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Luxembourg national teams



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ITTF OVERVIEW

The International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF) is the international governing body of Table Tennis and has 226 affiliated member associations; the most of any International Sports Federation.

The ITTF holds over 80 events a year, seen live on TV in over 110 countries and currently has over 2.2 million social media followers which makes it one of the most followed sports on the planet.

The ITTF was initiated in Berlin, Germany and became formalized in London in 1926.

Table tennis became an Olympic discipline at the 1988 Seoul Summer Olympic Games and a Paralympic Discipline in 1960 .

ETTU HISTORY

Referring to the decision taken on 23rd July 1956 in Tokyo to hold World Table Tennis Championships biennially after the World Championships in Stockholm in 1957, the ITTF invited the European Table Tennis Associations to consider the possibility of holding EC European Table Tennis Championships in the intervening alternate (even) years.

On 17th February 1957 representatives of European Associations present at the French Open Championships in Rouen agreed to hold to a further meeting in Stockholm, with a view to hold a European Championships.

A preliminary Meeting was held on 9th March 1957 at the World Championships. On 13th March 1957 the European Table Tennis Union was set up by the following associations: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Finland, France, German Democratic Republic, Federal Republic of Germany, Hungary, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Soviet Union, Wales, Yugoslavia .

A board of seven persons was elected to organise the 1st European Championship, which the Hungarian Association offered and undertook to hold in Budapest in 1958.

Now ETTU has 58 affiliated member associations.

BASIC TABLE TENNIS RULES

SCORING

A European Championship team match is played to the best of 5 singles matches. The first team to win 3 matches, wins the team match.

In each individual match, the winner is determined when he/she wins 3 games. In order to win a game, the player first to reach 11 points wins the game (unless it's 10-10, then a player must win by 2 points).

The edges of the table are part of the legal table surface, but not the sides.

FLOW OF THE MATCH

Each player serves two points in a row; then the service changes. However, if a score of 10-10 is reached in any game, then the service is alternate. After each game, the players change ends. In the final game (5th game), the players change ends when one player reaches five points.

LEGAL SERVICE

The ball must rest on an open hand palm. It must be thrown vertically at least six inches and struck as the ball falls. The ball must bounce on the server's side and then the opponent's side of the table.

If the serve is legal except that it touches the net, it is called a let serve and the serve is repeated.

EQUIPMENT

The racket must have a red and a black side. The ball must be white and 40 mm in diameter. The table is 2.74 meters long, 1.525 m wide, and 0.76 m high.

DID YOU KNOW?

- A player's racket is tested randomly before each match, and opponents have the right to look at each other's rackets.
- The edges of the table are part of the legal table surface, but not the sides.
- If a game lasts for more than 10 minutes, the expedite rule comes into action. Serving is alternate, if the receiver returns the 13th stroke in the rally, the receiver has won the point.
- If a player strikes the ball below the wrist of the hand that is holding the racket, the point is legal.
- If a player hits the ball around the net and it still lands legally on the table, the shot is valid.





Sporting and Cultural Centre d'Coque

The National Sporting and Cultural Centre, better known as d'Coque, is an indoor arena in Kirchberg, a quarter of Luxembourg City, in Luxembourg.

It is a futuristic building characterised by its rounded forms, both impressive and elegant. D'Coque is a harmonious ensemble which has successfully assumed its own style whilst blending perfectly with its urban surroundings.

Located in the heart of the Grand Duchy on the Kirchberg Plateau, close to the centre of the city of Luxembourg, d'Coque has rapidly become a place which cannot be ignored, a synonym for major events for the entire greater region.

With its 60,000 m², d'Coque offers a flexible and functional ensemble capable of meeting the needs of even the most demanding events.

SYSTEM OF PLAY

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION

The qualified teams play for positions 1 – 16. Stage One: Teams are drawn into 4 groups with 4 teams in each group. The groups are organised on a round robin, all play all basis (3 matches per team). Stage Two: Teams finishing in 1st and 2nd places in each group advance to the quarter-finals. Teams finishing in 3rd and 4th places in each group compete for positions 9 to 16. Stage Two is organised on the progressive knock-out basis but there is no play-off for positions 3 and 4. The winner of Stage Two is the European champion.

CHALLENGE DIVISION

The qualified teams play for positions 17 – 32. Stage One: Teams are drawn into 4 groups with 4 teams in each group. The groups are organised on a round robin, all play all basis (3 matches per team). Stage Two: Teams finishing in 1st and 2nd places in each group advance to the quarter-finals. Teams finishing in 3rd and 4th places in each group compete for positions 25 to 32. Stage Two is organised on the progressive knock-out basis. The winner of Stage Two is the European champion - Challenge Division.

STANDARD DIVISION

The qualified teams are entitled to play for the remaining positions in the Championships. The winner is the European Champion – Standard Division..

TIME SCHEDULE

Day 1 - 13th September

10 AM

Women's Team Round 1 (A, B, C, D)

Men's Team Round 1 (E, F, G, H)

1 PM

Men's Team Round 1 (A, B, I, J)

Women's Team Round 1 (E, F)

4 PM

Men's Team Round 1 (C, D)

Women's Team Round 1 (G, H, I)

7 PM

Women's Team Round 2 (A, B, C, D)

Men's Team Round 2 (E, F, G, H)

Day 2 – 14th September 2017

10 AM

Men's Team Round 2 (A, B, C, D)

Women's Team Round 2 (E, F, G, H)

1 PM

Women's Team Round 3 (A, C)

Men's Team Round 3 (E, F, I, J)

4 PM

Women's Team Round 3 (B, D, I)

Men's Team Round 3 (G, H)

7 PM

Men's Team Round 3 (A, B, C, D)

Women's Team Round 3 (E, F, G, H)

Day 3 – 15th September

10 AM

Women's Team Position 1-8
Men's Team Position 17-24
Men's Team Position 25-32
Men's Team Round 3 (I,J)

1 PM

Women's Team Position 1-8
Women's Team Position 9-16
Men's Team Position 9-16
Women's Team Position 17-24
Women's Team Position 25-32

4 PM

Men's Team Position 1-8
Men's Team Position 9-16
Men's Team Position 25-28
Men's Team Position 29-32
Men's Team Round 4 (I, J)
Women's Team Round 3 (I)

7 PM

Men's Team Position 1-8
Women's Team Position 9-16
Men's Team Position 17-20
Men's Team Position 21-24
Women's Team Position 17-20
Women's Team Position 21-24
Women's Team Position 25-28
Women's Team Position 29-32

Day 4 – 16th September

10 AM

Women's Team Position 1-4
Women's Team Position 5-8
Men's Team Position 25-26
Men's Team Position 27-28
Men's Team Position 29-30
Men's Team Position 31-32
Men's Team Round 5 (I,J)
Women's Team Round 4 (I)

1 PM

Women's Team Position 1-4
Women's Team Position 9-12
Women's Team Position 13-16
Men's Team Position 5-8
Men's Team Position 9-12
Men's Team Position 13-16
Men's Team Position 19-20
Men's Team Position 21-22
Men's Team Position 23-24

4 PM

Men's Team Position 1-4
Men's Team Position 19-12
Women's Team Position 19-20
Women's Team Position 21-22
Women's Team Position 23-24
Women's Team Position 25-26
Women's Team Position 27-28
Women's Team Position 29-30
Women's Team Position 31-32
Men's Team Position 33-36
Men's Team Position 37-40
Men's Team Position 41-42

7 PM

Men's Team Position 1-4
Women's Team Position 5-16
Men's Team Position 5-16
Women's Team Position 17-18
Women's Team Round 5 (I)

Day 5 – 17th September

10 AM

Men's Team Position 5-16
Men's Team Position 17-18
Men's Team Position 33-34
Men's Team Position 35-36
Men's Team Position 37-38
Men's Team Position 39-40

