best results on US soil, are her maiden WTA title at 2018 New Haven andR-Up finishes at 2022 WTA Finals Fort Worth and 2019 San Jose







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## **RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

2022	Result	Rank: 17	Seed: 16
3r	L	S. HALEP (#26	6) 6-3 6-4
2r	W	C. LIU (#87) 6	-1 7-6(4)
2021	Result	Rank: 19	Seed: 15
<b>2021</b> 3r	<b>Result</b>	<b>Rank: 19</b> P. BADOSA (#2	

2022	Result	Rank: 3 Seed: 2
2r	L	J. PAOLINI (#46) 2-6 6-3 6-3
2019	Result	Rank: 9 Seed: 9
4r	L	A. KERBER (#8) 6-1 4-6 6-4
3r	W	L. TSURENKO (#28) 6-2 7-5
2r	W	A. TOMLJANOVIC (#44) 6-3 4-6 6-0
2018	Result	Rank: 63 Seed: -
3r	L	M. VONDROUSOVA (#54) 6-2 6-2
2r	W	S. KUZNETSOVA (#18) 6-4 6-3



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## **SEASON 2023 HISTORY**

- At Doha advanced to QF in singles (l. Kudermetova) and defended doubles title (w/Pegula), then reached SF at Dubai (l. Swiatek)
- Reached R16 at Australian Open (l. Ostapenko)
- Won third career WTA title at Auckland (d. Masarova in F)
- Won 13-straight matches to start the season with first loss coming in QF at Dubai (l. eventual champion Krejcikova)
- Lifted maiden Grand Slam title at Australian Open (d. Rybakina in F)
- Won 11th career title at Adelaide 1 (d. Noskova in F)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
75	9	Aces	118	3
65.0%	34	First serve %	59.4%	76
68.3%	18	First Serve points won %	74.8%	4
51.9%	10	Second serve points won %	50.9%	16
62.6%	9	Overall service points won %	65.1%	3
80.9%	5	Service games won %	86.6%	1
69.3%	2	Break points saved %	72.8%	1
38.0%	29	First serve return points won %	37.9%	30
56.5%	36	Second serve return points won %	59.3%	11
43.1%	63	Break points converted %	42.7%	66
39.2%	23	Return games won %	39.1%	24
44.6%	33	Return points won %	46.1%	16

Best win by ranking: No.13 vs Kvitova in DOHA 2r Longest match: 2h 17m vs Peterson in INDIAN WELLS 4r Shortest match: 1h 10m vs Sasnovich in DUBAI 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 9 vs Kenin in AUCKLAND 2r

Best win by ranking: No.10 vs Bencic in AUSTRALIAN OPEN 4r Longest match: 2h 15m vs Samsonova in ADELAIDE #1 2r Shortest match: 59m vs Davis in DUBAI 2r Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 12 vs Noskova in ADELAIDE #1 F



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## TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

#### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2023 - AUCKLAND

2021 - PARMA

2019 - LINZ

Runner-Up (1)

2022 - ROLAND GARROS

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

Champion (7)

2023 - DOHA (w/Pegula)

2022 - SAN DIEGO (w/Pegula), TORONTO

(w/Pegula), DOHA (w/Pegula)

2021 - PARMA (w/Mcnally)

2019 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Mcnally), WASHINGTON

DC (w/Mcnally)

Runner-Up (3)

2022 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Pegula), STUTTGART

(w/Zhang)

2021 - US OPEN (w/Mcnally)

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Champion (12)

2023 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN, ADELAIDE #1

2021 - MADRID, ABU DHABI

2020 - LINZ, OSTRAVA, DOHA

2019 - ZHUHAI, WUHAN, SHENZHEN

2018 - WUHAN, NEW HAVEN

Runner-Up (8)

2022 - WTA FINALS, S'HERTOGENBOSCH,

STUTTGART

2021 - STUTTGART

2019 - SAN JOSE

2018 - EASTBOURNE, LUGANO

2017 - TIANJIN

#### **DOUBLES FINALS**

Champion (6)

