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DAY 4 – THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

Talia Gibson (AUS #63) vs. [LL] Viktoria Morvayova (SVK #296)

First meeting

Gibson:

- Defeated Fiona Ferro in 1r for her first career match-win in a WTA 500 main draw (this is her 4th career appearance in a WTA 500 main draw)
- Holds 3-0 Tour-level record this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100, including her win over Ferro in 1r
- Career-best result on hard court is her QF run at 2026 Indian Wells as a qualifier (l. Noskova) - that was also her first career Tour-level QF
- 12 of her 15 Tour-level wins this year have come on hard court, including her Indian Wells QF run and her R16 finish at Miami (also as a qualifier, l. Rybakina)
- Made Top 100 debut in the PIF WTA Rankings on March 16 of this year, following her Indian Wells performance

Morvayova:

- Entered main draw as a lucky loser following the withdrawal of No.2 seed Amanda Anisimova (left wrist injury)
- This is her first appearance in a WTA 500 main draw, and her 3rd career WTA Tour main draw overall after 2025 Hong Kong and 2026 Athens
- Seeking her 2nd career Tour-level match-win, following a 1r victory over Wong at 2025 Hong Kong (l. Joint in 2r)
- Her one previous Tour-level match this year was a 1r loss to Bejlek at Athens
- Holds 0-2 Tour-level record vs. Top 100 players (l. No.32 Joint at 2025 Hong Kong; l. No.42 Bejlek at 2026 Athens)
- Reached career-high ranking of No.289 in July of this year

Wang Xinyu (CHN #40) vs. [Q] Joanna Garland (TPE #168)

First meeting

Wang:

- Returning to Singapore, where she reached SF at WTA 250-level in 2025 (l. eventual champion Mertens)
- Best career Tour-level result on hard court is R-Up which she has reached once: 2026 Auckland (l. Svitolina in F)
- Has won 21 Tour-level matches so far in 2026, with 16 of the wins coming on hard court; third time in her career she has won at least 20 matches in a season (2024 and 2023)
- Holds a 6-2 record at Tour-level this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100
- Owns 24-16 career record against qualifiers, with a record in 2026 standing at 5-1
- Winner of today's match will face Tatiana Prozorova or No.3 seed Alexandra Eala in QF

Garland:

- Making her first appearance at Singapore, having qualified for this week's main draw with wins over Ellen Perez and Viktoria Morvayova (this is also her first career appearance in a WTA 500 main draw)
- Defeated Storm Hunter in 1r of main draw for her first Tour-level win of 2026
- Seeking first career win over a Top 50 player today – she is 0-1 in Tour-level matches vs. Top 50 players, losing to No.31 Putintseva in 2025 Roland Garros 2r
- Career-best Tour-level result on hard court is her SF run at 2025 Chennai (l. Birrell), which included her first Tour-level QF and SF showings
- Earlier this month, won World Tennis title at W75 Tianjin (d. Astakhova in F); she also won a WTA 125 title this January at Canberra (d. P. Kudermetova in F)

Tatiana Prozorova (#180) vs. [3] Alexandra Eala (PHI #18)

First meeting

Prozorova:

- This is her 2nd career WTA 500 main draw, after 2025 Seoul (as qualifier, l. Krejčíková in 1r)
- Defeated Sofia Costoulas in this week's 1r for her first career match-win at a WTA 500 event
- Victory over Costoulas was also her 2nd Tour-level win of the year, and her 3rd Tour-level win overall after 1r victories at 2023 Palermo (d. Abduraimova) and 2026 Memphis (d. Sierra)
- Holds an 0-2 career record vs. Top 20 players (l. No.11 Kasatkina at 2023 Palermo; l. No.13 Shnaider at 2025 Austin)
- Has matched her career-best Tour-level hard court result by making R16 - she also made R16 at 2026 Memphis (d. Sierra in 1r; l. Stearns)

Eala:

- Making her first main draw appearance at Singapore; she fell in qualifying at the WTA 250 event here last year (l. WALTERT)
- Her best result at a WTA 500 event is winning this summer's Washington DC title on hard court (d. Pegula in F), which was also her first career WTA Tour title
- Holds 10-0 record this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100 (this includes WTA Tour and WTA 125 events)
- This year, along with her Washington DC title, she also made Tour-level SFs at Auckland on hard court (l. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu) and Berlin on grass (l. eventual champion Nosková)
- Is currently ranked at a career-high No.18 - she made her Top 20 debut in the PIF WTA Rankings on August 3 of this year, following her Washington DC title run

[7] Maria Sakkari (GRE #33) vs. [Q] Nao Hibino (JPN #190)

Sakkari leads 2-0

Sakkari:

- Career-best results at WTA 500 events are 4 R-Up finishes at 2018 San Jose, 2021 Ostrava, 2022 St. Petersburg and 2023 Washington DC
- One of her 2 career WTA titles has come on hard court, at WTA 1000 Guadalajara in 2023 (d. Dolehide in F)
- Her top results of this year have been on hard court, finishing R-Up on home soil at Athens (l. Krejčíková in F) and reaching SF at WTA 1000 Doha (l. eventual champion Muchova)
- 16 of her 21 match-wins this year have been on hard court
- Owns 7-4 career Tour-level record against players from Japan (1-0 in 2026, d. Osaka at United Cup)
- Holds 2-0 record vs. today's opponent Hibino - both of their previous meetings have been at the Australian Open, in 2020 2nd round and 2024 1st round

Hibino:

- Defeated Ng and Ito to qualify for main draw, and earned her first main draw win of the season over Kristina Mladenovic in opening round
- Has matched her career-best result at WTA 500 events; she also made R16 at 2016 Stanford (l. Doi)
- Owns 12 career Tour-level wins over Top 50 players, most recently No.48 Magda Linette at Dubai 2024
- All of her 3 career WTA titles have come on hard court, at Tashkent 2015 (d. Vekic in F), Hiroshima 2019 (d. Doi in F) and Prague 2023 (d. Nosková in F)
- Seeking her first WTA Tour QF since 2023 Nanchang (l. Shnaider in QF)
- Is playing her third Tour-level main draw of 2026 season, following 1r losses at Athens (as qualifier, l. Tauson) and Guadalajara (as qualifier, l. Frech)



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63 **TALIA GIBSON**
AUSTRALIA

VIKTORIA (LL) MORVAYOVA **296**
SLOVAKIA

2004-06-18	Date of Birth	2001-03-10
	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	
5' 9" (1.76m)	Height	
55	Career-High Ranking	289
\$1,932,154	Career Prize Money	\$127,174
\$1,054,596	Season Prize Money	\$23,072
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
2-8 (Round of 64: 2026 AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2025 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	0-0
1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2026)	YTD / Career SINGAPORE W-L (best)	0-0 / 0-0
15-16 / 17-24	YTD / Career W-L	0-1 / 1-2



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

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

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
55	-	2026	289	-
105	136	2025	396	400
125	125	2024	479	494
301	301	2023	365	495
364	364	2022	343	439
1077	1200	2021	409	409
1052	1076	2020	539	547
-	-	2019	604	625
-	-	2018	723	771
-	-	2017	1103	1105



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. F. FERRO (#107) 6-3 6-3 (1h 13m)

Total time on court: 1h 13m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making first appearance at Singapore
- This is her 4th career WTA 500 main draw, and her first time in a WTA 500 R16
- Defeated Fiona Ferro in 1r for her first career match-win in a WTA 500 main draw
- Faces No.296 Viktoria Morvayova in 2r today; Gibson is 3-0 this year in Tour-level matches vs. players ranked outside the Top 100, including her win over Ferro in 1r
- First Tour-level meeting vs. a player from Slovakia
- Career-best result on hard court is her QF run at 2026 Indian Wells as a qualifier (l. Noskova) - that was also her first career Tour-level QF
- 12 of her 15 Tour-level wins this year have come on hard court, including her Indian Wells QF run and her R16 finish at Miami (also as a qualifier, l. Rybakina)
- 1 of 3 players from Australia in this week's main draw, and the only one to reach 2r (Kasatkina and Hunter lost 1r)
- Is currently ranked No.63; this time last year was ranked No.131. Reached career-high ranking of No.55 in May of this year
- Made her Top 100 debut in the PIF WTA Rankings on March 16 of this year, following her Indian Wells performance

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making first appearance at Singapore, entering main draw as a lucky loser following the withdrawal of No.2 seed Amanda Anisimova (left wrist injury)
- This is her first appearance in a WTA 500 main draw, and her 3rd career WTA Tour main draw overall after 2025 Hong Kong and 2026 Athens
- In the qualifying rounds, defeated Nika Radisic in opening match before falling to No.1 qualifying seed Joanna Garland in final qualifying round
- In the main draw, after 1r bye, faces No.63 Talia Gibson in 2r today; Morvayova is seeking her 2nd career Tour-level match-win, following a 1r victory over Wong at 2025 Hong Kong (l. Joint in 2r)
- Owns 0-1 career Tour-level record against players from Australia (l. Joint at 2025 Hong Kong)
- Her one previous Tour-level match this year was a 1r loss to Bejlek at Athens
- Holds 0-2 career Tour-level record vs. Top 100 players (l. No.32 Joint at 2025 Hong Kong; l. No.42 Bejlek at 2026 Athens)
- 1 of 2 players from Slovakia in this week's main draw (Sramkova lost 1r)
- Is currently ranked No.296; this time last year was ranked No.508. Reached career-high ranking of No.289 in July of this year



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Fell 1r at US Open (l. Vekic)
- Made 2r at Cincinnati (l. Sabalenka)
- Reached 3r at Toronto (l. Alexandrova)
- Played 1r at Wimbledon (l. Bouzkova)
- Fell 1r at Eastbourne (l. eventual champion Keys)
- Reached QF at Nottingham (l. Pliskova)
- Fell 1r at Strasbourg (as qualifier, l. Frech) and Roland Garros (l. Putintseva)
- Played 2r at Rome (l. Shnaider)
- Fell in 1r at Madrid (l. Arango)
- Made 4r at Miami (as qualifier, l. Rybakina)
- Reached QF at Indian Wells (as qualifier, l. Noskova)
- Made 2r at Australian Open (as WC, l. Shnaider)
- Fell in 1r at Hobart (as WC, l. X.Wang)
- Played 1r at Brisbane (as WC, l. Yastremska)

- Played 1r at Athens (as a qualifier, l. Bejlek)
- Has posted 5 QF finishes at World Tennis (formerly ITF) events this year

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
144	27	Aces	0	0
57.3%	85	First serve %	60.3%	0
66.5%	33	First Serve points won %	54.3%	0
45.1%	55	Second serve points won %	17.4%	0
57.3%	45	Overall service points won %	39.7%	0
66.7%	46	Service games won %	22.2%	0
53.4%	69	Break points saved %	22.2%	0
33.6%	81	First serve return points won %	38.5%	0
53.3%	73	Second serve return points won %	46.7%	0
45.4%	41	Break points converted %	42.9%	0
30.8%	74	Return games won %	33.3%	0
40.9%	81	Return points won %	42.0%	0