2 PM

Women's Team Final

5 PM

Men's Team Final

Interesting Facts

- 44 Associations will play in these European Championships.
- The oldest player is Traian Ciociu (LUX, 55), five times the age and could be the grandfather of the youngest: Anna Hursey from Wales (11), who reached the round of 32 at the 2017 EYC Cadet Girls' Singles event and was the youngest one to do so since Bernadette Szocs in 2006 and Margarita Pesotska in 2002.
- The oldest women is as usual the "Grand Duchess" of Luxembourg Ni Xialian, now 54.
- The youngest man is Vladimir Sidorenko (RUS), twice and reigning European Cadet Boys' champion.
- Nearly all the top players will be present. But one is missing. For the first time since 1992, a European Team Championships will be played without Vladimir SAMSONOV, who was part of the team ever since Belarus became a member of ETTU.
- From the men's top 20, he and Paul Drinkhall from England are the only players missing.
- In the women the field is even stronger: from the top 25 only Kristin Silbereisen is absent.
- Azerbaijan has the youngest teams: both the men and women teams average age is 16.3. The women from Wales and Norway come next, both with 18.3. The Norway men are only 20.3 years old.
- At the other side of the age spectrum is Greece, even with Europe's junior champion Ioannis SGOUROPOULOS their average age is 34.2. As expected, Luxembourg has the oldest women's team with 32.8 followed by Czech Republic with 32.5.

DIVISIONS - MEN

Championships Division

Group A

Germany
Croatia
Spain
Belarus

Group B

Portugal
Austria
Slovenia
Slovak R.

Group C

Sweden
Greece
Russia
Luxembourg

Group D

France
Romania
Poland
Ukraine

Challenge Division

Group E

England
Denmark
Netherlands
Ireland

Group F

Czech R.
Turkey
Bulgaria
Switzerland

Group G

Hungary
Belgium
Finland
Estonia

Group H

Italy
Serbia
Israel
Lithuania

Standard Division

Group I

Latvia
Norway
Azerbaijan
Montenegro
Cyprus

Group J

Scotland
Wales
Kosovo
Bosnia and
Herzegovina
FYR Macedonia

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – MEN

Seed #1: GERMANY Position achieved in 2015: 2

Team European Ranking: 1



Dimitrij OVTCHAROV

ER: 1 WR: 4 Age: 29

Biggest success at Team EC: 6 times Gold

Career best: 2 times EC winner, 2012 Olympic Bronze

Playing Hand: Right

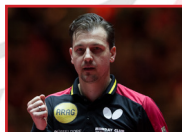
Timo BOLL

ER: 2 WR: 7 Age: 36

Biggest success at Team EC: 5 times Gold

Career best: 6 times EC winner, 2011 WC Bronze

Playing Hand: Left



Ruwen FILUS

ER: 8 WR: 23 Age: 29

Biggest success at Team EC: 2011 Gold

Career best: 3 times EC quarter-finalist

Playing Hand: Right

Bastian STEGER

ER: 14 WR: 33 Age: 36

Biggest success at Team EC: 4 times Gold

Career best: 2 times EC Bronze

Playing Hand: Right



Ricardo WALTHER

ER: 18 WR: 41 Age: 25

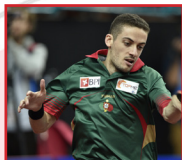
Biggest success at Team EC: -

Career best: 2014 World Tour Zagreb winner

Playing Hand: Right

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – MEN

Seed #2: PORTUGAL Position achieved in 2015: quarter-final
Team European Ranking: 2



Marcos FREITAS

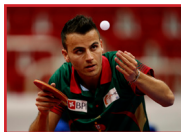
ER:5 WR: 15 Age: 29

Best success at Team EC: 2014 Gold
Career best: 2015 EC runner-up
Playing Hand: Left

Tiago APOLONIA

ER:13 WR: 32 Age: 31

Best success at Team EC: 2014 Gold
Career best: 2015 EC Bronze
Playing Hand: Right



João MONTEIRO

ER:21 WR: 50 Age: 34

Best success at Team EC: 2014 Gold; 2016 EC XD
winner
Career best: 2016 ITTF Euro TOP 16 runner-up
Playing Hand: Left



João GERALDO

ER: 39 WR: 79 Age: 22

Best success at Team EC: 2014 Gold
Career best: 2016 World Tour U21 Slovenia winner
Playing Hand: Left



Diogo CHEN

ER: - WR: - Age: 21

Best success at Team EC: -
Career best: 2016 World Tour U21 Nigeria runner-up



CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – MEN

Seed #3: FRANCE Position achieved at 2015 EC: Bronze
Team European Ranking: 3



Simon GAUZY

ER: 4 WR: 14 Age: 23

Best success at Team EC: 2015 Bronze
Career best: 2016 EC Men's Singles runner-up
Playing Hand: Right

Emmanuel LEBESSON

ER: 11 WR: 26 Age: 29

Best success at Team EC: 2015 Bronze
Career best: 2016 EC Men's Singles Gold
Playing Hand: Left



Tristan FLORE

ER: 24 WR: 54 Age: 22

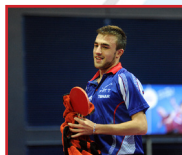
Best success at Team EC: -
Career best: Winner EYC 2011/2012
Playing Hand: Right



Quentin ROBINOT

ER: 37 WR: 75 Age: 24

Best success at Team EC: -
Career best: Winner EYC 2009
Playing Hand: Right



Alexandre CASSIN

ER: - WR: - Age: 18

Best success at Team EC: -
Career best: Winner EYC 2014/2016
Playing Hand: Right



CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – MEN

Seed #4: SWEDEN Position achieved in 2015 : quarter-final
Team European Ranking: 4



Mattias KARLSSON

ER: 6 WR: 21 Age: 26

Best success at Team EC: 2011 runner-up
Career best: 2012 EC Doubles runner-up
Playing Hand: Right

Kristian KARLSSON

ER: 10 WR:25 Age: 26

Best success at Team EC: 2011 runner-up
Career best: 2012 EC Doubles runner-up
Playing Hand: Left



Par GERELL

ER: 19 WR: 43 Age: 35

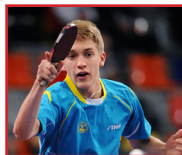
Best success at Team EC: 2011 runner-up
Career best: 2015 EC Men's Singles Bronze
Playing Hand: Left



Anton KÄLLBERG

ER: 48 WR:95 Age: 20

Best success at Team EC: -
Career best: 2015 EC Junior Men's Singles Winner
Playing Hand: Right



Jon PERSSON

ER: 50 WR:101 Age: 31

Best success at Team EC: 2015 quarter-final
Career best: 2008 EC Men's Doubles Bronze
Playing Hand: Right



CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – MEN

Seed #5: AUSTRIA Position achieved in 2015: 1

Stefan FEGERL	ER: 9	Age: 29	Playing Hand: Right
Robert GARDOS	ER: 23	Age: 38	Playing Hand: Right
CHEN Weixing	ER: 35	Age: 45	Playing Hand: Right
Daniel HABESOHN	ER: 47	Age: 31	Playing Hand: Right
Andreas LEVENKO	ER: 109	Age: 19	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #6: ROMANIA Position achieved in 2015: 15th

Ovidiu IONESCU	ER: 30	Age: 28	Playing Hand: Right
Hunor SZOCS	ER: 31	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Right
Adrian CRISAN	ER: 34	Age: 37	Playing Hand: Right
Cristian PLETEA	ER: 98	Age: 17	Playing Hand: Right
Rares SIPOS	ER: 138	Age: 17	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #7: GREECE Position achieved in 2015: 7th

