



MATCH NOTES

DUBAI DUTY FREE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

DUBAI, UAE



February 15-21, 2026 | WTA 1000 | \$4,088,211

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DAY 2 – MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16

[Q] Elena-Gabriela Ruse (ROU #80) vs. [14] Emma Navarro (USA #19)

Navarro leads 2-0

Ruse:

- Competing in the Dubai main draw for the 2nd time; she previously reached the 2nd round in 2022 (l. Halep)
- Seeking 3rd career Top 20 win; most recent Top 20 win came against No.8 Barbora Krejčíková at US Open 2024
- Owns one main draw win over a seeded player in 2026 (d. No.26 seed Yastremska en route to 3rd round at the Australian Open)
- Career-best Tour-level result on hard court is runner-up finish at 2023 Cluj-Napoca (l. Korpatsch in final)
- Best results by Romania at Dubai are Simona Halep's two titles in 2015 and 2020

Navarro:

- Making her third appearance at Dubai; her best tournament result is a Round of 16 run in 2025 (l. Cirstea)
- Contesting her 26th career WTA 1000 main draw; her career-best WTA 1000 performance is semifinals at 2024 Toronto (l. eventual R-Up Anisimova)
- Defeated today's opponent Ruse in both of their previous meetings in straight sets
- Has lost thrice in her opening match in 2026 (Auckland, Australian Open, and Abu Dhabi)
- Best career results on hard court are her two WTA Tour singles titles: Merida in 2025 and Hobart in 2024

Sofia Kenin (USA #30) vs. [12] Clara Tauson (DEN #15)

Tauson leads 2-1

Kenin:

- Making 7th appearance at Dubai; her best tournament result is a run to the 2025 quarterfinals (l. Rybakina)
- Seeking to snap a 5-match losing streak; her only win this year came over Ruse in the Brisbane opening round
- Her last two matches against today's opponent Tauson reached a final-set tiebreak
- Her most recent win against a Top 20 player came against then-No.10 Ekaterina Alexandrova at Tokyo 2025
- Contesting her 49th career WTA 1000 main draw; her best WTA 1000 finishes are 3 SFs (2019 Toronto, 2019 Cincinnati and 2023 Guadalajara)

Tauson:

- Her previous and best result at Dubai is reaching the final last year (l. M. Andrejeva)
- En route to the Dubai final last year, Tauson claimed multiple Top 20 wins at a single event for the first time in her career (d. No.1 Sabalenka in Round of 16, and d. No.17 Muchova in semifinals)
- All three of her WTA singles titles have come on hard courts: Auckland in 2025; Lyon and Luxembourg in 2021
- Best result of 2026 season was a run to the semifinals at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Bejlek)
- Owns 32 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.32 McCartney Kessler at Abu Dhabi 2026



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[9] Belinda Bencic (SUI #13) vs. Jessica Bouzas Maneiro (ESP #48)

First meeting

Bencic:

- Making 8th appearance at this tournament, where she won the title in 2019 (d. Kvitova in final)
- Contesting her 65th career WTA 1000 main draw; she is a 2-time WTA 1000 champion at 2015 Toronto (d. Halep in final via retirement) and 2019 Dubai
- Bencic is 3-0 vs. Top 50 players this year, with all of those Top 50 wins coming at United Cup, where Team Switzerland made the final (Bencic went 5-0 in singles overall at 2026 United Cup)
- Contesting her first event of this year's Middle East swing after withdrawing from Abu Dhabi (where she was defending champion) and Doha
- Currently ranked No.13 (career-high No.4); earlier this year, she returned to Top 10 for the first time since 2023
- Best results by Switzerland at Dubai are title runs by Martina Hingis in 2001 (the inaugural edition of the tournament) and Bencic in 2019

Bouzas Maneiro:

- Making her debut appearance at this tournament
- Contesting her 13th career WTA 1000 main draw; her career-best WTA 1000 result is quarterfinals at 2025 Montreal (l. eventual champion Mboko)
- Owns 3 Tour-level wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.4 Coco Gauff at 2026 United Cup
- Seeking her 2nd match-win of the year; her one victory so far in 2026 was her United Cup win over Gauff
- Winner of this match to meet wild card Sara Bejlek in 2nd round; Bejlek won her first career WTA singles title at Abu Dhabi earlier this month

Jaqueline Cristian (ROU #39) vs. [11] Victoria Mboko (CAN #10)

First meeting

Cristian:

- Making her first main draw appearance at this tournament; she lost in qualifying in 2021, 2022, 2024 and 2025
- Contesting her 16th career WTA 1000 main draw; she holds a career win-loss record of 10-5 in opening matches at WTA 1000 events
- Seeking her 2nd career Top 10 win (1-12 career record vs. Top 10 players)
- Her one previous Top 10 win came over No.10 Krejciikova at WTA 1000 Beijing in 2024
- Top result so far this season is reaching Adelaide quarterfinals as a qualifier (l. Birrell in quarterfinals)
- Currently ranked No.39; posted her career-high ranking of No.35 last month

Mboko:

- Making her Dubai tournament debut this week, following her runner-up finish last week in her Doha tournament debut (l. Muchova in final)
- Posted her PIF WTA Rankings Top 10 debut today at World No.10; this time last year was ranked No.213
- Mboko becomes the 4th Canadian woman to reach Top 10, after Bassett-Seguso, Bouchard and Andreescu
- Contesting just her 7th career WTA 1000 main draw; she has already won one WTA 1000 title (2025 Montreal, d. Osaka in final) and posted one WTA 1000 runner-up finish (last week in Doha)
- Has won 13 Tour-level matches so far in 2026; she leads the Tour in match-wins so far this year
- Both of her 2 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court, at 2025 Montreal (d. Osaka in final) and 2025 Hong Kong (d. Bucsa in final)



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Barbora Krejckikova (CZE #53) vs. [2] Amanda Anisimova (USA #6)

Krejckikova leads 1-0

Krejckikova:

- Making her 4th main draw appearance at this tournament, where she is the 2023 champion (d. Swiatek in final) and 2021 runner-up (l. Muguruza in final)
- This is her first appearance at the tournament since her 2023 title run, where she beat No.2 Sabalenka in quarterfinals, No.3 Pegula in semifinals and No.1 Swiatek in the final
- With that 2023 title run, she became only the 3rd player since 1990 to defeat the WTA Top 3 in the quarters, semis and final at a WTA event, joining Stefanie Graf (1999 Roland Garros) and Serena Williams (2022 Miami)
- Contesting her 25th career WTA 1000 main draw; she has won one WTA 1000 title and posted one WTA 1000 runner-up finish - both here in Dubai
- Owns 15 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.3 Gauff and No.6 Pegula at 2024 WTA Finals (0-4 vs. Top 10 players since the start of 2025)

Anisimova:

- Making her 5th main draw appearance at this tournament; her best tournament results are 2nd round finishes in 2021 (l. eventual champion Muguruza) and 2023 (l. Azarenka)
- Contesting her 45th career WTA 1000 main draw; she is a 2-time WTA 1000 champion at 2025 Doha (d. Ostapenko in final) and 2025 Beijing (d. Noskova in final)
- Holds a 3-1 record this year vs. players ranked outside the Top 50 (the one loss was an illness retirement to Pliskova last week in Doha, where Anisimova was the defending champion)
- Seeking her first win since the 2026 Australian Open Round of 16 (d. Wang Xinyu); she is 0-2 since then (l. Pegula in Australian Open quarterfinals; retired vs. Pliskova in Doha opening match)
- 3 of her 4 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court: Both of her WTA 1000 titles at 2025 Doha and 2025 Beijing, as well as 2022 Melbourne 250 #2



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**ELENA-GABRIELA
RUSE (Q)**
ROMANIA

