



# MATCH NOTES

## CINCINNATI OPEN

### CINCINNATI, OHIO, UNITED STATES

August 7 - 18, 2025 | WTA 1000 | \$5,152,599

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**WTA TOUR**

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## MATCH NOTES - DAY 6 – TUESDAY, AUGUST 12

### [32] Dayana Yastremska (UKR #31) vs. [2] Coco Gauff (USA #2)

**Gauff leads 3-1**

#### *Yastremska:*

- Making 5th appearance at Cincinnati, best result is 4r in 2020 (l. eventual Finalist Osaka)
- Owns 4 career wins over Top 5 players, most recent was defeating No.2 Gauff in 1r of Wimbledon 2025
- The only player from Ukraine to defeat a Top 5 player in Cincinnati is Svitolina (d. No.3 Kvitova in 2014)
- 2 of 3 career-titles have come on hard court: Hua Hin 2019 (d. Tomljanovic in F) and Hong Kong 2018 (d. Qiang Wang in F)

#### *Gauff:*

- Making 6th appearance at Cincinnati, where she won the title in 2023 (d. Muchova in final) and became the youngest woman to win this event in the Open Era
- A 2-time champion at WTA 1000 events, having also won the title at 2024 Beijing (d. Muchova in that final as well)
- 8 of her 10 WTA singles titles have come on hard court; her most recent hard-court title is the 2024 WTA Finals
- Could become youngest player to reach 4r on 21 occasions in WTA-1000 hard court events since the format was introduced in 1990

### [31] Magda Linette (POL #40) vs. [4] Jessica Pegula (USA #4)

**Pegula leads 3-0**

#### *Linette:*

- Making 6th main-draw appearance at this tournament, through to 3r for the first time
- Is 1-3 in 2025 vs. Top 5 players, most recent was loss to No.3 Gauff at Rome 2025
- Bidding to reach three WTA 1000 4r's in a season for the first time in career after Doha and Miami
- Two of her 3 career-titles are on hard court: Hua Hin 2020 (d. Kung in F); Bronx 2019 (d. Giorgi in F)

#### *Pegula:*

- Making 7th main-draw appearance at Cincinnati, where previous and best result was reaching 2024 final (l. Sabalenka)
- Has won 3 WTA 1000 titles in her career (2022 Guadalajara, 2023 Montreal and 2024 Toronto) and made 3 additional WTA 1000 finals
- Bidding to reach 32nd career 4r at a WTA-1000 event and her fifth of 2025 after Doha, Dubai, Indian Wells and Miami
- Is the fifth player from the USA to hold over 90 match wins at WTA-1000 events after S. Williams, V. Williams, M. Keys and S. Stephens



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#### [LL] Iva Jovic (USA #88) vs. Barbora Krejckikova (CZE #80)

First meeting

##### *Jovic:*

- Making tournament debut
- Is playing 2nd WTA-1000 event in her career, having made 2r at Indian Wells 2025 (as wildcard, I. Paolini)
- As LL, has beaten Solana Sierra and Linda Noskova to reach 3r - first time at WTA-1000 events and best result on hard court so far
- Her win over No.23 Noskova in previous round is career best win by ranking
- Is currently ranked No.88 (peak rank at No.87 on July 15, 2025); this time last year was ranked No.384

##### *Krejckikova:*

- Making 4th appearance at Cincinnati where her best result was QF in 2021 (l. No.1 Barty)
- Contesting the 23rd WTA 1000 main draw of her career; she has won 1 WTA 1000 title (2023 Dubai) and reached 1 other WTA 1000 final (2021 Dubai)
- Defeated Alycia Parks and Elina Svitolina to reach 3r - her first two WTA 1000 wins of the year (has only played 6 previous tournaments this year due to returning from injury)
- Record against opponents outside Top 50 is 6-1 in 2025, with the only loss to No.187 Andreescu at Montreal 2025
- 5 of 8 career WTA titles have come on hard court (2021 Prague, 2022 Tallinn, 2022 Ostrava, 2023 Dubai, 2023 San Diego)
- Best result by Czech Republic at Cincinnati was Champion run by Karolina Pliskova in 2016
- Is currently ranked No.80; this time last year was ranked No.10

#### [7] Jasmine Paolini (ITA #9) vs. [26] Ashlyn Krueger (USA #35)

First meeting

##### *Paolini:*

- Making 4th main-draw appearance at Cincinnati; her career-best showing is reaching the 2023 QF (l. eventual champion Gauff)
- Contesting her 35th WTA 1000 main draw of career; she is a 2-time WTA 1000 champion (2024 Dubai and 2025 Rome)
- Could reach R16 stage for sixth time at WTA 1000 events in 2025: R16 at Doha, R16 at Dubai, R16 at Indian Wells, SF at Miami and Champion run at Rome
- 2 of her 3 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court (2021 Portoroz and 2024 Dubai)
- So far in this year's North American summer hard-court swing, lost her opening match in Montreal (l. Ito)

##### *Krueger:*

- Making 2nd appearance at Cincinnati, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2024 (l. Shnaider)
- Looking to reach second R16 at WTA 1000 event in 2025 (Miami)
- Her sole career singles title came on hard court at Osaka 2023 (d. Lin Zhu in F)
- Winner today will face Barbora Krejckikova or LL Iva Jovic in R16



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#### [16] Clara Tauson (DEN #15) vs. Veronica Kudermetova (#36)

First meeting

##### *Tauson:*

- Making tournament debut, having played qualifying in 2022 and 2024
- Best result at WTA-1000 events was R-Up at Dubai 2025 (l. M. Andrejeva in F); also made SF at Montreal 2025 (l. Osaka)
- Owns 30 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.3 Iga Swiatek and No.8 Madison Keys at Montreal 2025
- All her three career singles titles have come on hard court at Auckland 2025, Luxembourg and Lyon in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.15 (equal to career-high first achieved on Aug 4, 2025) ; this time last year was ranked No.63
- Second on Tour for most aces served (279)

##### *Kudermetova:*

- Making 6th appearance at Cincinnati, where previous best result was R16 in 2020 (l. Mertens) and 2022 (l. Tomljanovic)
- Best result at WTA-1000 events was R-Up at Dubai 2022 (l. Ostapenko in F)
- Owns 31 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.20 Belinda Bencic here in 2r at Cincinnati 2025
- Owns one singles title on hard court at Tokyo 2023
- Is currently ranked No.36 (peak rank No.9 in Oct 2022); this time last year was ranked No.39

#### [Q] Ella Seidel (GER #125) vs. [29] McCartney Kessler (USA #32)

First meeting

##### *Seidel:*

- Making debut appearance at Cincinnati, as a qualifier
- Looking to earn second career win over Top 50 player
- Best career result on hard court is QF run at Cluj-Napoca in 2025 (l. eventual Champion Potapova)
- Best result by qualifier at Cincinnati was Champion run by Caroline Garcia in 2022
- Today's winner will face qualifier Varvara Gracheva or No.11 seed Karolina Muchova

##### *Kessler:*

- Making debut appearance at Cincinnati
- Career-best result at WTA 1000 events came this season, reaching R16 at Dubai (l. Muchova) and Montreal (l. Kostyuk)
- Owns 4-4 career record against qualifiers
- 2 of her 3 career singles titles have come on hard court, at Hobart in 2025 and Cleveland in 2024
- Last time 8 players from United States of America reached 3r at Cincinnati was 2020

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DAYANA  
YASTREMSKA (32)  
UKRAINE

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(2) GAUFF  
UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA

2000-05-15	Date of Birth	2004-03-13
Odessa, Ukraine	Residence	Delray Beach, FL. USA
Right-handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.75m)	Height	5' 9" (1.75m)
21	Career-High Ranking	2
\$5,724,780	Career Prize Money	\$27,421,774
\$936,217	Season Prize Money	\$5,810,320
0 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	1 / 10
24-22 (Semi-Finalist: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	71-22 (Champion: 2025 ROLAND GARROS; 2023 US OPEN)
1-0 / 5-4 (Round of 16: 2020)	YTD / Career CINCINNATI W-L (best)	0-1 / 6-5 (Champion: 2023)
29-17 / 125-126	YTD / Career W-L	34-11 / 234-96

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## HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	WIMBLEDON	GRASS	1r	Dayana Yastremska	7-6(3) 6-1	1h 18m
2025	MADRID	CLAY	2r	Coco Gauff	0-6 6-2 7-5	2h 22m
2024	ROLAND GARROS	CLAY	3r	Coco Gauff	6-2 6-4	1h 34m
2024	MADRID	CLAY	3r	Coco Gauff	6-4 6-1	1h 17m

## RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
25	33	2024	2	3
97	106	2023	3	3
74	102	2022	4	7
29	97	2021	19	22
21	29	2020	47	48
22	22	2019	68	68
60	60	2018	874	875
164	189	2017	-	-
340	342	2016	-	-
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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. V. TOMOVA (#105) 6-4 2-6 6-2 (2h 7m)

*Total time on court: 2h 7m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 5th appearance at Cincinnati, her best result is 4r in 2020 (l. eventual Finalist Osaka)
- Faces No.2 Coco Gauff in 3r today; owns 4 career-wins over Top 5 players, most recently defeated Gauff at Wimbledon 2025
- Owns 4-4 record in 2025 against players from United States of America, most recently defeated Navarro at Montreal 2025
- The only player from Ukraine to defeat a Top 5 player in Cincinnati is Svitolina (d. No.3 Kvitova in 2014)
- Owns 10-8 record in 2025 against seeded players, most recent loss to No.9 seed Rybakina at Montreal 2025
- 2 of her 3 career-titles have come on hard court: Hua Hin 2019 (d. Tomljanovic in F); Hong Kong 2018 (d. Qiang Wang in F)
- Best result by Ukraine at Cincinnati was SF run by Svitolina in 2015
- Is currently ranked No.35; this time last year was ranked No.28. Holds a career-high ranking of No.21 (Jan 2020)
- So far during this year's North American summer hard court swing, has reached 3r at Montreal (l. Rybakina)
- Has been involved in 14 three-set matches in 2025, 8-6 record

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. X. WANG (#38) 3-6 2-6 (1h 10m)