Panagiotis GIONIS	ER: 7	Age: 37	Playing Hand: Right
Kalinikos KREANGA	ER: -	Age: 45	Playing Hand: Right
Konstantinos PAPAGEORGIOU	ER: 67	Age: 38	Playing Hand: Right
Anastasios RINIOTIS	ER: 135	Age: 34	Playing Hand: Right
Ioannis SGOUROPOULOS	ER: 127	Age: 17	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #8: CROATIA Position achieved in 2015: 13th

Andrej GACINA	ER: 20	Age: 31	Playing Hand: Right
Tomislav PUCAR	ER: 38	Age: 21	Playing Hand: Right
Frane KOJIC	ER: 92	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Right
Tomislav KOLAREK	ER: 105	Age: 29	Playing Hand: Right
Filip CIPIN	ER: 137	Age: 24	Playing Hand: Left

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – MEN

Seed #9: SPAIN Position achieved in 2015: 14th

Alvaro ROBLES	ER:42	Age: 26	Playing Hand: Left
Carlos MACHADO	ER: 63	Age: 37	Playing Hand: Right
Jesus CANTERO	ER: 66	Age: 35	Playing Hand: Right
Marc DURAN	ER: 106	Age: 31	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #10: SLOVENIA Position achieved in 2015: 25

Bojan TOKIC	ER: 27	Age: 36	Playing Hand: Right
Darko JORGIC	ER: 90	Age: 19	Playing Hand: Right
Deni KOZUL	ER: 116	Age: 20	Playing Hand: Right
Jan ZIBRAT	ER: 119	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Left

Seed #11: POLAND Position achieved in 2015:8th

Jakub DYJAS	ER: 25	Age: 22	Playing Hand: Right
WANG Zeng Yi	ER: 29	Age: 34	Playing Hand: Right
Daniel GORAK	ER: 45	Age: 34	Playing Hand: Right
Robert FLORAS	ER: 75	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Right
Marek BADOWSKI	ER: 139	Age: 20	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #12: RUSSIA Position achieved in 2015: 9th

Alexander SHIBAEV	ER:15	Age: 27	Playing Hand: Right
Grigory VLASOV	ER: 46	Age: 33	Playing Hand: Right
Sadi ISMAILOV	ER: 89	Age: 21	Playing Hand: Left
Vladimir SIDORENKO	ER: 155	Age: 15	Playing Hand: Left
Denis IVONIN	ER: 175	Age: 18	Playing Hand: Right

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION - MEN

Seed #13: UKRAINE Position achieved in 2015: 16th

KOU Lei	ER: 12	Age: 30	Playing Hand: Right
Yaroslav ZHMUDENKO	ER: 61	Age: 29	Playing Hand: Right
Viktor YEFIMOV	ER: 62	Age: 29	Playing Hand: Right
Yevhen PRYSHCHEPA	ER: 111	Age: 32	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #14: SLOVAKIA Position achieved in 2015: 18th

WANG Yang	ER: 33	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Right
Lubomir PISTEJ	ER: 56	Age: 33	Playing Hand: Right
BAI He	ER: 71	Age: 30	Playing Hand: Right
Peter SEREDA	ER: 87	Age: 33	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #15: BELARUS Position achieved in 2015: 3rd

Pavel PLATONOV	ER: 92	Age: 34	Playing Hand: Right
Aliaksandr KHANIN	ER: 121	Age: 19	Playing Hand: Right
Gleb SHAMRUK	ER: 192	Age: 21	Playing Hand: Right
Kiryl BARABANOV	ER: -	Age: 24	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #16: LUXEMBOURG Position achieved in 2015: 30th

Eric GLOD	ER: 177	Age: 24	Playing Hand: Left
Gilles MICHELY	ER: 205	Age: 29	Playing Hand: Right
Luka MLADENOVIC	ER: 211	Age: 19	Playing Hand: Right
Marc DIELISSSEN	ER: 360	Age: 28	Playing Hand: Right
Traian CIOCIU	ER: -	Age: 55	Playing Hand: Left

DIVISIONS - WOMEN

Championships Division

Group A	Group B	Group C	Group D
Germany	Romania	Austria	Poland
Hungary	Czech R.	Portugal	Russia
Sweden	Netherlands	Ukraine	France
Croatia	Luxembourg	Spain	Belarus

Challenge Division

Group E	Group F	Group G	Group H
Slovak R.	Serbia	Turkey	England
Lithuania	Belgium	Wales	Slovenia
Switzerland	Italy	Azerbaijan	Greece
Finland	Denmark	Bulgaria	Israel

Standard Division

Group I

Norway
Estonia
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Latvia
Scotland
FYR Macedonia

