



MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN

WASHINGTON, DC, UNITED STATES

JULY 21 – 27, 2025 | WTA 500 | \$1,282,951

HOLOGIC
WTA TOUR

WTA Website: www.wtatennis.com | @WTA | facebook.com/wta
Tournament Website: <http://www.mubadalacitidcopen.com/>
Communications: Samantha Siegel (ssiegel@wtatennis.com)

MATCH NOTES – SEMIFINALS – SAT, JUL 26, 2025

PLAYER	RANK	AGE	YTD PRIZE \$^	YTD W/L*	YTD TITLES	CAREER PRIZE \$^	CAREER W/L*	CAREER TITLES
[3] Elena Rybakina	12	26	\$2,308,237	31-13	1	\$17,621,877	242-104	9
Leylah Fernandez	36	22	\$995,611	16-16	0	\$6,550,409	122-97	3
Emma Raducanu	46	22	\$889,221	21-14	0	\$5,337,073	72-56	1
Anna Kalinskaya	48	26	\$821,003	13-12	0	\$5,063,033	102-99	0

Anna Kalinskaya (#48) vs. Emma Raducanu (GBR #46)

First meeting

Kalinskaya:

- Making 3rd appearance at Washington DC, where she has never lost before QF stage; she made 2019 SF (as a qualifier, l. eventual Champion Pegula) and 2022 QF (l. eventual finalist Kanepi)
- Picked up 20th career Top 20 win with a win over No.19 Clara Tauson in QF
- Yet to drop a set this week including wins over two seeded opponents in No.4 Tauson and No.8 Magda Linette
- Making second SF appearance of 2025 having reached SF at 2025 Singapore
- Seeking to advance to her third career Tour-level final and first on hard court since a runner-up finish at Dubai 2024
- Her career-best tour-level result on hard court was reaching WTA 1000 Dubai final in 2024 (l. Paolini)
- Career-best showing at a WTA 500 event was R-Up finish at 2024 Berlin (l. Pegula in F)
- A victory against Raducanu would represent her third consecutive win against a Top 50 opponent. The last two times she accomplished this were at Berlin and Dubai in 2024 (both tournaments she finished runner-up)

Raducanu:

- Making 3rd main draw appearance at Washington D.C., previous best result was QF in 2024 and 2022
- Through to first Tour-level SF since Nottingham 2024 and first on hard court since Seoul 2022
- Yet to drop a set this week with wins over Marta Kostyuk, Naomi Osaka and Maria Sakkari. Should she defeat Kalinskaya in straight sets, it would mark the second time in her Tour-level career she has won at least four straight matches at a single tournament in straight sets. The other occurrence came at US Open 2021
- Looking to advance to her second career Tour-level final and since claiming the title at US Open 2021
- Winner of today's match-up is projected to move to Top 32
- Possible final match-up head-to-heads:

	Rybakina	Fernandez
Kalinskaya	Rybakina leads 3-2	Fernandez leads 1-0
Raducanu	Rybakina leads 1-0	Raducanu leads 1-0



MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN

WASHINGTON, DC, UNITED STATES

JULY 21 – 27, 2025 | WTA 500 | \$1,282,951



[3] Elena Rybakina (KAZ #12) vs. Leyla Fernandez (CAN #36)

Series tied 1-1

Rybakina:

- Making main draw debut at Washington D.C.
- Making fourth SF appearance of 2025 – Abu Dhabi (SF), Dubai (SF) and Strasbourg (Won)
- Nine of her last 10 matches have been decided in straight sets
- Looking to advance to first final on hard court since a runner-up finish at Miami 2024
- Record in Tour-level SF matches stands at 20-13 (14-9 on hard court)
- Owns 66 wins at WTA 500 level events (66-33)
- With 10 aces in 2 matches in DC, has passed Clara Tauson (258) and now leads the Tour in aces this year with 259

Fernandez:

- Making 2nd main draw appearance at Washington D.C., where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2023
- Has beaten World No.38 Maya Joint, World No.4 Jessica Pegula and Taylor Townsend in a 141-minute quarterfinal
- Through to eighth career Tour-level SF and first since Hong Kong 2024
- Record in Tour-level SF matches stands at 6-2 (5-2 on hard court); has won the 1st set in all 6 of Tour-level SF victories
- Seeking to advance to sixth Tour-level final and first since Eastbourne 2024
- Owns three career Tour-level hard court titles: Hong Kong in 2023 and Monterrey in 2022 and 2021