19

**EMMA
(14) NAVARRO**
UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

1997-11-06	Date of Birth	2001-05-18
Bucharest, Romania	Residence	Charleston, SC, USA
Right-Handed (double-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-Handed
5' 8" (1.73m)	Height	5' 7" (1.70m)
51	Career-High Ranking	8
\$3,237,464	Career Prize Money	\$5,818,307
\$242,072	Season Prize Money	\$151,698
0 / 1	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 2
8-15 (Round of 32: 2026 AUSTRALIAN OPEN; 2024 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	24-13 (Semi-Finalist: 2024 US OPEN)
0-0 / 1-1 (Round of 16: 2022)	YTD / Career DUBAI W-L (best)	0-0 / 2-2 (Round of 16: 2025)
2-4 / 50-70	YTD / Career W-L	3-5 / 97-73



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HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2025	BEIJING	HARD	2r	Emma Navarro	6-3 7-6(0)	2h 3m
2024	PARIS 125	CLAY	SF	Emma Navarro	6-0 6-2	1h 0m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
72	-	2026	15	-
56	99	2025	8	15
90	128	2024	8	8
103	125	2023	38	38
51	104	2022	127	143
83	85	2021	233	233
166	177	2020	462	463
171	182	2019	412	486
182	243	2018	761	763
209	265	2017	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

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PLAYER NOTES

- Making second appearance in main draw at Dubai, where her previous result was reaching 2r in 2022 (l. Halep)
- Faces No.19 Emma Navarro in 1r today; owns two wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.8 Barbora Krejčíková at US Open 2024
- Owns 13-42 career record against seeded players, with a record in 2026 standing at 1-1 (d. Yastremska at Australian Open)
- Her third-round finish at the 2026 Australian Open is tied for her best-ever finish at a Grand Slam singles event (w/ 2024 US Open)
- Best career Tour-level result on hard courts is Runner-Up which she has reached once: Cluj-Napoca in 2023
- One of three players from Romania in main draw (w/ Cirstea and Cristian)
- Best result by Romania at Dubai were Champion runs by Simona Halep in 2020 and 2015
- Last time 3 players from Romania reached 1r at Dubai was 2023
- Defeated Starodubtseva and Stearns in three sets to reach the main draw
- Best result by a qualifier at Dubai was a Runner-Up run by Anna Kalinskaya in 2024
- Is currently ranked No.80; this time last year was ranked No.106
- Contesting the 14th WTA 1000 main draw of her career

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making third appearance at Dubai, where her best result was reaching 3r in 2025 (l. Cirstea)
- Won both her previous matches against Ruse in straight sets
- Has lost three times in her opening match at tournaments in 2026 (Auckland, Australian Open, Abu Dhabi)
- Has won both of her two WTA Tour titles on hard courts: Merida in 2025 (d. Arango in final); Hobart in 2024 (d. Mertens in final)
- One of nine players from United States of America in the main draw
- Best result by United States of America at Dubai were Champion runs by Venus Williams in 2014, 2010, and 2009, and Lindsay Davenport in 2005
- Last time nine players from United States of America reached the main draw at Dubai was 2023
- Is currently ranked No.19; this time last year was ranked No.9
- Seeking fourth match win of 2025
- Has been involved in 4 three-set matches in 2026, and has gone 0-4 in them
- Contesting her 26th career WTA 1000 main draw; her career-best WTA 1000 performance is SF at 2024 Toronto (l. eventual R-Up Anisimova)



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2022	Result	Rank: 59	Seed: -
2r	L	S. HALEP (#23)	6-3 6-2
1r	W	P. BADOSA (#5)	6-3 5-7 6-4

2025	Result	Rank: 9	Seed: 8
3r	L	S. CIRSTEA (#89)	7-6(5) 3-6 7-5
2r	W	B. BENCIC (#66)	7-6(6) 2-6 6-3

2024	Result	Rank: 23	Seed: -
2r	L	M. SAKKARI (#11)	6-2 6-4
1r	W	K. SINIAKOVA (#39)	4-6 7-5 6-4



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played 1r at Cluj-Napoca (l. Masarova)
- Reached 3r at Australian Open (l. M.Andreeva)
- Fell in 1r at Adelaide (as qualifier, l. Kalinskaya)
- Played 1r at Brisbane (as qualifier, l. Kenin)

- Played 2r at Doha (l. Kalinskaya)
- Made 2r at Abu Dhabi (l. Baptiste)
- Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. Linette)
- Reached QF at Adelaide (l. Shnaider)
- Played 1r at Auckland (l. F.Jones)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
16	58	Aces	23	39
58.9%	92	First serve %	60.6%	80
68.8%	23	First Serve points won %	67.4%	32
39.8%	95	Second serve points won %	51.1%	10
56.9%	59	Overall service points won %	61.0%	21
60.9%	83	Service games won %	74.5%	21
41.9%	110	Break points saved %	50.0%	83
36.4%	54	First serve return points won %	33.0%	92
51.8%	88	Second serve return points won %	57.1%	38
31.6%	110	Break points converted %	43.3%	77
27.3%	91	Return games won %	31.9%	70
41.8%	76	Return points won %	42.1%	71



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (1)

2021 - HAMBURG

Runner-Up (3)

2025 - 'S-HERTOGENBOSCH

2023 - CLUJ-NAPOCA

2021 - PALERMO

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (1)

2019 - BUCHAREST (w/Cristian)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)

2025 - MÉRIDA

2024 - HOBART

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Reached fourth career WTA final in 2025 at 's-Hertogenbosch (l. Mertens); also reached SF at Rouen. Made a 3r run as a qualifier at Miami before losing to eventual champion Sabalenka. Registered first Roland Garros main draw win by defeating Kessler in the 1r (l. Badosa in 2r)
- Highlight of 2024 season was reaching first career Grand Slam third round at US Open earning second Top 10 win of career by beating No.8 Barbora Krejčíková in the second round; also reached quarterfinals at Rouen and semifinals at WTA 125 Paris and WTA 125 Hamburg
- 2023 highlight was reaching third WTA singles final of career, on home soil at Cluj-Napoca (l. Korpatsch)
- In 2022, reached 2r on nine occasions, including Australian Open (l. Kudermetova) and US Open (l. Gauff)
- During 2021 season, captured maiden WTA title at Hamburg (d. Petkovic in F) and finished R-Up at Palermo (l. Collins) - entered both tournaments as a qualifier
- Made Top 100 debut at No.99 on September 20, 2021
- Ended 2020 with her deepest ITF Circuit run of the season, at \$100k Dubai-UAE. Also reached two QFs at this level and fell in final round of qualifying at both Australian Open and Roland Garros
- Advanced to maiden WTA QF at 2019 Nottingham (as qualifier, l. Garcia)
- Fell in 1r on Grand Slam main draw debut at 2018 Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. A.Radwanska in 3s)
- Made WTA main draw debut at 2016 Bucharest and scored first Tour-level win of career at 2017 Bucharest (d. Shinikova, l. Suarez Navarro)
- WTA qualifying debut came at 2015 Bucharest
- Owner of six singles and 11 doubles titles on ITF Circuit
- Played first professional events of career in Romania on ITF circuit in 2012
- In 2025, won second Tour singles title of her career at Merida (d. Arango in final); made 7 additional Tour QFs, including her 3rd straight Grand Slam QF at Australian Open (l. Swiatek)
- Voted 2024 WTA Most Improved Player of the Year Award, finished the year ranked No.8 with a singles record of 54-24, winning her first career title at 2024 Hobart; climbed to a year-end ranking at No.8 after finishing 2023 at No.38 (and No.143 in 2022)
- 2023 was a stand-out year, achieving a career best with semifinal at WTA 500 San Diego (l. Kenin) and ending season with a ranking of No. 32. Also reached two quarterfinals on clay, Strasbourg (l. Blinkova) and Palermo (l. eventual champion Zheng), and one semifinal on grass, Bad Homburg (l. Siniakova)
- In 2022, posted 31-18 win-loss record. At Tour-level, made 2r at Charleston (as WC, l. Jabeur), fell 1r at Monterrey (as WC, l. Zacarias) and Indian Wells (as WC, l. Anisimova), and contested qualifying at San Diego
- Elsewhere in 2022, reached three ITF Circuit finals, including lifting second career title at this level at W60 tournament in Liepaja, Latvia, while made SF at WTA 125K Series event in Vancouver
- Lifted maiden ITF Circuit title at W25 event in Orlando in November 2021
- Won the NCAA Division I women's singles title in May 2021 to earn a WC into US Open, where she fell 1r (l. McHale)
- Fell 2r on professional debut at \$10k Charleston, SC-USA (l. Di Lorenzo) in 2015
- Began her collegiate career by winning her first 14 NCAA singles matches and moving up to a No.6 ITA ranking
- Ended 2019 at No.3 in ITF Junior rankings, following a season that included a R-Up finish at Roland Garros (l. Fernandez), a SF run at Wimbledon and victory at the Adidas Easter Bowl