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – WOMEN

Seed #1: GERMANY Position achieved in 2015: 2

Team European Ranking: 1



HAN Ying

ER: 1 WR:9 Age: 34

Biggest success at Team EC: 3 times Gold

Career best: 2013 EC Singles Bronze, 2016 Olympic

Team Silver

Playing Hand: Right

SHAN Xiaona

ER: 2 WR: 16 Age: 34

Biggest success at Team EC: 3 times Gold

Career best: 2013 EC Singles Silver, 2016 Olympic

Team Silver

Playing Hand: Right



Petrissa SOLJA

ER:7 WR: 27 Age: 23

Biggest success at Team`s EC: 3 times Gold

Career best: 2016 Olympic Team Silver, 2017 Euro

TOP-16 runner-up

Playing Hand: Left



Sabine WINTER

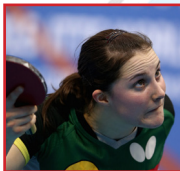
ER: 14 WR: 49 Age: 25

Biggest success at Team EC: 2014 Gold

Career best: 2017 Euro TOP-16 Bronze, 2013 and

2016 EC Doubles winner

Playing Hand: Right



Nina MITTELHAM

ER: 47 WR:123 Age: 21

Career best: 2013 EYC Junior Singles Winner

Playing Hand: Right

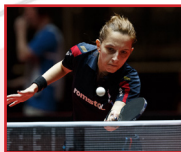


CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – WOMEN

Seed #2: ROMANIA

Position achieved in 2015: 2

Team European Ranking: 2



Elizabeta SAMARA

ER:6 WR: 27 Age: 28

Biggest success at Team EC: 2005 Gold

Career best: 2015 EC Singles Winner

Playing Hand: Right

Daniela MONTEIRO-DODEAN

ER:12 WR: 46 Age: 29

Biggest success at Team EC: 2005 Gold

Career best: 2009 EC Doubles Winner, 2016 EC

Mixed Doubles Winner

Playing Hand: Right



Bernadette SZOCS

ER: 19 WR:60 Age: 22

Biggest success at Team EC: 3 times Silver

Career best: 2 times EYC Junior Singles Winner

Playing Hand: Right



Adina DIACONU

ER: 31 WR: 90 Age: 18

Career best: 2016 WCH Junior Doubles Winner, 2015

& 2016 EYC Junior Singles Winner

Playing Hand: Right



Andrea DRAGOMAN

ER: 65 WR:166 Age: 17

Biggest success at Team EC: -

Career best: 2016 WCH Junior Doubles Winner

Playing Hand: Right



CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – WOMEN

Seed #3: AUSTRIA

Position achieved in 2015: 6

Team European Ranking: 3



LIU Jia

ER: 4 WR:22 Age: 35

Biggest success at Team EC: 2014 Silver

Career best: 2005 EC Singles Winner, twice EC Singles runner-up

Playing Hand: Left

Sofia POLCANOVA

ER: 13 WR: 48 Age: 23

Biggest success at Team EC: 2014 Silver

Career best: 2014 EC Team Silver

Playing Hand: Left



Amelie SOLJA

ER: 42 WR:116 Age: 27

Biggest success at Team EC: 2014 Silver

Career best: 2014 EC Team Silver

Playing Hand: Right



Karoline MISCHEK

ER: 134 WR:305 Age: 19

Biggest success at Team EC: -

Career best: 2016 EYC Junior Singles Bronze

Playing Hand: Left



CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – WOMEN

Seed #4: POLAND

Position achieved in 2015: 5

Team European Ranking: 4



LI Qian

ER: 11 WR: 45 Age: 31

Biggest success at Team EC: 2009 Silver

Career best: 2015 WC Doubles Bronze, 2014 EC

Team Bronze

Playing Hand: Right

Natalia PARTYKA

ER: 22 WR:66 Age: 28

Biggest success at Team EC: 2009 Silver

Career best: 2008 EC W Doubles Bronze, 2014 EC

Team Bronze

Playing Hand: Left



Katarzyna GRZYBOWSKA

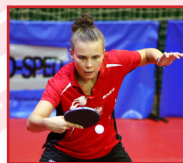
ER: 27 WR: 85 Age: 28

Biggest success at Team EC: 2009 Silver

Career best: 2009 EC Team Silver, 2014 EC Team

Bronze

Playing Hand: Right



Klaudia KUSINSKA

ER: 62 WR:156 Age: 24

Career best: 2017 ITTF Belarus Open W Doubles
Bronze

Playing Hand: Right



Natalia BAJOR

ER: 65 WR:165 Age: 20

Career best: 2015 Europe Youth Top 10 winner

Playing Hand: Right



CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – WOMEN

Seed #5: HUNGARY Position achieved in 2015: 10

Georgina POTA	ER: 8	Age: 32	Playing Hand: Right
Szandra PERGEL	ER: 29	Age: 29	Playing Hand: Left
Dora MADARASZ	ER: 34	Age: 24	Playing Hand: Right
Krisztina AMBRUS	ER: 67	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Right
Mercedes NAGYVARADI	ER: 68	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #6: RUSSIA Position achieved in 2015: 3

Polina MIKHAILOVA	ER: 21	Age: 31	Playing Hand: Right
Yana NOSKOVA	ER: 30	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Right
Olga VOROBEVA	ER:54	Age: 27	Playing Hand: Right
Mariia TAILAKOVA	ER: 55	Age: 16	Playing Hand: Right
Ekaterina GUSEVA	ER: 72	Age: 21	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #7: CZECH R. Position achieved in 2015: 7

Iveta VACENOVSKA	ER: 24	Age: 31	Playing Hand: Right
Hana MATELOVA	ER: 32	Age: 27	Playing Hand: Right
Renata STRBIKOVA	ER: 33	Age: 38	Playing Hand: Right
Dana CECOVA	ER: 39	Age: 34	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #8: PORTUGAL Position achieved in 2015: 8

FU Yu	ER: 10	Age: 39	Playing Hand: Right
SHAO Jieni	ER: 28	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Left
Leila OLIVEIRA	ER: 129	Age: 27	Playing Hand: Right
Catia MARTINS	ER: 183	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Right

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION – WOMEN

Seed #9: UKRAINE Position achieved in 2015: 3

Tetyana BILENKO	ER: 17	Age 34	Playing Hand: Right
Ganna GAPONOVA	ER: 35	Age: 32	Playing Hand: Right
Solomiya BRATEYKO	ER: 92	Age: 18	Playing Hand: Left
Margaryta PESOTSKA	ER: -	Age: 26	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #10: FRANCE Position achieved in 2015: 9

Judith LIU	ER: 41	Age: 22	Playing Hand: Right
Laura GASNIER	ER: 57	Age: 24	Playing Hand: Left
Stephanie LOEUILLETTE	ER: 59	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Left
Audrey ZARIF	ER: 70	Age: 19	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #11: SWEDEN Position achieved in 2015: 14

Matilda EKHOLM	ER: 9	Age: 35	Playing Hand: Left
LI Fen	ER: 15	Age: 41	Playing Hand: Right
Linda BERGSTROM	ER: 61	Age: 22	Playing Hand: Right
Christina KALLBERG	ER:125	Age: 17	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #12:NETHERLANDS Position achieved in 2015:12

LI Jie	ER: 3	Age: 33	Playing Hand: Right
Britt EERLAND	ER: 23	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Right
Kim VERMAAS	ER: 102	Age: 21	Playing Hand: Right
Rianne VAN DUIN	ER: 193	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Left

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Seed #13: SPAIN Position achieved in 2015: 17

Maria XIAO	ER: 25	Age: 23	Playing Hand: Left
Galia DVORAK	ER: 37	Age: 29	Playing Hand: Right
Sara RAMIREZ	ER: 50	Age: 30	Playing Hand: Right
ZHANG Xuan	ER: 90	Age: 18	Playing Hand: Left

Seed #14: LUXEMBOURG Position achieved in 2015: 13

NI Xia Lian	ER: 18	Age: 54	Playing Hand: Left
Sarah DE NUTTE	ER: 44	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Right
Tessy GONDERINGER	ER: 118	Age: 24	Playing Hand: Right
Danielle KONSBRUCK	ER: 137	Age: 25	Playing Hand: Right
Egle TAMASAUSKAITE	ER: 139	Age: 36	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #15: BELARUS Position achieved in 2015: 15

Viktoria PAVLOVICH	ER: 20	Age: 39	Playing Hand: Right
Alina ARLOUSKAYA	ER: 64	Age: 22	Playing Hand: Right
Daria TRIGOLOS	ER: 89	Age: 18	Playing Hand: Right
Nadezhda BOGDANOVA	ER: 127	Age: 17	Playing Hand: Right

Seed #16: CROATIA Position achieved in 2015: 20

TIAN Yuan	ER: 51	Age: 42	Playing Hand: Right
Mateja JEGER	ER: 81	Age: 22	Playing Hand: Right
Dorina SREBRNJAK	ER: 99	Age: 20	Playing Hand: Right
Mirela DURAK	ER: 122	Age: 27	Playing Hand: Right

MEN'S AND WOMENS' TEAMS (176 +150 PLAYERS)

Men's Team

110 CHEN Weixing
111 FEGERL Stefan
112 GARDOS Robert
113 HABESOHN Daniel
114 LEVENKO Andreas

120 GAFARLI Yusif
121 WANG Chenxi
122 YANG Xinyu

130 ALLEGRO Martin
131 DEVOS Robin
132 LAMBIET Florent
133 NUYTINCK Cédric

140 ALICIC Armin
141 BOBAS Ivan
142 DURANSPAHIC Admir

150 BARABANOV Kiryl
151 KHANIN Aliaksandr
152 PLATONOV Pavel
153 SHAMRUK Gleb

160 ALEXANDROV Teodor
161 KODJABASHEV Denislav
162 KRASTEVEV Petyo

170 CIPIN Filip
171 GACINA Andrej
172 KOJIC Frane Tomislav
173 KOLAREK Tomislav
174 PUCAR Tomislav

Women's Team

Austria

115 LIU Jia
116 MISCHEK Karoline
117 POLCANOVA Sofia
118 SOLJA Amelie

Azerbaijan

123 CHEN Xingtai
124 DENG Simeng
125 ZHOU Chuyi

Belgium

134 DEGRAEF Margo
136 LUNG Lisa
137 MARCHETTI Nathalie

Bosnia and Herzegovina

143 HADZIAHMETOVIC E.
144 MARKOVIC Snezana
145 MILOJICA Sanja

Belarus

154 ARLOUSKAYA Alina
155 BOGDANOVA Nadezhda
156 PAVLOVICH Viktoria
157 TRIGOLOS Daria

Bulgaria

163 HRISTOVA Kalina
164 YOVKOVA Maria
165 ZAMFIROVA Elitsza

Croatia

175 DURAK Mirela
176 JEGER Mateja F CRO
177 SREBRNJAK Dorina F CRO
178 TIAN Yuan

MEN'S AND WOMENS' TEAMS (176 +150 PLAYERS)