TOURNAMENT HONOR ROLL

YEAR	SINGLES CHAMPION	SINGLES RUNNER-UP	DOUBLES CHAMPION
2011	[2] PETROVA, NADIA (#32)	[1] PEER, SHAHAR (ISR #24)	MIRZA/SHVEDOVA
2012	RYBARIKOVA, MAGDALENA (SVK #102)	[1] PAVLYUCHENKOVA, ANASTASIA (#28)	AOYAMA/K.CHANG
2013	[7] RYBARIKOVA, MAGDALENA (SVK #43)	PETKOVIC, ANDREA (GER #64)	AOYAMA/DUSHEVINA
2014	[6] KUZNETSOVA, SVETLANA (#26)	NARA, KURUMI (JPN #40)	AOYAMA/DABROWSKI
2015	STEPHENS, SLOANE (USA #35)	PAVLYUCHENKOVA, ANASTASIA (#40)	BENCIC/MLADENOVIC
2016	[7] WICKMAYER, YANINA (BEL #44)	DAVIS, LAUREN (USA #122)	NICULESCU/WICKMAYER
2017	[7] MAKAROVA, EKATERINA (#58)	GOERGES, JULIA (GER #40)	VORACOVA/AOYAMA
2018	KUZNETSOVA, SVETLANA (#128)	[7] VEKIC, DONNA (CRO #44)	JURAK/X.HAN
2019	PEGULA, JESSICA (USA #79)	GIORGI, CAMILA (ITA #62)	GAUFF/MCNALLY
2022	SAMSONOVA, LIUDMILA (#60)	[6] KANEPI, KAIA (EST #37)	PEGULA/ROUTLIFFE
2023	[3] GAUFF, COCO (USA #7)	[4] SAKKARI, MARIA (GRE #9)	SIEGEMUND/ZVONAREVA
2024	BADOSA, PAULA (ESP #62)	BOUZKOVA, MARIE (CZE #43)	MUHAMMAD/TOWNSEND

MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA
2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951



48 ANNA
KALINSKAYA

EMMA **46**
RADUCANU
UNITED KINGDOM

1998-12-02	Date of Birth	2002-11-13
	Residence	London, Great Britain
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right handed (two handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.75m)	Height	5' 7" (1.75m)
11	Career-High Ranking	10
\$5,063,033	Career Prize Money	\$5,337,073
\$821,003	Season Prize Money	\$889,221
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
15-19 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	23-12 (Champion: 2021 US OPEN)
3-0 / 8-2 (Semi-Finalist: 2025, 2019)	YTD / Career WASHINGTON DC W-L (best)	3-0 / 7-2 (Semi-Finalist: 2025)
13-12 / 102-99	YTD / Career W-L	21-14 / 72-56

ANNA
KALINSKAYA

EMMA
RADUCANU

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
11	14	2024	54	58
53	77	2023	68	285
51	58	2022	10	75
104	110	2021	19	19
101	114	2020	333	343
96	100	2019	459	503
132	169	2018	692	692
127	146	2017	-	-
191	199	2016	-	-
681	681	2015	-	-

MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA

2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951

ANNA
KALINSKAYA

EMMA
RADUCANU

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. K. RAKHIMOVA (#66) 6-2 6-3 (1h 15m)
2r: d. M. LINETTE (#28) 6-4 6-0 1-0 (1h 16m)
QF: d. C. TAUSON (#19) 6-3 7-5 (1h 35m)

Total time on court: 4h 6m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd main draw appearance at Washington D.C., where she has equaled her best result after also reaching SF in 2019
- Has beaten Kamilla Rakhimova, Magda Linette and Clara Tauson so far this week to reach her first SF since SF at Singapore 2025
- Faces No.46 Emma Raducanu in SF today; owns 45 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.19 Clara Tauson at Washington D.C. 2025
- Owns 2-1 career record against players from United Kingdom (l. Katie Boulter at Gippstand Trophy 2021)
- Record in Tour-level SF matches stands at 2-3 (1-3 on hard court)
- Best career result on hard court is Runner-Up which she has reached once: Dubai in 2024
- Is currently ranked No.48; this time last year was ranked No.17

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. KOSTYUK (#27) 7-6 6-4 (1h 54m)
2r: d. N. OSAKA (#51) 6-4 6-2 (1h 21m)
QF: d. M. SAKKARI (#90) 6-4 7-5 (2h 10m)