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Andrei Cociasu
- Formerly worked with Andrei Lulian Vespan
- Currently coached by Peter Ayers

- Currently lives in Bucharest
- Her father has been a football player and her mom is a former gymnast
- Enjoys reading, movies, some times cooking desserts, listening to music on her phone handsets is relaxing
- Considers herself to be very ambitious

- Born in New York City and raised in Charleston, SC
- Attended the University of Virginia where she studied Arts & Science and played collegiate tennis
- 2021 NCAA Singles Champion (freshman year)
2019 Australian Open Junior Doubles Finalist
2019 Roland Garros Junior Doubles Champion and Singles Finalist
2019 Wimbledon Junior Singles Semi-Finalist
Is the daughter of businessman Ben Navarro and the grand-daughter of former American football player and coach Frank Navarro



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UNITED STATES OF
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**CLARA
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DENMARK

1998-11-14	Date of Birth	2002-12-21
Pembroke Pines, Florida, USA	Residence	Kongens Lyngby, Denmark
Right-Handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 7" (1.70m)	Height	6' (1.82 m)
4	Career-High Ranking	12
\$11,946,859	Career Prize Money	\$4,795,893
\$185,889	Season Prize Money	\$334,042
0 / 5	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 3
41-30 (Champion: 2020 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	22-18 (Round of 16: 2025 WIMBLEDON; 2024 ROLAND GARROS)
0-0 / 5-6 (Quarter-Finalist: 2025)	YTD / Career DUBAI W-L (best)	0-0 / 5-1 (Runner-Up: 2025)
1-5 / 170-142	YTD / Career W-L	4-5 / 90-75



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2025	AUCKLAND	HARD	2r	Clara Tauson	4-6 7-6(7) 7-6(3)	2h 39m
2024	TOKYO	HARD	2r	Sofia Kenin	6-7(8) 6-4 7-6(6)	2h 51m
2024	ROLAND GARROS	CLAY	3r	Clara Tauson	6-2 7-5	1h 39m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
28	-	2026	12	-
25	28	2025	12	12
33	86	2024	50	52
30	33	2023	76	85
12	235	2022	33	128
4	12	2021	44	44
4	4	2020	151	152
12	14	2019	267	267
48	52	2018	715	863
110	113	2017	938	938



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- Making seventh appearance at Dubai, where her best result was reaching QF in 2025 (l. Rybakina)
- Faces No.15 Clara Tauson in 1r today; owns 28 wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.10 Ekaterina Alexandrova at Tokyo 2025
- Last two meetings against Tauson have finished in a final set tiebreak
- Best career result on hard courts is Champion which she has reached four times: Lyon, Australian Open in 2020; Guangzhou, Hobart in 2019
- One of nine players from United States of America in the main draw here
- Best result by United States of America at Dubai was Champion runs by Venus Williams in 2014, 2010, and 2009, and Lindsay Davenport in 2005
- Is currently ranked No.30; this time last year was ranked No.56
- Owns just one win so far in 2026; is currently on a 5-match losing streak
- Contesting her 49th career WTA 1000 main draw; her best WTA 1000 finishes are 3 SFs (2019 Toronto, 2019 Cincinnati and 2023 Guadalajara)

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- Making second main draw appearance at Dubai, where her previous main draw result was reaching the finals in 2025 (l. M. Andreeva)
- Faces No.30 Sofia Kenin in 1r today; owns 32 wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.32 McCartney Kessler at Abu Dhabi 2026
- Her previous two matches against Kenin have finished in a final set tiebreak
- All three of her career titles have come on hard courts: Auckland in 2025; Luxembourg, Lyon in 2021
- Only player from Denmark in the main draw
- Is currently ranked No.15; this time last year was ranked No.38
- Best result of 2026 season so far came during a SF run in Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Bejlek)
- Has lost thrice in opening matches this season (Brisbane, Adelaide, and Doha)
- Contesting her 20th career WTA 1000 main draw, with her best WTA 1000 result being her R-Up finish here last year



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2025	Result	Rank: 56	Seed: -
QF	L	E. RYBAKINA (#7)	6-2 7-6(2)
3r	W	J. PAOLINI (#4)	6-4 6-0
2r	W	M. KOSTYUK (#21)	5-7 7-6(7) 7-6(5)
1r	W	D. VEKIC (#20)	7-5 6-3
2024	Result	Rank: 55	Seed: -
1r	L	S. CIRSTEANU (#22)	6-3 7-6(2)
2023	Result	Rank: 176	Seed: -
1r	L	M. BOUZKOVA (#26)	6-1 6-1
2022	Result	Rank: 90	Seed: -
1r	L	J. OSTAPENKO (#21)	6-1 6-2
2020	Result	Rank: 7	Seed: 5
1r	L	E. RYBAKINA (#19)	6-7(2) 6-3 6-3

2025	Result	Rank: 38	Seed: -
F	L	M. ANDREEVA (#14)	7-6(1) 6-1
SF	W	K. MUCHOVA (#17)	6-4 6-7(4) 6-3
QF	W	L. NOSKOVA (#35)	7-6(4) 6-4
3r	W	A. SABALENKA (#1)	6-3 6-2
2r	W	E. SVITOLINA (#24)	7-6(5) 3-6 7-6(4)
1r	W	R. SRAMKOVA (#42)	7-6(7) 6-0



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**SOFIA
KENIN**

**CLARA
TAUSON**

SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played 1r at Doha (l. Q.Zheng)
- Fell in 1r at Abu Dhabi (l. Samsonova)
- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Stearns)
- Fell in 1r at Adelaide (l. Joint)
- Made 2r at Brisbane (l. Alexandrova)

- Played 1r at Doha (l. Siniakova)
- Reached SF at Abu Dhabi (l. eventual champion Bejlek)
- Made 3r at Australian Open (l. Mboko)
- Played 2r at Adelaide (l. Tomljanovic, retired)
- Made R32 at Brisbane (l. Sasnovich)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
13	73	Aces	40	15
65.4%	38	First serve %	63.0%	59
60.8%	84	First Serve points won %	65.5%	47
43.9%	67	Second serve points won %	44.5%	59
54.9%	79	Overall service points won %	57.7%	49
64.1%	64	Service games won %	67.3%	54
45.2%	101	Break points saved %	56.8%	41
24.6%	117	First serve return points won %	34.8%	75
47.5%	111	Second serve return points won %	56.6%	43
37.5%	107	Break points converted %	54.8%	15
18.2%	113	Return games won %	35.1%	55
33.6%	116	Return points won %	43.0%	56



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (5)

2020 - LYON, AUSTRALIAN OPEN

2019 - GUANGZHOU, MALLORCA, HOBART

Runner-Up (5)

2025 - CHARLESTON

2024 - TOKYO

2023 - SAN DIEGO

2020 - ROLAND GARROS

2019 - ACAPULCO

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (4)

2024 - MIAMI (w/Mattek-sands), ABU DHABI
(w/Mattek-sands)

