MATCH NOTES
TORAY PAN PACIFIC OPEN TENNIS
TOKYO, JAPAN

October 26-November 1, 2026 | WTA 500 | $1,206,446

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SEMIFINALS – SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

Leylah Fernandez (CAN #23) vs. [LL] Kamilla Rakhimova (UZB #66) — Tied 1-1

Fernandez:
- Making 3rd main draw appearance at this event; she has surpassed her prior best tournament result of QF in 2024 (l. eventual champion Zheng Qinwen)
- Has won 15 of her last 19 matches – a hard court run which includes her 6th career WTA title at Singapore (d. Gibson in F) and last week's final at Ningbo (l. Rybakina in F)
- Seeking her 11th career Tour-level final, and third of this year after Singapore title and last week's Ningbo R-Up finish
- All of her 6 career Tour-level titles have come on hard court, including 2026 Singapore
- Two of her titles have been at WTA 500-level, at 2025 Washington DC (d. Kalinskaya in F) and Singapore last month
- Has won 30 Tour-level matches this year, with 21 of those wins coming on hard court

Rakhimova:
- Making her tournament debut
- Attempting to reach the first Tour-level final of her career (currently 0-4 in Tour-level SF matches)
- This week, she has reached her first Tour-level SF since 2024 Rabat (l. eventual R-Up Sherif)
- This has become her best career performance at a WTA 500 event - before this week, her best results at WTA 500 events were 2 QFs at 2024 Guadalajara (l. Osorio) and 2026 London-Queen's Club (l. eventual R-Up Raducanu)
- Has won a career-high 17 Tour-level matches so far in 2026, with 13 of the wins coming on hard court
- Owns 15 Tour-level wins in career over Top 50 players – her win over No.33 Alexandrova earlier this week was her fifth victory of 2026 against a Top 50 opponent, her most in a single season in her Tour-level career
- Defeated today's opponent Fernandez earlier this month in the 2nd round of WTA 1000 Beijing

[3] Diana Shnaider (#13) vs. [WC] Mia Pohankova (SVK #144) — First meeting

Shnaider:
- Making 3rd appearance at this event, where she has equaled her best result of SF in 2024 (l. eventual champion Zheng Qinwen)
- Seeking her 7th career Tour-level final and her first of this year - her most recent final came during her title run at 2025 Monterrey last August (d. Alexandrova in F)
- She has won 2 WTA 500 titles, at 2024 Bad Homburg on grass (d. Vekic in F) and 2025 Monterrey on hard court
- Her top tournament finishes of this year are 4 semifinals (before this week), including her first career Grand Slam SF at Roland Garros (l. eventual R-Up Chwalinska) and Ningbo last week (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- Holds 4-1 record this year vs. players ranked outside Top 100 (the loss was to No.114 Chwalinska in Roland Garros SF)

Pohankova:
- Making her tournament debut, and she has reached the first Tour-level SF of her career this week
- This is her 4th career Tour-level main draw after QF at 2025 Chennai (l. eventual champion Tjen), R16 at 2026 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Linette), and R16 at WTA 1000 Wuhan earlier this month (l. Sakkari)
- This week, she has won 3 consecutive Tour-level matches for the first time in her career
- Holds a 1-0 career record vs. Top 20 players after defeating No.18 Naomi Osaka earlier this week
- Before Pohankova's run this year, the last time a player from Slovakia reached SF at this event was Dominika Cibulkova's SF finish in 2015 (l. eventual champion A.Radwanska)
- Currently ranked a career-high No.144 (reached for the first time this week); this time last year was ranked No.659

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2 MATCHES PLAYED

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23 LEYLAH FERNANDEZ
CANADA

KAMILLA (LL) RAKHIMOVA 66
UZBEKISTAN

2002-09-06	**Date of Birth**	2001-08-28
Boynton Beach, Florida, USA	**Residence**	
Left-Handed (two-handed backhand)	**Plays**	Right-handed (double-handed backhand)
5' 6" (1.68m)	**Height**	5' 6" (1.70m)
13	**Career-High Ranking**	60
$9,162,555	**Career Prize Money**	$4,187,333
$1,804,416	**Season Prize Money**	$1,160,323
1 / 6	**Singles Titles YTD / Career**	0 / 0
29-26 (Runner-Up: 2021 US OPEN)	**Grand Slam W-L (best)**	13-19 (Round of 32: 2026 US OPEN; 2025 WIMBLEDON; 2023 ROLAND GARROS; 2021 US OPEN)
2-0 / 5-2 (Semi-Finalist: 2026)	**YTD / Career TOKYO W-L (best)**	2-0 / 2-0 (Semi-Finalist: 2026)
30-25 / 167-130	**YTD / Career W-L**	17-18 / 65-91