Total time on court: 5h 25m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd main draw appearance at Washington D.C., where she has surpassed her previous best result of reaching QF in 2024 and 2022
- Has beaten Marta Kostyuk, Naomi Osaka and Maria Sakkari so far this week to reach her first SF since SF at Nottingham 2024
- Faces No.48 Anna Kalinskaya in SF today; owns 33 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.27 Marta Kostyuk at Washington D.C. 2025
- Record in Tour-level SF matches stands at 1-2 (1-1 on hard court)
- Best career result on hard court is Champion which she has reached once: US Open in 2021
- First time a player from United Kingdom reached SF at Washington D.C.
- Prior to her current run, Raducanu also had the United Kingdom's best result as Washington D.C. with QF runs in 2024 and 2022
- Is currently ranked No.46; this time last year was ranked No.93



MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA

2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951

ANNA
KALINSKAYA

EMMA
RADUCANU

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2022	Result	Rank: 71	Seed: -
QF	L	K. KANEPI (#37) 6-7(4) 6-4 6-3	
2r	W	S. HALEP (#16) 7-5 2-0	
1r	W	M. BRENGLE (#61) 6-3 6-0	
2019	Result	Rank: 160	Seed: -
SF	L	J. PEGULA (#79) 6-3 3-6 6-1	
QF	W	K. MLADENOVIC (#49) 6-4 4-6 6-2	
2r	W	M. PUIG (#44) 2-6 7-6(5) 6-4	
1r	W	N. HIBINO (#137) 6-1 6-1	

2024	Result	Rank: 89	Seed: -
QF	L	P. BADOSA (#62) 4-6 7-5 6-4	
2r	W	P. STEARNS (#51) 7-6(6) 6-2	
1r	W	E. MERTENS (#35) 6-2 3-6 6-4	
2022	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 2
QF	L	L. SAMSONOVA (#60) 7-6(6) 6-1	
2r	W	C. OSORIO (#67) 7-6(5) 7-6(4)	
1r	W	L. CHIRICO (#216) 6-4 6-2	

ANNA

KALINSKAYA

EMMA

RADUCANU

SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Made 2r at Wimbledon (l. Tauson)
 - Played 1r at Roland Garros (l. Bouzkova)
 - Reached QF at Strasbourg (l. Collins, withdrawal due to right calf injury)
 - Made 2r at Rome (l. Stearns)
 - Reached 3r at Madrid (l. Keys)
 - Reached QF at Charleston (l. eventual R-Up Kenin)
 - Made 3r at Miami (l. eventual R-Up Pegula)
 - Fell in 1r at Indian Wells (l. Parks)
 - Played 1r at Dubai (l. Svitolina)
 - Played 1r at Doha (l. Bucsa)
 - Made a SF run at Singapore (l. eventual R-Up A. Li, retired due to right thigh injury)
 - Reached 2r at Brisbane (l. Krueger)
 - Played 1r at Adelaide (l. Bencic, retired)
- Made 3r at Wimbledon (l. Sabalenka)
 - Made 2r at Eastbourne (l. eventual champion Joint)
 - Reached QF at London (as WC, l. Zheng)
 - Made 2r at Roland Garros (l. Swiatek)
 - Played 2r at Strasbourg (as WC, l. Collins)
 - Reached 4r at Rome (l. eventual R-Up Gauff)
 - Made 2r at Madrid (l. Kostyuk)
 - Reached QF at Miami (l. eventual R-Up Pegula)
 - Fell in 1r at Indian Wells (l. Uchijima)
 - Made 2r at Dubai (l. Muchova)
 - Played 1r at Doha (as a WC, l. Aleandrova)
 - Played 1r at Abu Dhabi (as a WC, l. Vondrousova)
 - Played in 1r at Singapore (l. Bucsa)
 - Opened 2025 with 3r at Australian Open (l. Swiatek)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
41	79	Aces	105	28
68.5%	6	First serve %	65.6%	17
63.9%	49	First Serve points won %	64.1%	48
50.0%	6	Second serve points won %	44.2%	64
59.5%	16	Overall service points won %	57.2%	42
72.2%	17	Service games won %	65.7%	58
53.5%	59	Break points saved %	57.5%	31
34.3%	73	First serve return points won %	38.8%	17
55.1%	37	Second serve return points won %	57.8%	10
46.3%	32	Break points converted %	50.2%	11
30.9%	62	Return games won %	39.9%	15
42.0%	59	Return points won %	45.9%	16

