



MATCH NOTES

Mubadala Abu Dhabi Open
presented by Abu Dhabi Sports Council
ABU DHABI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
FEBRUARY 3 - 8, 2025 | WTA 500



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QUARTERFINALS – THU, 6 FEB 2025

[WC] Marketa Vondrousova (CZE #37) vs. [WC] Belinda Bencic (SUI #157) Bencic leads 2-1

Vondrousova:

- Playing second tournament of 2025 season, after R16 run at Adelaide (d. Pavlyuchenkova, I.Shnaider via retirement)
- Adelaide event was first tournament since 2024 Wimbledon, had six months off tour w/left shoulder injury
- Owns one hard court title, at Biel (Switzerland) in 2017
- Also through to the doubles QF this week (w/Laura Samson)

Bencic:

- Won the title here in 2023 (d. Samsonova in final)
- Seeking first semifinal appearance at a Tour-level main draw since 2023 Charleston (R-Up)
- Was ranked No.1213 in November; is playing this week at No.157 and is projected to move inside the Top 130 by reaching the QF this week and into Top 120 with SF
- The three previous meetings between Bencic and Vondrousova all came during 2021 season; Bencic won the most recent match-up at 2021 Cincinnati

[8] Leylah Fernandez (CAN #27) vs. Ashlyn Krueger (USA #51) Tied 1-1

Fernandez:

- Through to the QF at a Tour-level event for the 18th time
- Bidding to reach the SF at a WTA 500 level event for the second time in her career – also 2024 Eastbourne (R-Up)

Krueger:

- The two split their previous two meetings – both during 2024 season; Krueger won the most recent meeting at 2024 Toronto
- This is her fifth career QF appearance and third at a WTA 500 level; she is seeking her first SF appearance at a WTA 500 level or higher having previously lost in QF twice this year – Brisbane (QF) and Adelaide (QF)
- Has 10 wins over Top 30 opponents, including three this year defeating No.12 Paula Badosa (Adelaide), No.18 Matra Kostyuk (Adelaide) and No.14 Anna Kalinskaya (Brisbane)



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[1] Elena Rybakina (KAZ #5) vs. Ons Jabeur (TUN #33)

Jabeur leads 3-2

Rybakina:

- Making 3rd appearance at Abu Dhabi, where she won the tournament in 2024 (d. Kasatkina in F)
- Has also won two other singles titles at WTA 500 events at Brisbane 2024 (d. Sabalenka) and Stuttgart 2024 (d. Kostyuk)
- Is No. 1 seed this week; has been top seed at 2 tournaments in her career - last time also at Abu Dhabi in 2024
- Seeking first semifinal since 2024 Wimbledon (SF) and first hardcourt semifinal since 2024 Miami (R-Up)
- Rybakina's last win in the series came at 2022 Wimbledon final

Jabeur:

- Making 2nd appearance at Abu Dhabi, posting her best previous result last season with QF run (l. Haddad Maia)
- Has defeated No.7 seed Jelena Ostapenko and Wakana Sonobe en route to the quarterfinal
- Owns one singles titles on hard court, at Ningbo 2023 – where she made her most recent SF appearance
- Seeking first Top 10 win on hardcourts since 2022 WTA Finals (d. No.3 Jessica Pegula)
- Jabeur won the most recent meeting – 2023 Wimbledon (QF)

Magda Linette (POL #38) vs. Linda Noskova (CZE #39)

Linette leads 2-0

Linette:

- Through to first QF of 2025 season and first since winning the title at 2024 Prague
- Outside of United Cup, is seeking first SF appearance at a WTA 500 level event

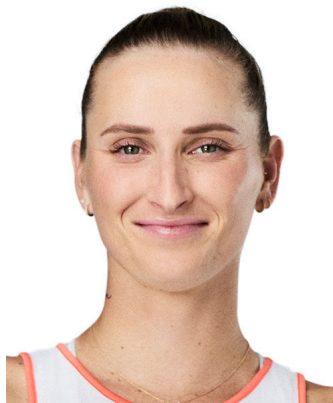
Noskova:

- Making second appearance at Abu Dhabi after competing in opening round in 2024 (l. Sorribes Tormo)
- Win over Noskova in R16 was seventh career win over a Top 10 opponent
- Owns one hard court title: Monterrey in 2024
- Noskova is through to her 10th Tour-level QF and first since winning the title at 2024 Monterrey
- This is her 4th WTA 500 level QF appearance having previously reached SF at 2024 Brisbane, R-Up at 2023 Adelaide, in addition to winning the title at 2024 Monterrey



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**MARKETA
VONDROUSOVA**
[WC]
CZECH REPUBLIC

**BELINDA
[WC] BENCIC**
SWITZERLAND

157

1999-06-28	Date of Birth	1997-03-10
Sokolov, CZE	Residence	Wollerau, Switzerland
Left-handed, two-handed backhand	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 6" (1.72m)	Height	5' 9" (1.75m)
6	Career-High Ranking	4
\$10,456,606	Career Prize Money	\$12,853,140
\$18,170	Season Prize Money	\$777,970
0 / 2	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 8
41-24 (Champion: 2023 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	60-34 (Semi-Finalist: 2019 US OPEN)
2-0 / 2-0 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career ABU DHABI W-L (best)	2-0 / 6-0 (Champion: 2023)
3-1 / 153-95	YTD / Career W-L	8-4 / 262-168