*Total time on court: 1h 10m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 6th appearance at Cincinnati, where she won the title in 2023 (d. Muchova in F)
- Also owns a second singles title at WTA 1000 events - Beijing 2024 (also d. Muchova in F)
- Faces No.35 Dayana Yastremska in 3r today; Gauff is 22-6 this year against opponents ranked outside Top 30, three of those 6 losses have come since June 2025
- Gauff will appear in the 3r for the fourth time in her career at this tournament (2021, 2023 & 2024)
- Bidding to reach 4r for the 28th time in WTA-1000 events
- Could become youngest player to reach 4r on 21 occasions in WTA-1000 hard court events since the format was introduced in 1990
- Record against seeded players in 2025 stands at 16-4 (most recently defeating Sabalenka in F of Roland Garros)
- 8 of her 10 singles titles have come on hard court: WTA Finals 2024, Beijing 2024, Auckland 2024; US Open 2023, Cincinnati 2023, Washington DC 2023, Auckland 2023; Linz 2019
- One of 8 players from United States of America to reach 3r, the most since 2020
- American women have won the Cincinnati title five times this century, by Gauff herself in 2023, Madison Keys in 2019, Serena Williams in 2014 and 2015, Lindsay Davenport in 2004
- Is currently ranked at career-best No.2 (first achieved on June 2024); this time last year was ranked No.2
- Has been involved in 10 three-set matches in 2025, 9-1 record

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 33	Seed: -
1r	L	K. MUCHOVA (#35) 7-6(6) 6-2	
2021	Result	Rank: 49	Seed: -
2r	L	B. KREJCIKOVA (#10) 6-1 7-6(5)	
1r	W	C. MCNALLY (#130) 7-6(3) 7-6(1)	
2020	Result	Rank: 25	Seed: 16
3r	L	N. OSAKA (#10) 6-3 6-1	
2r	W	B. PERA (#61) 7-6(5) 4-6 6-3	
1r	W	V. WILLIAMS (#65) 5-7 6-2 7-5	
2019	Result	Rank: 32	Seed: -
2r	L	S. KUZNETSOVA (#153) 4-6 7-6(7) 6-2	
1r	W	C. WOZNIACKI (#19) 6-4 6-4	

2024	Result	Rank: 2	Seed: 2
2r	L	Y. PUTINTSEVA (#34) 6-4 2-6 6-4	
2023	Result	Rank: 7	Seed: 7
F	W	K. MUCHOVA (#17) 6-3 6-4	
SF	W	I. SWIATEK (#1) 7-6(2) 3-6 6-4	
QF	W	J. PAOLINI (#43) 6-3 6-2	
3r	W	L. NOSKOVA (#50) 6-4 6-0	
2r	W	M. SHERIF (#33) 6-2 6-2	
2022	Result	Rank: 12	Seed: 11
1r	L	M. BOUZKOVA (#46) 7-5 1-0	
2021	Result	Rank: 24	Seed: -
2r	L	N. OSAKA (#2) 4-6 6-3 6-4	
1r	W	S. HSIEH (#86) 6-1 6-2	
2020	Result	Rank: 50	Seed: -
1r	L	M. SAKKARI (#21) 6-1 6-3	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Made 4r at Montreal (l. Rybakina)
  - Reached SF at Hamburg (l. eventual champion Boisson)
  - Made 3r at Wimbledon (l. Bouzas Maneiro)
  - Reached QF at Eastbourne (l. eventual R-Up Eala)
  - R-Up finish at Nottingham (l. champion Kessler in F)
  - Made 3r at Roland Garros (l. Samsonova)
  - Played 1r at Rome (l. Potapova)
  - Made 2r at Madrid (l. eventual R-Up Gauff)
  - Played 1r at Stuttgart (as qualifier, l. eventual champion Ostapenko, retired in 2nd set)
  - Played 1r at Miami (l. Bencic)
  - Made 3r at Indian Wells (l. Swiatek)
  - Reached 3r at Dubai (l. Swiatek)
  - Played 1r at Doha (l. Stearns)
  - Finished with R-Up at Linz (l. champion Alexandrova in F)
  - Made 3r at Australian Open (l. Rybakina)
  - Reached QF at Hobart (l. eventual champion Kessler)
  - Opened 2025 playing R32 at Brisbane (l. Potapova)
- Reached 4r at Montreal (l. Mboko)
  - Played 1r at Wimbledon (l. Yastremska)
  - Made 2r at Berlin (l. eventual R-Up X. Wang)
  - Won at Roland Garros (d. Sabalenka in F)
  - Finished R-Up at Rome (l. champion Paolini in F)
  - R-Up finish at Madrid (l. champion Sabalenka in F)
  - Made QF at Stuttgart (l. Paolini)
  - Reached 4r at Miami (l. Linette)
  - Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Bencic)
  - Made 2r at Dubai (after 1r Bye, l. Kessler)
  - Played 2r at Doha (after 1r Bye, l. Kostyuk)
  - Reached QF at Australian Open (l. Badosa)
  - Opened 2025 becoming United Cup Champion representing the US (5-0 in singles play)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
136	19	Aces	125	24
58.0%	69	First serve %	60.1%	56
63.2%	56	First Serve points won %	69.6%	7
48.9%	12	Second serve points won %	42.8%	72
57.2%	42	Overall service points won %	58.9%	21
68.5%	31	Service games won %	69.0%	27
60.8%	8	Break points saved %	53.9%	48
36.4%	40	First serve return points won %	44.0%	1
57.0%	16	Second serve return points won %	56.5%	21
49.0%	15	Break points converted %	53.6%	2
36.9%	26	Return games won %	45.5%	1
44.3%	30	Return points won %	48.8%	1



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)  
2019 - STRASBOURG, HUA HIN  
2018 - HONG KONG  
Runner-Up (4)  
2025 - NOTTINGHAM, LINZ  
2022 - LYON  
2020 - ADELAIDE

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)  
2019 - BEIJING (w/Ostapenko)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (10)  
2025 - ROLAND GARROS  
2024 - WTA FINALS, BEIJING, AUCKLAND  
2023 - US OPEN, CINCINNATI, WASHINGTON DC, AUCKLAND  
2021 - PARMA  
2019 - LINZ

Runner-Up (4)  
2025 - ROME, MADRID, UNITED CUP  
2022 - ROLAND GARROS

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (10)  
2025 - MONTREAL (w/Kessler)  
2024 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Siniakova)  
2023 - MIAMI (w/Pegula), 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 (6)  
2024 - ROME (w/Routliffe)  
2023 - ROME (w/Pegula), MADRID (w/Pegula)  
2022 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Pegula), STUTTGART (w/Zhang)  
2021 - US OPEN (w/Mcnally)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r	3r	3r		2025	QF	WON	1r	
SF	3r	3r	1r	2024	SF	SF	4r	4r
1r	1r			2023	4r	QF	1r	WON
1r	1r	1r	1r	2022	1r	RUP	3r	QF
			1r	2021	2r	QF	4r	2r
2r	1r		2r	2020	4r	2r		1r
3r	1r	4r	3r	2019			4r	3r
			1r	2018				

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2024 enjoyed fairytale run to first Grand Slam semifinal at Australian Open (as qualifier), including defeat of No.7 Vondrousova and two-time major champion Azarenka. Posted highest ranking for almost four years, rising to No.25 in July.
- In 2023, achieved best results at WTA 125 series events, winning Kozerki (d. Minnen) and SF finishes at Reus (l. Mandlik) and Angers (l. Burel).
- Best result of 2022 was R-Up finish at Lyon (as WC, l. Zhang). Also made QF at Dubai (as qualifier, l. Vondrousova), Bogota (l. Pigossi) and Birmingham (l. Zhang)
- In first tournament of 2021, reached SF at Hamburg (l. eventual champion Ruse). Also made QF at Courmayeur (l. Paolini)
- Highlight of 2020 was finishing R-Up at Adelaide (l. Barty); scored three consecutive Top 20 wins en route to final, over No.18 Kerber, No.20 Vekic and No.12 Sabalenka
- Captured two WTA singles titles in 2019 at Hua Hin (d. Tomljanovic in F after trailing 5-2 in third set) and Strasbourg (d. Garcia after saving 1mp)
- Advanced to QF at 2019 Wuhan, where she recorded maiden Top 5 win against No.2 Ka.Pliskova in R16 (l. Kvitova), and made Grand Slam breakthrough with R16 run at 2019 Wimbledon (l. Zhang)
- Qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai in 2019, going 1-1 in RR stage (d. No.20 Vekic, l. eventual R-Up Bertens) and reached maiden doubles final, at Beijing (w/Ostapenko, l. Kenin/Mattek-Sands)
- During 2018 campaign, won first career WTA title at 2018 Hong Kong (d. Q.Wang in F) and scored first Top 20 win over No.13 Muguruza in SF showing at Luxembourg (l. Bencic)
- Became first woman born in the 2000s to crack the Top 100 on the WTA rankings, debuting at No.100 (July 16, 2018)
- Also in 2018, won third - and most recent - ITF singles title in at \$60k ITF/Rome-ITA and reached two further finals
- Won first WTA main draw match and reached first tour-level QF at 2017 Istanbul, defeating former World No.9 Petkovic en route (l. Cepelova)
- Made WTA main draw debut as a WC at 2016 Istanbul (l. Hibino in 1r)
- Played first matches of career on ITF Circuit in 2015
- In juniors, rose as high as No.6 in the ITF rankings and was R-up in 2016 Wimbledon girls'
- Went three for three in finals in 2024, winning Auckland, Beijing and a historic first WTA Finals Riyadh title. Success in Saudi Arabia saw her win a record \$4.8m in prize money, the most ever awarded in women's professional sports, and defeat the World No.1 and No.2 at the same event. Posted a new career-high of No.2 in June
- Won debut Grand Slam singles crown in 2023 lifting title on home soil at US Open (d. Sabalenka in F). Picked up another three titles in 2023, marking first WTA 1000 title at Cincinnati and debut WTA 500 title at Washington DC, in addition to WTA 250 Auckland. In doubles was co-ranked No.1 with Pegula after US Open.
- 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 (l. 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.

event (I. Potapova)

eventual champion Halep) - followed with 3r showing at US Open (as WC, I. 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 (I. 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 (I. Anisimova) becoming the youngest girls' singles finalist in tournament history at 13-years-old

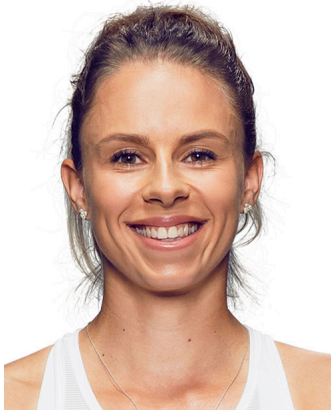
## OTHER INFORMATION

- Previously worked with Sascha Bajin and Olivier Jeunehomme; physio and hitting partner is Jan Blecha
- Born and resides in Odessa, Ukraine
- Started playing tennis aged five and trained as a junior in Istanbul, at Koza WOS
- Nominated for 2019 WTA Newcomer of the Year