ANNA

KALINSKAYA

EMMA

RADUCANU

TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)

2024 - BERLIN, DUBAI

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (4)

2025 - MADRID (w/Cirstea)

2022 - ST. PETERSBURG (w/Mcnally)

2021 - PORTOROZ (w/Mihalikova)

2019 - PRAGUE (w/Hruncakova)

Runner-Up (5)

2025 - BRISBANE (w/Hon)

2023 - OSAKA (w/Putintseva)

2022 - WASHINGTON DC (w/Mcnally)

2021 - MELBOURNE 500 YARRA VALLEY (w/Hruncakova)

2019 - ST. PETERSBURG (w/Hruncakova)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)

2021 - US OPEN

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

MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA

2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951

**ANNA
KALINSKAYA**

**EMMA
RADUCANU**

CAREER MILESTONES

- Reached two finals in 2024 at Dubai and Berlin; Dubai was first time reaching a WTA 1000 final; made best career round at each Grand Slam in 2024 including first major quarterfinal at Australian Open and R16 at Wimbledon.
- Made Top 20 debut on June 24, 2024 finishing the year at World No.14
- Made three QF runs across 2023 Austin (L. Collins), Charleston (L. Jabeur), and Osaka (L. Krueger).
- Highlight of 2022 was SF run at Guadalajara 250 (L. eventual champion Stephens). Also made QFs at Washington DC (L. Kanepi) and Guadalajara 1000 (L. Bouzkova)
- Won third WTA doubles title in 2022 at St. Petersburg (w/McNally)
- Ended 2021 campaign in good form, advancing to R16 at Indian Wells (as qualifier, L. Jabeur), 2r at Moscow (as qualifier, L. Sakkari) and QF at Courmayeur (L. Samsonova)
- At 2021 Monterrey, posted first QF since 2019 (as qualifier, L. Golubic), then reached 3r at Miami (as WC, L. Muguruza)
- Lifted second WTA doubles title at 2021 Portoroz (w/Mihalikova)
- Broke into Top 100 on September 30, 2019, following QF run at Tashkent
- Scored first Top-10 win over No.10 Stephens in 1r at 2019 US Open
- Reached maiden WTA SF at 2019 Washington DC (L. eventual champion Pegula)
- Enjoyed doubles success in 2019, winning Prague and finishing R-Up at St. Petersburg (both w/Kuzmova)
- Season highlights in 2018 were making Grand Slam main draw debuts at Australian Open (L. Giorgi) and US Open (L. Goerges), coming through qualifying but falling in 1r at each
- Advanced through qualifying to reach the 2r for the first time at a WTA-tour level event at 2017 Kuala Lumpur (L. Han). Backed that performance up with two more 2r finishes that year at Istanbul (L. Yastremska) and Gstaad (L. Kontaveit) - both as a qualifier
- Hoisted her fifth career ITF title in 2017 at \$25k ITF/Obidos 4-POR (d. Frech)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2016 Moscow (as WC, L. Mladenovic in 1r). Also won a career-high four ITF titles in 2016 and made four runner-up finishes
- Produced a successful 2015 campaign on the ITF Circuit, reaching the finals at \$10K ITF/Antalya-
- Returned to the courts in 2024 winning opening round matches at Auckland, Australian Open and Abu Dhabi. Went on to reach semifinals at Nottingham, as well as quarterfinals at Stuttgart, Eastbourne, Washington and Seoul. Achieved her first career Top 10 wins over No.5 Jessica Pegula at Eastbourne and No.9 Maria Sakkari at Wimbledon
- In 2023 made fourth round of Indian Wells (L. Swiatek) before falling in opening rounds at Miami and Stuttgart. Ended her season after Stuttgart and took time away to undergo minor surgery on both hands and ankle in May 2023.
- Struggled with injuries and form throughout 2022 dropping as low as No.83 after 1r exit at US Open
- Best performance came late in the year with SF run in Seoul (L. Ostapenko via ret. w/left glute injury). Also made QF at Stuttgart (L. eventual champion Swiatek) and Washington DC (L. eventual champion Samsonova) with best win-by-ranking coming over No.22 Azarenka during 3r run at Cincinnati
- Earned a career best year in 2021 jumping over 300 ranking spots and finishing the season inside the Top 20 at a career high of No.19 earning her the 2021 WTA Newcomer of the Year Award
- Reached QF at Cluj-Napoca 2 (L. Kostyuk) and made appearances at Indian Wells and Linz
- Won the US Open in only her fourth Tour-level appearance (d. fellow teenager Fernandez in F); did not drop a set and upset No.12 Bencic and No.18 Sakkari along the way to become the first qualifier to lift a Grand Slam title
- Fell 1r at San Jose (as WC, L. Zhang) and finished R-Up at WTA 125K Series event in Chicago (L. Tauson)
- At Wimbledon, became the youngest British woman in the Open Era to reach R16 (L. Tomljanovic via ret.); upset Top-50 players Vondrousova and Cirstea en route
- Made debut WTA main draw appearance at 2021 Nottingham (as WC, L. Dart in 1r)
- Ended 2020 by finishing R-Up at \$25k ITF/Sunderland-GBR
- Won title at \$25k ITF/Pune-IND in 2019
- Lifted first two ITF Circuit titles in 2018, at \$15k ITF/Antalya-TUR and \$15k ITF/Tiberias-GRE
- Owns three singles titles on ITF Circuit
- In Juniors she reached back-to-back quarter finals of Wimbledon and US Open in 2018