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2021	CINCINNATI	HARD	1r	Belinda Bencic	6-3 7-5	1h 28m
2021	OLYMPICS	HARD	F	Belinda Bencic	7-5 2-6 6-3	0m
2021	MIAMI	HARD	3r	Marketa Vondrousova	4-6 6-4 6-4	2h 25m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
6	39	2024	17	913
6	7	2023	9	17
32	99	2022	11	12
20	35	2021	9	23
16	21	2020	4	12
14	16	2019	7	8
50	67	2018	37	37
61	67	2017	42	165
286	376	2016	7	43
429	429	2015	12	14



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. E. RADUCANU (#56) 6-3 6-4 (1h 35m)
2r: d. Y. PUTINTSEVA (#21) 6-2 6-3 (1h 18m)

Total time on court: 2h 53m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making tournament debut
- Has beaten Emma Raducanu and Yulia Putintseva so far this week to reach QF
- Faces No.157 Belinda Bencic in QF today
- Adelaide event was first tournament since 2024 Wimbledon, had six months off tour w/left shoulder injury
- Owns 16-3 career record against wild cards, with a record in 2025 standing at 1-0 (d. Raducanu)
- Playing second tournament of 2025 season, after R16 run at Adelaide (d. Pavlyuchenkova, l. Schnaider via retirement)
- Owns one hard court title: Biel (Switzerland) in 2017
- Best result by Czech Republic at Abu Dhabi was QF by Barbora Krejckova in 2024
- One of two players from Czech Republic to reached QF along with Novoska
- One of two wild cards to reach QF along with Bencic
- Best result by wild card at Abu Dhabi was R16 run by Emma Raducanu in 2024, Marta Kostyuk in 2023
- Is currently ranked No.37; this time last year was ranked No.8

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. R. SRAMKOVA (#44) 6-2 3-6 6-1 (2h 2m)
2r: d. V. KUDERMETOVA (#52) 6-0 6-0 (1h 4m)

Total time on court: 3h 6m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Abu Dhabi, winning the title in 2023 (d. Samsonova in final)
- Has beaten Rebecca Sramkova and Veronika Kudermetova so far this week to reach QF
- Faces No.37 Marketa Vondrousova in QF today; owns 25-14 career record against players from Czech Republic
- Owns 29-9 career record against wild cards
- Owns a 3-3 record vs the Top 50 in 2025
- Owns six hard court titles: Abu Dhabi, Adelaide #2 in 2023; Tokyo Olympics in 2021; Moscow, Dubai in 2019; Toronto in 2015
- Only player from Switzerland to reach QF, yet feature in main draw
- One of two wild cards to reach QF along with Vondrousova
- Best result by a wild card at Abu Dhabi was R16 run by Emma Raducanu in 2024, Marta Kostyuk in 2023
- Is currently ranked No.157; this time last year was ranked No.22



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

2023	Result	Rank: 9	Seed: 2
F	W	L. SAMSONOVA (#19)	1-6 7-6(8) 6-4
SF	W	B. HADDAD MAIA (#14)	6-2 6-3
QF	W	S. ROGERS (#46)	7-6(5) 6-2
2r	W	M. KOSTYUK (#57)	6-4 7-5



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[WC] BENCIC**

SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Made 2r at Adelaide (l. Shnaider, retired due to left thigh injury)

- Reached 4r at Australian Open (l. Gauff)
- Played 2r at Adelaide (as qualifier, l. Samsonova)
- Opened 2025 representing Switzerland at United Cup with a 1-1 result in singles play (l. Paolini)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
35	18	Aces	15	64
54.7%	110	First serve %	63.0%	51
70.4%	10	First Serve points won %	66.4%	34
41.4%	86	Second serve points won %	46.8%	43
57.3%	51	Overall service points won %	59.2%	30
74.4%	19	Service games won %	69.6%	41
73.7%	2	Break points saved %	52.5%	71
44.8%	3	First serve return points won %	35.6%	63
57.1%	30	Second serve return points won %	64.2%	2
48.8%	26	Break points converted %	46.0%	43
51.3%	1	Return games won %	42.6%	10
49.3%	4	Return points won %	47.6%	8



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)
2023 - WIMBLEDON
2017 - BIEL
Runner-Up (4)
2021 - OLYMPICS
2019 - ROLAND GARROS, ISTANBUL, BUDAPEST

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (3)
2023 - BERLIN (w/Siniakova)
2022 - ADELAIDE 250 (w/Martincova)
2021 - ROME (w/Mladenovic)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)
2023 - ABU DHABI, ADELAIDE #2
2022 - CHARLESTON
2021 - OLYMPICS
2019 - MOSCOW, DUBAI
2015 - TORONTO, EASTBOURNE