Czech Republic

190 JANCARIK Lubomir
191 KONECNY Tomas
192 POLANSKY Tomas
193 PROKOPCOV Dmitrij
194 TREGLER Tomas

195 CECHOVA Dana
196 MATELOVA Hana
197 STRBIKOVA Renata
198 VACENOVSKA Iveta

Cyprus

180 EFSTATHIOU Christoforos
181 HRISTONOV HRISTO Angelov
182 TSISSIOS Charalambos
183 YIANGOU Marios
184 YIANGOU Yiangos

Denmark

200 GROTH Jonathan
201 HINDERSSON Mikkel
202 LIND Anders
203 RASMUSSEN Kasper
204 RASMUSSEN Tobias

205 CHRISTENSEN Stefanie
206 EGEHOLT BANG Sofie
207 KOEFOED Nicoline
208 WALLOE Sophie

England

210 JARVIS Tom
211 McBEATH David
212 WALKER Samuel
213 WEERASINGHE Helshan
218 TSAPTSINOS Maria

214 HICKS Hannah
215 HO Tin Tin
216 LE FEVRE Karina
217 SIBLEY Kelly

Spain

220 CANTERO Jesus
221 DURAN Marc
222 MACHADO Carlos
223 ROBLES Alvaro

224 DVORAK Galia
225 RAMIREZ Sara
226 XIAO Maria
227 ZHANG Xuan Xu

Estonia

230 LIBENE Toomas
231 LUSIN Aleksandr
232 SMIRNOV Aleksandr

233 AVAMERI Airi
234 KETSKO Olesja
235 PETROVA Valeria

MEN'S AND WOMENS' TEAMS (176 +150 PLAYERS)

Finland

240 NAUMI Alex
241 O'CONNOR Miikka
242 OLAH Benedek
243 RÄSÄNEN Mika

244 ERKHEIKKI Anna-Sofia
245 KIRICHENKO Anna
246 LUNDSTROM Annika

France

250 CASSIN Alexandre
251 FLORE Tristan
252 GAUZY Simon
253 LEBESSON Emmanuel
254 ROBINOT Quentin

255 GASNIER Laura
256 LIU Judith
257 LOEUILLETTE Stéphanie
258 ZARIF Audrey

Germany

260 BOLL Timo
261 FILUS Ruwen
262 OVTCHAROV Dimitrij
263 STEGER Bastian
264 WALTHER Ricardo

265 HAN Ying
266 MITTELHAM Nina
267 SHAN Xiaona
268 SOLJA Petrissa
269 WINTER Sabine

Greece

270 GIONIS Panagiotis
271 KREANGA Kalinikos
272 PAPAGEORGIU Konstantinos
273 RINIOTIS Anastasios
274 SGOUROPOULOS Ioannis

275 CHRISTOFORAKI Maria
276 EXARCHOU Filareti
277 TOLIOU Aikaterini
278 ZAVITSANOU Georgia

Hungary

280 ECSEKI Nandor
281 LAKATOS Tamas
282 MAJOROS Janos Bence
283 SZUDI Adam

284 AMBRUS Krisztina
285 MADARASZ Dora Csilla
286 NAGYVARADI Mercedes
287 PERGEL Szandra
288 POTA Georgina

Ireland

290 MAGUIRE Gavin
291 MCCREERY Paul
292 ROBINSON Ashley

MEN'S AND WOMENS' TEAMS (176 +150 PLAYERS)

Israel

300 BEN ARI Omri
301 RABINOVICH Shimon
302 SIMON Mathan
303 TAUBER Michael

304 DOR Karmit
305 GELMAN Shelli
306 KRAVCHENKO Marina
307 TROSMAN Nicole

Italy

310 BACIOCCHI Alessandro
311 BOBOCICA Mihai
312 MUTTI Leonardo
313 RECH DALDOSSO Marco
314 STOYANOV Niagol

315 COLANTONI Chiara F ITA
316 LAURENTI Jamila F ITA
317 PICCOLIN Giorgia F ITA
318 VIVARELLI Debora F ITA

Kosovo

320 CITAKU Baton
321 DOMANIKU Besart
322 DRAGIDELLA Yll
323 MAHMUTI Kreshnik

Latvia

330 KARTUZOVŠ Olegs
331 MASLOVS Leonids
332 REINHOLDS Arturs

333 MUSAJEVA Sabina
334 RUSINOVA Diana
335 ZDANOVSKA Inta

Lithuania

340 MIKUTIS Tomas
341 SKUCAS Matas
342 STANKEVICIUS Medardas
343 UDRA Alfredas

344 BASKUTYTE Ugnė
345 PASKAUSKIENE Ruta
346 RASIMAVICIENE Aukse
347 RILISKYTE Kornelija
348 STUCKYTE Egle

Luxembourg

350 CIOCIU Traian
351 DIELISSSEN Marc
352 GLOD Eric
353 MICHELY Gilles
354 MLADENOVIC Luka

355 DE NUTTE Sarah
356 GONDERINGER Tessy
357 KONSBRÜCK Danielle
358 NI Xia Lian
359 TAMASAUSKAITE Egle

MEN'S AND WOMENS' TEAMS (176 +150 PLAYERS)

FYR Macedonia

- | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 360 APOSTOLOSKI Zivko | 364 DIMITRIEVSKA Iva |
| 361 RIKALOSKI Aleksandar | 365 RISTOVSKA Dijana |
| 362 STANOJKOVSKI Kristijan | 366 VCKOVA Nadica |
| 363 STOJANOVSKI Sasho | |

Montenegro

- 370 BAKIC Luka
371 CUBOVIC Branko
372 RADOVIC Filip

Netherlands

- | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 380 GOMMERS Rajko | 384 EERLAND Britt |
| 381 HEISTER Danny | 385 LI Jie |
| 382 OOSTWOUDE Ewardus | 386 VAN DUIN Rianne |
| 383 TROMER Laurens | 387 VERMAAS Kim |

Norway

- | | |
|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 390 BERNER Sondre | 394 CARLSEN Rebekka |
| 391 LINDHOLM Eskil | 395 DOVAL Ilka |
| 392 WAERSTAD Marcus | 396 GJELLE Maja Haugen |
| 393 WETZEL Adrian Evensen | |

Poland

- | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 400 BADOWSKI Marek | 405 BAJOR Natalia |
| 401 DYJAS Jakub | 406 GRZYBOWSKA Katarzyna |
| 402 FLORAS Robert | 407 KUSINSKA Klaudia |
| 403 GORAK Daniel | 408 LI Qian |
| 404 WANG Zeng Yi | 409 PARTYKA Natalia |

Portugal

- | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| 410 APOLONIA Tiago | 415 FU Yu |
| 411 CHEN Diogo | 416 MARTINS Catia |
| 412 FREITAS Marcos | 417 OLIVEIRA Leila |
| 413 GERALDO João | 418 SHAO Jieni |
| 414 MONTEIRO João | |

MEN'S AND WOMENS' TEAMS (176 +150 PLAYERS)