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r	1r	1r	1r	2026				
2r		1r	1r	2025				
				2024				
1r				2023				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Registered first Tour-level win of her career at 2025 Australian Open (as a WC, d. Sonmez), lost 2r to Badosa. Qualified for first Wimbledon main draw (l. Osaka in 1r) and received a US Open main draw wild card (l. Frech in 1r). Also reached 2r at Cleveland as a qualifier and reached a career-high ranking of No.105 in August
- Broke into Top 200 on April 1, 2024 and Top 150 on September 16, 2024. Won three further titles on ITF circuit in 2024 and made it to the final round of qualifying at both Wimbledon and US Open
- In 2023 played first main draw Tour-level matches at Hobart and Australian Open
- In 2022 contested qualifying at Australian Open and claimed first ITF titles at W15 Rancho Santa Fe and W15 Caloundra (x2)
- Played first ITF tournaments in 2019 and 2020

- Made first WTA appearance at 2025 Hong Kong, qualifying for main draw and earning first Tour-level win (d. Wong in 1r)
- Also in 2025, won first World Tennis title at W15 Luan, and posted career-best year-end ranking at No.400
- Made first career World Tennis final at W15 Cancun in 2019
- Made World Tennis debut at \$10K Manama in 2015

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Jarrad Bunt
- Started Tennis at age 5 at Blue Gum Park Tennis Club in Perth
- At a young age realized tennis "is such an awesome social sport, let alone the competitive, professional side of it."
- Started 2026 season with a goal of reaching Top 100 (achieved in March 2026)
- Powerful backhand and strong serve



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40 **XINYU WANG**
CHINA

JOANNA GARLAND [Q] **168**
CHINESE TAIPEI

2001-09-26	Date of Birth	2001-07-16
	Residence	
Right-Handed (Two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	
30	Career-High Ranking	117
\$5,975,457	Career Prize Money	\$627,524
\$1,320,654	Season Prize Money	\$222,590
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
22-22 (Round of 16: 2026 AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2024 WIMBLEDON; 2023 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	1-1 (Round of 64: 2025 ROLAND GARROS)
1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2026)	YTD / Career SINGAPORE W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2026)
21-20 / 111-127	YTD / Career W-L	1-0 / 5-4



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JOANNA
GARLAND [Q]

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

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

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
30	-	2026	117	-
32	57	2025	120	121
32	37	2024	241	551
32	32	2023	221	253
68	97	2022	248	248
99	99	2021	463	481
135	153	2020	549	551
142	150	2019	637	646
306	306	2018	931	939
975	983	2017	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. D. VEKIC (#38) 6-1 6-2 (1h 6m)

Total time on court: 1h 6m

PLAYER NOTES

- Returning to Singapore, where she reached SF at WTA 250-level in 2025 (l. eventual champion Mertens)
- Has defeated Donna Vekic so far this week
- Faces No.168 Joanna Garland in 2r today
- Owns 24-16 career record against qualifiers, with a record in 2026 standing at 5-1
- Best career Tour-level result on hard court is R-Up which she has reached once: Auckland in 2026 (l. Svitolina in F)
- Is currently ranked No.40; this time last year was ranked No.33 (held a career-high ranking of No.30 in February of this year)
- During last year's Asian swing reached 1r at Tokyo, 1r at Ningbo, 1r at Wuhan and 2r at Beijing
- Has won 21 Tour-level matches so far in 2026, with 16 of the wins coming on hard court; third time in her career she has won at least 20 matches in a season (2024 and 2023)
- Holds a 6-2 record at Tour-level this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100
- Winner of today's match will face Tatiana Prozorova or No.3 seed Alexandra Eala

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. HUNTER (#179) 6-3 5-7 6-1 (2h 9m)

Total time on court: 2h 9m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making first appearance at Singapore, having qualified for this week's main draw with wins over Ellen Perez and Viktoria Morvayova
- This is her first career appearance in a WTA 500 main draw
- Defeated Storm Hunter in 1r to earn her first Tour-level main draw win of 2026
- Faces No.40 Xinyu Wang in 2r today; owns 0 wins in career over Top 50 players
- Career-best Tour-level result on hard court is her SF run at 2025 Chennai (l. Birrell), which included her first Tour-level QF and SF showings
- Earlier this month, won World Tennis title at W75 Tianjin (d. Astakhova in F)
- Also won a WTA 125 title this January at Canberra (d. P.Kudermetova in F)
- Is currently ranked No.168; this time last year was ranked No.134. Reached career-high ranking of No.117 in January of this year
- During last year's Asian swing reached SF at Chennai, 1r at Osaka