2021 - BERLIN (w/Azarenka), AUSTRALIAN OPEN

(w/Mertens)

2020 - OSTRAVA (w/Mertens)

2019 - US OPEN (w/Mertens), MIAMI (w/Mertens),

INDIAN WELLS (w/Mertens)

Runner-Up (2)

2019 - WUHAN (w/Mertens)

2018 - LUGANO (w/Lapko)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r				2023	WON			
1r	RUP	3r	QF	2022	4r	3r		SF
2r	QF	4r	2r	2021	4r	3r	SF	SF
4r	2r		1r	2020	1r	3r		2r
		4r	3r	2019	3r	2r	1r	2r
				2018	1r	1r	1r	4r
				2017			2r	



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## **CAREER MILESTONES**

- In 2022, reached maiden Grand Slam final at Roland-Garros (l. Swiatek); was the youngest major finalist since Sharapova won 2004 Wimbledon
- Made Top-10 debut on September 12, 2022, following QF run at US Open (I. Garcia)
- Highlight of 2021 campaign was completing singles-doubles title sweep at Parma; defeated Q.Wang in singles final and teamed up w/McNally to win doubles
- In 2021 also reached SF at Adelaide and Rome, while at the Slams made QF at Roland-Garros and R16 at Wimbledon
- Finished R-Up in doubles at 2021 US Open (w/McNally, l. Stosur/Zhang)
- First cracked the Top 50 on February 24, 2020 at No.49, following a R16 appearance at Australian Open to tie her career best Grand Slam result during run, defeated V.Williams in 1r and her first Top-5 opponent in No.4 Osaka in 3r (l. eventual champion Kenin in 3s)
- Enjoyed breakout season in 2019, highlighted by maiden WTA singles title at Linz (as lucky loser, d. Ostapenko in F) - earned her first Top-10 win en route to title over No.8 Bertens in QF
- At 15y 214d, her title run in Linz made her youngest to win a WTA tour-level title since Vaidisova (15y 177d) won Tashkent in 2004
- Also claimed maiden WTA doubles titles at Washington, DC (w/McNally, d. Sanchez/Stollar in F) and Luxembourg (w/McNally, d. Christian/Guarachi in F)
- By winning the doubles title at Washington, DC at 15y 144d, became the youngest player to win a doubles title since May 1995 (Hingis won Hamburg at 14y 219d)
- Reached R16 at 2019 Wimbledon on Grand Slam main draw debut defeating V.Williams in 1r (l. eventual champion Halep) - followed with 3r showing at US Open (as WC, l. Osaka)
- Made WTA main draw debut as a wildcard at 2019 Miami where she earned her first WTA main draw win over good friend McNally (l. Kasatkina in 2r)
- Made professional debut in May 2018 as a qualifier into the \$25K ITF/Osprey, FL-USA
- Member of US Billie Jean King Cup team in 2022
- Former Junior World No.1 (July 2018); won 2018 Roland-Garros girls' title (d. McNally in F) and 2018 US Open doubles title (w/McNally), while finished R-Up at 2017 US Open girls' event (l. Anisimova) becoming the youngest girls' singles