Runner-Up (10)

2023 - CHARLESTON
2022 - BERLIN
2021 - BERLIN, ADELAIDE 500
2019 - MALLORCA
2018 - LUXEMBOURG
2016 - ST. PETERSBURG
2015 - TOKYO, 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH
2014 - TIANJIN

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (2)
2015 - WASHINGTON DC (w/Mladenovic), PRAGUE
(w/Siniakova)

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - OLYMPICS (w/Golubic)



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GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
				2025	4r			
1r	QF	1r		2024				
3r	2r	WON	QF	2023	4r	1r	4r	4r
3r				2022	2r	3r	1r	3r
4r	4r	2r	2r	2021	3r	2r	1r	QF
1r	1r		2r	2020	3r			
2r	RUP	1r		2019	3r	3r	3r	SF
2r	1r	1r	4r	2018	2r	2r	4r	1r
	2r	1r	1r	2017	1r			
				2016	4r		2r	3r
				2015	1r	2r	4r	3r
				2014	2r	1r	3r	QF



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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2024 reached QF at Roland Garros (l. eventual champion Swiatek); further highlights included semifinal at Stuttgart and quarterfinals at Strasbourg and Dubai. Ended her season after Wimbledon through shoulder injury
- Following injury issues in second half of 2022, bounced back in 2023 for best-ever season, winning debut Slam title at Wimbledon (d. Jabeur in F - becoming the first unseeded player in the open era to claim the Wimbledon title), making Top 10 debut and qualifying for first WTA Finals.
- Best result of 2022 season was SF run at Dubai (withdrew prior to match vs. w/right adductor injury). Missed most of second half of the season due to left wrist injury, returning in October to play a few ITF Circuit events and Billie Jean King Cup Finals
- Finished 2021 with SF runs at Luxembourg, Chicago [500] and Moscow
- Won silver medal in singles at Olympics in Tokyo (l. Bencic)
- Opened 2021 campaign with SF at Yarra Valley Classic before R16 showing at Australian Open
- Highlights of 2020 include defeating No.6 Svitolina to reach SFs at Rome (l. Ka.Pliskova) as well as a QF run to kick off the season at Adelaide (l. No.1 Barty)
- Enjoyed break-out season in 2019, reaching three finals across the year and posting career-high ranking of No.14 on July 1, 2019
- Finished R-Up at Budapest (l. Van Uytvanck) and Istanbul (l. Martic) before reaching championship match at Roland Garros (l. Barty); did not drop a set en route to final in Paris
- Ranked No.38, was joint-third lowest-ranked woman to reach Roland Garros final, and aged 19, was first teenager to reach title match there since Ivanovic in 2007
- Posted first win of career over a Top 2 player in 2019, defeating No.2 Halep at Indian Wells and then Rome
- Forced to end 2019 season down early due to left wrist injury - did not play again following 1x exit at Wimbledon
- In doubles, has reached SF at 2019 Australian Open (w/Strycova) and QF at 2017 Wimbledon (w/Bellis)
- At 2018 US Open, became the first teenager to reach the last 16 at Flushing Meadows since 2016 (Konjuh, QF - 18) and the youngest Czech player to advance to this stage in New York since 2005 (Vaidisova, R16 - 16)
- After giving birth to daughter Bella, returned to the courts in October 2024 to play a handful of ITF matches, as well as winning her Billie Jean King Cup Playoff match for Switzerland over Serbia's Lola Radivojevic in November
- Played last tournament of 2023 at San Diego before taking maternity leave
- In 2023, won two titles at Adelaide 2 (d. Kasatkina in F) and Abu Dhabi (d. Samsonova in F); also finished R-Up at Charleston (l. Jabeur)
- Won sixth career title in 2022, triumphing at Charleston, while finishing R-Up at Berlin (l. Jabeur) and helped Switzerland lift Billie Jean King Cup Finals in Glasgow; also reached SF at Miami (l. Osaka) and Tallinn (l. Krejckikova) Captured gold medal for Switzerland at Tokyo Olympics in 2021 (d. Vondrousova in F); also claimed silver in doubles (w/Golubic)
- Other 2021 highlights included R-Up finish at Adelaide (l. Swiatek) and Berlin (l. Samsonova), and six further QFs (including US Open)
- Across a disrupted 2020 reached three QFs, at Adelaide, St. Petersburg and Doha
- Was voted WTA Comeback Player of the Year in 2019 - lifted two titles at Dubai (d. Kvitova in F) and Moscow (d. Pavlyuchenkova in F) and posted a career-best 49 Tour-level match wins in 2019 fourth most among all players and breaking back into Top 10 on September 9
- Earned spot at WTA Finals in Shenzhen becoming first Swiss player to compete in singles at the WTA Finals since Hingis in 2006, going on to reach SF at the season-ending showpiece (l. Svitolina)
- Also in 2019, marked 20th Grand Slam main draw by reaching her maiden major SF at US Open (l. eventual champion Andreescu) and finished R-Up at Mallorca (l. Kenin)
- Led the WTA with six victories over Top 5 players in 2019, including upsets over No.1 Naomi Osaka at Indian Wells, Madrid and US Open
- Standout result in 2018 was R-Up finish at Luxembourg (as qualifier, l. Goerges)
- In first round at 2018 Australian Open, defeated No.5 Venus Williams. Having also upset then-No.1 Serena Williams in SF at 2015 Toronto is one of seven women to defeat both Williams sisters before their 21st birthday (also Hingis, Sharapova, Clijsters, Henin, Chakvetadze and Osaka)
- Underwent left wrist surgery in spring 2017, missing five months - ranking fell outside Top