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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2026	BEIJING	HARD	2r	Kamilla Rakhimova	6-2 4-6 6-3	2h 32m
2024	WUHAN	HARD	2r	Leylah Fernandez	6-2 5-7 7-6(4)	2h 55m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
22	-	**2026**	65	-
22	22	**2025**	60	110
23	31	**2024**	61	64
32	35	**2023**	65	95
13	40	**2022**	90	93
24	24	**2021**	104	117
88	88	**2020**	152	155
209	209	**2019**	201	201
451	487	**2018**	888	890
727	728	**2017**	-	-

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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. H. SAKATSUME (#114) 6-2 6-4 (1h 33m)
2r: d. E. MERTENS (#14) 6-2 7-6 (2h 12m)
QF: d. E. RYBAKINA (#1) walkover (0m)

Total time on court: 3h 45m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd main draw appearance at this event; she has surpassed her prior best tournament result of QF in 2024 (l. eventual champion Zheng Qinwen)
- Defeated Himeno Sakatsume and No.5 seed Elise Mertens to make QF, then advanced past World No.1 Elena Rybakina via walkover (neck injury) to make her 3rd SF of the year
- She has won 15 of her last 19 matches - a hard court run which includes her 6th career WTA title at Singapore (d. Gibson in F) and last week's final at Ningbo (l. Rybakina in F)
- Faces No.66 Kamilla Rakhimova in SF today; Fernandez is 17-8 at Tour-level this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 50
- Seeking her 11th career Tour-level final, and 3rd of this year after Singapore title and last week's R-Up at Ningbo (holds a 10-3 career record in Tour-level SF matches)
- Has won 30 Tour-level matches this year, with 21 of those wins coming on hard court
- All of her 6 career Tour-level titles have come on hard court, including 2026 Singapore
- Two of her titles have been at WTA 500-level, at 2025 Washington DC (d. Kalinskaya in F) and Singapore last month
- Only player from Canada in this week's main draw
- Attempting to become the first Canadian to make the final of this event
- Is currently ranked No.23; this time last year was ranked No.22. Reached career-high ranking of No.13 in August 2022

KAMILLA (LL) RAKHIMOVA

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. E. ALEXANDROVA (#33) 6-4 4-6 7-6 (2h 51m)
QF: d. M. JOINT (#94) 7-5 5-7 6-1 (2h 23m)

Total time on court: 5h 14m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her tournament debut
- Fell in qualifying (l. Sasnovich) but entered main draw as a lucky loser after No.4 seed Bencic withdrew (right ankle injury)
- After 1r bye, defeated Ekaterina Alexandrova and Maya Joint so far this week, reaching her first Tour-level SF since 2024 Rabat (l. eventual R-Up Sherif)
- This is her 5th career Tour-level SF overall, and her first time reaching a Tour-level SF off of clay
- Attempting to reach her first Tour-level final of career (0-4 in Tour-level SF matches)
- Faces No.23 Leylah Fernandez in SF today; Rakhimova owns 15 Tour-level wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.33 Ekaterina Alexandrova earlier this week
- Owns 4-1 career Tour-level record against players from Canada (2-0 this year, including a win over today's opponent Fernandez earlier this month at WTA 1000 Beijing)
- This is now her career-best WTA 500 result - before this week, her best results at WTA 500 events were 2 QFs at 2024 Guadalajara (l. Osorio) and 2026 London-Queen's Club (l. eventual R-Up Raducanu)
- Only player from Uzbekistan in this week's main draw - she is the first player from Uzbekistan to reach R16 and beyond at event
- Is currently ranked No.66; this time last year was ranked No.106. Reached career-high ranking of No.60 in December 2024
- Has won a career-high 17 Tour-level matches so far in 2026, with 13 of those wins coming on hard court