2019 - BEIJING (w/Mattek-sands), AUCKLAND
(w/Bouchard)

Runner-Up (1)

2025 - WASHINGTON DC (w/Dolehide)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (3)

2025 - AUCKLAND

2021 - LUXEMBOURG, LYON

Runner-Up (2)

2025 - DUBAI

2021 - COURMAYEUR

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Best result of 2025 was reaching the final at Charleston (l. Pegula). Also made SF at Tokyo (l. eventual champion Bencic) and QFs at Dubai and Hobart. In doubles reached a fifth Tour final at Washington DC (w/Dolehide)
- Achieved best result of 2024 at Tokyo with runner-up run (l. Zheng in final). In doubles claimed her third and fourth career titles at Abu Dhabi and Miami w/Bethanie Mattek-Sands
- Strongest result of 2023 was runner-up run at San Diego (l. Krejčíková). Also reached SF at Hobart (l. Cocciaretto) and Guadalajara (l. Dolehide). As a qualifier, posted her best Wimbledon result with 3r (l. Svitolina). Moved 202 positions up the ranking from her 2022 year-end position (from No. 235 to No.33)
- Best results of 2022 were QF at Adelaide (l. eventual champion Barty) and Cleveland (l. Pera). Missed clay and grass swings w/right ankle injury
- Missed second half of 2021 season due to ongoing foot injury and then testing positive for COVID-19
- In opening half of the 2021 campaign, standout results were QFs at Abu Dhabi and Yarra Valley Classic, and a R16 showing at Roland Garros
- Ended 2020 at career high of No.4 which she first hit on March 9, 2020 and came away with the 2020 WTA Player of the Year Award
- In last tournament of the season, finished R-Up at Roland Garros (l. Swiatek) for her first final appearance on clay
- Reached R16 at US Open and was one of only two players (also Kvitová) to reach second week of all three Slams in 2020
- Lifted fifth WTA singles title at Lyon (d. Friedsam in F) becoming the first player in 2020 to win a second title
- Won maiden major at 2020 Australian Open (d. Muguruza in F) to become the youngest champion (21y, 80d) in Melbourne since Sharapova (20y, 283d) in 2008. Defeated home favorite and World No.1 Barty in SF for third career win over a reigning World No.1
- Australian Open run helped her break into the Top 10 for the first time at No.7 on February 3, 2020
- Won 2019 WTA Most Improved Player of the Year award after winning three WTA titles at Hobart (d. Schmiedlova in F), Mallorca (d. Bencic in F) and Guangzhou (d. Stosur in F)
- Finished 2019 at No.14 as US No.2 (behind No.9 S. Williams) and leader in hard court wins (38-
- In 2025, won Auckland title (first Tour title since 2021) and reached first career WTA 1000 final at Dubai (l. M. Andreeva); made Top 20 debut, finishing at career-high No.12 in the year-end rankings
- Highlight of 2024 season was posting best Grand Slam result by reaching R16 at Roland Garros for the first time in her career. Also achieved R-Up at two WTA 125s, Hong Kong and Oeiras
- In 2023 matched her career best Grand Slam result at Roland Garros where she reached the 3r as a qualifier (l. Avanesyan); also reached the Linz QF (l. Martić)
- Back injury restricted her to just 11 WTA main-draw outings in 2022, with best result a QF showing at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (l. Sasnovich). Also finished R-Up in her last event of the year at WTA 125K Series event in Limoges and won one ITF Circuit title at W25 Selva Gardener
- Came through qualifying to win maiden WTA title in Lyon in March 2021 (in final, beat fellow qualifier Golubic - last time two qualifiers met in a WTA final was at 2017 Tokyo [Japan Open], when Diyas beat Kato); also in 2021, won a second title in Luxembourg and finished runner-up at Courmayeur
- Ended 2020 season ranked No.152 (up from No.267 at the end of 2019) after posting 30-7 win-loss record. Best results were 2r at Roland Garros (as qualifier, d. No.25 Brady, l. Collins) and lifting two titles on ITF Circuit
- Made Tour-level debut (main draw and qualifying) with 1r exit at 2019 Lugano (as wildcard qualifier, l. Rodina). Also lifted four ITF Circuit singles titles in 2019
- Won maiden ITF Circuit title in just her second tournament, at \$15k ITF/Stockholm-SWE in 2017
- Reached SF on professional debut at \$15k ITF/Antalya-TUR in 2017
- On ITF Junior Circuit has lifted nine singles titles, including at 2019 Australian Open (d. Fernandez in F). In 2019 she became the first Dane to top the junior world rankings

- tied w/Barty)
- Registered back-to-back SF runs at Toronto (l. eventual champion Andreescu) and Cincinnati (l. eventual champion Keys), subsequently leading to Top 20 debut at No.20 on August 19, 2019
 - During this run, defeated No.1 Barty (Toronto) and No.1 Osaka (Cincinnati) to become first player since October 2001 to defeat World No.1s in consecutive weeks (Davenport); also became youngest American to defeat reigning No.1 in eight years (after McHale)
 - Advanced to R16 at 2019 Roland Garros (d. S.Williams, l. eventual champion Barty) - became first American to defeat Serena at the majors since Stephens at 2013 Australian Open QF
 - Also won maiden doubles titles in 2019 at Auckland (w/Bouchard) and Beijing (w/Mattek-Sands)
 - Broke into the Top 100 on March 19, 2018 and Top 50 on October 8, 2018
 - Made Billie Jean King Cup debut for the US in 2018
 - Made WTA main draw debut at 2015 US Open as a wildcard (l. Duque-Marino in 1r)
 - Played first matches of career on ITF Circuit in 2013, climbing to No.2 in ITF World Junior Rankings
 - Represented the USA at the 2014 Youth Olympic Games and competed at the 2016 ITF Junior Masters, both held in China

OTHER INFORMATION

- Current coach is her father, Alex Kenin; Previously worked with Michael Joyce
 - Trains at at ProWorld Academy in Delray Beach, Florida
 - Father is Alex and mother is Lena
 - Born in Moscow, moved to New York as a baby before family settled in Florida. Now resides in Pembroke Pines, Florida, where she was home-schooled
 - Good friends with CiCi Bellis and Katie Swan
 - Likes rap music, especially Drake
 - Treat food is Froyo - cookies and cream with Hershey's on top
- Coached by Kasper Elsvad
 - Started playing tennis aged six



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13 **BELINDA BENCIC (9)**
SWITZERLAND

JESSICA BOUZAS MANEIRO **48**
SPAIN

1997-03-10	Date of Birth	2002-09-24
Wollerau, Switzerland	Residence	
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 9" (1.75m)	Height	5' 7" (1.70m)
4	Career-High Ranking	40
\$15,788,708	Career Prize Money	\$2,516,596
\$932,369	Season Prize Money	\$219,421
0 / 10	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 0
67-37 (Semi-Finalist: 2025 WIMBLEDON; 2019 US OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	10-9 (Round of 16: 2025 WIMBLEDON)
0-0 / 10-6 (Champion: 2019)	YTD / Career DUBAI W-L (best)	0-0 / 0-0
6-1 / 293-180	YTD / Career W-L	1-4 / 37-40



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BENCIC**

**JESSICA
BOUZAS MANEIRO**

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
9	-	2026	40	-
11	11	2025	40	42
17	913	2024	55	55
9	17	2023	125	152
11	12	2022	205	206
9	23	2021	352	352
4	12	2020	932	932
7	8	2019	-	-
37	37	2018	-	-
42	165	2017	-	-