- Coached by Jean Christophe Faurel and Matt Daly
- Father, Corey, played basketball at Georgia State; mother, Candi, excelled in gymnastics before competing in a track and field at Florida State University
- Previously worked with Diego Moyano
- 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

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LINETTE (31)  
POLAND

JESSICA  
(4) PEGULA  
UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA

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1992-02-12	Date of Birth	1994-02-24
Poznan, Poland	Residence	Boca Raton, FL, USA
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.71m)	Height	5' 7" (1.70m)
19	Career-High Ranking	3
\$7,793,908	Career Prize Money	\$18,681,669
\$806,957	Season Prize Money	\$2,082,153
0 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	3 / 9
26-40 (Semi-Finalist: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	52-26 (Runner-Up: 2024 US OPEN)
1-0 / 2-5 (Round of 32: 2025, 2024)	YTD / Career CINCINNATI W-L (best)	0-1 / 11-7 (Runner-Up: 2024)
19-19 / 207-213	YTD / Career W-L	37-15 / 244-123

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	2r	Jessica Pegula	6-4 6-2	1h 15m
2024	CHARLESTON	CLAY	3r	Jessica Pegula	6-2 6-2	59m
2023	MIAMI	HARD	4r	Jessica Pegula	6-1 7-5	1h 18m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
22	38	2024	3	7
19	24	2023	3	5
45	49	2022	3	3
40	57	2021	18	18
33	40	2020	59	62
41	42	2019	55	76
55	83	2018	124	125
70	71	2017	165	632
81	96	2016	135	165
64	89	2015	150	151

# MATCH NOTES

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. R. SRAMKOVA (#36) 7-6 6-0 (1h 29m)

*Total time on court: 1h 29m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 6th main-draw appearance at this tournament, this is the first time she has reached 3r
- Faces No.4 Jessica Pegula in 3r today; owns career-record of 5-18 (1-3 in 2025) vs. Top 5 players, most recent loss to No.3 Gauff at Rome 2025
- Bidding to reach an eighth career 4r at a WTA-1000 event, and first 4r here
- Could reach three WTA-1000 4r's in a season for the first time in her career after Doha and Miami
- Owns 3-4 record in 2025 against players from United States of America, most recent was defeating Collins at Washington DC 2025
- Two of her 3 career-titles are on hard court: Hua Hin 2020 (d. Kung in F); Bronx 2019 (d. Giorgi in F)
- One of 2 players from Poland to reach 3r alongside Swiatek
- Best result by a player from Poland at Cincinnati was SF run by Swiatek in 2023 and 2024, losing both times to the eventual Champion (Gauff and Sabalenka)
- Is currently ranked No.34; this time last year was ranked No.41. Holds a career-high ranking of No.19 (Mar 2023)
- So far during this year's North American summer hard court swing, reached 3r at Washington DC (l. eventual Finalist Kalinskaya), then fell in 1r at Montreal (l. Sevastova)
- Bidding for her 20th match win of the 2025 season

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. K. BIRRELL (#79) 4-6 3-6 (1h 16m)

*Total time on court: 1h 16m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 7th main-draw appearance at Cincinnati, where her previous and best result was reaching the 2024 final (l. Sabalenka in F)
- Best results at WTA 1000 events are championship runs at Guadalajara 2022 (d. Sakkari), Montreal 2023 (d. Samsonova) and Toronto 2024 (d. Anisimova)
- Faces No.34 Magda Linette in 3r today; owns 18-10 record in 2025 vs. players inside Top 50, most recent was loss to No.36 Fernandez at Montreal 2025
- Bidding to reach her 32nd career 4r at a WTA-1000 event and her fifth of 2025 after Doha, Dubai, Indian Wells and Miami.
- Is the fifth player from the USA to hold over 90 match wins at WTA-1000 events - S. Williams, V. Williams, M. Keys and S. Stephens
- Owns 3-0 record in 2025 against players from Poland, most recently defeated Swiatek in F of Bad Homburg 2025 to claim title
- Among players from the United States of America since it's introduction in 2009, only S. Williams (82.5%) holds a better win rate on hard court at WTA-1000 events than Pegula (70.1%, 75-32)
- Six of her 9 career-titles are on hard court: Austin 2025; Toronto 2024; Seoul, Montreal 2023; Guadalajara 2022; Washington DC 2019
- One of 8 players from United States of America to reach 3r, the most since 2020
- American women have won the Cincinnati title five times this century, by Gauff herself in 2023, Madison Keys in 2019, Serena Williams in 2014 and 2015, Lindsay Davenport in 2004
- Is currently ranked No.4; this time last year was ranked No.6. Holds a career-high ranking of No.3 (Oct 2022)
- During last year's North American summer swing, won Toronto (d. Anisimova in F), finished R-Up at US Open and Cincinnati (l. Sabalenka in both Finals)

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 43	Seed: -
2r	L	L. SAMSONOVA (#17) 7-6(10) 6-1	
1r	W	K. BOULTER (#30) 2-6 6-0 7-5	
2023	Result	Rank: 23	Seed: -
1r	L	A. LI (#192) 0-6 7-6(5) 6-2	
2021	Result	Rank: 43	Seed: -
1r	L	S. HALEP (#14) 6-4 3-6 6-1	
2020	Result	Rank: 35	Seed: -
1r	L	V. ZVONAREVA (#270) 1-6 6-3 6-1	
2017	Result	Rank: 84	Seed: -
1r	L	F. ABANDA (#133) 3-6 6-4 6-2	

2024	Result	Rank: 6	Seed: 6
F	L	A. SABALENKA (#3) 6-3 7-5	
SF	W	P. BADOSA (#36) 6-2 3-6 6-3	
QF	W	L. FERNANDEZ (#26) 7-5 6-7(1) 7-6(3)	
3r	W	T. TOWNSEND (#51) 6-2 6-3	
2r	W	K. MUCHOVA (#35) 5-7 6-4 6-2	
2023	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 3
3r	L	M. BOUZKOVA (#35) 6-4 6-0	
2r	W	M. TREVISAN (#63) 6-7(2) 6-2 6-3	
2022	Result	Rank: 8	Seed: 7
QF	L	C. GARCIA (#35) 6-1 7-5	
3r	W	E. RADUCANU (#13) 7-5 6-4	
2r	W	M. KOSTYUK (#74) 6-7(5) 6-1 6-2	
2021	Result	Rank: 25	Seed: -
3r	L	K. PLISKOVA (#4) 6-4 7-6(5)	
1r	W	C. GIORGI (#33) 6-2 6-2	
2020	Result	Rank: 83	Seed: -
QF	L	E. MERTENS (#22) 6-1 6-3	
3r	W	A. SABALENKA (#11) 6-2 2-6 6-3	
2r	W	A. ANISIMOVA (#28) 7-5 6-2	
1r	W	J. BRADY (#40) 7-6(5) 6-4	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Played 2r at Montreal (l. Sevastova)
  - Made 2r at Washington DC (l. eventual R-Up Kalinskaya)
  - Played 1r at Wimbledon (l. Jacquemot)
  - Played 1r at Eastbourne (l. Yastremska, retired due to left knee injury)
  - Reached SF at Nottingham (l. eventual R-Up Yastremska)
  - Fell in 1r at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Pera)
  - Played 1r at Roland Garros (l. Tauson)
  - Made QF at Strasbourg (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
  - Reached 3r at Rome (l. eventual R-Up Gauff)
  - Made 2r at Madrid (l. Sakkari)
  - Reached QF at Miami (l. Paolini)
  - Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Pegula)
  - Reached 2r at Merida (l. Sonmez, retired due to left foot injury)
  - Played 1r at Dubai (l. Yastremska)
  - Made 3r at Doha (l. Kostyuk)
  - Reached QF at Abu Dhabi (l. Noskova)
  - Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Uchijima)
  - Reached R16 at Hobart (l. Joint)
  - Opened 2025 playing 1r at Brisbane (l. Kessler)
- Made 3r at Montreal (l. Sevastova)
  - Made 2r at Washington DC (l. eventual champion Fernandez)
  - Played 1r at Wimbledon (l. Cocciaretto)
  - Finished with Champion run at Bad Homburg (d. R-Up Swiatek in F)
  - Made 2r at Berlin (l. Samsonova)
  - Reached 4r at Roland Garros (l. Boisson)
  - Played 2r at Strasbourg (as WC, l. Kalinskaya)
  - Made 3r at Rome (l. Mertens)
  - Reached 3r at Madrid (l. Uchijima)
  - Reached QF at Stuttgart (l. Alexandrova)
  - Won at Charleston (d. Kenin in F)
  - R-Up finish at Miami (l. Sabalenka in F)
  - Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Svitolina)
  - Won at Austin (d. Kessler in F)
  - Reached R16 at Dubai (l. Noskova)
  - Made QF at Doha (l. Alexandrova)
  - Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Danilovic)
  - Opened 2025 with a R-Up finish at Adelaide (l. Keys in F)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
127	22	Aces	125	25
60.2%	53	First serve %	61.5%	44
64.5%	44	First Serve points won %	67.5%	19
46.9%	31	Second serve points won %	50.7%	1
57.5%	34	Overall service points won %	61.1%	6
67.2%	40	Service games won %	74.7%	8
58.7%	22	Break points saved %	59.8%	11
32.7%	80	First serve return points won %	38.6%	17
54.3%	52	Second serve return points won %	53.3%	66
43.1%	58	Break points converted %	44.1%	48
29.6%	71	Return games won %	36.8%	27
41.1%	75	Return points won %	44.3%	29



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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2024 - PRAGUE

2020 - HUA HIN

2019 - BRONX

Runner-Up (5)

2024 - ROUEN

2023 - GUANGZHOU

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)

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (9)

2025 - BAD HOMBURG, CHARLESTON, AUSTIN

2024 - TORONTO, BERLIN

2023 - SEOUL, MONTREAL

2022 - GUADALAJARA

2019 - WASHINGTON DC

Runner-Up (11)