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played 2r at US Open (l. Kalinskaya)
 - Reached 3r at Cincinnati (l. Sabalenka)
 - Played 1r at Toronto (l. Kasatkina)
 - Played 2r at Washington DC (l. Samsonova)
 - Made 2r at Wimbledon (l. Bencic)
 - Made SF at Bad Homburg (l. eventual R-Up Osaka)
 - Played 1r at Berlin (l. Keys)
 - Made 2r at Roland Garros (l. Korpatsch)
 - Played 1r at Strasbourg (l. Boisson)
 - Played 2r at Madrid (l. Samson) and Rome (l. Eala)
 - Made 2r at Rouen (as qualifier, l. Wang, retired)
 - Played 2r at Miami (l. McNally)
 - Made 2r at Indian Wells (l. Tomljanovic)
 - Fell in 1r at Austin (l. Masarova)
 - Played 2r at Doha (l. Rybakina)
 - Made QF at Cluj-Napoca (l. Oliynykova)
 - Reached 4r at Australian Open (l. Anisimova)
 - Made 2r at Hobart (l. Linette)
 - Reached the final in her 2026 season opener at Auckland (l. Svitolina in F)
- Won World Tennis title at W75 Tianjin (d. Astakhova in F)
 - Contested qualifying at all 4 Grand Slam events this year
 - Won WTA 125 title at Canberra (d. P.Kudermetova in F)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
143	29	Aces	6	182
65.2%	28	First serve %	59.3%	0
65.9%	39	First Serve points won %	60.8%	0
44.5%	63	Second serve points won %	51.4%	0
58.4%	32	Overall service points won %	57.0%	0
69.3%	34	Service games won %	71.4%	0
55.0%	52	Break points saved %	55.6%	0
34.8%	70	First serve return points won %	43.9%	0
54.7%	48	Second serve return points won %	50.0%	0
39.8%	89	Break points converted %	58.3%	0
31.7%	66	Return games won %	50.0%	0
41.8%	69	Return points won %	46.1%	0



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)
2026 - AUCKLAND
2025 - BERLIN

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (4)
2024 - BERLIN (w/Zheng)
2023 - ROLAND GARROS (w/Hsieh)
2021 - COURMAYEUR (w/Zheng)
2019 - NANCHANG (w/Zhu)

Runner-Up (6)
2026 - CLUJ-NAPOCA (w/Zheng)
2025 - SINGAPORE (w/Zheng)
2023 - MÉRIDA (w/Wu), HUA HIN (w/Zhu)
2022 - GUADALAJARA (w/Zhu)
2021 - LINZ (w/Zheng)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
4r	2r	2r	2r	2026				
1r	1r	2r	2r	2025		2r		
1r	3r	4r	2r	2024				
2r	3r	2r	4r	2023				
2r	1r		1r	2022				
		1r		2021				
				2020				
			1r	2019				
1r				2018				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2025 reached a Tour-level final for the first time at Berlin as a qualifier, defeating four Top 20 players en route (No.16 Kasatkina in R32, No.2 Gauff in R16, No.10 Badosa in QF [via retirement], No.20 Samsonova in SF); also reached SFs at Singapore, Prague and Cleveland. In doubles, reached a ninth Tour final at Singapore (w/S.Zheng)
- In 2024, made her best to date run at a Grand Slam by reaching R16 at Wimbledon; also made her first WTA 1000 semifinal at Wuhan and a second semifinal at WTA 250 Hua Hin
- Dramatically improved her ranking across 2023 season, making Top 50 debut in September and hitting No.32 in October. Posted best result at three of the four Slams, including R16 run at Roland Garros. Also reached semifinals at Hua Hin and Osaka (l. Zhu both times)
- In doubles in 2023, claimed Roland Garros title (w/Hsieh) and runner-up at Hua Hin (w/Zhu) and Merida (w/Wu), with her doubles ranking peaking at No.18 on September 11, 2023
- Reached 2r on six occasions in 2022, including at Australian Open (l. Sabalenka). Also won sixth career ITF Circuit title, at W60 event in Tokyo in November
- Made Top 100 debut on November 15, 2021
- Highlight of 2021 was SF at Prague (l. eventual champion Krejčíková). Also advanced to QF at Courmayeur (l. Vekić) and Linz (as qualifier, l. eventual champion Riske)
- In 2020, fell in 1r at Shenzhen (l. Muguruza) and Hua Hin (l. Liang)
- Opened 2019 season with maiden Tour-level main draw win at Shenzhen Open (d. F.Xun, l. Sharapova), went on to post two more 2r runs at Nanchang (l. Rybakina) and Tianjin (as qualifier, l. Peterson)
- Lifted maiden WTA doubles title at 2019 Nanchang w/L.Zhu (d.Peng/Zhang in F)
- Won three consecutive ITF titles in 2019, at \$25K ITF/Shenzhen 2-CHN (d. F.Xun in F), \$25K ITF/Hengyang-CHN (d. Z.Sun in F) and \$25K ITF/Tianjin-CHN (d. Jovic in F)
- In 2018, won maiden title of career at \$25K ITF/Nonthaburi 4-THA (d. Wang Xiyu in F)
- Made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2018 Australian Open (l. Cornet in 1r)
- Also in 2018, contested qualifying on WTA Tour for the first time at Shenzhen Open and competed in maiden WTA main draw at Guangzhou (l.Khazaniuk)
- 2025 milestones include Tour-level and Grand Slam main draw debut at Roland Garros (made 2r as qualifier, d. Volynets in 1r) and first WTA Tour QF and SF at Chennai; added three more ITF singles titles and cracked Top 200 for first time, peaking at No.120 on November 3
- Posted a 29-match winning streak at ITF level at the end of the 2024 season, which included five consecutive titles
- During 2023, won two ITF titles and played Grand Slam qualifying for the first time at Roland Garros
- In 2022, won three ITF titles and cracked Top 250 for first time
- Won first ITF singles title in 2020 at W15 Sharm El Sheikh
- Played first WTA qualifying match at 2018 Taipei
- Peaked at No.14 in the ITF Junior Rankings in 2018, reaching that year's Junior Roland Garros QF (l. Leylah Fernandez)

- Advanced to 2r on professional debut at \$10K ITF/Prokuplje 2-SRB in 2016 (as qualifier, L. Zakarlyuk)