- Was the biggest ranking mover on tour in 2017, moving from No.376 to No.67 (309 places)
- Made WTA breakthrough by winning International-level title at 2017 Biel/Bienne (d. Kontaveit in F), in just her second WTA main draw. At No.233, was the lowest-ranked title winner in 2017 and aged 17 years, 293 days was the youngest since Konjuh (17 years, 169 days) at 2015 Nottingham
- Advanced to 2r on tour-level debut at 2016 Prague - as wildcard
- Made professional debut at 2014 \$100k ITF/Prague-CZE (d. Suk, l. Brengle in 2r); on ITF Circuit, winner of seven singles and four doubles titles
- In juniors won doubles at Australian Open and Roland Garros in 2015 (both w/Kolodziejova). In singles, was semifinalist at both Roland Garros and Wimbledon and rose to No.1 on ITF junior rankings in 2015

- 300; reached QF at Linz as WC in first WTA event back after surgery
- Run to 2016 St. Petersburg final (l. Vinci in F) saw her break into Top 10 at No.9 for the first time in her career. Also in 2016, reached SF at Sydney and 's-Hertogenbosch.
- Won first career titles in 2015 at Eastbourne (d. Radwanska in F) and Toronto (d. Halep in F); also reached final at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Giorgi) and Tokyo (l. Radwanska)
- At Toronto, beat four Top 10 players en route to the title including World No.1 Serena Williams
- Qualified for 2015 WTA Elite Trophy in Zhuhai however withdrew due to hand injury
- Won second WTA doubles title of career in 2015 at Washington, DC (w/Mladenovic), the first coming earlier in the year at Prague(w/Siniakova)
- Voted 2014 WTA Newcomer of the Year after a campaign highlighted by R-Up finish at Tianjin (l. Riske), SF at Charleston and QF run at 2014 US Open (defeated No.7 Kerber in 3r, No.10 Jankovic in R16); at 17 years of age, was youngest player through to last eight at Flushing Meadows since 1997 when Hingis won the title and broke into Top 50 on Sept 8, 2014
- Won junior singles titles at Roland Garros and Wimbledon in 2013; was named ITF Junior World Champion for 2013
- Played first WTA qualifying event at Luxembourg in October 2011, and first WTA main draw 12 months later at same event as WC (l. V.Williams, 1r); only 15 years, 7 months at the time
- Also in 2022, played qualifying at Brussels and 's-Hertogenbosch
- Made professional debut on ITF circuit in 2011; owns five career ITF titles

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Jan Hernych
- Lives and trains in Prague; moved to the city on her own to train at 15 years old
- Began playing tennis at 4 years old with her father, David Voundrous, and by 10-years-old she was practicing in Prague. Mother, Jindriska Anderlova played volleyball in the top Czech league
- Married partner Stepan Simek in the summer of 2022
- Favorite surface is clay because she grew up on it, but believes her game is more suited for hard courts
- Chose tennis over soccer because she prefers the individual nature of the sport
- Tennis idol is Roger Federer
- Has a Sphynx cat named Frankie
- Describes herself as "quiet" and "calm"

- Coached by Iain Hughes
- Father, Ivan, sometimes serves as her tennis coach, and Martin Hromkovic as her fitness coach. Mother is Dana; younger brother is Brian who also plays and coaches tennis; father emigrated to Switzerland from then-Czechoslovakia in 1968
- Started playing at Melanie Molitor's (mother of Martina Hingis) tennis school at age 3 until age 19 (started daily training with her from age 6 for eight years)
- Also visit the Nick Bollettieri and Evert Tennis Academy as a Junior
- Enjoys watching movies, reading, playing with dogs, baking, painting, and seeing friends



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27 **LEYLAH FERNANDEZ (8)**
CANADA

51 **ASHLYN KRUEGER**
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

2002-09-06	Date of Birth	2004-05-07
Boynton Beach, Florida, USA	Residence	Dallas, TX, USA
Left-Handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed
5' 6" (1.68m)	Height	6'1" (1.85m)
13	Career-High Ranking	50
\$6,103,788	Career Prize Money	\$1,857,353
\$548,990	Season Prize Money	\$219,860
0 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
24-19 (Runner-Up: 2021 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	2-8 (Round of 32: 2024 US OPEN)
2-0 / 2-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career ABU DHABI W-L (best)	2-0 / 3-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)
6-4 / 112-85	YTD / Career W-L	7-3 / 30-40