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TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 8th appearance at this tournament, where she won the title at WTA 1000-level in 2019 (d. Kvitova in F)
- Contesting her 65th career WTA 1000 main draw; she is a 2-time WTA 1000 champion at 2015 Toronto (d. Halep in F via ret.) and 2019 Dubai
- Faces No.48 Jessica Bouzas Maneiro in 1r today; Bencic is 3-0 vs. Top 50 players this year, all of those wins coming at United Cup, where Team Switzerland made the final (Bencic went 5-0 in singles overall at 2026 United Cup)
- Owns 7-6 career Tour-level record against players from Spain; her most recent contested match vs. a Spaniard was a loss to Bucsa at 2023 Cincinnati
- 8 of her 10 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court, including 2 last year at Abu Dhabi and Tokyo
- Only player from Switzerland in this week's main draw
- Best results by Switzerland at Dubai are title runs by Martina Hingis in 2001 (inaugural edition) and Bencic in 2019
- Is currently ranked No.13; this time last year was ranked No.66. Reached career-high ranking of No.4 in February 2020
- Earlier this year, returned to Top 10 for the first time since April 2023
- Contesting first event of 2026 Middle East swing after withdrawing from Abu Dhabi and Doha

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making first appearance at this tournament
- Contesting her 13th career WTA 1000 main draw; her career-best WTA 1000 result is QF at 2025 Montreal (l. eventual champion Mboko)
- Faces No.13 Belinda Bencic in 1r today; owns 3 Tour-level wins in career over Top 20 players, most recently No.4 Coco Gauff at 2026 United Cup
- Seeking her 2nd match-win of the year; her one victory so far in 2026 came over Gauff at United Cup
- Owns 0-1 career Tour-level record against players from Switzerland (ret. vs. eventual champion Golubic at 2024 Jiujiang)
- Career-best Tour-level results on hard court are QF at 2024 Guangzhou and 2025 Montreal
- One of 3 players from Spain in this week's main draw (also Badosa and Bucsa)
- Best result by Spain at Dubai was the title run by Garbiñe Muguruza in 2021
- Is currently ranked No.48; this time last year was ranked No.59. Reached career-high ranking of No.40 in August 2025
- Winner of this match to meet wild card Sara Bejlek in 2r; Bejlek won her first career WTA singles title at Abu Dhabi earlier this month



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BOUZAS MANEIRO**

RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2025	Result	Rank: 66	Seed: -
2r	L	E. NAVARRO (#9)	7-6(6) 2-6 6-3
1r	W	A. ITO (#116)	6-0 6-2

2023	Result	Rank: 9	Seed: 8
3r	L	K. MUCHOVA (#112)	6-1 6-4
2r	W	M. KOSTYUK (#55)	6-7(7) 7-6(5) 6-4

2021	Result	Rank: 12	Seed: 6
3r	L	A. POTAPOVA (#88)	6-1 2-6 7-5
2r	W	V. KUDERMETOVA (#34)	6-4 5-7 6-4

2020	Result	Rank: 4	Seed: 4
1r	L	A. PAVLYUCHENKOVA (#31)	1-6 6-1 6-1

2019	Result	Rank: 45	Seed: -
F	W	P. KVITOVA (#4)	6-3 1-6 6-2
SF	W	E. SVITOLINA (#6)	6-2 3-6 7-6(3)
QF	W	S. HALEP (#2)	4-6 6-4 6-2
3r	W	A. SABALENKA (#9)	6-4 2-6 7-6(7)
2r	W	S. VOEGELE (#83)	6-1 6-1
1r	W	L. HRADECKA (#361)	6-4 7-6(6)

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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BOUZAS MANEIRO**

SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Made 2r at Australian Open (l. Bartunkova)
- Began 2026 season with a R-Up finish at United Cup with Team Switzerland (5-0 in singles)

- Played 1r at Doha (l. Kalinskaya)
- Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. Hunter)
- Played 1r at Hobart (l. Preston)
- Opened 2026 at United Cup with Team Spain (1-1 in singles)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
8	90	Aces	11	77
69.2%	14	First serve %	58.6%	96
71.4%	15	First Serve points won %	56.4%	111
46.4%	44	Second serve points won %	39.6%	96
63.7%	5	Overall service points won %	49.5%	113
76.0%	16	Service games won %	50.9%	109
53.8%	60	Break points saved %	32.5%	116
42.1%	7	First serve return points won %	38.8%	29
61.2%	4	Second serve return points won %	53.3%	69
52.2%	27	Break points converted %	59.5%	11
47.4%	4	Return games won %	40.0%	32
49.7%	2	Return points won %	45.0%	37



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (10)

2025 - TOKYO, ABU DHABI

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
2r				2026	1r			
4r		SF	2r	2025	2r	3r	4r	1r
				2024		1r	3r	3r
4r	1r	4r	4r	2023			1r	
2r	3r	1r	3r	2022				
3r	2r	1r	QF	2021				
3r				2020				
3r	3r	3r	SF	2019				
2r	2r	4r	1r	2018				
1r				2017				
4r		2r	3r	2016				
1r	2r	4r	3r	2015				
2r	1r	3r	QF	2014				



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CAREER MILESTONES

- During 2025, skyrocketed from No.421 at the start of January to No.11 year-end ranking, in her first full season after maternity leave; went 2-0 in Tour finals, winning titles at WTA 500 events at Abu Dhabi and Tokyo, and also reached her second career Grand Slam SF at Wimbledon
- 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 2019 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. defending champion 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
- Highlights of 2025 include first Grand Slam R16 of career at Wimbledon (l. Samsonova), first WTA 1000 QF of career at Montreal (l. eventual champion Mboko) and additional Tour QFs at Rabat and Rouen. Hit career-high ranking of No.40 on August 18 and finished season at No.42
- In 2024, posted career-best Grand Slam results with R32 at Wimbledon and US Open (at Wimbledon, beat defending champion Vondrousova in 1r on Centre Court for first career Top 10 win, before retiring to eventual champion Krejckikova in 3r); also claimed first WTA 125 title at Antalya (d. Begu in final)
- In 2023, won ITF W60 title at Rome and made Grand Slam main draw debut at 2023 Wimbledon (as qualifier, l. 1r to Kalinina)
- Earned first ITF title at Madrid \$15K in 2020 on clay
- On ITF Circuit, owns 11 singles titles and four doubles titles
- Made professional debut in January 2018 at \$15K ITF/Hammamet 2, Tunisia

- 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 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 \AA s-Hertogenbosch
 - Won first career titles in 2015 at Eastbourne (d. Radwanska in F) and Toronto (d. Halep in F); also reached final at \AA 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
 - Made professional debut on ITF circuit in 2011

OTHER INFORMATION

- 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 visited 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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**JAQUELINE
CRISTIAN**
ROMANIA

**VICTORIA
(11) MBOKO**
CANADA

10

1998-06-05	Date of Birth	2006-08-26
	Residence	
Right-Handed	Plays	Right-handed (two-handed backhand)
5' 11" (1.82m)	Height	5' 8" (1.76)
35	Career-High Ranking	10
\$3,082,890	Career Prize Money	\$2,128,577
\$163,231	Season Prize Money	\$621,978
0 / 0	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 2
8-13 (Round of 32: 2025 US OPEN, ROLAND GARROS, AUSTRALIAN OPEN)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	6-4 (Round of 16: 2026 AUSTRALIAN OPEN)
0-0 / 0-0	YTD / Career DUBAI W-L (best)	0-0 / 0-0
3-5 / 75-78	YTD / Career W-L	13-4 / 33-15



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**JAQUELINE
CRISTIAN**

**VICTORIA
MBOKO**

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
35	-	2026	10	-
39	39	2025	18	18
57	73	2024	284	350
97	98	2023	316	323
58	148	2022	492	499
71	71	2021	-	-
162	167	2020	-	-
201	205	2019	-	-
201	284	2018	-	-
254	254	2017	-	-