2025 - MIAMI, ADELAIDE

2024 - US OPEN, CINCINNATI

2023 - WTA FINALS, TOKYO, DOHA, UNITED CUP

2022 - MADRID

2020 - AUCKLAND

2018 - QUEBEC CITY

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (7)

2023 - MIAMI (w/Gauff), DOHA (w/Gauff)

2022 - SAN DIEGO (w/Gauff), TORONTO (w/Gauff),

WASHINGTON DC (w/Routliffe), DOHA (w/Gauff),

MELBOURNE 250 #1 (w/Muhammad)

Runner-Up (5)

2024 - WUHAN (w/Muhammad), SAN DIEGO  
(w/Krawczyk)

2023 - ROME (w/Gauff), MADRID (w/Gauff)

2022 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Gauff)

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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r	1r	1r		2025	3r	4r	1r	
1r	1r	1r	1r	2024	2r		2r	RUP
SF	1r	3r	2r	2023	QF	3r	QF	4r
2r	2r	2r	1r	2022	QF	QF	3r	QF
	3r	3r	1r	2021	QF	3r	2r	3r
1r	1r		3r	2020	1r	1r		3r
1r	2r	3r	2r	2019		1r	1r	1r
3r	1r	1r	1r	2018				
1r	3r	1r	1r	2017				
1r	1r	1r	1r	2016				1r
	1r	1r	2r	2015				2r

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Won her third career title in 2024 at Prague; also reached the final at Rouen and made her first career WTA 1000 quarterfinal at Wuhan (l. Gauff)
- Opened 2023 by going 3-1 in singles for Poland in the City Final in Sydney at inaugural United Cup (l. Keys), then achieved best Grand Slam result with SF at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Sabalenka). Broke into Top 20 for first time reaching No. 19 on March 20, 2023.
- Reached final at Guangzhou (l. Wang Xiyu) and ended 2023 by qualifying for Zhuhai Elite Trophy (0-2 in group stage).
- 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 Bogota 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

- In 2024, won two singles titles - Toronto (WTA 1000) and Berlin - en route to year-end ranking of No.7, her third-straight year-end Top 10 finish; two-time runner-up at Cincinnati and US Open; joined Rosie Casals (1970), Evonne Goolagong Cawley (1973) and Serena Williams (2013) as the only women in the Open Era to make the final at the Canadian Open, Cincinnati Open and US Open in the same season
- Also qualified for the 2024 WTA Finals (withdrew during round-robin play due to left knee injury)
- Won two titles in 2023, her second WTA 1000 tournament at Montreal and also WTA 250 Seoul. Also finished R-Up at Doha, Tokyo and at the WTA Finals in Cancun.

In doubles ascended to No.1 ranking (co-ranked with Coco Gauff) after 2023 US Open.

- Achieved career-high No. 3 in October 2022 after defeating four Grand Slam champions at Guadalajara, en route to ending three-year wait for second WTA title (d. Sakkari in F)
- Qualified for WTA Finals Fort Worth in both singles and doubles (w/Gauff), thus becoming the first Americans to debut in singles and doubles at the season-ending showpiece since Davenport in 1994
- Reached QF at three of the four majors in 2022, breaking into Top 10 after doing so at Roland Garros (June 6, 2022)
- One of seven players to win 40 or more matches in 2022, alongside Swiatek, Jabeur, Garcia, Sakkari, Kasatkina and Bencic
- In 2021, reached the QF or better on seven occasions, including at the Australian Open
- Broke into Top 20 on November 1, 2021
- Began 2020 with runner-up finish at Auckland (l. S.Williams), other standout results were a QF at Western & Southern Open (as qualifier, l. Mertens) and a 3r showing at US Open (l. Kvitova)
- On the doubles court in 2020, reached QFs of Roland-Garros (w/Muhammad) and Cincinnati (w/Rogers)
- Won her first WTA title at 2019 Washington DC (d. Giorgi in F)
- Also in 2019, fell 1r on main draw debut at Roland-Garros (l. eventual champion Barty) and Wimbledon (l. Buzarnescu) and Miami (as a qualifier, l. Konta)
- Broke into Top 100 for the first time on February 4, 2019 following back-to-back R-Up finishes at WTA 125K Series event at Newport Beach and W100 ITF Circuit tournament in Midland-MI, USA

- 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 titles on ITF Circuit

- Highlights of 2018 included finishing R-up as a qualifier at Quebec City (l. Parmentier in F), recording SF finish at Houston WTA 125K Series tournament (l. S.Peng) and reaching QF or better at 10 ITF events
- Did not play between January and August 2017 after undergoing hip surgery. Primarily played at ITF Circuit events for the rest of the year, winning two doubles titles with Townsend
- Played a mixture of WTA and ITF Circuit events in 2016 with highlight coming at Washington DC, where she defeated No.14 Stosur for first Top-20 win of career on her way to a SF finish (l. Davis)
- Reached 2r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2015 US Open (as qualifier, d. Van Uytvanck, l. Cibulkova)
- Sidelined from tennis for a year and a half between 2013 and 2015 due to a right knee injury
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2009 Ponte Vedra Beach and WTA main draw debut at 2012 Indian Wells

## 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

- Working with the coaching team of Mark Knowles and Mark Merklein
- Recently parted ways with coach David Witt; formerly with Michael Joyce
- Parents are Terrence (works in oil and gas) and Kim (business owner); her parents are principal owners of the Buffalo Bills (NFL), while Terry Pegula also owns hockey team the Buffalo Sabres (NHL)
- Brothers are Michael and Matthew, sisters are Laura and Kelly; also has three pets - Laura played Division I college tennis at the University of Pittsburgh
- Introduced to tennis by family at age 7
- Nickname is JP
- Favorite shot is backhand down the line; favorite tournament is the US Open
- Tennis idol was Martina Hingis
- One word to describe her would be "Determined"
- Owns her own skincare company called 'Ready 24'
- Also enjoys golf, sports, and design
- Married Taylor Gahagen in October 2021
- Passionate about new charity with her husband called A Lending Paw



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IVA JOVIC (LL)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

BARBORA KREJCIKOVA

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CZECH REPUBLIC

2007-12-06	Date of Birth	1995-12-18
	Residence	Ivancice, Czech Republic
	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
	Height	5' 10" (1.78m)
87	Career-High Ranking	2
\$643,353	Career Prize Money	\$16,266,918
\$412,588	Season Prize Money	\$355,843
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 8
3-4 (Round of 64: 2025 ROLAND GARROS, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2024 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	45-19 (Champion: 2024 WIMBLEDON; 2021 ROLAND-GARROS)
1-1 / 1-1 (Round of 64: 2025)	YTD / Career CINCINNATI W-L (best)	2-0 / 5-3 (Quarter-Finalist: 2021)
5-6 / 6-7	YTD / Career W-L	7-5 / 149-90

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First career meeting						

## RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
206	206	2024	8	10
646	647	2023	10	10
-	-	2022	2	21
-	-	2021	3	5
-	-	2020	65	65
-	-	2019	115	135
-	-	2018	125	203
-	-	2017	121	126
-	-	2016	179	251
-	-	2015	140	187

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. L. NOSKOVA (#23) 3-6 0-6 (1h 9m)  
1r: d. S. SIERRA (#70) 6-3 7-6 (1h 42m)

*Total time on court: 2h 51m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making tournament debut
- Is playing 2nd WTA-1000 event in her career, having made 2r at Indian Wells 2025 (as wildcard, l. Paolini)
- As LL, has beaten Solana Sierra and Linda Noskova to reach 3r - which is her best result at WTA-1000 events also across hard court; her win over No.23 Noskova in previous round is career best win by ranking
- With a win would be the 11th time a Lucky Loser has reached R16 at a WTA 1000 event, including twice at Cincinnati (2016, 2024)
- Faces No.80 Barbora Krejckikova in 3r today; record against Top 100 opponents is 6-6 (5-4 in 2025)
- Owns 0-1 career record against players from Czech Republic (0-1 in 2025); is playing today's opponent Krejckikova for the first time
- Before Cincinnati 2025, best career result on hard court is R64 which she has reached 3 times: Indian Wells, Austrian Open in 2025; US Open in 2024
- United States of America has won Cincinnati six times, most recently by Gauff in 2023
- Last time 8 players from United States of America reached 3r at Cincinnati was 2020
- Is currently ranked No.88 (peak rank at No.87 on July 15, 2025); this time last year was ranked No.384

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. E. SVITOLINA (#13) 2-6 6-4 6-3 (2h 2m)  
1r: d. A. PARKS (#74) 6-4 4-6 6-0 (2h 0m)

*Total time on court: 4h 2m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 4th appearance at Cincinnati where her best result was QF in 2021 (l. No.1 Barty)
- Contesting the 23rd WTA 1000 main draw of her career; she has won 1 WTA 1000 title (2023 Dubai) and reached 1 other WTA 1000 final (2021 Dubai)
- Has beaten Alycia Parks and Elina Svitolina to reach 3r her first two WTA 1000 wins of the year (has only played 6 previous tournaments this year due to returning from injury)
- Faces No.91 Iva Jovic in 3r today; record against opponents outside Top 50 is 6-1 in 2025, with the only loss to No.187 Andreescu at Montreal 2025
- Owns 22-6 career record against players from United States of America (2-1 in 2025)
- 5 of her 8 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court (2021 Prague, 2022 Tallinn, 2022 Ostrava, 2023 Dubai and 2023 San Diego)
- One of 2 players from Czech Republic to reach 3r (along with Muchova)
- Best result by Czech Republic at Cincinnati was Champion run by Karolina Pliskova in 2016
- Is currently ranked No.80; this time last year was ranked No.10

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

2023	Result	Rank: 11	Seed: 11
1r	L	V. AZARENKA (#18) 6-3 7-5	

2022	Result	Rank: 19	Seed: -
1r	L	V. KUDERMETOVA (#20) 6-3 6-3	

2021	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 9
QF	L	A. BARTY (#1) 6-2 6-4	
3r	W	G. MUGURUZA (#9) 6-1 6-7(5) 6-2	
2r	W	D. YASTREMSKA (#49) 6-1 7-6(5)	
1r	W	D. KASATKINA (#26) 6-3 6-2	