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YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	TORONTO	HARD	2r	Ashlyn Krueger	6-4 6-2	1h 28m
2024	EASTBOURNE	GRASS	2r	Leylah Fernandez	6-2 6-1	1h 18m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
23	31	2024	51	65
32	35	2023	73	81
13	40	2022	178	178
24	24	2021	534	536
88	88	2020	-	-
209	209	2019	-	-
451	487	2018	-	-
727	728	2017	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. UCHIJIMA (#62) 7-6 7-6 (2h 8m)
2r: d. L. SUN (#45) 6-0 6-3 (1h 12m)

Total time on court: 3h 20m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Abu Dhabi, where her previous result was reaching 1r in 2023
- Has beaten Moyuka Uchijima and Lulu Sun so far this week to reach her first QF since SF at Hong Kong 250 2024
- Faces No.51 Ashlyn Krueger in QF today
- Owns 16-19 career record against players from United States of America, with record in 2025 standing at 0-3
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 8-9
- Best career result on hardcourt is Champion which she has reached 3 times: Hong Kong in 2023; Monterrey in 2022; Monterrey in 2021
- Only player from Canada to reach QF
- Is currently ranked No.27; this time last year was ranked No.38

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. KESSLER (#57) 6-3 6-7 6-3 (2h 18m)
2r: d. D. KASATKINA (#11) 1-6 7-5 6-4 (2h 20m)

Total time on court: 4h 38m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Abu Dhabi, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2024
- Has beaten McCartney Kessler and Daria Kasatkina so far this week to reach her first QF since QF at Adelaide 2025
- Faces No.27 Leylah Fernandez in QF today; owns 12 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.11 Daria Kasatkina at Abu Dhabi 2025
- Owns 1-1 career record against players from Canada, with record in 2025 standing at 0-0
- Owns 11-16 career record against SEEDS, with a record in 2025 standing at 3-1
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 1-3
- Best career result on hardcourt is Champion which she has reached 1 times: Osaka in 2023
- Only player from United States of America to reach QF
- Is currently ranked No.51; this time last year was ranked No.82



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LEYLAH FERNANDEZ

ASHLYN KRUEGER

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2023	Result	Rank: 39	Seed: -
1r	L	S. ROGERS (#46)	6-4 6-7(5) 6-1

2024	Result	Rank: 82	Seed: -
2r	L	D. KASATKINA (#14)	6-3 7-5
1r	W	B. PERA (#89)	6-2 5-7 6-3



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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Gauff)
- Opened 2025 representing Canada at United Cup, with a 1-1 result in singles (l. Gauff)

- 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
20	43	Aces	43	7
61.9%	66	First serve %	62.9%	54
63.8%	56	First Serve points won %	67.8%	26
48.7%	31	Second serve points won %	47.0%	40
58.0%	38	Overall service points won %	60.1%	22
70.5%	34	Service games won %	74.0%	21
60.6%	29	Break points saved %	52.9%	68
32.4%	87	First serve return points won %	35.8%	60
55.7%	43	Second serve return points won %	54.7%	54
33.8%	99	Break points converted %	51.3%	17
30.1%	72	Return games won %	33.9%	50
41.7%	66	Return points won %	42.9%	54



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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 (1)
2023 - OSAKA

DOUBLES FINALS

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

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

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FERNANDEZ**

**ASHLYN
KRUEGER**

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 were 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

- 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'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)

- 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

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
- 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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5 **ELENA RYBAKINA (1)**
KAZAKHSTAN

ONS JABEUR **33**
TUNISIA

1999-06-17	Date of Birth	1994-08-28
	Residence	Tunis, Tunisia
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
6' 0" (1.84m)	Height	5' 6" (1.67m)
3	Career-High Ranking	2
\$16,576,340	Career Prize Money	\$13,777,449
\$1,262,700	Season Prize Money	\$347,170
0 / 8	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 5
51-19 (Champion: 2022 WIMBLEDON)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	61-30 (Runner-Up: 2023 WIMBLEDON; 2022 US OPEN, WIMBLEDON)
1-0 / 6-1 (Champion: 2024)	YTD / Career ABU DHABI W-L (best)	2-0 / 3-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025, 2024)
10-3 / 221-94	YTD / Career W-L	8-3 / 215-142



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2023	WIMBLEDON	GRASS	QF	Ons Jabeur	6-7(5) 6-4 6-1	1h 53m
2022	WIMBLEDON	GRASS	F	Elena Rybakina	3-6 6-2 6-2	1h 48m
2021	CHICAGO 500	HARD	SF	Ons Jabeur	6-4 3-2	52m
2021	DUBAI	HARD	2r	Ons Jabeur	7-6(6) 4-6 6-2	2h 18m
2019	WUHAN	HARD	2r	Elena Rybakina	6-1 6-7(3) 6-2	1h 52m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
3	6	2024	6	42
3	4	2023	2	6
12	22	2022	2	2
14	14	2021	7	10
17	19	2020	31	31
37	37	2019	51	77
182	191	2018	62	62
420	425	2017	83	88
612	616	2016	170	193
-	-	2015	118	210