TUR and \$10k ITF/El Kantaoui 29-TUN. Also made a SF run at \$10K ITF/El Kantoui 28-TUN

- Made professional debut as a qualifier at Premier event at 2014 Moscow (l. Monova)
- R-Up in girls' singles at 2015 Roland Garros (l. Badosa) and won doubles at 2016 Australian Open (w/Mihalikova)

OTHER INFORMATION

- Currently coached by Patricia Tarabini
- Both parents are former professional badminton players - now father works at the Federation and mother is coached junior players; brother is a soccer player in Russia. Started playing tennis when she was five after watching cousin play whilst spending summer at her my grandmother's house
- Thinks she has a good reading of the game and likes to mix up her shot selection; favorite surface is hard
- Did not have a tennis idol when growing up but watched a lot of Justine Henin, Rafael Nadal, Roger Federer and Kim Clijsters
- Best tennis memories are playing in the Fed Cup for the first time and also the amazing atmosphere when she beat Sloane Stephens in the Arthur Ashe Stadium at the 2019 US Open
- Away from the court likes to watch basketball, cook and go shopping; describes her perfect day as spending time with her closest friends; has two dogs; first was given one for her 13th birthday and stays in Moscow with her parents, while the second is a Pomsy called Kobe and travels with her most of the time on tour; loves documentaries and romantic movies; favorite musicians are Dua Lipa, Post Malone, Rihanna, Justin Bieber and DJ Khaled

- Only child, parents are Ian (Romanian) and Renee (Chinese). Born in Toronto and moved to Bromley, south of London, at the age of two
- Favorite shot is forehand and favorite surface is hard
- Started playing tennis aged five
- In the summer of 2021, completed her A-level exams in maths and English
- Has a wide variety of interests in sports such as go-karting, horse riding, tap dancing, golf, skiing and basketball

MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA

2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951



1
WIN



1
WIN



36 LEYLAH
FERNANDEZ

ELENA
(3) RYBAKINA 12

2002-09-06	Date of Birth		1999-06-17
Boynton Beach, Florida, USA	Residence		
Left-Handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	
5' 6" (1.68m)	Height	6' 0" (1.84m)	
13	Career-High Ranking	3	
\$6,550,409	Career Prize Money	\$17,621,877	
\$995,611	Season Prize Money	\$2,308,237	
0 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career		1 / 9
25-21 (Runner-Up: 2021 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	56-21 (Champion: 2022 WIMBLEDON)	
3-0 / 4-1 (Semi-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career WASHINGTON DC W-L (best)	2-0 / 2-0 (Semi-Finalist: 2025)	
16-16 / 122-97	YTD / Career W-L		31-13 / 242-104



MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA

2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951

LEYLAH
FERNANDEZ

ELENA
RYBAKINA

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	CINCINNATI	HARD	2r	Leylah Fernandez	3-6 7-6(3) 6-4	2h 35m
2024	DOHA	HARD	QF	Elena Rybakina	6-4 6-2	1h 34m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
23	31	2024	3	6
32	35	2023	3	4
13	40	2022	12	22
24	24	2021	14	14
88	88	2020	17	19
209	209	2019	37	37
451	487	2018	182	191
727	728	2017	420	425
-	-	2016	612	616

MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA

2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951

LEYLAH
FERNANDEZ

ELENA
RYBAKINA

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. JOINT (#38) 6-3 6-3 (1h 20m)
2r: d. J. PEGULA (#4) 6-3 1-6 7-5 (2h 19m)
QF: d. T. TOWNSEND (#97) 6-4 7-6 (2h 20m)

Total time on court: 5h 59m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd main draw appearance at Washington D.C., where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2023
- Has beaten Maya Joint, Jessica Pegula and Taylor Townsend so far this week to reach her first SF since SF at Hong Kong 2024
- Faces No.12 Elena Rybakina in SF today; owns 18 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.4 Jessica Pegula at Washington D.C. 2025
- Owns 1-1 career record against players from Kazakhstan (d. Rybakina at Cincinnati 2024, l. Rybakina at Doha 2024)
- Owns 29-36 career record against seeds, with a record in 2025 standing at 2-2
- Record in Tour-level SF matches stands at 6-2 (5-2 on hard court)
- Best career result on hard court is Champion which she has reached three times: Hong Kong in 2023; Monterrey in 2022 and 2021
- Prior to Fernandez's current run, the best result by Canada at Washington D.C. were Quarter-Finalist runs by Rebecca Marino in 2022, Bianca Andreescu in 2017, Eugenie Bouchard in 2012 and Stéphanie Dubois in 2011
- First time a player from Canada reached SF at Washington D.C.
- Is currently ranked No.36; this time last year was ranked No.24

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. V. MBOKO (#88) 6-3 7-5 (1h 25m)
QF: d. M. FRECH (#24) 6-3 6-3 (1h 19m)

Total time on court: 2h 44m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making main draw debut at Washington D.C.
- After a 1r bye, has beaten Victoria Mboko and Magdalena Frech so far this week to reach her first SF since winning the title at Strasbourg 2025
- Faces No.36 Leylah Fernandez in SF today; seeking second Top 50 win of the tournament after defeating No.24 Magdalena Frech at Washington D.C. 2025
- Owns 5-2 career record against players from Canada, with record in 2025 standing at 2-1 (l. Bianca Andreescu at Rome)
- Record in Tour-level SF matches stands at 20-13 (14-9 on hard court)
- Best career result on hard court is Champion which she has reached four times: Abu Dhabi and Brisbane in 2024; Indian Wells in 2023; Hobart in 2020
- Only player from Kazakhstan to reach SF
- Best result by Kazakhstan at Washington D.C. was Semi-Finalist run by Yulia Putintseva in 2016
- Last time a player from Kazakhstan reached SF at Washington D.C. was 2016
- Is currently ranked No.12; this time last year was ranked No.4



MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA
2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951

LEYLAH
FERNANDEZ

ELENA
RYBAKINA

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2023	Result	Rank: 88	Seed: -
2r	L	M. SAKKARI (#9) 7-5 6-2	
1r	W	B. PERA (#53) 6-3 7-5	

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

LEYLAH
FERNANDEZ

ELENA
RYBAKINA

SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Played 2r at Wimbledon (l. Siegemund)
 - Made 2r at Bad Homburg (l. Paolini)
 - Reached QF at Nottingham (l. eventual R-Up Yastremska)
 - Played 1r at London (l. eventual champion Maria)
 - Fell in 1r at Roland Garros (l. Danilovic)
 - Played 1r at Strasbourg (l. Parry)
 - Made 3r at Rome (l. Kostyuk)
 - Played 2r at Vic 125 (l. Sasnovich)
 - Played 2r at Madrid (l. Li)
 - Reached 3r at Miami (l. Krueger)
 - Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Cristian)
 - Played 1r at Dubai (l. Mertens)
 - Made 3r at Doha (l. eventual champion Anisimova)
 - Reached QF at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual R-Up Krueger)
 - Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Gauff)
 - Opened 2025 representing Canada at United Cup, with a 1-1 result in singles (l. Gauff)
- Made 3r at Wimbledon (l. Tauson)
 - Made QF at Berlin (l. Sabalenka)
 - Reached QF at London (l. eventual champion Maria)
 - Made 4r at Roland Garros (l. Swiatek)
 - Won at Strasbourg (d. Samsonova in F)
 - Made 3r at Rome (l. Andreescu)
 - Reached 3r at Madrid (l. Svitolina)
 - Played 2r at Miami (l. Krueger)
 - Made 4r at Indian Wells (l. eventual champion Mirra Andreeva)
 - Reached SF at Dubai (l. eventual champion M. Andreeva)
 - Made QF at Doha (l. Swiatek)
 - As defending champion and No.1 seed, reached SF at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Bencic)
 - Reached 4r at Australian Open (l. eventual champion Keys)
 - Opened 2025 representing Kazakhstan at United Cup, with a 3-1 result in singles (l. Swiatek)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
72	49	Aces	259	1
61.9%	44	First serve %	59.0%	65
65.3%	32	First Serve points won %	73.1%	2
47.4%	28	Second serve points won %	48.9%	15
58.5%	26	Overall service points won %	63.2%	2
69.7%	26	Service games won %	80.5%	1
59.1%	19	Break points saved %	64.9%	1
34.8%	65	First serve return points won %	36.2%	44
53.0%	69	Second serve return points won %	55.0%	40
40.7%	78	Break points converted %	42.0%	72
30.0%	68	Return games won %	33.3%	52
41.8%	65	Return points won %	43.5%	40