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KREJCIKOVA

SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Played 1r at Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. Lamens)
  - Made 2r at Roland Garros (as WC, l. Rybakina)
  - Played 2r at Bogotá (l. Riera)
  - Made 2r at Indian Wells (as WC, l. Jovic)
  - Played 1r at Cancun 125 (l. Vickery)
  - Opened 2025 with 2r at Australian Open (as a WC, l. Rybakina)
- Fell in 1r at Montreal (l. Andreescu)
  - Made 3r at Wimbledon (l. Navarro)
  - Reached QF at Eastbourne (l. Gracheva, retired due to right thigh injury)
  - Played 1r at London (l. Sramkova)
  - Made 2r at Roland Garros (l. Kudermetova)
  - Played first tournament of 2025 at Strasbourg (l. Linette in 1r)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
11	139	Aces	28	100
59.3%	0	First serve %	62.8%	0
59.6%	0	First Serve points won %	65.6%	0
43.5%	0	Second serve points won %	46.1%	0
53.1%	0	Overall service points won %	58.4%	0
52.0%	0	Service games won %	59.7%	0
55.8%	0	Break points saved %	43.5%	0
40.6%	0	First serve return points won %	37.0%	0
51.9%	0	Second serve return points won %	48.9%	0
51.5%	0	Break points converted %	38.7%	0
34.7%	0	Return games won %	27.3%	0
45.3%	0	Return points won %	42.0%	0

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JOVIC (LL)**

**BARBORA  
KREJCIKOVA**

## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)

2024 - WIMBLEDON

2023 - SAN DIEGO, DUBAI

2022 - OSTRAVA, TALLINN

2021 - PRAGUE, ROLAND-GARROS, STRASBOURG

Runner-Up (5)

2023 - ZHENGZHOU, BIRMINGHAM

2022 - SYDNEY

2021 - DUBAI

2017 - NÜRNBERG

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (19)

2024 - PRAGUE (w/Siniakova)

2023 - SAN DIEGO (w/Siniakova), BIRMINGHAM

(w/Kostyuk), INDIAN WELLS (w/Siniakova),

AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)

2022 - US OPEN (w/Siniakova), WIMBLEDON

(w/Siniakova), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)

2021 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), OLYMPICS

(w/Siniakova), ROLAND-GARROS (w/Siniakova),

MADRID (w/Siniakova), MELBOURNE 500

GIPPSLAND TROPHY (w/Siniakova)

2020 - SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)

2019 - LINZ (w/Siniakova), TORONTO (w/Siniakova)

2018 - WIMBLEDON (w/Siniakova), ROLAND

GARROS (w/Siniakova)

2015 - QUEBEC CITY (w/Mestach)

Runner-Up (11)

2024 - MADRID (w/Siegemund)

2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova)

2021 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)

2020 - DUBAI (w/Zheng)

2019 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Siniakova)

2018 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), MIAMI

(w/Siniakova), SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)

2017 - BASTAD (w/Irigoyen)

2016 - ST. PETERSBURG (w/Dushevina)

2014 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Hradecka)

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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r	2r	1r		2025		2r	3r	
			2r	2024	QF	1r	WON	2r
				2023	4r	1r	2r	1r
				2022	QF	1r	3r	2r
				2021	2r	WON	4r	QF
				2020	2r	4r		
				2019				
				2018		1r		

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2024 made 2r in her first Grand Slam appearance as a main draw wild card. Reached final at ITF W100 Tyler and ended the year with a career high ranking of No.194
- Claimed her first ITF title in 2023 at 25K Reading
- Played her first ITF tournament in 2022 reaching the final at 15K Los Angeles
- Also in 2022 reached 3r at Junior US Open
- Finished the 2024 season at No.10 in the year-end rankings, her second consecutive year-end Top 10 finish; lone singles title in 2024 came at Wimbledon; over the first six months of the season, won just 7 matches, including 4 at the Australian Open; qualified for the WTA Finals as a Grand Slam champion, securing the final qualifying spot where she advanced to SF (l. Zheng)
- Reached four finals across 2023, winning first WTA 1000 title at Dubai (d. No.1 Swiatek in F) in addition to San Diego (d. Kenin in F), and finishing R-Up at Birmingham (l. Ostapenko) and Zhengzhou (l. Zheng Qinwen).
- Ended 2022 season in fine form, lifting back-to-back titles at Tallinn (d. Kontaveit) and Ostrava (d. Swiatek). Also completed career doubles Slam by winning US Open w/Siniakova.
- Made strong start to 2022, finishing R-Up at Sydney (l. Badosa) and reaching QF at Australian Open (l. Keys) before missing several months w/arm injury.
- Lifted maiden WTA title at 2021 Strasbourg, followed by sweep of singles and doubles titles at Roland-Garros. Roland Garros was just her fifth Slam main draw in singles; only two women have won a major with fewer main draw appearances to their name.
- Also won Prague title (d. Martincova in F), reached final at Dubai (l. Muguruza) and qualified for WTA Finals in singles for the first time. Recorded best results at US Open (QF) and Wimbledon (R16) last year
- Posted another record-breaking year in doubles across 2021 - in addition to singles title at Roland Garros, won doubles title too in Paris, along with Madrid, Gippsland Trophy, WTA Finals and the gold medal at Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games (all w/Siniakova)
- Enjoyed breakout year in singles in 2020, posting career-high ranking of No.65 (November 16) and making R16 at Roland Garros and reaching second WTA SF at Linz
- Also reached two doubles finals last year, finishing R-Up at Dubai (w/Zheng) and winning Shenzhen (w/Siniakova)
- In Mixed Doubles, defended Australian Open title (w/Pavic), having triumphed in Melbourne a year earlier with w/Ram
- In 2019, advanced to QF at Bucharest in addition to winning four ITF Circuit singles titles on clay in North America and Europe, winning 20 of her 21 matches during this stretch

- Also in 2019, posted second Top 20 doubles season highlighted by titles at Toronto and Linz, and R-Up finish at Indian Wells (all w/Siniakova). Won Australian Open mixed doubles title w/Ram
- In 2018, won first two Grand Slam trophies at Roland Garros (d. Hozumi/ Ninomiya in F) and Wimbledon (d. Melichar/Peschke in F) both w/Siniakova, the first pairing to complete the Roland Garros-Wimbledon double since Kim Clijsters and Ai Sugiyama in 2003; also became the first team ever to win the girls' (2013) and ladies' doubles title at SW19
- Rose to WTA doubles World No.1 on October 22, 2018
- Highlight of 2017 was R-Up finish in first WTA singles final at Nürnberg (l. Bertens in F). Also made QF as qualifier at Bastad (l. Garcia). Only other tour-level appearances were 1r exits at Bucharest and Québec City
- Contested five WTA main draws in 2016, progressing to 2r at two events: Kuala Lumpur and Prague
- Lifted maiden WTA doubles title at 2015 Québec City (w/Mestach)
- Advanced to first WTA doubles final at 2014 Luxembourg (w/Hradecka, l. Bacsinszky/Barrois)
- Reached 2r on WTA debut as qualifier at 2014 Québec City (l. Hradecka)
- On ITF Circuit, owns 14 singles and 19 doubles titles
- Made professional debut at \$10K ITF/Piestany-SVK in 2010

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Previously worked with Ales Kartus
- Started playing tennis aged 6 and was later coached and mentored by WTA legend Jana Novotna
- Highly ranked junior, won the Roland Garros, Wimbledon and US Open girls' doubles titles with Katerina Siniakova.

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JASMINE  
PAOLINI (7)  
ITALY

ASHLYN  
(26) KRUEGER  
UNITED STATES OF  
AMERICA

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1996-01-04	Date of Birth	2004-05-07
Bagni di Lucca, Italy	Residence	Dallas, TX, USA
Right-Handed	Plays	Right-Handed
5' 4" (1.63m)	Height	6'1" (1.85m)
4	Career-High Ranking	29
\$11,829,184	Career Prize Money	\$2,562,760
\$3,639,678	Season Prize Money	\$884,070
1 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
28-23 (Runner-Up: 2024 WIMBLEDON, ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	4-10 (Round of 32: 2024 US OPEN)
1-0 / 5-3 (Quarter-Finalist: 2023)	YTD / Career CINCINNATI W-L (best)	0-1 / 1-2 (Round of 32: 2024)
29-13 / 147-120	YTD / Career W-L	18-17 / 41-54
13-7 / 83-69	YTD / Career Hard W-L	13-9 / 29-38

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

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

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
4	4	2024	51	65
29	30	2023	73	81
44	59	2022	178	178
51	53	2021	534	536
93	95	2020	-	-
114	117	2019	-	-
130	190	2018	-	-
130	137	2017	-	-
244	245	2016	-	-
309	581	2015	-	-

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. M. SAKKARI (#72) 7-6 7-6 (2h 13m)

*Total time on court: 2h 13m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 4th main-draw appearance at Cincinnati; her career-best showing is reaching the 2023 QF (l. eventual champion Gauff)
- Contesting her 35th WTA 1000 main draw of career; she is a 2-time WTA 1000 champion (2024 Dubai and 2025 Rome)
- Could reach R16 stage for sixth time at WTA 1000 events in 2025
- After 1r bye, has defeated Maria Sakkari so far this week to reach her first 3r since SF run at Bad Homburg 2025
- Faces No.29 Ashlyn Krueger in 3r today; owns 53 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.29 Leylah Fernandez at Bad Homburg 2025
- Owns 12-16 career record against players from United States of America, with record in 2025 standing at 4-1
- 2 of her 3 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court (2021 Portoroz and 2024 Dubai)
- Best result by Italy at Cincinnati was SF run by Flavia Pennetta in 2009
- Is currently ranked No.9; this time last year was ranked No.5
- Has won 26 matches so far in 2025
- So far in this year's North American summer hard-court swing, lost her opening match in Montreal (l. Ito)

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. A. SEVASTOVA (#386) 4-6 6-0 3-6 (1h 53m)

*Total time on court: 1h 53m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Cincinnati, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2024 (l. Shnaider)
- Looking to reach second R16 at WTA 1000 event in 2025 (Miami)
- Has defeated Anastasija Sevastova so far this week to reach 3r
- Faces No.9 Jasmine Paolini in 3r today; owns 1 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.8 Elena Rybakina at Miami 2025
- Owns 1-1 career record against players from Italy, with record in 2025 standing at 0-0
- Owns 15-22 career record against seeds, with a record in 2025 standing at 6-7
- Her sole career singles title came on hard court at Osaka 2023 (d. Lin Zhu in F)
- Best result by United States of America at Cincinnati were title runs by Coco Gauff in 2023, Madison Keys in 2019, Serena Williams in 2015 & 2014, Lindsay Davenport in 2004
- Last time 8 players from United States of America reached 3r at Cincinnati was 2020
- Is currently ranked No.35; this time last year was ranked No.81