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**JAQUELINE
CRISTIAN**

**VICTORIA
MBOKO**

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making first main draw appearance at this tournament; she lost in qualifying in 2021, 2022, 2024 and 2025
- Contesting her 16th career WTA 1000 main draw; she holds a career win-loss record of 10-5 in opening matches at WTA 1000 events
- Faces No.10 Victoria Mboko in 1r today; Cristian is seeking her 2nd career Top 10 win (1-12 career record vs. Top 10 players)
- Her 1 previous Top 10 win came over No.10 Krejčíková at WTA 1000 Beijing in 2024
- Owns 2-2 career Tour-level record against players from Canada (2-1 last year)
- Career-best Tour-level result on hard court is R-Up at 2021 Linz (l. Riske-Amritraj in F)
- One of 3 players from Romania in this week's main draw (also Ruse and Cirstea)
- Best results by Romania at Dubai were Simona Halep's title runs in 2015 and 2020
- Is currently ranked No.39; this time last year was ranked No.85. Reached career-high ranking of No.35 last month
- Top result so far this season is reaching Adelaide QF as qualifier (l. Birrell in QF)

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making her Dubai tournament debut, following R-Up finish last week in her Doha tournament debut (l. Muchova in F)
- Posted her PIF WTA Rankings Top 10 debut today at World No.10; this time last year was ranked No.213
- Mboko becomes the 4th Canadian woman to crack Top 10 (after Bassett-Seguso, Bouchard and Andreescu)
- Contesting just her 7th career WTA 1000 main draw; she has already won 1 WTA 1000 title (2025 Montreal, d. Osaka in F) and posted 1 WTA 1000 R-Up (last week in Doha)
- Faces No.39 Jaqueline Cristian in 1r today; owns 18 Tour-level wins in career over Top 50 players, most recently No.24 Ostapenko in last week's Doha SF
- This is her first Tour-level meeting vs. a player from Romania
- Both of her 2 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court, at 2025 Montreal (d. Osaka in F) and 2025 Hong Kong (d. Bucsa in F)
- One of 2 players from Canada in this week's main draw (also Fernandez)
- Best results by Canada at this tournament were R32 finishes by Leylah Fernandez in 2023 and 2024, Eugenie Bouchard in 2019 and Aleksandra Wozniak in 2012
- Has won 13 Tour-level matches so far in 2026; leads the Tour in match-wins so far this year
- She has reached 2 WTA singles finals this year, finishing R-Up at Adelaide (l. M.Andreeva in F) and Doha (l. Muchova in F)



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles

- Making her tournament debut in Main Draw Singles



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played 1r at Doha (l. Muchova)
- Made 2r at Cluj-Napoca (l. Snigur)
- Fell in 1r at Australian Open (l. Muchova)
- Reached QF at Adelaide (as qualifier, l. Birrell)
- Played 1r at Brisbane (l. Bouzkova)

- Reached Doha final (l. Muchova in F)
- Made 4r at Australian Open (l. eventual R-Up Sabalenka)
- Reached final at Adelaide (l. Andreeva in F)
- Opened 2026 season going 1-1 in singles play at United Cup for Team Canada

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
17	56	Aces	73	3
60.9%	75	First serve %	67.1%	21
59.3%	97	First Serve points won %	65.7%	43
41.1%	89	Second serve points won %	46.5%	43
52.2%	100	Overall service points won %	59.4%	33
54.9%	100	Service games won %	71.9%	31
54.3%	58	Break points saved %	47.5%	96
38.3%	34	First serve return points won %	37.7%	39
52.8%	77	Second serve return points won %	58.4%	27
46.0%	61	Break points converted %	49.3%	38
34.9%	56	Return games won %	39.9%	35
42.9%	59	Return points won %	45.0%	38



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TITLES & GRAND SLAMS

SINGLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)
2025 - RABAT
2021 - LINZ

DOUBLES FINALS

Runner-Up (2)
2025 - CLUJ-NAPOCA (w/Moratelli)
2019 - BUCHAREST (w/Ruse)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (2)
2025 - HONG KONG, MONTREAL

Runner-Up (2)
2026 - DOHA, ADELAIDE

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Best result of 2025 was reaching second career Tour final at Rabat (l. Joint in F); also achieved her best Grand Slam results with 3r at Australian Open, Roland Garros and US Open. Won her first WTA 125 title at Puerto Vallarta and ended the season at a career high ranking of No.39
 - A strong 2024 season began with semifinal at Cluj-Napoca followed by a further three quarterfinals at Charleston, Palermo and Iasi taking her ranking to a career high of No.57 in July
 - In 2023 reached semifinal at Prague (l. Hibino) and also WTA 125 semifinals at Bucharest and Rouen
 - Suffered knee injury in 2r match at Doha 2022 against Kasatkina and took the next six months off
 - Ended 2021 campaign in fine form, reaching SF at Nur-Sultan (l. eventual champion Van Uytvanck), QF at Cluj-Napoca (l. Halep) before finishing R-Up at Linz (l. Riske)
 - Broke into Top 100 on November 8, 2021
 - Advanced to maiden WTA QF at 2021 St. Petersburg (l. Kuznetsova)
 - Season highlight in 2020 was 2r run at Lyon (as qualifier, l. Kenin)
 - In 2019, posted 2r showing at Bucharest (l. Rybakina), also fell 1r at Nanchang (as qualifier, l. Golubic)
 - Reached 2r on WTA main draw debut at 2017 Bucharest (d. Kozlova. l. eventual champion Begu)
 - In 2016, compiled a 46-18 win-loss record, lifting five titles on ITF Circuit and rising 400 places in rankings
 - Contested maiden WTA qualifying at 2015 Bucharest
 - Made professional debut on ITF Circuit in Europe in 2012
- A breakthrough season in 2025 saw her lift her first WTA title during a fairytale run on home soil at Montreal as an 18-year-old wild card, registering her first Top 10 win over No.2 Gauff along the way. Three months later she was crowned champion of WTA 250 Hong Kong.
 - Started 2025 ranked outside the Top 300 and closed the season with a year-end career high ranking of No.18
 - Played only at ITF level in 2024 earning a further title at W35 Darmstadt (Germany) and broke into the Top 300 for the first time
 - In 2023 secured her second ITF career title at W60 Saskatoon
 - In 2022 played qualifying at WTA 1000 Toronto and main draw at WTA 250 Granby in her first WTA Tour level appearances
 - Claimed her first ITF title in 2022 at W25 Saskatoon (Canada)
 - Played first ITF tournament at W15 Prokuplje (Serbia) in 2021 at the age of 14

OTHER INFORMATION

- Coached by Javier Marti
 - Favorite surface is clay
 - Started playing tennis aged five
- Coached by Nathalie Tauziat and Maxime Tchoutakian
 - Born in North Carolina in United States, but moved to Toronto as a small child

- Grew up watching tennis at Sobeys Stadium (Toronto, WTA 1000)



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**BARBORA
KREJČIKOVA**
CZECH REPUBLIC

**AMANDA
(2) ANISIMOVA**
UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA

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1995-12-18	Date of Birth	2001-08-31
Ivancice, Czech Republic	Residence	Miami Beach, FL, USA
Right-handed (two-handed backhand)	Plays	Right-handed
5' 10" (1.78m)	Height	5' 11" (1.80m)
2	Career-High Ranking	3
\$18,315,915	Career Prize Money	\$12,892,510
\$451,753	Season Prize Money	\$505,474
0 / 8	Singles Titles YTD / Career	0 / 4
49-21 (Champion: 2024 WIMBLEDON; 2021 ROLAND-GARROS)	Grand Slam W-L (best)	48-24 (Runner-Up: 2025 US OPEN, WIMBLEDON)
1-0 / 13-2 (Champion: 2023)	YTD / Career DUBAI W-L (best)	0-0 / 2-4 (Round of 32: 2023, 2021, 2020)
3-3 / 161-97	YTD / Career W-L	5-3 / 161-95



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**AMANDA
ANISIMOVA**

HEAD TO HEAD RECORD

YEAR	TOURNAMENT	SURFACE	ROUND	WINNER	SCORE/ RESULT	TIME
2021	INDIAN WELLS	HARD	3r	Barbora Krejckikova	6-2 6-3	1h 11m