- Romania**
- 420 CRISAN Adrian
421 IONESCU Ovidiu
422 PLETEA Cristian
423 SIPOS Rares
424 SZOCS Hunor
- 430 ISMAILOV Sadi
431 IVONIN Denis
432 SHIBAEV Alexander
433 SIDORENKO Vladimir
434 VLASOV Grigory
- 440 CAMERON Niall
441 DALGLEISH Colin
442 HOWIESON Craig
443 RUMGAY Gavin
- 450 JORGIC Darko
451 KOZUL Deni
452 TOKIC Bojan
453 ZIBRAT Jan
- 460 CREPULJA Bojan
461 KARAKASEVIC Aleksandar
462 PETO Zsolt
463 SUBOTIC Dragan
- 470 CHAMPOD Nicolas
471 KARIN Filip
472 TSCHANZ Cedric
473 WEBER Lionel
- 425 DIACONU Adina
426 DRAGOMAN Andreea
427 MONTEIRO-DODEAN Daniela
428 SAMARA Elizabeta
429 SZOCS Bernadette Cynthia
- Russia**
- 435 GUSEVA Ekaterina
436 MIKHAYLOVA Polina
437 NOSKOVA Yana
438 TAILAKOVA Mariia
439 VOROBEOVA Olga
- Scotland**
- 444 EDWARDS Gillian
445 ELLIOTT Lucy
446 FLAWS Lynda
447 PLAISTOW Rebecca
- Slovenia**
- 454 FAJMUT Manca
455 GALIC Alex
456 PAVCNIK Tamara
457 TOFANT Ana
- Serbia**
- 464 LUPULESKU Izabela
465 SURJAN Sabina
466 TODOROVIC Andrea
467 VIGNJEVIC Dragana
- Switzerland**
- 474 ASCHWANDEN Rahel
475 MORET Rachel
476 REUST Celine

MEN'S AND WOMENS' TEAMS (176 +150 PLAYERS)

Slovakia

480 BAI He

481 PISTEJ Lubomir

482 SEREDA Peter

483 WANG Yang

484 BALAZOVA Barbora

485 JURKOVA Eva

486 KUKULKOVA Tatiana

487 TRUKSOVA Lucia

Sweden

490 GERELL Pär

491 KALLBERG Anton

492 KARLSSON Kristian

493 KARLSSON Mattias

494 PERSSON Jon

495 BERGSTRÖM Linda

496 EKHOLM Matilda

497 KALLBERG Stina

498 LI Fen

Turkey

500 GÜNDÜZ Ibrahim

501 LI Ahmet

502 MENGE Gencay

503 YIGENLER Abdullah Talha

504 HARAC Ece

505 HU Melek

506 ONER Aybuke

507 YILMAZ Ozge

Ukraine

510 KOU Lei

511 PRYSHCHEPA Yevhen

512 YEFIMOV Viktor

513 ZHMUDENKO Yaroslav

514 BILENKO Tetyana

515 BRATEYKO Solomiya

516 GAPONOVA Ganna

517 PESOTSKA Margaryta

Wales

520 CUNDY Dean

521 EVANS Callum

522 O'CONNELL Daniel

523 STACEY Joshua

524 CAREY Charlotte

525 HURSEY Anna

526 THOMAS Chloe



PAST EUROPEAN CHAMPIONS (2015-1958)

Year	Location	Men's Team	Women's Team
2015	Ekaterinburg (RUS)	Austria	Germany
2014	Lisbon (POR)	Portugal	Germany
2013	Schwechat (AUT)	Germany	Germany
2011	Gdansk/Sopot (POL)	Germany	Netherlands
2010	Ostrava (CZE)	Germany	Netherlands
2009	Stuttgart (GER)	Germany	Netherlands
2008	St. Petersburg (RUS)	Germany	Netherlands
2007	Belgrade (SRB)	Germany	Hungary
2005	Aarhus (DEN)	Denmark	Romania
2003	Courmayeur (ITA)	Belarus	Italy
2002	Zagreb (HRV)	Sweden	Romania
2000	Bremen (GER)	Sweden	Hungary
1998	Eindhoven (NED)	France	Germany
1996	Bratislava (SVK)	Sweden	Germany
1994	Birmingham (ENG)	France	Russia
1992	Stuttgart (GER)	Sweden	Romania
1990	Gothenburg (SWE)	Sweden	Hungary
1988	Paris (FRA)	Sweden	Soviet Union
1986	Prague (TCH)	Sweden	Hungary
1984	Mosccow (URSS)	France	Soviet Union
1982	Budapest (HUN)	Hungary	Hungary
1980	Bern (SUI)	Sweden	Soviet Union
1978	Duisburg (BDR)	Hungary	Hungary
1976	Prague (TCH)	Yugoslavia	Soviet Union
1974	Novi Sad (YUG)	Sweden	Soviet Union
1972	Rotterdam (NED)	Sweden	Hungary
1970	Moscow (URSS)	Sweden	Soviet Union
1968	Lyon (FRA)	Sweden	FR Germany
1966	London (ENG)	Sweden	Hungary
1964	Malmö (SWE)	Sweden	England
1962	Berlin (BDR)	Yugoslavia	FR Germany
1960	Zagreb (YUG)	Hungary	Hungary
1958	Budapest (HUN)	Hungary	England

Austria



CURRENT EUROPEAN MEDALLISTS

Men's Singles

Gold Emmanuel LEBESSON (FRA)

Silver Simon GAUZY (FRA)

Bronze Jakub DYJAS (POL) and Timo BOLL (GER)

Women's Singles

Gold HU Melek (TUR)

Silver YU Fu (POR)

Bronze LI Jie (NED) and Elizabeta SAMARA (Romania)

Men's Doubles

Gold Patrick FRANZISKA (GER) / Jonathan GROTH (DEN)

Silver Jakub DYJAS / Daniel GORAK (POL)

Bronze Kristian KARLSSON / Mattias KARLSSON (SWE)

Bronze Tiago APOLONIA / João GERALDO (POR)

Women's Doubles

Gold Kristin SILBEREISEN / Sabine WINTER (GER)

Silver Xiaona SHAN / Petrisa SOLJA (GER)

Bronze Dora MADARASZ / Szandra PERGEL (HUN)

Bronze Daniela MONTEIRO DODEAN / Elizabeta SAMARA (ROU)

Mixed Doubles

Gold João MONTEIRO (POR) / Daniela MONTEIRO DODEAN (ROU)

Silver Mattias KARLSSON / Matilda EKHOLM (SWE)

Bronze Aleksandar KARAKASEVIC (SRB)/ Ruta PASKAUSKIENE (LTU)

Bronze Ovidiu IONESCU / Bernadette SZOCS (ROU)

2015 - Ekaterinburg (RUS)

Men's Team Event

Gold Austria

Silver Germany

Bronze Belarus and France

Women's Team's Event

Gold Germany

Silver Romania

Bronze Russia and Ukraine

Emmanuel LEBESSON



Melek HU



CURRENT OLYMPIC MEDALLISTS

2016 Olympic Games Rio de Janeiro / Brazil

Men's Singles

Gold MA Long (CHN)

Silver ZHANG Jike (CHN)

Bronze Jun MIZUTANI (JPN)

Women's Singles

Gold DING Ning (CHN)

Silver LI Xiaoxia (CHN)

Bronze KIM Song I (PRK)