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 5	Seed: 5
3r	L	M. ANDREEVA (#24) 3-6 6-3 6-2	
2r	W	A. POTAPOVA (#44) 7-6(2) 6-3	
2023	Result	Rank: 43	Seed: -
QF	L	C. GAUFF (#7) 6-3 6-2	
3r	W	E. RYBAKINA (#4) 4-6 5-2	
2r	W	C. BUCSA (#84) 6-1 6-3	
1r	W	M. KOSTYUK (#32) 6-2 6-1	
2021	Result	Rank: 100	Seed: -
1r	L	V. KUDERMETOVA (#31) 6-3 6-2	

2024	Result	Rank: 65	Seed: -
2r	L	D. SHNAIDER (#20) 7-5 6-0	
1r	W	D. VEKIC (#23) 5-7 7-6(4) 6-2	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Played 2r at Montreal (l. Ito)
- Made 2r at Wimbledon (l. Rakhimova)
- Reached SF at Bad Homburg (l. eventual R-Up Swiatek)
- Played 2r at Berlin (l. Jabeur)
- Made 4r at Roland Garros (l. Svitolina)
- Champion run at Rome (d. Gauff in F)
- Reached 3r at Madrid (l. Sakkari)
- Made SF at Stuttgart (l. Sabalenka)
- Reached SF at Miami (l. eventual champion Sabalenka)
- Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Samsonova)
- Played 3r at Dubai (l. Kenin)
- Made 3r at Doha (l. Ostapenko)
- Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Svitolina)
- Opened 2025 representing Italy at United Cup with a 2-1 result in singles play (l. Muchova)

- Played 2r at Montreal (l. Bouzas Maneiro)
- Made 2r at Wimbledon (l. Pavlyuchenkova)
- Played 1r at Bad Homburg (as LL, l. Haddad Maia)
- Fell in 1r at Berlin (as LL, l. Rybakina)
- Made 2r at Roland Garros (l. M. Andreeva)
- Played 2r at Strasbourg (l. Haddad Maia)
- Made 2r at Rome (l. Pegula)
- Played 1r at Madrid (l. Potapova)
- Made 3r at Charleston (l. Navarro)
- Reached 4r at Miami (l. Q. Zheng)
- Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Svitolina)
- Played 1r at Doha (l. Kenin)
- Reached her first final at a WTA 500 event, finishing R-Up at Abu Dhabi (l. Bencic in F)
- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Tomljanovic)
- Opened 2025 with QF finish at Brisbane (l. eventual R-Up P.Kudermetova) and another QF at Adelaide (as LL, l. eventual R-Up Pegula via ret.)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
55	69	Aces	122	27
67.4%	8	First serve %	64.0%	22
60.9%	76	First Serve points won %	64.3%	46
48.7%	15	Second serve points won %	44.3%	58
56.9%	47	Overall service points won %	57.1%	44
66.6%	43	Service games won %	67.7%	35
51.9%	67	Break points saved %	52.8%	55
40.9%	3	First serve return points won %	35.5%	56
54.7%	46	Second serve return points won %	52.0%	75
49.3%	13	Break points converted %	49.0%	16
42.0%	8	Return games won %	32.5%	53
46.1%	13	Return points won %	41.7%	63

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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)  
2025 - ROME  
2024 - DUBAI  
2021 - PORTOROZ  
Runner-Up (5)  
2024 - WIMBLEDON, ROLAND GARROS  
2023 - MONASTIR, PALERMO  
2022 - CLUJ-NAPOCA

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (9)  
2025 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Errani), ROME (w/Errani), DOHA (w/Errani)  
2024 - BEIJING (w/Errani), OLYMPICS (w/Errani), ROME (w/Errani), LINZ (w/Errani)  
2023 - MONASTIR (w/Errani)  
2021 - HAMBURG (w/Teichmann)  
  
Runner-Up (3)  
2025 - BERLIN (w/Errani)  
2024 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Errani)  
2022 - MELBOURNE 250 #1 (w/Errani)

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)  
2023 - OSAKA  
  
Runner-Up (1)  
2025 - ABU DHABI

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (1)  
2024 - CHARLESTON (w/Stephens)

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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r	4r	2r		2025	1r	2r	2r	
4r	RUP	RUP	4r	2024	1r	1r	1r	3r
1r	2r	1r	1r	2023				1r
1r	1r	1r	1r	2022				1r
1r	2r	1r	2r	2021				1r
1r	2r		1r	2020				
	1r			2019				

**JASMINE  
PAOLINI**

**ASHLYN  
KRUEGER**

## CAREER MILESTONES

- Breakout 2024 season saw her win the biggest title of her career at WTA 1000 Dubai and also reach her first Grand Slam finals, finishing R-Up at Roland-Garros and Wimbledon. Qualified for her first WTA Finals in singles and doubles, broke into the Top 10 for the first time in her career and finished the season as the World No.4
- Finished 2023 by breaking into Top 30 for first time, achieving No. 29 on Oct 23, 2023 after becoming runner-up at Monastir (L. Mertens). Also achieved runner-up at Palermo and SF at Zhengzhou (L. Zheng both times) as well as QFs at Lyon (L. Garcia) and Cincinnati as a qualifier (L. eventual champion Gauff). Enjoyed two Top 10 wins (No.10 Garcia and No.4 Rybakina).
- In 2022, finished R-Up at Cluj-Napoca (L. Blinkova), while made back-to-back SF at Palermo (L. Bronzetti) and Warsaw (L. eventual champion Garcia)
- Also reached QF at Lyon (L. Yastremska), Portoroz (L. eventual champion Siniakova) and Parma (L. Kovinic)
- Broke into Top 50 on January 31, 2021
- Posted near-Top 50 season finish in 2021 after capturing first WTA singles title of career at Portoroz (d. Riske in F)
- Strong season finish also brought SF run at Courmayeur (L. eventual champion Vekic) and QF effort at Linz (L. Halep); posted best win of season over No.18 Mertens en route to 3r at Indian Wells (L. Pegula)
- Also in 2021 won the WTA 125K event in Bol, Croatia (d. Rus in F) and was R-Up at the same level in Saint Malo (L. Golubic) Captured first WTA doubles title in 2021, at Hamburg (w/Teichmann)
- In 2021, for first time in career, contested the full suite of all four Grand Slam events; reached 2r at Roland Garros and US Open, equalling best previous Slam result
- In 2020, reached 2r four times at WTA tournaments, including Roland Garros (L. Kvitova)
- Highlights of 2019 included QF showings at Guangzhou and Palermo, a SF run at the WTA 125K Series event at Karlsruhe, lifting seventh, eighth and ninth ITF Circuit titles of her career, at \$60KBrescia-ITA, \$25K ITF/Curtiba-BRA and \$100K ITF/Tokyo-JPN, and qualifying for maiden Grand Slam main draw at Roland Garros (L. Kasatkina in 1r)
- Ended 2018 ranked No.180, with season highlight a maiden WTA singles QF at Prague (d. No.15
- In 2024 made main draw at all four majors for the first time, posting her best career Slam result at US Open with 3r (L. Samsonova). Further notable results were reaching 3r at WTA 1000s Madrid, Toronto and Beijing and peaking at a career high of No.51 in September. Also claimed first career doubles title at WTA 500 Charleston with Sloane Stephens.
- In 2023, captured first career singles title in Osaka; did not drop a set en route to the title, defeating World No.35 and top seed Zhu Lin in the final. As a result of the title run, made Top 100 debut (week of September 18, 2023).
- Also reached tour level QF at 2023 S<sup>1</sup> Hertogenbosch (L. Hrucakova).
- Highlight of 2022 season was playing main draw Indian Wells, Miami, San Jose and US Open
- On ITF circuit in 2022, won title at W60 Evansville, IN, USA and reached final at W25 Sarasota, FL, USA
- In 2021, also received WC to Indian Wells, where she was defeated in 1r (L. Martincova)
- Fell 1r on Tour-level debut at 2021 US Open (as WC, L. Schmiedlova in 3s)
- Also made 2r as WC in doubles at 2021 US Open (w/Montgomery, L. Fernandez/Routliffe) WTA qualifying debut came at 2021 San Jose
- Earned wild cards into the singles and doubles draws at 2021 US Open after sweeping the USTA National Championships
- Best career result on ITF Circuit was coming through qualifying to reach SF on professional debut in 2019 at W15 event in Carson, CA, USA
- As a junior won 2020 Orange Bowl tournament as a wildcard. Also lifted girls' doubles title at 2021 US Open (w/Montgomery)

Kasatkina, I. Zhang)

- Made WTA main draw debut at 2017 Bastad (l. Suarez Navarro in 1r) and also fell 1r at Guangzhou and in qualifying a further three times
- Part of Italy's Billie Jean King Cup team 2017-19
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2015 Rome
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in Italy in 2011

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Resides in Bagni di Lucca and trains in Forte dei Marmi, Italy
- Father is Ugo Paolini, mother is Jacqueline Gardiner and brother is William Paolini. Grandmother lives in Lodz, Poland. Mother is of Ghanaian/Polish descent
- Idolizes Roger Federer
- Favorite shot is her forehand and favorite surface is clay
- Speaks Italian, English and Polish

- Currently coached by Michael Joyce
- Resides in Dallas, Texas
- Favorite players growing up were Kim Clijsters and Maria Sharapova
- Off the court, likes to draw and read poetry

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CLARA  
TAUSON (16)  
DENMARK

VERONIKA  
KUDERMETOVA

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2002-12-21	Date of Birth		1997-04-24
Kongens Lyngby, Denmark	Residence		
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	
6' (1.82 m)	Height	5' 8" (1.75m)	
15	Career-High Ranking		9
\$4,082,302	Career Prize Money		\$9,536,156
\$1,682,035	Season Prize Money		\$1,537,878
1 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career		0 / 2
20-16 (Round of 16: 2025 WIMBLEDON; 2024 ROLAND GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	24-25 (Quarter-Finalist: 2022 ROLAND GARROS)	
1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 32: 2025)	YTD / Career CINCINNATI W-L (best)	2-0 / 7-5 (Round of 16: 2022, 2020)	
33-16 / 83-64	YTD / Career W-L		22-17 / 189-146

CLARA  
TAUSON

VERONIKA  
KUDERMETOVA

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

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

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
50	52	2024	16	77
76	85	2023	9	19
33	128	2022	9	9
44	44	2021	28	31
151	152	2020	38	46
267	267	2019	41	41
715	863	2018	112	115
938	938	2017	174	257
-	-	2016	208	210
-	-	2015	282	400