- Highlight of last season was R-Up finish at WTA Finals in Fort Worth (l. Garcia in F); upset No.1 Swiatek, No.2 Jabeur and No.3 Pegula en route to final - only the fourth woman in history to beat the No.1, No.2 and No.3 at the same tournament
- Lifted two titles during 2021 campaign, at Abu Dhabi and Madrid, while was R-Up at Stuttgart. Also reached a further three SFs, including at Wimbledon and US Open
- Rose to career-high No.2 in rankings on August 23. 2021
- In doubles, lifted second major at 2021 Australian Open (w/Mertens, d. Krejcikova/Siniakova in F)
- Won final nine matches of 2020 to end the year with back-to-back titles - at Ostrava (d. Azarenka in F) and Linz (d. Mertens in F) - and ranked at No.10
- Having also taken home the silverware at Doha (d. Kvitova in F), was one of two players (also Halep) to lift three singles titles during disrupted 2020 season
- Ended as World No.11 for the second straight year in 2019 after capturing three WTA singles titles at Shenzhen (d. Riske in F), Wuhan (d. Riske in F) and Zhuhai (d. Bertens in F)
- Made Top-10 debut on January 28, 2019 following 3r run at 2019 Australian Open
- Ended 2019 at No.2 in WTA doubles rankings after capturing first Grand Slam doubles trophy at US Open (w/Mertens, d. Azarenka/Barty in F). Earlier in the season, the pair claimed the 'Sunshine Double' by winning back-to-back titles at Indian Wells (d. Krejcikova/Siniakova in F) and Miami (d. Stosur/ Zhang in F)
- Qualified for WTA Finals Shenzhen in doubles (w/Mertens), going 1-2 in the round-robin stage
- Enjoyed breakthrough season in 2018, lifting two titles, at New Haven (d. Suárez Navarro in F) and Wuhan (d. Kontaveit in F), winning 46 matches and finishing at No.11 in the rankings
- Also in 2018, was R-Up at Lugano (l. Mertens) and Eastbourne (l. Wozniacki), made SF at Cincinnati, reached five QFs and produced a career-best Grand Slam run to R16 at US Open
- Entered Top 50 on April 16, 2018, after Lugano run, and Top 20 on August 27 of the same year, following New Haven title
- Broke into Top 100 at No.76 on October 16, 2017 after reaching first Tour-level final at Tianjin (l. Sharapova). Also in 2017 made SF at Tashkent (l.

finalist in tournament history at 13-years-old

- Babos) and lifting WTA 125k Series title at Mumbai (d. Jakupovic)
- Made Grand Slam main draw debut 2017 Wimbledon, falling in 2r (as qualifier, d. Khromacheva, l. Witthoeft)
- Fell 1r on main draw debut at 2017 Dubai (as qualifier, l. Ka.Bondarenko)
- Member of Belarus Billie Jean King Cup team that lost to USA in 2017 final - scored first Top-20 win of career with defeat of No.13 Stephens during final in Minsk
- WTA qualifying debut came at 2016 Rabat
- Lifted first three ITF Circuit titles in 2015, including a 13-match win streak towards the year's end, bringing back-to-back trophies in Antalya, Turkey
- Made debut on ITF Circuit in Minsk in 2012

#### OTHER INFORMATION

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

- Currently working with former hitting partner Anton Dubrov; previously coached by Dmitry Tursunov and Didi Kindlmann
- Started playing tennis when she was 6 by an accident when her father Sergey drove by the tennis courts and decided to give it a try
- Has a sweet tooth and considers something sweet as a perfect present; loves her grandmother's cooking, and looks forward to her pancakes when she is away from home
- Has a tiger tattoo on her left arm, which earned her the nickname "The Tiger"
- She spends her time off with family, catching up with friends, or reading; her favorite book is "The Count of Monte Cristo"





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# PETRA 15 (15) KVITOVA CZECH REPUBLIC

1995-07-25	Date of Birth	1990-03-08
Monte Carlo, Monaco	Residence	Monte Carlo, Monaco
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Left-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 8" (1.72m)	Height	6' 0" (1.82m)
3	Career-High Ranking	2
\$8,674,380	Career Prize Money	\$35,118,239
\$622,352	Season Prize Money	\$354,588
0 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 29
46-28 (Semi-Finalist: 2021 US OPEN, ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	124-53 (Champion: 2014 WIMBLEDON; 2011 WIMBLEDON)
3-0 / 11-4 (Runner-Up: 2022)	YTD / Career INDIAN WELLS W-L (best)	3-0 / 18-11 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023, 2016, 2013)
14-5 / 184-134	YTD / Career W-L	11-4 / 492-241
14-5 / 122-90	YTD / Career Hard W-L	11-4 / 327-169
6-4 / 56-63	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L	2-0 / 144-101
4-2 / 43-32	YTD / Career TB W-L	3-2 / 102-80
1-1 / 17-14	YTD / Career L Hand W-L	1-0 / 55-19
1-1 / 25-26	YTD / Career TOP 10 W-L	2-2 / 59-67
3-2 / 45-53	YTD / Career TOP 20 W-L	2-2 / 110-104
Semi-Finalist: DOHA, LINZ	YTD Best Result	Quarter-Finalist: ADELAIDE #2, INDIAN WELLS