Men's Team

Gold China

Silver Japan

Bronze Germany

Women's Team

Gold China

Silver Germany

Bronze Japan

CURRENT OLYMPIC MEDALLISTS



Dimitrij OVTCHAROV



MEN'S EUROPEAN RANKINGS

1. OVTCHAROV Dimitrij	GER	2965	02-Sep-88
2. BOLL Timo	GER	2793	08-Mar-81
3. SAMSONOV Vladimir	BLR	2732	17-Apr-76
4. GAUZY Simon	FRA	2606	25-Oct-94
5. FREITAS Marcos	POR	2579	08-Apr-88
6. KARLSSON Mattias	SWE	2494	07-Sep-91
7. GIONIS Panagiotis	GRE	2478	07-Jan-80
8. FILUS Ruwen	GER	2474	14-Feb-88
9. FEGERL Stefan	AUT	2468	12-Sep-88
10. KARLSSON Kristian	SWE	2465	06-Aug-91
11. LEBESSON Emmanuel	FRA	2464	24-Apr-88
12. KOU Lei	UKR	2452	20-Nov-87
13. APOLONIA Tiago	POR	2440	28-Jul-86
14. STEGER Bastian	GER	2439	19-Mar-81
15. SHIBAEV Alexander	RUS	2437	09-Sep-90
16. GROTH Jonathan	DEN	2425	09-Nov-92
17. DRINKHALL Paul	ENG	2414	16-Jan-90
18. WALTHER Ricardo	GER	2373	30-Nov-91
19. GERELL Pär	SWE	2357	23-Jun-82
20. GACINA Andrej	CRO	2341	21-May-86
21. MONTEIRO João	POR	2340	29-Aug-83
22. DUDA Benedikt	GER	2331	04-Apr-94
23. GARDOS Robert	AUT	2325	16-Jan-79
24. FLORE Tristan	FRA	2322	02-Jan-95
25. DYJAS Jakub	POL	2320	09-Oct-95
26. FRANZISKA Patrick	GER	2317	11-Jun-92
27. TOKIC Bojan	SLO	2317	13-Jan-81
28. PITCHFORD Liam	ENG	2286	12-Jul-93
29. WANG Zengyi	POL	2275	24-Jun-83
30. IONESCU Ovidiu	ROU	2271	28-Jun-89
MATTENET Adrien	FRA	2241	15-Oct-87
31. SZOCS Hunor	ROU	2237	24-Mar-92
32. MENGEL Steffen	GER	2233	02-Aug-88
33. WANG Yang	SVK	2231	24-Sep-94

MEN'S EUROPEAN RANKINGS

34. CRISAN Adrian	ROU	2209	07-May-80
35. CHEN Weixing	AUT	2205	27-Apr-72
36. KONECNY Tomas	CZE	2196	23-Oct-85
37. ROBINOT Quentin	FRA	2189	07-Jan-93
OUAICHE Stephane	FRA	2188	18-Sep-93
38. PUCAR Tomislav	CRO	2186	26-Jan-96
39. GERALDO Joao	POR	2171	29-Sep-95
40. NUYTINCK Cedric	BEL	2159	06-Jan-93
41. BAUM Patrick	GER	2153	23-Jun-87
42. ROBLES Alvaro	ESP	2148	29-Apr-91
43. LI Ahmet ^	TUR	2147	12-Jan-91
44. PROKOPCOV Dmitrij	CZE	2143	05-Jan-80
45. GORAK Daniel	POL	2142	09-Oct-83
46. VLASOV Grigory	RUS	2140	15-Aug-84
47. HABESOHN Daniel	AUT	2133	22-Jul-86
PATTANTYUS Adam	HUN	2127	10-Oct-78
48. KALLBERG Anton	SWE	2122	17-Aug-97
49. OLAH Benedek	FIN	2111	29-Mar-91
50. PERSSON Jon	SWE	2099	23-Oct-86
51. PAIKOV Mikhail	RUS	2098	31-Jul-89
52. HACHARD Antoine	FRA	2093	06-Mar-94
53. BOBOCICA Mihai	ITA	2090	08-Sep-86
54. LUNDQVIST Jens	SWE	2078	29-Aug-79
55. JANCARIK Lubomir	CZE	2078	17-Aug-87
56. PISTEJ Lubomir	SVK	2074	06-Mar-84
57. WANG Xi ^^	GER	2069	01-Jan-84
58. SALIFOU Abdel-Kader	FRA	2055	07-Dec-89
59. LIVENTSOV Alexey	RUS	2051	02-Nov-81
60. SKACHKOV Kirill	RUS	2050	06-Aug-87
61. ZHMUDENKO Yaroslav	UKR	2049	24-Sep-88
62. YEFIMOV Viktor	UKR	2049	07-Dec-88
63. MACHADO Carlos	ESP	2031	18-Jun-80
64. BROSSIER Benjamin	FRA	2030	24-Jan-94
65. WALKER Samuel	ENG	2024	07-May-95

MEN'S EUROPEAN RANKINGS

KREANGA Kalinikos	GRE	2020	08-Mar-72
66. CANTERO Jesus	ESP	2018	09-Mar-82
67. PAPAGEORGIOU K.	GRE	2008	26-Mar-79
68. AKKUZU Can	FRA	1984	23-May-97
69. LAKEEV Vasily	RUS	1982	07-Nov-84
70. TREGLER Tomas	CZE	1980	01-Nov-90
VRABLIK Jiri	CZE	1980	12-Mar-83
71. BAI He ^	SVK	1979	01-Nov-87
72. LAKATOS Tamas	HUN	1978	12-Aug-95
73. DEVOS Robin	BEL	1976	17-Apr-94
74. ANDERSSON Harald	SWE	1965	29-Sep-91
75. FLORAS Robert	POL	1965	13-Jul-92
76. BAGGALEY Andrew	ENG	1963	26-Feb-83
ANGLES Enzo	FRA	1962	02-May-95
77. ROBINOT Alexandre	FRA	1961	03-Oct-95
78. STOYANOV Niagol	ITA	1946	31-May-87
79. OBESLO Michal	CZE	1940	02-Aug-89
80. LORENTZ Romain	FRA	1935	08-Jan-93
81. LANDRIEU Andrea	FRA	1934	16-Jan-96
82. NORDBERG Hampus	SWE	1919	05-Sep-87
83. DIDUKH Oleksandr	UKR	1913	12-Feb-82
KUZMIN Fedor	RUS	1906	17-Apr-83
84. ORT Kilian	GER	1897	27-Apr-96
85. SIRUCEK Pavel	CZE	1891	20-Nov-92
86. ARVIDSSON Simon	SWE	1889	14-Jan-90
87. SEREDA Peter	SVK	1881	13-Jan-84
88. BRODD Viktor	SWE	1876	11-Jul-90
89. ISMAILOV Sadi	RUS	1875	04-Nov-96
90. JORGIC Darko	SLO	1874	30-Jul-98
91. KOSIBA Daniel	HUN	1870	03-Oct-91
92. PLATONOV Pavel	BLR	1869	28-Sep-83
93. LAMBIET Florent	BEL	1866	22-Dec-95
MUTTI Leonardo	ITA	1859	20-Jul-95
94. BUROV Viacheslav	RUS	1857	27-Mar-85



HAN Ying

WOMEN'S EUROPEAN RANKINGS

1. HAN Ying ^	GER	3011	29-Apr-83
2. SHAN Xiaona ^	GER	2843	18-Jan-83
3. LI Jie	NED	2820	06-Mar-84
4. LIU Jia	AUT	2797	16-Feb-82
5. HU Melek	TUR	2795	27-Jan-89
6. SAMARA Elizabeta	ROU	2783	15-Apr-89
7. SOLJA Petrisa	GER	2783	11-Mar-94
8. POTA Georgina	HUN	2757	13-Jan-85
9. EKHOLM Matilda	SWE	2728	15-Jun-82
10. YU Fu ^	POR	2722	29-Nov-78
11. LI Qian	POL	2674	30-Jul-86
12. MONTEIRO DODEAN D.	ROU	2670	13-Jan-88
13. POLCANOVA Sofia	AUT	2647	03-Sep-94
14. WINTER Sabine	GER	2645	27-Sep-92
15. LI Fen ^	SWE	2628	25-Aug-76
16. SILBEREISEN Kristin	GER	2617	14-Mar-8
YANG Xiaoxin ^	MON	2593	08-Jan-88
17. BILENKO Tetyana	UKR	2559	23-Nov-83
18. NI Xia Lian	LUX	2554	04-Jul-63
19. SZOCS Bernadette	ROU	2553	05-Mar-95
20. PAVLOVICH Viktoria	BLR	2543	08-May-78
21. MIKHAILOVA Polina	RUS	2510	31-Aug-86
22. PARTYKA Natalia	POL	2500	27-Jul-89
23. EERLAND Britt	NED	2469	22-Feb-94
24. VACENOVSKA Iveta	CZE	2441	22-Mar-86
BALAZOVA Barbora	SVK	2437	18-Mar-92
25. XIAO Maria	ESP	2424	19-May-94
26. DOLGIKH Maria	RUS	2407	24-Jul-87
27. GRZYBOWSKA-FRANC K.	POL	2393	30-Apr-89
28. SHAO Jieni ^	POR	2378	25-Jan-94
29. PERGEL Szandra	HUN	2375	24-Dec-88
30. NOSKOVA Yana	RUS	2369	02-Feb-94
31. DIACONU Adina	ROU	2363	14-Oct-99
32. MATELOVA Hana	CZE	2343	08-Jun-90