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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. A. TOMLJANOVIC (#88) 6-3 6-7 6-4 (2h 23m)

*Total time on court: 2h 23m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making tournament debut, having played qualifying in 2022 and 2024
- Best result at WTA-1000 events was R-Up at Dubai 2025 (l. M. Andreeva in F); also made SF at Montreal 2025 (l. Osaka)
- After 1r bye, has beaten Ajla Tomljanovic in opening match
- Faces No.42 Veronika Kudermetova in 3r today; owns 30 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.3 Iga Swiatek and No.8 Madison Keys at Montreal 2025
- All her three career singles titles have come on hard court at Auckland 2025, Luxembourg and Lyon in 2021
- Only player from Denmark to reach 3r
- Playing this week ranked No.15, equal to her career-best ranking first achieved on Aug 4, 2025; this time last year was ranked No.63
- Currently ranked No.2 on Tour for most aces served (279)

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. LAMENS (#64) 6-1 6-3 (1h 8m)  
2r: d. B. BENCIC (#20) 6-4 7-6 (1h 58m)

*Total time on court: 3h 6m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making 6th appearance at Cincinnati, where her previous best result was reaching R16 in 2020 (l. Mertens) and 2022 (l. Tomljanovic)
- Best result at WTA-1000 events was R-Up at Dubai 2022 (l. Ostapenko in F)
- Has beaten Suzan Lamens and Belinda Bencic to make 3r
- Faces No.19 Clara Tauson in 3r today; owns 31 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.20 Belinda Bencic here in 2r at Cincinnati 2025
- Owns 1-2 career record against players from Denmark (0-0 in 2025), playing today's opponent for the first time
- Owns 49-71 career record against seeded opponents (7-11 in 2025)
- Owns one singles title on hard court at Tokyo 2023
- Is currently ranked No.36 (peak rank No.9 in Oct 2022); this time last year was ranked No.39

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

2023	Result	Rank: 16	Seed: 16
1r	L	V. WILLIAMS (#533) 6-4 7-5	
2022	Result	Rank: 20	Seed: -
3r	L	A. TOMLJANOVIC (#63) 3-6 7-6(4) 6-3	
1r	W	B. KREJCIKOVA (#19) 6-3 6-3	
2021	Result	Rank: 31	Seed: -
2r	L	P. KVITOVA (#11) 6-2 6-4	
1r	W	J. PAOLINI (#100) 6-3 6-2	
2020	Result	Rank: 41	Seed: -
3r	L	E. MERTENS (#22) 6-2 6-3	
2r	W	K. PLISKOVA (#3) 7-5 6-4	
1r	W	A. TOMLJANOVIC (#57) 5-7 6-3 7-5	
2019	Result	Rank: 57	Seed: -
2r	L	R. PETERSON (#74) 2-6 7-5 6-2	
1r	W	B. PERA (#66) 6-2 6-3	

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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Reached SF at Montreal (l. eventual R-Up Osaka)
- Reached QF at Washington DC (l. eventual R-Up Kalinskaya)
- Played 4r at Wimbledon (l. eventual champion Swiatek)
- Made 2r at Bad Homburg (l. M. Andreeva)
- Reached QF at Nottingham (l. Linette)
- Made 3r at Roland Garros (l. Anisimova)
- Fell in 1r at Strasbourg (l. Haddad Maia)
- Reached 4r at Rome (l. M. Andreeva)
- Played 2r at Madrid (l. Bencic)
- Played 1r at Stuttgart(l. Potapova)
- Played 3r at Miami (l. Badosa)
- Made 3r at Indian Wells (l. eventual champion M. Andreeva)
- Reached her first career WTA 1000 final and finished R-Up at Dubai (l. M. Andreeva in F)
- Played 1r at Doha (l. Mertens, retired after 1st set)
- Reached SF at Linz (l. eventual R-Up Yastremska)
- Made 3r at Australian Open (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka)
- Earned third career title at her 2025 season opener at Auckland (d. Osaka via ret.)

- Played 3r at Montreal (l. Gauff)
- Made 2r at Wimbledon (l. Navarro)
- Fell in 1r at Bad Homburg (as LL, l. Siniakova)
- Reached QF at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Alexandrova)
- Made 3r at Roland Garros (l. Alexandrova)
- Reached 3r at Rome (l. Raducanu)
- Made 3r at Madrid (l. Kostyuk)
- Played 1r at Stuttgart (as qualifier, l. Shnaider)
- Made 2r at Charleston (l. Anisimova)
- Played 2r at Miami (l. Mirra Andreeva)
- Made 2r at Dubai (as qualifier, l. Sabalenka)
- Played 1r at Doha (as qualifier, l. Linette)
- Reached 2r at Abu Dhabi (as LL, l. eventual champion Bencic)
- Reached 4r at Australian Open (l. Svitolina)
- Opened 2025 with QF finish at Hobart (l. eventual R-Up Mertens)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
279	2	Aces	164	9
59.0%	62	First serve %	60.0%	57
69.5%	8	First Serve points won %	66.2%	25
47.3%	28	Second serve points won %	45.2%	50
60.4%	10	Overall service points won %	57.8%	31
74.9%	7	Service games won %	66.6%	44
61.7%	5	Break points saved %	50.6%	76
34.7%	64	First serve return points won %	35.9%	51
53.8%	58	Second serve return points won %	55.8%	30
43.0%	60	Break points converted %	41.5%	74
30.8%	62	Return games won %	34.7%	38
42.1%	58	Return points won %	43.6%	35

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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)  
2025 - AUCKLAND  
2021 - LUXEMBOURG, LYON  
Runner-Up (2)  
2025 - DUBAI  
2021 - COURMAYEUR

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)  
2023 - TOKYO  
2021 - CHARLESTON  
  
Runner-Up (5)  
2023 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH  
2022 - ISTANBUL, DUBAI, MELBOURNE 250 #1  
2021 - ABU DHABI

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (9)  
2025 - WIMBLEDON (w/Mertens)  
2024 - STUTTGART (w/Chan)  
2023 - ZHUHAI (w/Haddad Maia), DUBAI (w/Samsonova)  
2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Mertens), ROME (w/Pavlyuchenkova), DUBAI (w/Mertens)  
2021 - ISTANBUL (w/Mertens)  
2019 - WUHAN (w/Duan)  
  
Runner-Up (12)  
2025 - ROME (w/Mertens), MADRID (w/Mertens)  
2024 - BEIJING (w/Chan), BAD HOMBURG (w/Chan), BERLIN (w/Chan)  
2022 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH (w/Mertens), MIAMI (w/Mertens), DOHA (w/Mertens)  
2021 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Rybakina), WIMBLEDON (w/Vesnina)  
2019 - LUGANO (w/Voskoboeva), CHARLESTON (w/Khromacheva)

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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r	3r	4r		2025	4r	3r	2r	
2r	4r	1r	2r	2024	1r	1r	1r	1r
	3r		2r	2023	2r	1r	2r	1r
3r		1r	1r	2022	3r	QF		4r
	2r	1r	2r	2021	3r	2r	1r	1r
	2r			2020	1r	2r		1r
				2019	1r	3r	2r	1r

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- Highlight of 2024 season was posting best Grand Slam result by reaching R16 at Roland Garros for the first time in her career. Also achieved R-Up at two WTA 125s, Hong Kong and Oeiras
- In 2023 matched her career best Grand Slam result at Roland Garros where she reached the 3r as a qualifier (l.Avanesyan); contested qualifying at Wimbledon (l. Q3 Hruncakova) and at US Open (l. Q2 Stearns).
- Best tour result in 2023 was reaching the QF in Linz (l. Martic)
- In 2023 season, won the ITF \$60K Altenkirchen (d. Minnen in f) and further reached the final at ITF \$40K (l. Hontama)
- Ended her 2023 season ranked at No.85
- Back injury restricted her to just 11 WTA main-draw outings in 2022, with best result a QF showing at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (l. Sasnovich). Also finished R-Up in her last event of the year at WTA 125K Series event in Limoges and won one ITF Circuit title at W25 Selva Gardener
- Came through qualifying to win maiden WTA title in Lyon in March 2021; in final, beat fellow qualifier Golubic - last time two qualifiers met in a WTA final was at 2017 Tokyo [Japan Open], when Diyas beat Kato
- Won over 40 matches in 2020 (all levels) to finish inside Top 50
- Ended 2020 season ranked No.152 (up from No.267 at the end of 2019) after posting 30-7 win-loss record. Best results were 2r at Roland Garros (as qualifier, d.No.25 Brady, l. Collins) and lifting two titles on ITF Circuit
- Made Tour-level debut (main draw and qualifying) with 1r exit at 2019 Lugano (as wildcard qualifier, l. Rodina)
- Lifted four ITF Circuit singles titles in 2019
- Won maiden ITF Circuit title in just her second tournament, at \$15k ITF/Stockholm-SWE in 2017
- Reached SF on professional debut at \$15k ITF/Antalya-TUR in 2017
- On ITF Junior Circuit has lifted nine singles titles, including at 2019 Australian Open (d. Fernandez in F). In 2019 she became the first Dane to top the junior world rankings
- Best results of 2024 came at Seoul with semifinal (l. Haddad Maia) and quarterfinal at Charleston (l. Sakkari). Also claimed her eighth career doubles title at Stuttgart w/Hao-Ching Chan
- Won second career title at 2023 Tokyo (d. Pegula in F) and finished R-Up at 2023 in 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Alexandrova in F); ended year at No.19 for second straight Top 20 year-end ranking
- Also in 2023, reached SF at Adelaide 2, Doha, Madrid and Rome; qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai going 1-1 in group play
- In doubles, won titles in 2023 at Dubai with Liudmila Samsonova and Zhuhai with Beatriz Haddad Maia
- Made Top 10 debut in singles on October 24, 2022, following QF run at Guadalajara 1000 and Top 10 debut in doubles on January 31, 2022 ending the year at No.2
- Singles highlights in 2022 were R-Up finishes at Melbourne Summer Set 1 (l. Halep), Dubai (l. Ostapenko) and Istanbul (l. Potapova), and reached maiden Grand Slam QF at Roland Garros (l. Kasatkina)
- Won doubles title at 2022 WTA Finals in Fort Worth with partner Elise Mertens; also won title at Dubai and in 's-Hertogenbosch with Mertens as well as Rome with Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova
- Appeared in maiden WTA final at Abu Dhabi in opening event of 2021 (l. Sabalenka) before securing first title at Charleston (d. Kovinic)
- In doubles won title at Istanbul with Elise Mertens and made final at Wimbledon (w/Vesnina) and Indian Wells (w/Rybakina) Scored first win over a Top-3 ranked opponent by upsetting No.3 Karolina Pliskova at 2020 Cincinnati. Other highlights in 2020 included SF run at Hobart and closing out season with back-to-back QFs at Ostrava and Linz
- Won 27 main-draw matches during 2019 in had previously won six across entire career - to rise over 60 places in the WTA rankings, making Top-100 debut on February 4 and Top-50 debut on September 9
- Singles highlights in 2019 included reaching SF at 's-Hertogenbosch, Hiroshima and Tianjin and 3r at Roland Garros where she defeated No.13 Caroline Wozniacki in 1r - her maiden Grand Slam main draw win and first over a Top-20 opponent)
- Also in 2019, won WTA 125K Series title at Guadalajara (d. Bouzkova in F) and entered Top 50 on Sept 9, 2019