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. K. VOLYNETS (#68) 2-6 6-4 6-4 (2h 27m)

Total time on court: 2h 27m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd appearance at Abu Dhabi, where she won the tournament in 2024 (d. Kasatkina in F), which was Kazakhstan's best result at Abu Dhabi
- Has also won two other singles titles at WTA 500 events at Brisbane 2024 (d. Sabalenka) and Stuttgart 2024 (d. Kostyuk)
- Owns 27-9 record against opponents in the Top 50 since the start of 2024 season (2-2 in 2025), most recently No.33 Dayana Yastremska at this year's Australian Open in R32
- Seeded as No.1, after 1r bye and defeating Volynets in 2r, faces No.33 Ons Jabeur in QF today
- Owns four singles titles on hard court - Abu Dhabi, Brisbane in 2024; Indian Wells in 2023; Hobart in 2020
- Only player from Kazakhstan to reach QF
- Is No.1 seed this week; has been top seed at 2 tournaments in her career - last time also at Abu Dhabi in 2024
- Is currently ranked No.5; this time last year was ranked No.5

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. J. OSTAPENKO (#35) 7-6 7-5 (1h 46m)

2r: d. W. SONOBE (#837) 6-3 6-3 (1h 13m)

Total time on court: 2h 59m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Abu Dhabi, where her previous best result was reaching QF in 2024 (l. Haddad Maia)
- Has beaten Jelena Ostapenko and Wakana Sonobe so far this week to reach her first QF since QF at Brisbane 2025 (l. M. Andrejeva)
- Faces No.5 Elena Rybakina in QF today
- Owns 11-4 career record against players from Kazakhstan, with record in 2025 standing at 0-1 (l. Putintseva)
- Owns 17 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.10 Jelena Ostapenko at Madrid 2024
- Owns one hard court title: Ningbo in 2023
- Only player from Tunisia to reach QF, yet feature in main draw
- Best result by Tunisia at Abu Dhabi was QF run by Ons Jabeur in 2024
- Is currently ranked No.33; this time last year was ranked No.6



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 5	Seed: 1
F	W	D. KASATKINA (#14) 6-1 6-4	
SF	W	L. SAMSONOVA (#15) 6-0 4-6 6-2	
QF	W	C. BUCSA (#74) 6-1 6-4	
2r	W	D. COLLINS (#71) 4-6 6-3 6-3	

2023	Result	Rank: 10	Seed: 3
QF	L	B. HADDAD MAIA (#14) 3-6 6-3 6-2	
2r	W	K. PLISKOVA (#20) 6-4 6-2	

2024	Result	Rank: 6	Seed: 2
QF	L	B. HADDAD MAIA (#13) 6-3 6-4	
2r	W	E. RADUCANU (#296) 6-4 6-1	



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**ONS
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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- 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)

- Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. Navarro)
- Made R16 at Adelaide (as a WC, l. Putintseva)
- Opened 2025 with QF at Brisbane (l. M.Andreeva)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
41	9	Aces	37	16
60.1%	77	First serve %	60.3%	76
71.4%	6	First Serve points won %	66.2%	38
51.2%	14	Second serve points won %	45.4%	52
63.4%	5	Overall service points won %	57.9%	42
83.3%	3	Service games won %	67.5%	52
73.2%	3	Break points saved %	55.3%	57
39.4%	19	First serve return points won %	39.6%	18
57.8%	20	Second serve return points won %	55.1%	51
42.9%	67	Break points converted %	45.9%	44
38.8%	23	Return games won %	42.0%	12
46.4%	11	Return points won %	45.6%	18



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)

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)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2023 - NINGBO, CHARLESTON
2022 - BERLIN, MADRID
2021 - BIRMINGHAM

Runner-Up (8)

2023 - WIMBLEDON
2022 - US OPEN, WIMBLEDON, ROME, CHARLESTON
2021 - CHICAGO 500, CHARLESTON 250
2018 - MOSCOW

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)

2021 - BIRMINGHAM (w/Perez)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r				2025	3r			
2r	QF	SF	2r	2024	2r	QF	3r	
RUP	3r	QF	3r	2023	2r	QF	RUP	4r
2r	3r	WON	1r	2022		1r	RUP	RUP
2r	QF	4r	3r	2021	3r	4r	QF	3r
3r	2r		2r	2020	QF	4r		3r
	1r		1r	2019	1r	1r	1r	3r
				2018	1r		2r	1r
				2017		3r	1r	2r
				2016				
				2015	1r			
				2014				1r