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## **HEAD TO HEAD RECORD**

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2022	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	3r	Maria Sakkari	6-3 6-0	1h 5m
2021	US OPEN	HARD	3r	Maria Sakkari	6-4 6-3	1h 21m
2021	STUTTGART	CLAY	2r	Petra Kvitova	6-3 3-6 6-3	2h 28m
2020	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	4r	Petra Kvitova	6-7(4) 6-3 6-2	2h 12m
2019	CINCINNATI	HARD	2r	Maria Sakkari	6-4 2-6 6-3	2h 8m
2019	ROME	CLAY	3r	Maria Sakkari	7-5 5-7 4-0	2h 15m
2019	MIAMI	HARD	2r	Petra Kvitova	6-1 6-4	1h 10m

## **RANKING HISTORY**

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
3	6	2022	16	16
6	6	2021	8	17
20	22	2020	7	8
22	23	2019	2	7
29	41	2018	4	7
48	52	2017	11	29
89	89	2016	6	11
184	188	2015	2	6
284	301	2014	3	4
587	610	2013	6	6
568	627	2012	2	8
702	702	2011	2	2
-	-	2010	29	34
-	-	2009	40	62
-	-	2008	44	44
-	-	2007	157	157
-	-	2006	771	773



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## **TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. S. ROGERS (#41) 2-6 6-4 6-0 (2h 3m) 3r: d. A. KALININA (#29) 3-6 6-2 6-4 (2h 29m) 4r: d. K. PLISKOVA (#17) 6-4 5-7 6-3 (2h 42m)

Total time on court: 7h 14m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making fifth main-draw appearance at Indian Wells (seventh overall), where she reached the final last year (l. Swiatek)
- After 1r bye, beat Rogers in 2r, Kalinina in 3r and Ka.Pliskova in R16 to reach third QF of the season (also during SF runs at Doha and Linz)
- All three matches went to three sets and trailed Ka.Pliskova by a break in the decider
- Has won six three-set matches this season; only Potapova (seven) has posted more
- Indian Wells marks 36th appearance at a WTA 1000 tournament, with best results R-Up finishes at Indian Wells and Guadalajara last year
- Faces No.15 Kvitova in QF today; won nine straight games to beat the Czech in 3r at 2022 Indian Wells
- Owns 44 wins in career over Top-20 players, including three this season (No.18 Alexandrova and No.5 Garcia at Doha, and No.17 Ka.Pliskova at Indian Wells)
- Owns 61-60 career record against seeds (4-2 in 2023)
- Overall career record in QF matches is 24-10 (18-3 on hard courts, winning the past 10)
- Only player from Greece in the draw and also WTA Top 100
- Is currently ranked No.7; this time last year was No.6. Has been an ever-present in the Top 10 since making her debut on September 27, 2021
- Has won 14 matches so far in 2023; only Garcia (17-7), Sabalenka (15-1), Swiatek (15-3), Bencic (15-4) and Pegula (15-5) have more
- Is looking for her first career hard court title, having been R-Up on the surface five times: Guadalajara (l. Pegula), Indian Wells (l.Swiatek) and St. Petersburg (l. Kontaveit) in 2022, Ostrava (l. Kontaveit) in 2021 and San Jose (l. Buzarnescu) in 2018

#### **CURRENT TOURNAMENT**

2r: d. E. MANDLIK (#155) 6-1 7-5 (1h 26m) 3r: d. J. OSTAPENKO (#25) 0-6 6-0 6-4 (1h 49m) 4r: d. J. PEGULA (#3) 6-2 3-6 7-6 (2h 14m)