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Goran Tasic
- Father, Peng Wang, is a former professional player and Fed Cup captain, mother is Jinghui Zhou
- Started playing tennis with father at the age of six. Describes her game as "aggressive and decisive"
- Best moment in tennis to date was playing Maria Sharapova at Shenzhen in 2019
- Favorite surface is hard and favorite tournaments are the Australian and US Opens
- Li Na was her role model growing up
- Long-term goal is to win a Grand Slam
- Passions away from the court are yoga and food. Favorite book is Little Women, movie is The Hunger Games and musician is Jay Chou
- Words she would use to describe herself are "peace and love"



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**TATIANA
PROZOROVA**

**ALEXANDRA
(3) EALA**
PHILIPPINES

18

2003-10-10	Date of Birth	2005-05-23
Residence		
Right-Handed	Plays	Left-handed (two-handed backhand)
Height		5' 9" (1.75m)
140	Career-High Ranking	18
\$526,155	Career Prize Money	\$3,335,990
\$187,450	Season Prize Money	\$1,984,636
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	1 / 1
0-1 (Round of 128: 2023 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	6-7 (Round of 16: 2026 WIMBLEDON)
1-0 / 1-0	YTD / Career SINGAPORE W-L (best)	0-0 / 0-0
2-1 / 3-9	YTD / Career W-L	33-20 / 48-47



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

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

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
156	-	2026	18	-
140	173	2025	50	50
211	262	2024	143	158
199	213	2023	189	205
388	388	2022	214	219
-	-	2021	505	529



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. S. COSTOULAS (#152) 5-7 7-6 6-2 (2h 51m)

Total time on court: 2h 51m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making first appearance at Singapore
- This is her 2nd career WTA 500 main draw, after 2025 Seoul (as qualifier, l. Krejčíková in 1r)
- Defeated Sofia Costoulas in this week's 1r for her first career match-win at a WTA 500 event
- That was also her 2nd Tour-level win of the year, and her 3rd Tour-level win overall after 1r victories at 2023 Palermo (d. Abduraimova) and 2026 Memphis (d. Sierra)
- Faces No.18 Alexandra Eala in 2r today; Prozorova is seeking her first career WTA Tour QF
- She is 0-2 vs. Top 20 players (l. No.11 Kasatkina at 2023 Palermo; l. No.13 Shnaider at 2025 Austin)
- First Tour-level meeting vs. a player from Philippines
- Has matched her career-best Tour-level hard court result by making R16 - she also made R16 at 2026 Memphis (d. Sierra in 1r; l. Stearns)
- Is currently ranked No.180; this time last year was ranked No.185. Reached career-high ranking of No.140 in July 2025

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her first main draw appearance at Singapore; she fell in qualifying at the WTA 250 event here last year (l. WALTERT)
- Her best performance at a WTA 500 event is winning this summer's Washington DC title on hard court (d. Pegula in F)
- Her 2026 Washington DC title was also her first career WTA Tour title, as well as her career-best Tour-level performance on hard court
- After 1r bye, faces No.180 Tatiana Prozorova in 2r today; Eala is 10-0 this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100 (this includes WTA Tour and WTA 125 events)
- This year, along with her Washington DC title, she also made Tour-level SFs at Auckland on hard court (l. eventual R-Up Wang Xinyu) and Berlin on grass (l. eventual champion Noskova)
- Only player from Philippines in this week's main draw
- Is currently ranked at a career-high No.18; this time last year was ranked No.58
- Made her Top 20 debut in the PIF WTA Rankings on August 3 of this year, following her Washington DC title run



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played 2r at Memphis (as a qualifier, l. Stearns)
 - Won World Tennis/ITF W75 title at Maribor, Slovenia (d. Vandewinkel in F)
 - Finished R-Up at World Tennis/ITF W75 event at Pune, India (l. Vandewinkel in F)
 - Made WTA 125 SF at Manila (l. eventual R-Up Vekic)
 - Contested qualifying at all 4 Grand Slam events
- Made 3r at US Open (l. Jovic)
 - Reached 3r at Cincinnati (l. Anisimova)
 - Made 4r at Toronto (l Bencic)
 - Won her maiden career title at Washington DC (d. Pegula in F)
 - Reached 4r at Wimbledon (l. Paolini)
 - Fell 1r at Bad Homburg (l. Mertens)
 - Reached SF at Berlin (l. eventual champion Noskova)
Made 2r at London (l. Jovic)
 - Won title at WTA 125 Birmingham (d. Bartunkova in F)
 - Fell 1r at Strasbourg (l. Oliynynkova) and Roland Garros (l. Jovic)
 - Played 3r at Rome (l. Rybakina)
 - Made 2r at Madrid (l. Mertens)
 - Fell in 1r at Stuttgart (l. Fernandez)
 - Played 2r at Linz (l. Ostpenko)
 - Made 4r at Miami (l. Muchova)
 - Reached 4r at Indian Wells (l. Noskova)
 - Reached QF at Dubai (l. Gauff)
 - Played 1r at Doha (l. Valentova)
 - Made QF at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual R-Up Alexandrova)
 - Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. Parks)
 - Reached SF at Auckland (l. eventual R-Up, X.Wang)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
10	159	Aces	71	55
59.6%	0	First serve %	62.9%	41
60.6%	0	First Serve points won %	62.7%	58
47.6%	0	Second serve points won %	47.6%	24
55.4%	0	Overall service points won %	57.1%	46
63.2%	0	Service games won %	66.9%	45
41.7%	0	Break points saved %	54.9%	56
37.1%	0	First serve return points won %	37.1%	35
53.8%	0	Second serve return points won %	57.0%	22
44.8%	0	Break points converted %	42.9%	71
36.1%	0	Return games won %	38.1%	20
44.8%	0	Return points won %	44.7%	27