LEYLAH
FERNANDEZ

ELENA
RYBAKINA

TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)
2023 - HONG KONG
2022 - MONTERREY
2021 - MONTERREY
Runner-Up (3)
2024 - EASTBOURNE
2021 - US OPEN
2020 - ACAPULCO

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (4)
2024 - CINCINNATI (w/Putintseva)
2023 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Townsend), MIAMI
(w/Townsend), AUCKLAND (w/Mattek-sands)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (9)
2025 - STRASBOURG
2024 - STUTTGART, ABU DHABI, BRISBANE
2023 - ROME, INDIAN WELLS
2022 - WIMBLEDON
2020 - HOBART
2019 - BUCHAREST

Runner-Up (11)
2024 - MIAMI, DOHA
2023 - MIAMI, AUSTRALIAN OPEN
2022 - PORTOROZ, ADELAIDE 500
2020 - STRASBOURG, DUBAI, ST. PETERSBURG,
SHENZHEN
2019 - NANCHANG

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)
2023 - ADELAIDE #2 (w/Pavlyuchenkova)
2021 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Kudermetova)

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

MATCH NOTES

MUBADALA CITI DC OPEN - WASHINGTON, DC,
USA

2025-07-21 - 2025-07-27 | \$ 1,282,951

**LEYLAH
FERNANDEZ**

**ELENA
RYBAKINA**

CAREER MILESTONES

- 2024 season highlights were reaching first final on grass finishing R-Up at Eastbourne (L. Kasatkina) and as part of title defence made SF at Hong Kong. Also reached final of Cincinnati in doubles w/ Putintseva
- In 2023, earned third career title at Hong Kong (d. Siniakova). Prevented from a consecutive title run by Siniakova who defeated her in Nanchang SF. Other notable results where quarterfinals at Guadalajara (L. Kenin), Cleveland (L. Maria) and Auckland (L. Bonaventure). Also defeated Paolini at Billie Jean King Cup Finals to lift title with Canada.
- Broke into the Top 20 in doubles in 2023, after reaching final at Roland Garros, Miami (both w/Townsend) and Auckland (w/Mattek-Sands) as well as QF at US Open (w/Townsend).

In 2022 won her second title at Monterrey (d. Osorio in F; saved 5MP), and reached the QF at Roland Garros (L. Trevisan); missed grass-court season due to grade three stress fracture in her right foot suffered during match vs. Trevisan in Paris

- Enjoyed a memorable 2021 campaign, lifting first career title in Monterrey and advancing to maiden Grand Slam final, at US Open (L. Raducanu)
- En route to the final at Flushing Meadows in 2021, upset defending champion and No. 3 Osaka in 3r, 2016 winner Kerber in R16, No.5 Svitolina in QF and No. 2 Sabalenka in SF, becoming the youngest woman to beat multiple Top-5 opponents at the same major since S. Williams at 1999 US Open
- Breakout year in 2020 saw her crack Top 100 for the first time on September 14 and finish campaign by reaching 3r at Roland Garros
- Earned first career Grand Slam win at 2020 US Open (d. Zvonareva, L. Kenin in 2r) and made Grand Slam debut at 2020 Australian Open as qualifier (L. Davis in 1r)
- Reached first career WTA final and notched first tour-level back-to-back wins at 2020 Acapulco as qualifier (L. Watson in F); at 17y, 177d, she was the youngest Canadian to reach a WTA singles final in 34 years (since Helen Kelesi at 1986 Tokyo [Japan Open] won at 16y, 338d)
- Also in 2020, earned first Top-100 win over No.5 Bencic in Billie Jean King Cup
- Owns one singles title and two doubles titles on ITF Circuit