Total time on court: 5h 29m

#### **PLAYER NOTES**

- Making 12th appearance at Indian Wells, where she is through to QF for third time, having also made this stage in 2013 (l. Kirilenko) and 2016 (l. A.Radwanska)
- After 1r bye, defeated WC Mandlik in 2r, Ostapenko in 3r and No.3 seed Pegula in R16 (saved 4MP)
- Making 98th appearance at a WTA 1000 level tournament, second behind only Pavlyuchenkova (100). Owns eight titles and 171 wins at this level
- Faces No.7 Sakkari in QF; has two Top-10 wins in 2023 (No.3 Pegula at United Cup and Indian Wells)
- At WTA and Grand Slam events, has 59 Top-10 wins; among active players only V.Williams (135) and Azarenka (74) have more
- Has 125-115 record against seeds (2-2 in 2023)
- Bidding for multiple Top-10 wins at the same tournament for first time since title run at WTA 1000 Doha in 2018 (No.3 Svitolina, No.10 Goerges, No.1 Wozniacki and No.3 Muguruza)
- Career QF record is 58-35 (39-24 on hard)
- Thirty-five of these QFs have been at WTA 1000 events; only A.Radwanska (42), Halep (39) and Wozniacki (36) have made this stage more often
- One of two Czechs to reach QF (also Muchova), the most to do so at Indian Wells (also 1989, 2916 and 2019)
- Best result by a Czech woman here was R-Up finish by Sukova in 1990, while the last to reach SF was Ka.Pliskova in 2017
- Has won 11 matches so far in 2023; by contrast, did not reach this total last season until Eastbourne title run in June
- Is currently ranked No.15; this time last year was No.31. Had impressive second half to 2022, winning Eastbourne and finishing R-Up at Cincinnati
- Has won 19 hard court titles; among active players, only V.Williams (31) and Azarenka (20) have more







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## **RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY**