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)
2026 - WASHINGTON DC

Runner-Up (1)
2025 - EASTBOURNE

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- 2025 highlights include first WTA 125 SF at Palermo and winning two ITF Circuit titles; reached new career-high ranking of No.140 on July 28, and ended season inside Top 200 for first time in career
- Won third ITF Circuit singles title in 2023 and added two more in 2024; made Top 200 debut on September 25, 2023 (at No.199)
- In 2023, made Tour-level debut at Rabat (l. Maria in 1r), notched first Tour-level win at Palermo (d. Abduraimova, l. Kasatkina in 2r), and made Grand Slam main draw debut at US Open (as qualifier, l. Wozniacki in 1r)
- Won first two ITF Circuit titles in 2022, at W15 events in Shymkent and Antalya
- Breakout 2025 season saw her break into the Top 100 after SF run at WTA 1000 Miami; as a wild card she registered back-to-back Top 10 wins over No.5 Keys and No.2 Swiatek. Went on to reach maiden Tour final at Eastbourne and then won her first WTA 125 title Guadalajara. Her year-end ranking was a career high No.50
- Following her Miami 2025 result, she made history by becoming the first player from the Philippines to reach a WTA 1000 semifinal and the first to enter the WTA World Top 100 ranking
- In 2024 made 2r at WTA 1000 Madrid (l. Cirstea) as well as playing main draw at Abu Dhabi, Guadalajara, Wuhan, Guangzhou and Jiujiang. Earned fourth ITF career title at W100 Vitoria-Gasteiz and reached a career high ranking of No.143 in July
- Entered first Grand Slam in 2023 at Australian Open qualifying (l. Doi in Q1). As a qualifier reached main draw at Hua Hin (l. Maria), Osaka (l. Sakatsume), Guangzhou (l. Maria) and Monastir (l. Mertens) taking her ranking into Top 200 for first time
- Claimed first ITF title in 2022 at Chiang Rai \$25K and also played WTA Miami opening main draw match (l. Brengle) and qualifying at Madrid (l. Bondar).
- In 2021 played first Tour level match at Miami qualifying (l. Kuzmova) and reached 2r at Cluj Napoca on clay (l. Sherif).
- Best result of 2021 was reaching QF at Grenoble \$25K
- Began on the ITF circuit in 2020 at the age of 14

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Joan Bosch
- Started playing tennis aged four
- Competed in the WTA Future Stars event in 2016 and 2017 in Singapore (first time at age 11 and won the Li Na Inspiration Award)
- Made WTA Tour debut at 2021 Miami in qualifying
- Trained at the Rafael Nadal Academy in Mallorca
- Preferred surface is hard
- Parents are Mike and Rizza (who was a professional swimmer who competed at the

1985 Southeast Asian Games); brother is also a budding tennis player

- Enjoys upbeat Spanish music and watching comedy and horror movies
- Loves ice cream, rice and milk tea



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**MARIA
SAKKARI (7)**
GREECE

**NAO
HIBINO [Q]** **190**
JAPAN

1995-07-25	Date of Birth		1994-11-28
Monte Carlo, Monaco	Residence		Aichi, Japan
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	
5' 8" (1.72m)	Height	5' 4" (1.63 m)	
3	Career-High Ranking	56	
\$15,173,434	Career Prize Money	\$3,986,081	
\$1,472,118	Season Prize Money	\$212,472	
0 / 2	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 3	
58-43 (Semi-Finalist: 2021 US OPEN, ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	7-25 (Round of 64: 2025 ROLAND GARROS; 2021 WIMBLEDON, ROLAND-GARROS, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2020 ROLAND GARROS, AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2017 US OPEN)	
1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2026)	YTD / Career SINGAPORE W-L (best)	1-0 / 1-0 (Round of 16: 2026)	
21-18 / 272-214	YTD / Career W-L	1-2 / 76-120	



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YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2024	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	1r	Maria Sakkari	6-4 6-1	1h 11m
2020	AUSTRALIAN OPEN	HARD	2r	Maria Sakkari	7-6(4) 6-4	1h 43m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
32	-	2026	170	-
29	52	2025	129	186
6	32	2024	76	152
6	9	2023	80	90
3	6	2022	125	137
6	6	2021	71	126
20	22	2020	69	72
22	23	2019	87	102
29	41	2018	90	119
48	52	2017	68	92



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. L. FRUHVIRTOVA (#177) 6-4 6-1 (1h 25m)

Total time on court: 1h 25m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making first appearance at Singapore
- Career-best results at WTA 500 events are 4 R-Up finishes at 2018 San Jose, 2021 Ostrava, 2022 St. Petersburg and 2023 Washington DC
- Has defeated Linda Fruhvirtova so far this week
- Faces No.190 Nao Hibino in 2r today; Sakkari is 7-5 this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 100, including her 1r win over Fruhvirtova
- Owns 7-4 career Tour-level record vs. players from Japan (1-0 in 2026, d. Osaka at United Cup)
- 1 of her 2 career WTA titles has come on hard court, at WTA 1000 Guadalajara in 2023 (d. Dolehide in F); she has reached 8 additional hard court WTA finals in her career
- Only player from Greece in this week's main draw
- Her top results of the year have been on hard court, finishing R-Up on home soil at Athens (l. Krejčíková in F) and reaching SF at WTA 1000 Doha (l. eventual champion Muchova)
- 16 of her 21 match-wins this year have been on hard court
- Is currently ranked No.33; this time last year was ranked No.56. Reached career-high ranking of No.3 in March 2022
- Winner of this match will face either Talia Gibson or Viktoriya Morvayova