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 22	Seed: -
2r	L	E. RYBAKINA (#7) 6-4 6-3	
1r	W	M. SAKKARI (#54) 7-6(5) 6-4	
2024	**Result**	**Rank: 35**	**Seed: 8**
QF	L	Q. ZHENG (#7) 6-0 1-6 6-3	
2r	W	V. GRACHEVA (#68) 6-0 3-6 7-5	
1r	W	A. SASNOVICH (#143) 5-7 6-2 5-2	

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

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- Reached the final at Ningbo (l. Rybakina)
- Made 3r at Wuhan (l. Ostapenko)
- Contested 2r at Beijing (after 1r bye, l. Rakhimova)
- Won the title at Singapore (d. Gibson in F)
- Reached 3r at US Open (l. Pegula)
- Played 2r at Cincinnati (l. Wang Xiyu)
- Reached 4r at Toronto (l. Osaka)
- Made 2r at Washington DC (l. Eala)
- Played 1r at Wimbledon (l. Tjen)
- Made 2r at Bad Homburg (l. Wang Xinyu)
- Played 1r at London (l. Boulter) and Nottingham (l. qualifier Sonmez)
- Fell 1r at Roland Garros (l. Parks)
- Reached QF at Strasbourg (l. Mboko)
- Fell 2r at Rome (l. Masarova)
- Made QF at Madrid (l. M.Andreeva)
- Reached QF at Stuttgart (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- Made 3r at Charleston (l. Shnaider)
- Reached 3r at Miami (l. Pegula)
- Played 2r at Indian Wells (l. Siniakova)
- Made 2r at Dubai (l. Tjen)
- Fell in 1r at Doha (l. Li)
- Made 2r at Abu Dhabi (l. Kessler)
- Played 1r at Adelaide (l. Shnaider) and Australian Open (l. Tjen)
- Made 2r at Brisbane (l. Yastremska)

KAMILLA (LL) RAKHIMOVA

- Fell 1r at Ningbo (as qualifier, l. Bouzkova)
- Made 3r at China Open (l. Jovic)
- Contested 2r at Seoul (l. Volynets)
- Reached 3r at US Open (l. Sabalenka)
- Made 2r at Cincinnati (l. Sakkari)
- Reached 3r at Toronto (l. Pegula)
- Played 2r at Wimbledon (l. Sakkari)
- Reached QF at London (as LL, l. eventual R-Up Raducanu)
- Made 2r at Roland Garros (l. Muchova)
- Fell in 1r at Madrid (l. Kalinina) and Rome (l. Ruzic)
- Made 2r at Rouen (l. Li)
- Played 2r at Indian Wells (as qualifier, l. Gauff)
- Made 2r at Austin (l. Selekhmeteva)
- Fell in 1r at Dubai (as LL, l. Jovic)
- Played 1r at Cluj-Napoca (l. eventual champion Cirstea)
- Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. Gauff)

SEASON 2026 HISTORY

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
143	34	**Aces**	50	86
62.7%	41	**First serve %**	57.0%	82
65.4%	42	**First Serve points won %**	61.6%	66
47.5%	23	**Second serve points won %**	44.4%	64
58.7%	27	**Overall service points won %**	54.2%	78
71.3%	25	**Service games won %**	61.0%	76
63.2%	4	**Break points saved %**	51.9%	74
35.2%	63	**First serve return points won %**	35.4%	61
53.4%	67	**Second serve return points won %**	59.9%	2
45.4%	38	**Break points converted %**	50.3%	5
33.4%	54	**Return games won %**	38.3%	21
42.3%	61	**Return points won %**	45.1%	20

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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (6)

2026 - SINGAPORE
2025 - OSAKA, WASHINGTON DC
2023 - HONG KONG
2022 - MONTERREY
2021 - MONTERREY

Runner-Up (4)

2026 - NINGBO
2024 - EASTBOURNE
2021 - US OPEN
2020 - ACAPULCO

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (5)

2026 - QUEENS (w/Siegemund)
2024 - CINCINNATI (w/Putintseva)
2023 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Townsend), MIAMI (w/Townsend), AUCKLAND (w/Mattek-sands)

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (4)

2026 - CLUJ-NAPOCA (w/Sorribes Tormo)
2024 - BOGOTA (w/Bucsa)
2021 - LINZ (w/Dzalamidze), MELBOURNE 250 (w/Raina)

Runner-Up (4)