2022	Result	Rank: 6 Seed: 6
F	L	I. SWIATEK (#4) 6-4 6-1
SF	W	P. BADOSA (#7) 6-2 4-6 6-1
QF	W	E. RYBAKINA (#20) 7-5 6-4
4r	W	D. SAVILLE (#409) 4-1
3r	W	P. KVITOVA (#31) 6-3 6-0
2r	W	K. SINIAKOVA (#55) 6-3 7-5
2021	Result	Rank: 9 Seed: 6
2r	L	V. GOLUBIC (#46) 5-7 6-3 6-2
2019	Result	Rank: 41 Seed: -
1r	L	C. MCHALE (#140) 7-5 6-0
2018	Result	Rank: 58 Seed: -
4r	L	N. OSAKA (#44) 6-1 5-7 6-1
4r 3r	L W	N. OSAKA (#44) 6-1 5-7 6-1 C. VANDEWEGHE (#16) 6-2 6-4
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2022	Result	Rank: 31	Seed: 27
3r	L	M. SAKKARI (	#6) 6-3 6-0
2r	W	A. SASNOVIC 6-4	H (#59) 6-7(4) 6-4
2021	Result	Rank: 11	Seed: 7
3r	L	V. AZARENKA	(#32) 7-5 6-4
2r	W	A. RUS (#68)	6-2 6-2
2019	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 3
2r	L	V. WILLIAMS	(#36) 4-6 7-5 6-4
2018	Result	Rank: 9	Seed: 9
3r	L	A. ANISIMOVA	A (#149) 6-2 6-4
2r	W	Y. PUTINTSEV 6-4	/A (#81) 6-7(4) 7-6(3)
2016	Result	Rank: 9	Seed: 8
QF	L	A. RADWANS	KA (#3) 6-2 7-6(3)
4r	W	N. GIBBS (#9	5) 4-6 6-3 6-4
3r	W	J. LARSSON (	(#66) 6-3 4-6 7-5
2r	W	D. KOVINIC (#	<i>‡</i> 51) 6-3 4-6 7-6(5)
2014	Result	Rank: 9	Seed: 8
<b>2014</b> 4r	<b>Result</b>		<b>Seed: 8</b> A (#11) 6-3 6-2
		D. CIBULKOV	
4r	L	D. CIBULKOV	A (#11) 6-3 6-2
4r 3r	L W	D. CIBULKOV	A (#11) 6-3 6-2 DVA (#30) 6-3 2-6 6-0
4r 3r 2r	L W W	D. CIBULKOVA S. KUZNETSC C. VANDEWEG Rank: 7	A (#11) 6-3 6-2 DVA (#30) 6-3 2-6 6-0 GHE (#108) 6-1 6-3
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4r 3r 2r <b>2013</b> QF	L W W <b>Result</b>	D. CIBULKOVA S. KUZNETSC C. VANDEWEC  Rank: 7 M. KIRILENKO K. KOUKALOV	A (#11) 6-3 6-2  DVA (#30) 6-3 2-6 6-0  GHE (#108) 6-1 6-3  Seed: 5  D (#15) 4-6 6-4 6-3
4r 3r 2r <b>2013</b> QF 4r	L W W <b>Result</b> L	D. CIBULKOV. S. KUZNETSC C. VANDEWEG  Rank: 7 M. KIRILENKO K. KOUKALOV. L. TSURENKO	A (#11) 6-3 6-2  OVA (#30) 6-3 2-6 6-0  GHE (#108) 6-1 6-3  Seed: 5  O (#15) 4-6 6-4 6-3  VA (#22) 6-2 6-3
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4r 3r 2r 2013 QF 4r 3r 2r 2012	L W W Result L W W Result L	D. CIBULKOVA S. KUZNETSC C. VANDEWEG  Rank: 7 M. KIRILENKO K. KOUKALOV L. TSURENKO O. GOVORTSC  Rank: 3 C. MCHALE (#	A (#11) 6-3 6-2  DVA (#30) 6-3 2-6 6-0  GHE (#108) 6-1 6-3  Seed: 5  D (#15) 4-6 6-4 6-3  VA (#22) 6-2 6-3  D (#74) 6-2 7-6(5)  DVA (#67) 6-4 3-6 6-3  Seed: 3  #35) 2-6 6-2 6-3
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## **SEASON 2023 HISTORY**

- Reached SF at Linz (l. Martic) and Doha (l. Pegula), then fell 2r at Dubai (l. Ka.Pliskova)
- Upset in 3r at Australian Open (l. Zhu)
- Helped Greece reach SF of inaugural United Cup; posted 6-1 record in singles and mixed doubles
- During Middle East swing, made 2r at Doha (l. Gauff) and 3r at Dubai (l. eventual champion Krejcikova)
- Reached QF at Adelaide 2 (l. Kasatkina) and 2r at Australian Open (l. Kalinina)
- Represented Czech Republic at the inaugural United Cup in the opening week of the season; despite winning both of her singles matches, Czech team made a group stage exit

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
68	10	Aces	56	19
61.3%	65	First serve %	62.7%	52
65.1%	50	First Serve points won %	70.2%	14
51.5%	12	Second serve points won %	48.7%	25
59.8%	24	Overall service points won %	62.2%	13
68.7%	35	Service games won %	69.0%	33
62.4%	13	Break points saved %	61.8%	17
39.7%	20	First serve return points won %	32.6%	91
51.1%	75	Second serve return points won %	55.3%	41
44.4%	51	Break points converted %	48.0%	35
31.1%	60	Return games won %	27.7%	79
44.1%	37	Return points won %	41.4%	69

Best win by ranking: No.5 vs Garcia in DOHA QF Longest match: 3h 14m vs Trevisan in UNITED CUP 4r Shortest match: 1h 9m vs Pliskova in DUBAI 2r Match points saved: 5 vs Vekic in LINZ QF Most aces in a match: 7 vs Zheng in DOHA 1r