RANKING HISTORY

TOP RANK	YEAR-END	YEAR	TOP RANK	YEAR-END
52	-	2026	3	-
9	65	2025	4	4
8	10	2024	36	36
10	10	2023	23	359
2	21	2022	22	23
3	5	2021	30	78
65	65	2020	22	30
115	135	2019	21	24
125	203	2018	92	95
121	126	2017	182	192



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KREJCIKOVA**

**AMANDA
ANISIMOVA**

TOURNAMENT HISTORY

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

1r: d. A. PAVLYUCHENKOVA (#110) 6-4 6-4 (1h 34m)

Total time on court: 1h 34m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 4th main draw appearance at this tournament, where she is the 2023 champion (d. Swiatek in F) and the 2021 R-Up (l. Muguruza in F)
- Contesting her 25th career WTA 1000 main draw; she has won 1 WTA 1000 title and posted 1 WTA 1000 R-Up - both here in Dubai
- This is her first appearance at the tournament since her 2023 title run, where she beat No.2 Sabalenka in QF, No.3 Pegula in SF and No.1 Swiatek in F
- In that 2023 title run, she became only the 3rd player since 1990 to defeat the WTA Top 3 in the QF, SF and final at a WTA event, joining Stefanie Graf (1999 Roland Garros) and Serena Williams (2022 Miami)
- Defeated Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova in this week's 1r, in a rematch of the 2021 Roland Garros final (also won by Krejcikova)
- Krejcikova's 1r win ended a 3-match losing streak (her first win since 2026 United Cup group stage)
- Faces No.6 Amanda Anisimova in 2r today; Krejcikova owns 15 wins in career over Top 10 players, most recently No.3 Gauff and No.6 Pegula at 2024 WTA Finals (0-4 vs. Top 10 players since the start of 2025)
- Owns 25-9 career Tour-level record against players from United States of America (0-1 in 2026, l. Stearns at Hobart)
- 5 of her 8 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court; her most recent hard-court title is 2023 San Diego (d. Kenin in F)
- 1 of 5 players from Czech Republic in this week's main draw
- Best results by Czech Republic at Dubai are title runs by Krejcikova in 2023 and Petra Kvitova in 2013
- Is currently ranked No.53; this time last year was ranked No.15. Reached career-high ranking of No.2 in February 2022

CURRENT TOURNAMENT

Total time on court: 0m

PLAYER NOTES

- Making 5th main draw appearance at this tournament; her best tournament results are 2r finishes in 2021 (l. eventual champion Muguruza) and 2023 (l. Azarenka)
- Contesting her 45th career WTA 1000 main draw; she is a 2-time WTA 1000 champion at 2025 Doha (d. Ostapenko in F) and 2025 Beijing (d. Noskova in F), and a 1-time WTA 1000 R-Up at 2024 Toronto (l. Pegula in F)
- After 1r bye, faces No.53 Barbora Krejcikova in 2r today; Anisimova is 3-1 this year vs. players ranked outside Top 50 (the loss was an illness retirement to Ka.Pliskova last week in Doha as defending champion)
- Seeking her 1st win since 2026 Australian Open R16 (d. Wang Xinyu), 0-2 since then (l. Pegula in Australian Open QF; ret. vs. Ka.Pliskova in Doha opener)
- Owns 11-11 career Tour-level record against players from Czech Republic (1-1 in 2026, d. Siniakova at Australian Open, ret. vs. Ka.Pliskova at Doha)
- 3 of her 4 career WTA singles titles have come on hard court: Both of her WTA 1000 titles at 2025 Doha and 2025 Beijing, as well as 2022 Melbourne 250 #2
- 1 of 9 players from United States of America in this week's main draw
- Best results by United States at this event are title runs by Lindsay Davenport in 2005, and Venus Williams in 2009, 2010 and 2014
- Is currently ranked No.6; this time last year was ranked No.18. Reached career-high ranking of No.3 last month



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RECENT TOURNAMENT HISTORY

2023	Result	Rank: 30	Seed: -
F	W	I. SWIATEK (#1)	6-4 6-2
SF	W	J. PEGULA (#3)	6-1 5-7 6-0
QF	W	A. SABALENKA (#2)	0-6 7-6(2) 6-1
3r	W	P. KVITOVA (#15)	6-3 6-2
2r	W	D. KASATKINA (#8)	6-4 4-6 7-5
1r	W	I. BEGU (#39)	6-4 6-2
2022	Result	Rank: 3	Seed: 2
2r	L	D. YASTREMSKA (#146)	6-3 7-6(3)
1r	W	C. GARCIA (#70)	6-4 7-6(0)
2021	Result	Rank: 63	Seed: -
F	L	G. MUGURUZA (#16)	7-6(6) 6-3
SF	W	J. TEICHMANN (#54)	7-5 6-2
QF	W	A. POTAPOVA (#88)	6-0 6-2
3r	W	S. KUZNETSOVA (#41)	6-3 6-2
2r	W	J. OSTAPENKO (#51)	6-3 6-1
1r	W	M. SAKKARI (#25)	6-2 7-6(4)

2025	Result	Rank: 18	Seed: -
1r	L	M. KESSLER (#53)	6-2 6-3
2023	Result	Rank: 35	Seed: -
2r	L	V. AZARENKA (#14)	4-6 6-4 7-6(5)
1r	W	V. ZVONAREVA (#436)	6-3 6-2
2021	Result	Rank: 32	Seed: -
2r	L	G. MUGURUZA (#16)	6-4 6-2
1r	W	A. KONJUH (#401)	6-2 6-2
2020	Result	Rank: 29	Seed: -
1r	L	B. STRYCOVA (#35)	7-6(3) 2-6 6-4



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SEASON 2026 HISTORY

- Played 1r at Australian Open (l. Shnaider)
- Fell in 1r at Hobart (l. Stearns)
- Opened 2026 with Team Czechia at United Cup reaching QF (2-1 in singles)

- Made 2r at Doha (l. Pliskova, retired)
- Reached QF at Australian Open (l. Pegula)
- Opened 2026 with a 3r at Brisbane (l. eventual R-Up Kostyuk)

VALUE	WTA RANK	MATCH STATS	VALUE	WTA RANK
38	19	Aces	27	30
60.9%	77	First serve %	63.5%	55
75.9%	2	First Serve points won %	70.3%	18
43.8%	68	Second serve points won %	47.4%	38
63.3%	11	Overall service points won %	61.9%	19
78.6%	8	Service games won %	77.5%	13
54.5%	55	Break points saved %	65.4%	7
34.0%	83	First serve return points won %	34.1%	79
54.6%	64	Second serve return points won %	58.0%	33
45.8%	63	Break points converted %	42.2%	82
30.6%	77	Return games won %	35.1%	54
42.1%	70	Return points won %	42.8%	60



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TITLES

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (8)

2024 - WIMBLEDON
2023 - SAN DIEGO, DUBAI
2022 - OSTRAVA, TALLINN
2021 - PRAGUE, ROLAND-GARROS, STRASBOURG

Runner-Up (5)

2023 - ZHENGZHOU, BIRMINGHAM
2022 - SYDNEY
2021 - DUBAI
2017 - NÜRNBERG

DOUBLES FINALS

Champion (20)

2025 - SEOUL (w/Siniakova)
2024 - PRAGUE (w/Siniakova)
2023 - SAN DIEGO (w/Siniakova), BIRMINGHAM
(w/Kostyuk), INDIAN WELLS (w/Siniakova),
AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)
2022 - US OPEN (w/Siniakova), WIMBLEDON
(w/Siniakova), AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)
2021 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), OLYMPICS
(w/Siniakova), ROLAND-GARROS (w/Siniakova),
MADRID (w/Siniakova), MELBOURNE 500
GIPPSLAND TROPHY (w/Siniakova)
2020 - SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)
2019 - LINZ (w/Siniakova), TORONTO (w/Siniakova)
2018 - WIMBLEDON (w/Siniakova), ROLAND
GARROS (w/Siniakova)
2015 - QUEBEC CITY (w/Mestach)