2024 - GUADALAJARA 500 (w/Kalashnikova)
2022 - CLUJ-NAPOCA (w/Sizikova), ISTANBUL (w/Dzalamidze)
2021 - PALERMO (w/Dzalamidze)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
1r	1r	1r	3r	**2026**	1r	2r	2r	3r
3r	1r	2r	3r	**2025**	1r	1r	3r	2r
2r	3r	2r	1r	**2024**	2r	1r		1r
2r	2r	2r	1r	**2023**	1r	3r	1r	1r
1r	QF		2r	**2022**		1r		1r
1r	2r	1r	RUP	**2021**				3r
1r	3r		2r	**2020**		2r		

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KAMILLA (LL) RAKHIMOVA

CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2025, won multiple Tour titles in a calendar year for the first time, finishing as champion at WTA 250 Osaka and WTA 500 Washington DC (her first title above WTA 250 level); also partnered Venus Williams to make US Open doubles QF as a wild card team
- 2024 season highlights were reaching first final on grass finishing R-Up at Eastbourne (l. Kasatkina) and as part of title defense 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. 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)
- Owns one singles title and two doubles titles on ITF Circuit
- Won 2019 Roland Garros junior singles title (d. Navarro) becoming first Canadian to win a junior
- Highlights in 2025 include achieving her best career result on grass with QF at Eastbourne (as a qualifier, l. Pavlyuchenkova), defeating No.5 Paolini to reach 3r at Wimbledon for her first Top 10 win and closing out the season with a WTA 125 title at Angers
- Strong 2024 saw her lift WTA 125 title at Guadalajara and breakthrough performances at Bogota and Rabat with semifinals; also made quarterfinals at WTA 500 Guadalajara and Jiujiang reaching a career high of No.61 in October
- Best results of 2023 were SF at Bogota (l. Stearns) and 3r at Roland Garros (l. Sabalenka). Achieved R-Up at WTA 125 Stanford and SF at WTA 125 Tampico in singles and champion in doubles (w/Tikhonova).
- Opened 2022 season by reaching maiden WTA QF at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (as qualifier, l. Li). On clay, reached SF at Bogota (l. eventual champion Maria), while won two ITF Circuit hard-court titles in second half of season
- Broke into Top 100 for the first time on August 22, 2022, following title run at W60 ITF Circuit event at the Bronx
- Advanced to 3r at 2021 US Open (as qualifier, l. Krejcikova). Also made 2r at St. Petersburg, Belgrade and Lausanne
- Won two doubles title in 2021 at Phillip Island Trophy (w/Raina, d. Blinkova/Potapova in F) and Linz (w/Dzalamidze, d. Wang/Zheng)
- Reached 2r on Grand Slam debut at 2020 Roland Garros (as qualifier, l. Sakkari); 1r win over No.55 Rogers was both the best-by-ranking of her career and also first at Tour level
- Fell 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2019 Jurmala (as WC, l. Marcinkevica)
- Owns seven singles and six doubles titles on ITF Circuit
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in Kazakhstan in 2016

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)
- 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
- 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
- Coached by Yulia Pilchikova
- Started playing tennis aged five
- Favorite surface is hard

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FIRST MEETING

13 DIANA SHNAIDER (3)

MIA (WC) POHANKOVA 144

SLOVAKIA

2004-04-02	**Date of Birth**	2008-10-21
	Residence	Levice, Slovakia
Left-handed (two-handed backhand)	**Plays**	Right-Handed
5' 6" (1.70m)	**Height**	
11	**Career-High Ranking**	144
$7,390,058	**Career Prize Money**	$153,308
$3,167,906	**Season Prize Money**	$125,348
0 / 5	**Singles Titles YTD / Career**	0 / 0
21-14 (Semi-Finalist: 2026 ROLAND GARROS)	**Grand Slam W-L (best)**	0-0
2-0 / 4-2 (Semi-Finalist: 2026, 2024)	**YTD / Career TOKYO W-L (best)**	3-0 / 3-0 (Semi-Finalist: 2026)
37-22 / 123-79	**YTD / Career W-L**	6-2 / 8-3

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YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME

First career meeting

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
13	-	**2026**	144	-
11	21	**2025**	394	462
12	13	**2024**	512	577
60	60	**2023**	948	948
182	182	**2022**	-	-
1054	1065	**2021**	-	-