Best win by ranking: No.3 vs Pegula in INDIAN WELLS 4r No.3 vs Pegula in UNITED CUP Longest match: 2h 14m vs Pegula in INDIAN WELLS 4r

Longest match: 2h 14m vs Pegula in INDIAN WELLS 4r Shortest match: 1h 8m vs Trevisan in DUBAI 1r

Match points saved:

Most aces in a match: 8 vs Zhang in DOHA 1r



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## **TITLES**

#### **SINGLES FINALS**

Champion (1)

2019 - RABAT

Runner-Up (6)

2022 - GUADALAJARA, PARMA, INDIAN WELLS, ST.

**PETERSBURG** 

2021 - OSTRAVA

2018 - SAN JOSE

#### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (29)

2022 - EASTBOURNE

2021 - DOHA

2019 - STUTTGART, SYDNEY

2018 - BIRMINGHAM, MADRID, PRAGUE, DOHA, ST.

PETERSBURG

2017 - BIRMINGHAM

2016 - ZHUHAI, WUHAN

2015 - NEW HAVEN, MADRID, SYDNEY

2014 - WUHAN, NEW HAVEN, WIMBLEDON

2013 - TOKYO, DUBAI

2012 - NEW HAVEN, MONTREAL

2011 - WTA CHAMPIONSHIPS, LINZ, WIMBLEDON,

MADRID, PARIS, BRISBANE

2009 - HOBART

Runner-Up (11)

2022 - CINCINNATI

2020 - DOHA

2019 - DUBAI, AUSTRALIAN OPEN

2016 - LUXEMBOURG

2015 - WTA FINALS

2014 - BEIJING

2013 - NEW HAVEN, KATOWICE

2011 - EASTBOURNE

2009 - LINZ





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## **GRAND SLAMS**

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r				2023	2r			
4r	2r	3r	2r	2022	1r	2r	3r	4r
1r	SF	2r	SF	2021	2r	2r	1r	3r
4r	3r		4r	2020	QF	SF		4r
3r	2r	3r	3r	2019	RUP		4r	2r
1r	3r	1r	2r	2018	1r	3r	1r	3r
3r	1r	3r	3r	2017		2r	2r	QF
2r		2r	1r	2016	2r	3r	2r	4r
			1r	2015	3r	4r	3r	QF
				2014	1r	3r	WON	3r
				2013	2r	3r	QF	3r
				2012	SF	SF	QF	4r
				2011	QF	4r	WON	1r
				2010	2r	1r	SF	3r
				2009	1r		1r	4r
				2008		4r	1r	1r



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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Finished 2022 ranked No.6 for the second consecutive year; a four-time finalist in 2022 including runs to the final at two WTA 1000 tournaments – Indian Wells and Guadalajara [1000]; returned to the WTA Finals advancing to the semifinals, falling to eventual champion Caroline Garcia
- Climbed as high as No.3 in the rankings (March 21, 2022), the highest ranking every achieved by a Greek woman
- Historic 2021 season was highlighted by her becoming first Greek woman to break into the Top 10 (at No.10, September 27) as well as the first from her country to qualify for the WTA Finals
- In 2021, also reached third WTA final at Ostrava (l. Kontaveit), while advanced to SF at Roland-Garros, US Open - defeating three Top-20 ranked opponents at both events - and WTA Finals in Guadalajara
- Posted a Tour-leading nine Top-10 wins in 2021, including two over the World No.2 (Osaka at Miami and No.2 Sabalenka at WTA Finals)
- Broke into Top 20 on February 24, 2020 for first time, at No.20
- Scored third and fourth Top-5 wins of her career in 2020, over No.5 Svitolina at Ostrava and No.5 Bencic at St. Petersburg. Previous wins came over No.5 Ka.Pliskova (2018 Rome) and No.5 Kvitova (2019 Rome, via ret.)
- Upset No.10 seed Keys to reach the R16 for the first time at one of the four Slams, at 2020 Australian Open (l. Kvitova)
- Qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai in 2019 for first time in career (fell in RR stage). That season won maiden WTA title at Rabat, recovering from a set and break down to defeat Konta in final
- Highlights of 2018 were reaching her first tourlevel final at San Jose (l. Buzarnescu) and scoring maiden Top-5 win over No.5 Ka.Pliskova in 2r at Rome
- Notched first Top-10 victory of career over No.6 Wozniacki en route to first WTA SF of career at 2017 Wuhan
- Broke into Top 50 for first time at No.49 on October 9, 2017
- At 2016 Australian Open, by reaching 2r (d. Y.Wang, l. Suárez Navarro) became the first woman from Greece to win a main draw match at a Slam since Daniilidou d. Ka.Pliskova at 2013 Australian Open