- Won three titles from five finals in 2024, tasting success at Brisbane, Abu Dhabi and Stuttgart and finishing R-Up at Doha and Miami. Qualified for her second WTA Finals and defeated WTA World No.1 Sabalenka in the group stage
- Reached second Grand Slam final at 2023 Australian Open (L. Sabalenka in 3s); made Top-10 debut following tournament (January 30, 2023). Also in 2023 won first two WTA 1000 title at Indian Wells and Rome and finished R-Up at Miami. Qualified for first WTA Finals, going 1-2 in group stage.
- Lifted maiden major at 2022 Wimbledon (d. Jabeur in F)
- In 2022 also finished R-Up at Adelaide (L. Barty) and Portoroz (L. Siniakova)
- Best result of 2021 were SFs at Eastbourne, Olympics and Chicago [500], and QFs at Abu Dhabi, Roland Garros, San Jose and Ostrava
- Opened 2020 season by reaching the championship match at four of her first five tournaments, including a title run at Hobart (d. Zhang in F)
- Made first final appearance at a Premier-level tournament with R-Up finish at St. Petersburg (L. Bertens); was rewarded with Top 20 debut at No.19 following run in Russia (February 17, 2020)
- First win over a Top-5 ranked opponent came over No.3 Ka.Pliskova during R-Up finish at 2020 Dubai
- Won back-to-back Slam matches for the first time during 3r showing at 2020 Australian Open (L. Barty)
- Won maiden WTA singles title at 2019 Bucharest (d. Tig in F), breaking into Top 100 for the first time in the following week's rankings at No.65 (July 22, 2019)
- Also in 2019, went on to make Top 50 debut on September 16, 2019, after reaching second career final at Nanchang (L. Peterson), produced SF appearances at Luxembourg and 's-Hertogenbosch, and made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2019 Roland Garros, falling 1r (as qualifier, L. Siniakova)
- Finished 2019 campaign with 57-21 win-loss record (across all levels) to end season at No.37, up from 2018's final ranking of No.191. On the ITF Circuit in 2019, lifted silverware on three occasions: back-to-back at \$25k Moscow-RUS and \$25k Kazan-RUS, and at \$60k ITF/Launceston-AUS
- Highlights of 2018 included reaching maiden WTA QF at St. Petersburg (L. Goerges) and

- Won 2019 Roland Garros junior's title (d. Navarro) becoming first Canadian to win a junior Grand Slam since Bouchard in 2012
- Played first WTA main draw and earned first main draw win of career at 2018 Quebec City defeating countrywoman Dabrowski in 1r (L. Watson in 2r)
- Member of Canadian Billie Jean King Cup Team 2019, 2021-22
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in USA in 2016

- clinching title at \$15k ITF/Kazan-RUS
- First Top 10 win came over No.7 Garcia at 2018 St. Petersburg
- Made WTA qualifying and main draw debut at 2017 Moscow (as qualifier, L. Begu in 1r)
- Professional debut came at \$10k ITF/Antalya-TUR in 2014

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Jorge Fernandez
Born in Montréal, and resides and trains in Miami, FL with mother, Irene, father, Jorge and younger sister, Bianca Jolie who also plays tennis. Older sister, Jodeci and husband Jacques live in Ohio
- Current sponsors are: lululemon, Easy Post, Morgan Stanley, Google Canada, Gatorade Canada, Babolat and Youth Athletes United
- Trilingual: French, Spanish and English
- 2020 Summer Olympic Games Participant for Canada and BJK Cup Team Member
- Hobbies include: taking dancing lessons, currently learning Salsa with her younger sister; loves to solve puzzles and Rubiks Cubes during match rain delays or in her free time at the hotel
- Loves dessert but specifically enjoys molten lava chocolate cake

- Trained at Spartak Club in Moscow as a junior; previous coaches included Andrei Cheshnokov (Elena Vesnina's former coach) and Evgenia Kulikovskaya
- Nominated for 2019 WTA Newcomer of the Year Award
- Started playing tennis aged five and favorite surface is hard