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DIANA SHNAIDER

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

2r: d. A. SASNOVICH (#112) 6-3 5-7 6-3 (2h 31m)
QF: d. A. EALA (#19) 2-6 7-6 6-4 (2h 52m)

Total time on court: 5h 23m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 3rd appearance at this event, where she has equaled her best result of SF in 2024 (l. eventual champion Zheng Qinwen)
- After 1r bye, defeated Aliaksandra Sasnovich and No.8 seed Alexandra Eala so far this week, making her 5th Tour-level SF of the year
- Shnaider is seeking her 7th career Tour-level final and her first of this year - her most recent final came during her title run at 2025 Monterrey last August (d. Alexandrova in F)
- Faces No.144 Mia Pohankova in SF today; Shnaider is 4-1 this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100 (the 1 loss was to No.114 Chwalinska in Roland Garros SF)
- Owns 2-0 career Tour-level record against players from Slovakia (1-0 in 2026, d. Sramkova at Toronto)
- Her top tournament finishes of this year are 4 semifinals, including her first career Grand Slam SF at Roland Garros (l. eventual R-Up Chwalinska) - she is 0-4 in SF matches this year
- 3 of her 5 career WTA titles have come on hard court, at 2024 Hua Hin (d. Zhu in F), 2024 Hong Kong (d. Boulter in F) and 2025 Monterrey (d. Alexandrova in F)
- She has won 2 WTA 500 titles, at 2024 Bad Homburg on grass (d. Vekic in F) and 2025 Monterrey on hard court (d. Alexandrova in F)
- Has won 37 Tour-level matches this year, with 26 of those wins coming on hard court
- Is currently ranked No.13; this time last year was ranked No.18. Reached career-high ranking of No.11 in May 2025

MIA (WC) POHANKOVA

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. T. VALENTOVA (#87) 6-1 6-4 (1h 10m)
2r: d. N. OSAKA (#18) 6-3 7-5 (1h 35m)
QF: d. A. PARKS (#65) 7-6 6-3 (1h 34m)

Total time on court: 4h 19m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her tournament debut
- Defeated Tereza Valentova, No.7 seed Naomi Osaka and Alycia Parks so far this week, making her first Tour-level SF of career
- This is her 4th career Tour-level main draw after QF at 2025 Chennai (l. eventual champion Tjen), R16 at 2026 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Linette), and R16 at WTA 1000 Wuhan earlier this month (l. Sakkari)
- Making her first appearance in a WTA 500-level main draw
- Faces No.13 Diana Shnaider in SF today; Pohankova is 1-0 vs. Top 20 players in her career after defeating No.18 Naomi Osaka this week
- This week, she has won 3 consecutive Tour-level matches for the first time in her career
- Only player from Slovakia in this week's main draw
- Before this year, the last time a player from Slovakia reached SF at this event was Dominika Cibulkova's SF finish in 2015 (l. eventual champion A.Radwanska), which is also the best result by Slovakia at this event
- Most recent wild card to make the final of this event was Sofia Kenin in 2024 (l. Zheng Qinwen in F)
- Reached her maiden career WTA 125 semifinals last month at Caldas Da Rainha 125 (l. Knutson) and Porto 125 (l. Timofeeva)
- Is currently ranked a career-high No.144 (reached for the first time this week); this time last year was ranked No.659

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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 19	Seed: 7
2r	L	A. KALINSKAYA (#38) 7-6(4) 2-6 7-6(5)	
1r	W	D. YASTREMSKA (#28) 6-3 6-1	
2024	**Result**	**Rank: 16**	**Seed: 6**
SF	L	Q. ZHENG (#7) 7-6(5) 6-3	
2r	W	V. TOMOVA (#49) 6-2 6-2	

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

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DIANA SHNAIDER	MIA (WC) POHANKOVA

SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played SF at Ningbo (l. eventual Champion Rybakina)
- Reached QF at Wuhan (l. Ostapenko)
- Made 3r at US Open (l. Townsend) and Beijing (l. Alexandrova)
- Reached R16 at Cincinnati (l. Rybakina)
- Made QF at Toronto (l. eventual champion Swiatek)
- Reached SF at Washington DC (l. Pegula)
- Played 2r at Wimbledon (l. Samsonova)
- Played 1r at Berlin (l. WC Bartunkova) and Bad Homburg (l. Tauson)
- Reached SF at a Grand Slam for the first time in her career at Roland Garros (l. eventual R-Up Chwalinska)
- Made 3r at Madrid (l. Bencic) and Rome (l. Osaka)
- Played 2r at Stuttgart (l. eventual champion Rybakina)
- Reached QF at Charleston (l. eventual champion Pegula)
- Made 3r at Miami (l. Bencic)
- Made 2r at Dubai (l. Jovic) and Indian Wells (l. Cirstea)
- Fell in 1r at Doha (l. Parks)
- Played 3r at Australian Open (l. Svitolina)
- Reached SF at Adelaide (l. eventual champion M.Andreeva)
- Made 3r at Brisbane (l. Keys)
- Made 3r at Wuhan (as WC, l. Sakkari)
- Reached 2r at 's-Hertogenbosch (as WC, l. Linette)
- Won 2nd career World Tennis (formerly ITF) title at W75 Leszno

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
85	55	**Aces**	37	102
65.9%	18	**First serve %**	54.7%	0
64.0%	51	**First Serve points won %**	68.1%	0
48.3%	16	**Second serve points won %**	52.5%	0
58.7%	29	**Overall service points won %**	61.0%	0
71.8%	22	**Service games won %**	74.1%	0
58.3%	24	**Break points saved %**	58.0%	0
37.8%	24	**First serve return points won %**	36.4%	0
56.0%	28	**Second serve return points won %**	52.5%	0
45.7%	33	**Break points converted %**	57.4%	0
36.6%	33	**Return games won %**	33.8%	0

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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2025 - MONTERREY
2024 - HONG KONG 250, BUDAPEST, BAD HOMBURG, HUA HIN

Runner-Up (1)

2023 - NINGBO

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2026 - ROME (w/Andreeva)
2025 - MIAMI (w/Andreeva), BRISBANE (w/Andreeva)

Runner-Up (3)

2026 - MADRID 1000 (w/Andreeva)
2025 - QUEENS (w/Danilina)
2024 - OLYMPICS (w/Andeeva)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
3r	SF	2r	3r	**2026**				
3r	2r	2r	1r	**2025**				
1r	1r	3r	4r	**2024**				
2r	2r			**2023**				

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CAREER MILESTONES

- Top singles results of 2025 were winning Monterrey title (d. Alexandrova in final) and making Ningbo SF, posting a Top 25 finish for second straight year; in doubles, partnered with M.Andreeva to win two titles (Brisbane and Miami) and qualify for their first WTA Finals
- Won first four titles of career in 2024 across all three surfaces; WTA 500 Bad Homburg and WTA 250s Hua Hin, Budapest and Hong Kong. Made Top 20 debut on August 12 and finished the season at World No.13
- Also in 2024, won the Paris Olympic silver medal in women s doubles with Mirra Andreeva
- Reached 2r on Grand Slam debut at 2023 Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Sakkari in 3s)
- Won WTA 125 title in Montevideo, Uruguay to end 2022 just outside Top 100. Overall win-loss record in 2022 was 56-17; reached four ITF Circuit finals, highlighted by a 15-match, three tournament winning streak, culminating with a W60 title in Istanbul
- Won first ITF Circuit tournament at W15 event in Antalya in late 2021. Made WTA qualifying debut at 2021 Moscow
- Owns four titles in singles and three in doubles on ITF Circuit
- Played first senior matches on ITF Circuit towards end of 2020
- As junior, made SF at Roland Garros in 2021 and US Open in 2022. Also won girls' doubles at three of the four majors and reached No.2 in the ITF rankings

- In 2025, made Tour-level main draw debut at Chennai and reached QF (l. eventual champion Tjen)
- Won the Junior Wimbledon singles title in 2025 (d. Pareja in final)
- During 2024, won first World Tennis (formerly ITF) title at W75 Bratislava

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Sascha Bajin
- Started playing tennis in Tolyatti, 40 kilometers from her home and parents in Zhigulevsk
- Studied at North Carolina State where she played college tennis during the 2022-23 season before pursuing her professional tennis career
- Favorite movie is Never Back Down and favorite food is Asian

- Coached by Robert Gasparetz
- Currently trains in Bratislava, Slovakia
- Hobbies include basketball, golf and walking her dog
- Tennis idols growing up were Roger Federer and Caroline Wozniacki