- At 2022 Eastbourne, won 29th career title (d. Ostapenko in F) - the second-most among active players behind V.Williams on 49 - and finished R-Up later that summer at Cincinnati (l. Garcia)
- Best result in 2021 was title run at Doha (d. Muguruza in F). Also made SFs at Bad Homburg and Ostrava, and QFs at Stuttgart, Madrid and Cincinnati
- Reached final at Doha in 2020 (l. Sabalenka)
- Reached title match at 2019 Australian Open for third career Grand Slam final appearance result moved her to World No.2, matching her career high ranking. Had she beaten Osaka in the final, would have claimed World No.1 ranking
- Also in 2019, qualified for WTA Finals in Shenzhen for seventh time (went 0-3 in group play)
- Won a WTA-leading five titles in 2018, at St Petersburg (d. Mladenovic in F), Doha (d. Muguruza in F), Prague (d. Buzarnescu in F), Madrid (d. Bertens in F) and Birmingham (d. Rybarikova in F)
- Titles in 2018 came on all three surfaces first player to win a title on three difference surfaces in a season since S.Williams in 2015
- Began 2017 season in May at Roland Garros (2r, l. Mattek-Sands) after a knife attack in her home in Czech Republic on December 20, 2016; required extensive surgery to left hand. Won title at 2017 Birmingham only a month later
- Contested Rio Olympics in August 2016, winning the singles bronze medal (l. Puig in SF, d. Keys in bronze medal play-off)
- Runner-up at 2015 WTA Finals in Singapore (l. A.Radwanska in 3s). Former champion at the season finale, which she won on her event debut in 2011 (d. Azarenka in F)
- Was first player born in 1990s to win a Grand Slam title at 2011 Wimbledon
- At 2012 Sydney was two wins from becoming No.1 (had won Wimbledon and WTA Finals in previous six months)
- Owns six wins over current World No.1s: Safina (2009 US Open), Wozniacki (2011 WTA Finals), S.Williams (2015 Madrid), Kerber (2016 Wuhan), Wozniacki (2018 Doha) and Barty (2020 Doha)
- Among active players, owns the most wins in indoor hard-court events
- Member of Czech Republic's Billie Jean King Cup winning team in 2011-12, 2014-16 and 2018
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in Czech

- Reached first career WTA QF at 2016 Istanbul (as qualifier, l. Kovinic)
- Fell 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2015 US Open (as qualifier, l. Q.Wang)
- WTA qualifying debut came at 2012 Palermo
- Made debut on ITF Circuit in 2010; owns seven ITF Circuit singles titles and five in doubles

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#### OTHER INFORMATION

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

- Coached by Jiri Vanek; fitness trainer is Ivan Trebaticky and physio/trainer is Florian Zitzelsberger; trains at TK Sparta Praha
- Father is Jiri (vice mayor); mother is Pavla; brothers are Jiri (engineer) and Libor (teacher). Introduced to tennis by father
- Favorite type of movie is comedy. Favorite types of music are pop, rock. Favorite foods are sushi, Italian. Also enjoys basketball and volleyball
- Favorite city to visit is Melbourne; favorite tournament is Wimbledon
- · Self-described as friendly, happy
- Tennis idol growing up was Martina Navratilova (because she's left-handed like her)