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CAREER MILESTONES

- 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
- 2024 season highlights included five quarterfinals at Roland Garros, Madrid, Berlin, Abu Dhabi and Nottingham. Ended season after Toronto in August through shoulder injury
- Reached third Grand Slam final and second Wimbledon final in 2023 (l. Vondrousova). Also qualified for WTA Finals for second consecutive year to close out the season.
- In 2022, created history by becoming first African and Arab woman in Open Era to reach a Grand Slam final, finishing R-Up at first Wimbledon (l. Rybakina) and then US Open (l. Swiatek)
- Lifted biggest career title at WTA 1000 Madrid during 2022 clay-court season (d. Pegula in F)
- Broke into Top 10 on October 18, 2021, following SF run at Indian Wells (l. eventual champion Badosa)
- At 2021 Birmingham, became first Arab woman to win a WTA title (d. Kasatkina in F). Followed this with QF at Wimbledon (l. Sabalenka)
- In 2021, also finished R-Up at Charleston [250] (l. Sharma) and Chicago [500] (l. Muguruza)
- Reached maiden Grand Slam QF at 2020 Australian Open to become the first Arab woman to reach that stage at a major (l. eventual champion Kenin); made Top 50 debut at No.45 after breakthrough performance in Melbourne
- Made further QFs in 2020 at Doha (d. No.3 Ka.Pliskova, l. Kvitova), Lexington (l. Gauff), Western & Southern Open (l. eventual champion Azarenka) and Ostrava (l. Sakkari); posted career-high ranking of No.31 on August 31, 2020
- Season highlights in 2019 were 3r run at US Open and SF appearances at Eastbourne (l. eventual R-Up Kerber) and Tianjin (l. eventual champion Peterson)
- In 2018, defeated No.3 seed Stephens, No.8 seed Kontaveit and No.5 seed Sevastova en route to her first WTA final at 2018 Moscow, where she fell in three sets to No.6 seed Kasatkina. Was first Tunisian woman to advance beyond QF at a WTA tournament (Sfar was the only other Tunisian to reach a QF at this level)
- Scored first Top-10 win over No.7 Cibulkova at 2017 Roland Garros
- Reached maiden WTA QF at 2013 Baku. Also advanced to that stage at 2017 Taipei City and 2018 Bucharest
- Three-time member of Tunisian Olympic Team, first doing so at London games in 2012

- 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

- Contested first two WTA main draws in 2012, at Doha (as WC) and Olympics
- On ITF Circuit, has 11 singles and one doubles title
- Played first event of career at 2008 ITF/El Menzah-TUN
- Became first North African woman to win a junior Slam at 2011 Roland Garros (d. Puig in F), having also reached the final in 2010 (l. Svitolina in F)

OTHER INFORMATION

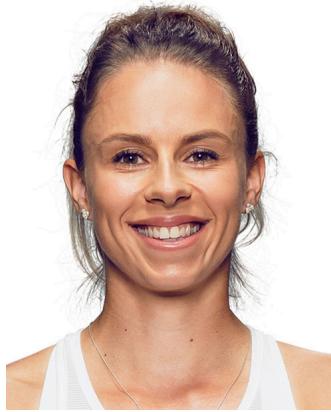
- Trained at Spartak Club in Moscow as a junior; previous coaches included Andrei Cheshnokov (Elena Vesnina's former coach) and Evgenia Kulikovskaya
- Nominated for 2019 WTA Newcomer of the Year Award
- Started playing tennis aged five and favorite surface is hard

- Currently coached by Issam Jellali; fitness trainer is Karim Kammoun
- Mother's name is Samira; father's name is Ridha; has two brothers (Hatem and Marwen) and one sister (Yasmine)
- Started playing tennis at age 3; mother loved playing tennis and would take her with her to tennis club
- Favorite shots are forehand and volleys , likes slice and drop shots; likes all surfaces
- Speaks Arabic, English and French; learning Russian because husband is half-Russian
- Best tennis memory is winning Roland Garros juniors in 2011 (had operation on left wrist in November 2010 and missed five months, and was only her third or fourth event back)
- Favorite tournament is Roland Garros
- Player most admired is Andy Roddick for his serve and humor
- Supports Real Madrid and Juventus



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38 **MAGDA LINETTE**
POLAND

LINDA NOSKOVA **39**
CZECH REPUBLIC

1992-02-12	Date of Birth	2004-11-17
Poznan, Poland	Residence	Prerov, Czech Republic
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.71m)	Height	5' 10" (1.79m)
19	Career-High Ranking	25
\$7,121,314	Career Prize Money	\$2,475,844
\$168,950	Season Prize Money	\$182,940
0 / 3	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 1
26-38 (Semi-Finalist: 2023 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	8-10 (Quarter-Finalist: 2024 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
2-0 / 3-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career ABU DHABI W-L (best)	2-0 / 2-1 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)
3-3 / 191-197	YTD / Career W-L	3-3 / 56-40



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**MAGDA
LINETTE**

**LINDA
NOSKOVA**

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	PRAGUE	CLAY	SF	Magda Linette	6-3 3-6 7-6(2)	2h 46m
2023	ROME	CLAY	2r	Magda Linette	7-6(4) 6-1	1h 26m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
22	38	2024	25	26
19	24	2023	40	41
45	49	2022	87	91
40	57	2021	315	317
33	40	2020	1019	1027
41	42	2019	-	-
55	83	2018	-	-
70	71	2017	-	-
81	96	2016	-	-
64	89	2015	-	-



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**LINDA
NOSKOVA**

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. R. ZARAZUA (#66) 6-4 7-6 (2h 13m)
2r: d. A. PAVLYUCHENKOVA (#26) 5-7 4-1 (1h 29m)