Runner-Up (11)

2024 - MADRID (w/Siegemund)
2022 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova)
2021 - AUSTRALIAN OPEN (w/Siniakova)
2020 - DUBAI (w/Zheng)
2019 - INDIAN WELLS (w/Siniakova)
2018 - WTA FINALS (w/Siniakova), MIAMI
(w/Siniakova), SHENZHEN (w/Siniakova)
2017 - BASTAD (w/Irigoyen)
2016 - ST. PETERSBURG (w/Dushevina)
2014 - LUXEMBOURG (w/Hradecka)

SINGLES FINALS

Champion (4)

2025 - BEIJING, DOHA
2022 - MELBOURNE 250 #2
2019 - BOGOTA

Runner-Up (5)

2025 - US OPEN, WIMBLEDON, QUEENS
2024 - TORONTO
2018 - HIROSHIMA



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GRAND SLAMS

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



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CAREER MILESTONES

- Missed first 5 months of 2025 due to back injury and made season debut at Strasbourg in May; in singles, posted three QF finishes at Eastbourne, US Open and Seoul. In doubles, won 20th Tour-level title of career at Seoul (w/Siniakova)
- Finished 2024 at No.10 in the year-end rankings (2nd consecutive year-end Top 10 finish) after winning 2nd Grand Slam singles title at Wimbledon (d. Paolini in F); also made Australian Open QF; qualified for the WTA Finals as a Grand Slam champion and advanced to SF (l. Zheng)
- Reached four singles finals across 2023, winning first WTA 1000 title at Dubai (d. No.1 Swiatek in F) in addition to WTA 500 San Diego title (d. Kenin in F), and finishing R-Up at Birmingham (l. Ostapenko) and Zhengzhou (l. Zheng Qinwen). Ended season inside the Top 10 at No.10
- In 2022, started with R-Up at Sydney (l. Badosa) and QF at Australian Open (l. Keys) before missing several months w/arm injury. Ended 2022 in fine form, winning back-to-back titles at Tallinn (d. Kontaveit) and Ostrava (d. Swiatek). Also completed Career Doubles Grand Slam by winning US Open w/Siniakova
- Won first WTA Tour singles title at 2021 Strasbourg, then swept singles and doubles titles at Roland Garros (her first Grand Slam singles title and 3rd Grand Slam doubles title). Roland Garros was just her fifth Slam main draw in singles; only two women have won a major with fewer main draw appearances to their name
- Also in 2021, won Prague title (d. Martincova in F), reached final at Dubai (l. Muguruza), made Wimbledon R16 and US Open QF, and qualified for WTA Finals in singles for the first time
- Posted another excellent doubles campaign across 2021; along with aforementioned Roland Garros, added titles at Madrid, Gippsland Trophy, WTA Finals and the gold medal at Tokyo Olympic Games (all w/Siniakova). Additionally, won 3rd straight Australian Open mixed doubles title (w/2019 partner Ram)
- Enjoyed breakout year in singles in 2020, posting career-high ranking of No.65 (November 16) and making R16 at Roland Garros and reaching second WTA SF at Linz; in doubles, won Shenzhen title (w/Siniakova), finished R-Up at Dubai (w/Zheng Saisai) and defended Australian Open mixed doubles title (w/new partner Pavic)
- In 2025, won first two WTA 1000 titles of her career at Doha (d. Ostapenko in final) and Beijing (d. Noskova in final), and reached her first two Grand Slam finals at Wimbledon (l. Swiatek) and US Open (l. Sabalenka)
- Made Top 20, Top 10 and Top 5 debuts during 2025, finishing the season at a career-high No.4 ranking
- In 2024 made first WTA 1000 final of career at Toronto, finishing R-Up to Pegula (defeated No.3 Sabalenka en route). Also enjoyed run to R16 at Australian Open, her third time reaching that stage in Melbourne
- Played a small number of tournaments in 2023 before taking a break away from the sport after Madrid in April
- Lifted second career title at Melbourne Summer Set 2 (d. Sasnovich in F) in January 2022. Also in 2022, made SF at Charleston (l. Jabeur) and five further QFs, including at Wimbledon (l. Halep)
- Ended 2021 season with 3r run at Indian Wells to secure her fourth consecutive Top-100 finish. Best results were QF runs at Parma and Bad Homburg
- Opened 2020 with SF showing at Auckland, going on to reach 3r at US Open, Roland Garros and Doha; during Doha run, earned third career Top 10 win over No.7 Svitolina (l. Kuznetsova in 3r due to walkover)
- Posted career best Grand Slam result with SF run at 2019 Roland Garros - first player (man or woman) born in 2000s to advance to this stage of a major. Scored maiden win over a Top 5 player during 2019 Roland Garros, upsetting No.3 and defending champion Halep in QF
- Won maiden title at 2019 Bogota (d. Sharma in F); at 17y 222d was the youngest American to win a title since S. Williams at 1999 Indian Wells (17y 169d)
- Made Top 100 debut at No.95 on September 17, 2018, after reaching first WTA final at Hiroshima (as qualifier, l. Hsieh)
- Also in 2018, upset No.9 Kvitova to become the joint-youngest player to reach R16 at Indian Wells, along with Majoli, who made SF in 1994 (both aged 16 years, 199 days)
- Played only two ITF tournaments before making WTA main draw debut at 2017 Miami (l. Townsend in 3s), with Grand Slam bow coming at 2017 Roland Garros (l. Nara in 1r)
- In juniors, won US Open girls' singles in 2017 (d. Gauff in F) and was R-Up at 2016 Roland Garros; reached No.2 in junior world rankings

- In 2019, advanced to QF at Bucharest in addition to winning four ITF Circuit singles titles on clay in North America and Europe, winning 20 of her 21 matches during this stretch
- Also in 2019, posted second Top 20 doubles season highlighted by titles at Toronto and Linz, and R-Up finish at Indian Wells (all w/Siniakova). Won Australian Open mixed doubles title w/Ram
- In 2018, won first two Grand Slam doubles trophies at Roland Garros (d. Hozumi/Ninomiya in F) and Wimbledon (d. Melichar/Peschke in F), both w/Siniakova; they became the first pairing to complete the Roland Garros-Wimbledon double since Kim Clijsters and Ai Sugiyama in 2003, and also became the first team ever to win the girls' doubles (2013) and ladies' doubles title at SW19
- Rose to WTA Doubles World No.1 for the first time on October 22, 2018
- Highlight of 2017 was R-Up finish in first WTA singles final at Nurnberg (l. Bertens in F). Also made QF as qualifier at Bastad (l. Garcia). Only other tour-level appearances were 1r exits at Bucharest and Quebec City
- Lifted maiden WTA doubles title at 2015 Quebec City (w/Mestach)
- Advanced to first WTA doubles final at 2014 Luxembourg (w/Hradecka, l. Bacsinszky/Barrois)
- Reached 2r on WTA singles debut as qualifier at 2014 Quebec City (l. Hradecka)
- On ITF Circuit, owns 14 singles and 19 doubles titles
- Made professional debut at \$10K ITF/Piestany-SVK in 2010

- Made professional debut at 2016 US Open qualifying (l. Hozumi in 2r)

OTHER INFORMATION

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

- Coached by Rob Brandsma and Rick Vleeshouwers
- Mother is Olga, who was born and raised in Moscow; sister is Maria Anisimova-Egee and lives in New York. Speaks English and Russian
- Born in New Jersey but moved to Miami at age 3. Started playing tennis after going to her sister's practices every day and eventually developed a passion for the sport
- Tennis idols growing up were Serena Williams and Maria Sharapova
- Off the court enjoys music, running, writing, jet skiing and going to the beach. Has one dog named Miley