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. K. MLADENOVIC (#823) 7-5 3-6 6-4 (2h 20m)

Total time on court: 2h 20m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making tournament debut
- Has matched career-best result at WTA 500 events; also made R16 at 2016 Stanford (l. Doi)
- As qualifier, defeated Ng and Ito to reach main draw and earned her first main draw win of the season against Kristina Mladenovic in opening round
- Faces No.33 Maria Sakkari in 2r; owns 12 Tour-level wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.48 Magda Linette at Dubai 2024
- Owns 0-2 career Tour-level record against players from Greece (both meetings vs. Sakkari)
- Owns 14-46 career record against seeds, with a record in 2026 standing at 0-2
- All of her 3 career WTA titles have come on hard court at Prague 2023, Hiroshima 2019, Tashkent 2015
- One of 3 players from Japan in main draw (Yamaguchi and Okamura lost 1r)
- Is currently ranked No.199; this time last year was ranked No.200. Has reached a career high ranking of No.56 in 2016
- Is playing her third tour-level event of 2026 season after Athens and Guadalajara
- Seeking her first WTA Tour QF since 2023 Nanchang (l. Shnaider in QF)



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played 2r at US Open (l. Starodubtseva)
 - Made 3r at Cincinnati (l. Swiatek)
 - Played 3r at Toronto (l. Gauff)
 - Finished R-Up at Athens (l. Krejciakova in F)
 - Reached 3r at Wimbledon (l. Paolini)
 - Played 1r at Nottingham (l. Zheng)
 - Fell 1r at London (l. Maria)
 - Played 3r at Roland Garros (l. eventual R-Up Chwalinska)
 - Made 1r at Strasbourg (l. Stearns)
 - Played 2r at Madrid (l. Ka.Pliskova) and Rome (l. Rybakina)
 - Made 2r at Charleston (l. Badosa)
 - Played 2r at Miami (l. Parks)
 - Made 3r at Indian Wells (l. Swiatek)
 - Reached SF at Doha (l. eventual champion Muchova)
 - Made 2r at Australian Open (l. M.Andreeva)
 - Fell in 1r at Adelaide (as WC, l. Kasatkina)
 - Opened 2026 with Team Greece at United Cup reaching QF (2-1 in singles)
- Played 1r at Guadalajara (as a qualifier, l. Frech)
 - Made 1r at Athens (as a qualifier, l. Tauson)
 - Began 2026 season with Team Japan at United Cup

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
117	41	Aces	5	197
62.4%	46	First serve %	69.5%	0
64.8%	47	First Serve points won %	57.8%	0
49.4%	11	Second serve points won %	42.5%	0
59.0%	25	Overall service points won %	53.1%	0
69.4%	33	Service games won %	58.8%	0
57.8%	30	Break points saved %	65.0%	0
35.3%	57	First serve return points won %	37.8%	0
53.9%	62	Second serve return points won %	49.2%	0
47.4%	24	Break points converted %	50.0%	0
33.4%	55	Return games won %	27.8%	0
42.4%	60	Return points won %	41.2%	0



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)
2023 - GUADALAJARA
2019 - RABAT
Runner-Up (9)
2026 - ATHENS
2024 - INDIAN WELLS
2023 - WASHINGTON DC
2022 - GUADALAJARA, PARMA, INDIAN WELLS, ST. PETERSBURG
2021 - OSTRAVA
2018 - SAN JOSE

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)
2023 - PRAGUE
2019 - HIROSHIMA
2015 - TASHKENT

Runner-Up (3)
2017 - NANCHANG, KUALA LUMPUR
2016 - TASHKENT

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (3)
2023 - PRAGUE (w/Kalashnikova)
2019 - HIROSHIMA (w/Doi)
2017 - MONTERREY (w/Rosolska)