- Posted first two Top 10 wins of career in final weeks of 2019, over No.10 Belinda Bencic at Wuhan and No.4 Elina Svitolina at Moscow
- Fell 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2019 Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Kenin)
- Won career first WTA doubles title at 2019 Wuhan with Yingying Duan (d. Mertens/Sabalenka in F); also in 2019 was R-Up at Charleston (w/Khromacheva) and Lugano (w/Voskoboeva)
- Posted maiden career WTA QF runs in 2018, first at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. eventual champion Krunić) and then Gstaad (l. Bouchard)
- Reached 2r on WTA main draw debut at 2018 Stuttgart as qualifier (d. No.25 Suárez Navarro, l. eventual champion Ka.Pliskova)
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2014 Moscow
- Made professional debut on ITF circuit in 2011; on ITF Circuit, owns four singles titles

## OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Kasper Elsvad
- Started playing tennis aged six

- Coached by husband Sergey Demekhine
- Father, Eduard, was a Russian national ice hockey champion; teenage sister, Polina, is on the junior circuit
- She started playing tennis at the age of eight
- Off the court, has a passion for cooking and her specialty is roasted chicken with potatoes and garlic

MATCH NOTES

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GERMANY

MCCARTNEY (29) KESSLER 32  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

2005-02-14	Date of Birth		1999-07-08
	Residence		
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays		Right-handed
5' 8" (1.76 m)	Height		5' 9" (1.75m)
109	Career-High Ranking		30
\$462,264	Career Prize Money		\$1,478,382
\$148,162	Season Prize Money		\$855,683
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career		2 / 3
0-2 (Round of 128: 2025 WIMBLEDON; 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	1-6 (Round of 64: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	
1-1 / 1-1 (Round of 64: 2025)	YTD / Career CINCINNATI W-L (best)		0-1 / 0-1
4-4 / 9-11	YTD / Career W-L		23-18 / 31-28
3-2 / 4-6	YTD / Career Hard W-L		17-11 / 25-19
2-1 / 3-3	YTD / Career 3-Set W-L		9-6 / 14-10
2-0 / 2-2	YTD / Career TB W-L		5-6 / 5-10
Quarter-Finalist: CLUJ-NAPOCA	YTD Best Result	Champion: NOTTINGHAM, HOBART	



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

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

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
117	138	2024	63	68
195	195	2023	231	231
585	585	2022	948	948
-	-	2021	994	1009
-	-	2020	1217	1273
-	-	2019	775	1224
-	-	2018	896	1020
-	-	2017	938	939

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## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. E. NAVARRO (#11) 4-6 6-1 4-6 (2h 10m)  
1r: d. P. KUDERMETOVA (#56) 1-6 6-3 6-2 (1h 51m)

*Total time on court: 4h 1m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making debut appearance at Cincinnati, as a qualifier
- Reached main draw via qualifying; In main draw, has defeated Polina Kudermetova and Emma Navarro so far this week to reach 3r
- Faces No.32 McCartney Kessler in 3r today; owns 1 wins in career over Top 50 players
- Owns 0-2 career record against players from United States of America, with record in 2025 standing at 0-2
- Owns 3-5 career record against seeds, with a record in 2025 standing at 1-3
- Best career result on hard court is QF run at Cluj-Napoca in 2025
- Only player from Germany to reach 3r
- Best result by qualifier at Cincinnati was Champion run by Caroline Garcia in 2022
- Is currently ranked No.125; this time last year was ranked No.135
- Has won 5 matches so far in 2025
- Today's winner will face qualifier Varvara Gracheva or No.11 seed Karolina Muchova

### CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. C. MCNALLY (#116) 4-6 3-6 (1h 31m)

*Total time on court: 1h 31m*

### PLAYER NOTES

- Making debut appearance at Cincinnati
- Career-best result at WTA 1000 events came this season, reaching R16 at Dubai (L. Muchova) and Montreal (L. Kostyuk)
- Has defeated Caty McNally so far this week to reach her first 3r since 4r run at Montreal 2025 (L. Kostyuk)
- Faces No.127 Ella Seidel in 3r today
- Owns 0-1 career record against players from Germany, with record in 2025 standing at 0-0
- Owns 4-4 career record against qualifiers, with a record in 2025 standing at 2-2
- 2 of her 3 career singles titles have come on hard court, at Hobart in 2025 and Cleveland in 2024
- Best results by USA at Cincinnati this century were title runs by Coco Gauff in 2023, Madison Keys in 2019, Serena Williams in 2014 & 2015, Lindsay Davenport in 2004
- Last time 8 players from United States of America reached 3r at Cincinnati was 2020
- Is currently ranked No.32; this time last year was ranked No.115
- During last year's North American summer swing won Cleveland, reached 1r at US Open and 1r at Washington DC
- Has won 24 matches so far in 2025
- Has been involved in 14 three-set matches in 2025

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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 2025 HISTORY

- Played 1r at Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. Bouzas Maneiro, retired in second set)
- Fell in 1r at Parma 125 (l. Hon)
- Played 2r at Stuttgart (as LL, l. Gauff)
- Played 1r at Antalya 125 #3 (l. Wuerth)
- Played 1r at Antalya 125 #2 (l. Pridankina)
- Played 1r at Antalya 125 #1 (l. Romero Gormaz)
- Reached QF at Cluj-Napoca (as qualifier, l. eventual champion Potapova)
- Played qualifying at Linz
- Played qualifying at Australian Open

- Reached 4r at Montreal (l. Kostyuk)
- Fell in 1r at Washington DC (l. Dolehide)
- Played 1r at Wimbledon (l. Vondrousova)
- Champion run at Nottingham (d. R-Up Yastremska in F)
- Made 2r at London (l. Zheng)
- Fell in 1r at Roland Garros (l. Ruse)
- Played 1r at Strasbourg (as qualifier, l. Krueger)
- Fell in 1r at Rome (l. Sramkova)
- Made QF at Saint Malo 125 (as WC, l. Golubic)
- Played 1r at Madrid (l. Andreescu)
- Played 1r at Rouen(l. Ferro)
- Played 3r at Miami (l. Raducanu, retired)
- Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka)
- R-Up finish at Austin (l. champion Pegula in F)
- Reached R16 at Dubai (l. Muchova)
- Played 1r at Doha (l. Jabeur)
- Played 1r at Abu Dhabi (as qualifier, l. eventual R-Up Krueger)
- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. S. Zhang)
- Won at Hobart (d. Mertens in F)
- Opened 2025 reaching 2r at Brisbane (l. Putintseva)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
19	112	Aces	70	58
58.3%	0	First serve %	62.3%	37
64.2%	0	First Serve points won %	63.1%	57
46.1%	0	Second serve points won %	47.6%	25
56.7%	0	Overall service points won %	57.3%	39
67.6%	0	Service games won %	67.1%	41
66.2%	0	Break points saved %	51.3%	73
30.3%	0	First serve return points won %	36.2%	46
50.8%	0	Second serve return points won %	54.8%	43
40.9%	0	Break points converted %	44.7%	47
25.7%	0	Return games won %	35.0%	36
38.8%	0	Return points won %	43.4%	39

Shortest match: 57m vs Gauff in STUTTGART 2r  
Match points saved:  
Most aces in a match: 5 vs Blinkova in CLUJ-NAPOCA 2r

Shortest match: 45m vs Raducanu in MIAMI 3r  
Match points saved:  
Most aces in a match: 7 vs Noskova in MIAMI 2r



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## TITLES

### SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)  
2025 - NOTTINGHAM, HOBART  
2024 - CLEVELAND

Runner-Up (1)  
2025 - AUSTIN

### DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (1)  
2025 - MONTREAL (w/Gauff)

Runner-Up (1)  
2025 - AUSTIN (w/Zhang)



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## GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
		1r		2025	1r	1r	1r	
1r				2024	2r		1r	1r

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## CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2024 made her Grand Slam main draw debut at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Sabalenka) and played first qualifications at Roland Garros, Wimbledon and US Open; also reached her first Tour level quarterfinals at Budapest (l. Shnaider) and Prague (l. Noskova) and peaked at a career high ranking of No.117 in October
- Played first WTA Tour level main draw match at Hamburg 2023 (l. Niemeier) and closed the season with title run at W60 Bratislava to bring her year-end ranking into Top 200 for first time
- Made first ITF final in 2023 at Zagreb W60 on clay before claiming her first title at W25 Stuttgart-Vaihingen
- Reached three quarterfinals on ITF circuit in 2022
- Played first ITF matches in 2021 at the age of 15
- 2024 saw a breakthrough year, making her Tour-level main draw debut at Auckland (as a qualifier, l. Lulu Sun), winning her first Tour-level main draw match at the Australian Open and claiming her maiden title at Cleveland. She also claimed her first WTA 125 title at Puerto Vallarta and entered the Top 100 for the first time, peaking at No.63 on August 26, 2024.
- Reached WTA 125 series QF at Angers in 2023 (l. Yastremska)
- Lifted first ITF title in 2023 at Rome \$60K
- Played first Tour level matches as a wild card at 2023 US Open, where she won two qualifying matches before falling in the third and failed to make the main draw
- Reached first ITF final in 2021 at Lubbock \$15K
- Made ITF debut in 2016 at Charleston \$10K at the age of 17

## OTHER INFORMATION

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- Coached by McClain Kessler