Total time on court: 3h 42m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Abu Dhabi, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2024
- Has beaten Renata Zarazua and Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova so far this week to reach her first QF since Wuhan 2024
- Faces No.39 Linda Noskova in QF today; owns 55 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.26 Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova at Abu Dhabi 2025
- Owns 11-19 career record against players from Czech Republic
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 15-19
- Best career result on hard is Champion which she has reached 2 times: Hua Hin in 2020; Bronx in 2019
- Only player from Poland to reach QF
- Best result by Poland at Abu Dhabi was Round of 16 run by Magda Linette in 2024
- First time a player from Poland reached QF at Abu Dhabi
- Is currently ranked No.38; this time last year was ranked No.55

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. M. FRECH (#28) 6-0 6-3 (1h 1m)
2r: d. P. BADOSA (#10) 6-4 6-1 (1h 7m)

Total time on court: 2h 8m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 2nd appearance at Abu Dhabi, where her previous result was reaching 1r in 2024
- Has beaten Magdalena Frech and Paula Badosa so far this week to reach QF
- Faces No.38 Magda Linette in QF today; owns 20 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.10 Paula Badosa at Abu Dhabi 2025
- Owns 2-5 career record against players from Poland, with record in 2025 standing at 1-0
- Record in WTA QF matches stands at 6-3
- Owns 1 hardcourt title: Monterrey 2024
- One of 2 players from Czech Republic to reach QF
- Is currently ranked No.39; this time last year was ranked No.31



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2024	Result	Rank: 55	Seed: -
2r	L	B. HADDAD MAIA (#13) 7-6(6) 6-7(1) 6-1	
1r	W	A. EALA (#187) 7-6(4) 6-1	

2024	Result	Rank: 31	Seed: -
1r	L	S. SORRIBES TORMO (#54) 6-3 3-6 6-3	



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SEASON 2025 HISTORY

- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Uchijima)
- Reached R16 at Hobart (l. Joint)
- Opened 2025 playing 1r at Brisbane (l. Kessler)

- Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. Tauson)
- Played 1r at Adelaide (l. Sakkari)
- Made R16 at Brisbane (l. M. Andreeva)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
12	74	Aces	25	31
61.0%	71	First serve %	57.6%	97
60.4%	87	First Serve points won %	70.2%	11
43.8%	68	Second serve points won %	57.1%	1
53.9%	90	Overall service points won %	64.6%	2
58.5%	90	Service games won %	76.8%	10
34.1%	111	Break points saved %	38.1%	107
34.1%	72	First serve return points won %	34.4%	71
57.2%	26	Second serve return points won %	50.0%	89
44.9%	50	Break points converted %	51.6%	13
33.3%	56	Return games won %	28.1%	81
42.1%	63	Return points won %	40.8%	77



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

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 (1)
2024 - MONTERREY
Runner-Up (2)
2023 - PRAGUE, ADELAIDE #1

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)
2024 - ABU DHABI (w/Watson)

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- 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 Bogotá and reached 3r at major for first time at Roland Garros
- In 2016 enjoyed run to first Premier-level quarterfinal of career at Tokyo [PPO] (as
- In 2024, achieved first Grand Slam singles quarterfinal at the Australian Open (l. Yastremska), where she also defeated then-World No.1 Iga Swiatek in the 3r; won her first singles title at Monterrey (d. Sun in F); reached SF at Prague (l. eventual champion Linette) and Brisbane (l. eventual champion Rybakina); earned a new career-high ranking of No.25 on August 26, 2024
- Breakthrough year in 2023, achieving runner-up twice; Adelaide 1 (as qualifier, l. Sabalenka) and Prague (l. Hibino). Also reached quarterfinals at Lyon (l. Osorio) and 3r at Indian Wells (l. Gauff) and Cincinnati (as qualifier, l. Gauff). Broke into Top 40 on October 9, 2023.
- Made Top-100 debut on August 1, 2022, following SF run at Prague (l. eventual champion Bouzkova); overtook Gauff at the youngest player in Top 100
- Also reached 2r at Tallinn (as qualifier, l. Haddad Maia) and fell 1r at both Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Raducanu) and US Open (as qualifier, l. Bouzkova). On ITF Circuit, lifted fifth and sixth titles at this level, winning W60 tournament in Croissy-Beaubourg, France and W100 event in Versmold, Germany
- Finished 2021 campaign with 38-9 win-loss record, winning four ITF Circuit titles, including at W60 event in Prerov, Czech Republic
- Made WTA qualifying debut at 2020 Prague
- On ITF Circuit, owns six titles in singles and one in doubles
- As a junior, won 2021 girls' singles at Roland Garros.

- 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

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
- Currently coached by Tomas Kupa
 - Mother's name is Ivana Noskova; Father's name is Drahos Nosek
 - Like listening to Maneskin, Lil Nas X, Lizzo
 - Enjoys watching Wrestling and streaming Netflix
 - Also like to swim, run, and spend time with pets
 - Favorite player is Serena Williams