Runner-Up (4)
2021 - ISTANBUL (w/Ninomiya)
2019 - TIANJIN (w/Kato)
2018 - TAIPEI CITY (w/Kalashnikova)
2017 - TASHKENT (w/Kalashnikova)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN		AUSTRALIAN OPEN	ROLAND GARROS	WIMBLEDON	US OPEN
2r	3r	3r	2r	2026				
1r	1r	2r	3r	2025	1r	2r		
2r	1r	3r	1r	2024	1r	1r	1r	1r
3r	1r	1r	1r	2023		1r	1r	
4r	2r	3r	2r	2022	1r			
1r	SF	2r	SF	2021	2r	2r	2r	1r
4r	3r		4r	2020	2r	2r		1r
3r	2r	3r	3r	2019				
1r	3r	1r	2r	2018	1r			
3r	1r	3r	3r	2017	1r	1r	1r	2r
2r		2r	1r	2016	1r	1r	1r	1r
			1r	2015				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- In 2025, reached QF at WTA 500 events in Linz and Washington D.C.; notched Top 10 win over No.6 Paolini to make R16 at WTA 1000 Madrid
- Key result of 2024 was reaching Indian Wells final for the second time, losing to Swiatek who also defeated her in 2022 final. Also reached SF at Charleston (l. Collins). Did not play after US Open
- In 2023, won first WTA 1000 title (2nd WTA Tour singles title overall) at Guadalajara (d. Dolehide in F). Also finished R-Up at Washington (l. Gauff). Contested WTA Finals for third consecutive season (was first alternate and went 0-3 in Group Stage following Muchova withdrawal)
- Finished 2022 ranked No.6 for the second consecutive year; a four-time finalist in 2022 including runs to the final at two WTA 1000 tournaments, Indian Wells and Guadalajara; returned to the WTA Finals and advanced to the semifinals, falling to eventual champion Garcia
- Climbed as high as No.3 in the rankings (reached that spot for the first time on March 21, 2022), the highest ranking ever achieved by a Greek woman
- Historic 2021 season was highlighted by her becoming first Greek woman to break into the Top 10 (at No.10, on September 27) as well as the first from her country to qualify for the WTA Finals
- In 2021, also reached third WTA final at Ostrava (l. Kontaveit), and advanced to SF at Roland Garros, US Open (defeating three Top 20-ranked opponents at both of those Grand Slam events), and WTA Finals in Guadalajara
- Posted a Tour-leading nine Top 10 wins in 2021, including two over the World No.2 (Osaka at Miami and Sabalenka at WTA Finals)
- Upset No.10 seed Keys at 2020 Australian Open, where she reached a Grand Slam R16 for the first time (l. Kvitova); made Top 20 debut on February 24, 2020, at No.20
- Scored third and fourth Top 5 wins of her career in 2020, over No.5 Svitolina at Ostrava and No.5 Bencic at St. Petersburg. Previous Top 5 wins came over No.5 Ka. Pliskova (2018 Rome) and No.5 Kvitova (2019 Rome, via ret.)
- In 2019, won first WTA Tour singles title at Rabat (recovering from a set and break down to defeat Konta in final); also qualified for WTA Elite Trophy Zhuhai (fell in round robin stage)
- Highlights of 2018 were reaching her first WTA Tour singles final at San Jose (l. Buzarnescu)
- Top 2025 results include 2r at Roland Garros (as qualifier, d. Uchijima in 1r for first Grand Slam main draw win since 2021) and Auckland R16 (as qualifier); also won ITF W100 title at Incheon
- Highlight of 2024 season was reaching 2r at Dubai, Hua Hin, Indian Wells, and Hong Kong. Also made three QF runs at WTA 125s at Hong Kong, Makarska, and Canberra, and made two WTA 125 doubles finals (R-Up at both)
- In 2023, lifted the singles and doubles (w/Kalashnikova) titles at Prague, her first WTA Tour titles since 2019 (in both singles and doubles)
- Reached 2r at three of the four Grand Slams in 2021 (Australian Open, Roland Garros and Wimbledon)
- Advanced to her sixth and seventh career Tour-level SFs in 2020, at Hua Hin (l. Kung) and Strasbourg (l. Rybakina). Prior to 2020, was 5-0 in SF stage at Tour-level
- Reached 2r at the Grand Slams for her second and third time in her career in 2020, at Australian Open (as qualifier, l. Sakkari) and Roland Garros (l. Jabeur)
- Season highlight in 2019 was sweeping singles and doubles titles at Hiroshima (w/Doi, whom she beat in singles final). Also reached 2r at Monterrey (l. Vickery) and fell 1r four times
- In 2018, won one singles and one doubles title on ITF Circuit
- Posted third Top 100 finish in 2017, after reaching WTA Tour singles finals at Kuala Lumpur (l. Barty in F) and Nanchang (l. Peng in F); also earned first career Grand Slam main draw win at 2017 US Open (d. Bellis in 1r)
- Standout results in 2016 included reaching second WTA singles final at Tashkent (as defending champion, l. Kr.Pliskova) and advancing to QF at Auckland (l. Goerges), Istanbul (l. Buyukakcay) and Florianopolis (l. Begu); reached career-high ranking of No.56 on January 18, 2016
- Made Top 100 debut on October 5, 2015, jumping from No.117 to No.76 after winning first WTA Tour singles title at Tashkent (d. Vekic in F) in what was her second Tour-level main draw
- Made WTA Tour main draw debut in September 2015 at Tokyo [Japan Open], reaching 2r (d. Kuwata, l. Brengle); nominated for WTA Newcomer of the Year in 2015 (media vote; won by Gavrilova)
- Made professional debut on ITF Circuit at \$25K/Karuizawa-JPN in 2012 (fell in qualifying),

- and scoring first career Top 5 win over No.5 Ka. Pliskova in Rome 2r
- Notched first Top 10 victory of career over No.6 Wozniacki en route to first WTA SF of career at 2017 Wuhan; broke into Top 50 for first time at No.49 on October 9, 2017
- At 2016 Australian Open, by reaching 2r (d. Y.Wang, l. Suarez Navarro) became the first woman from Greece to win a main draw match at a Slam since Daniilidou d. Ka.Pliskova at 2013 Australian Open
- Reached first career WTA QF at 2016 Istanbul (as qualifier, l. Kovinic)
- Fell 1r on WTA main draw debut at 2015 US Open (as qualifier, l. Q.Wang)
- WTA qualifying debut came at 2012 Palermo
- Made debut on ITF Circuit in 2010; owns seven ITF Circuit singles titles and five in doubles

however won next tournament played at \$10K ITF/Tokyo-JPN

OTHER INFORMATION

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

- Coached by Eiji Takeuchi
- Named after former Top 20 player Naoko Sawamatsu; brother is named after Shuzo Matsuoka; says family is tennis crazy
- Started playing tennis at age 10