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33. STRBIKOVA Renata	CZE	2325	06-Aug-79
34. MADARASZ Dora	HUN	2323	03-Sep-93
35. GAPONOVA Ganna	UKR	2319	28-Oct-85
36. TIKHOMIROVA Anna	RUS	2306	04-Dec-84
PROKHOROVA Yulia	RUS	2283	15-Jul-87
37. DVORAK Galia	ESP	2280	01-Apr-88
38. ODOROVA Eva	SVK	2276	22-Nov-79
39. CECHOVA Dana	CZE	2272	03-Sep-83
40. PASKAUSKIENE Ruta	LTU	2257	29-Mar-77
41. LIU Judith ^	FRA	2244	11-Dec-95
42. SOLJA Amelie ^	AUT	2229	29-Sep-90
LI Qiangbing	AUT	2226	30-Apr-85
43. MA Wenting ^^	NOR	2223	27-Sep-90
44. DE NUTTE Sarah	LUX	2217	21-Nov-92
45. NING Jing ^	AZE	2216	16-Mar-00
46. CIOBANU Irina	ROU	2208	05-Aug-95
47. MITTELHAM Nina	GER	2197	23-Nov-96
48. SABITOVA Valentina	RUS	2190	11-Apr-90
49. IACOB Camelia	ROU	2188	16-Jul-92
50. RAMIREZ Sara	ESP	2184	04-Sep-87
51. TIAN Yuan	CRO	2170	12-Jan-75
52. MORET Rachel	SUI	2169	23-Nov-89
53. MANTZ Chantal	GER	2163	26-Jun-96
54. VOROBEVA Olga	RUS	2154	12-Oct-90
54. TAILAKOVA Mariia	RUS	2143	12-Mar-01
56. GALIC Alex	SLO	2140	29-Jul-94
STEFANSKA Kinga	POL	2121	22-Jan-80
57. GASNIER Laura	FRA	2119	10-Jul-93
58. BLAZHKO Anna	RUS	2108	02-Sep-94
59. LOEUILLETTE Stephanie	FRA	2104	27-Jul-92
60. KULIKOVA Olga	RUS	2099	14-Jun-93
61. BERGSTROM Linda	SWE	2096	12-Jan-95
62. KUSINSKA Klaudia	POL	2087	22-Feb-93
63. TROSHNEVA Elena	RUS	2073	16-Feb-89

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64. ARLOUSKAYA Alina	BLR	2054	20-Jul-95
SAVELYEVA Antonina	RUS	2045	15-Apr-86
65. BAJOR Natalia	POL	2035	07-Mar-97
66. DRAGOMAN Andreea	ROU	2033	18-Aug-00
67. AMBRUS Krisztina	HUN	2015	24-Aug-92
68. NAGYVARADI Mercedes	HUN	2004	18-May-94
69. WAN Yuan	GER	1999	23-May-97
70. ZARIF Audrey	FRA	1998	23-Jul-98
71. CHASSELIN Pauline	FRA	1997	01-Aug-97
72. GUSEVA Ekaterina	RUS	1991	29-Jan-96
73. SIKORSKA Magdalena	POL	1984	31-May-86
SIBLEY Kelly	ENG	1984	21-May-88
74. BALINT Bernadett ^^	HUN	1965	15-Feb-96
75. ALTINKAYA Sibel ^^	TUR	1962	01-Feb-93
76. LENNON Emmanuelle	FRA	1949	27-Jun-87
77. LUNG Lisa	BEL	1945	29-Jun-99
78. VINOGRADOVA Mariia	RUS	1924	10-Oct-87
79. TOMANOVSKA Katerina	CZE	1924	24-Aug-95
80. KOLISH Anastasia	RUS	1924	12-Jan-01
81. JEGER Mateja	CRO	1923	13-Jan-95
82. TRIGOLOS Daria	BLR	1918	17-Jul-99
HO Tin-Tin	ENG	1918	03-Sep-98
83. MIGOT Marie	FRA	1915	19-May-98
84. TOLIOU Aikaterini	GRE	1914	21-Aug-95
85. MALANINA Maria	RUS	1912	13-Feb-98
86. SHCHERBATYKH Valeria	RUS	1903	25-Dec-98
87. GUISNEL Oceane	FRA	1901	09-Apr-98
88. TIMINA Yana	NED	1886	15-May-75
89. VASYLIEVA Ievgeniia	UKR	1886	07-Aug-90
90. ZHANG Xuan	ESP	1876	14-Sep-99
91. FAJMUT Manca	SLO	1874	26-Nov-90
92. BRATEYKO Solomiya	UKR	1868	24-Feb-99

* players without the position number are 4-8 months inactive players

MEDIA GUIDELINES

The media is an essential part of the success of the LIEBHERR ITTF European Championships, so the ITTF and ETTU wants to create the best possible atmosphere for the media to work.

In return, the ITTF and ETTU asks the media to adhere to the below guidelines to ensure that the players, spectators, TV viewers and competition management will also have the best event possible.

Photographers

- Photographers are only allowed onto the field of play (FoP) with an official bib issued by the organizing committee.
- A bib can be obtained at the welcome desk, by leaving an ID as deposit. This bib must be returned at the end of each day.
- Any photographers / accredited press on the FoP without a bib will be asked to leave immediately.
- Only a limited number of photographers will be allowed on the FoP. This will be determined by level of importance, then a first come, first served basis. If you are unable to enter the FoP, the ITTF will provide your agency with the photos that you need. Photographers will be able to take photos from the tribune.
- Only photographers with professional cameras will be given an official bib to enter the FoP.
- As photographers are seen by spectators and on television, they are required to dress presentably whilst on the FoP (collared shirt / blouse, long pants / skirts and covered shoes).
- Each day there will be a diagram indicating where photographers are allowed on the FoP. Photographers found outside this area will be asked to leave the FoP.
- Photographers are required to bring their own stool / chairs onto the FoP.
- Photographers must not bring anything except their camera and one spare lens onto the FoP. No laptop and no bags are permitted.
- Photographers are not allowed to move during or in between points.
- Photographers can only move during time outs and in between games.
- Strictly no flash photography is allowed on the FoP.
- Photographers are not allowed in the mixed zone.
- Photographers are allowed to take photos from the press tribune if they are not disrupting anyone.
- Photographers are only permitted to take still pictures and not videos.

Mixed Zone

The priority for accredited media's access to players and officials in the mixed zone will be as follows:

- Host Broadcaster
- Television Rights Holders
- ITTF and ETTU Interviews
- Television Non-rights holders TV Interviews
- Radio Interviews
- Written Press

There will be set areas for each of the above categories, with the higher priority media getting access to the players first.

Filming Rights for Field of Play and Mixed Zone

1. All Crews Have The Right To Film:

- Press conferences following the Draw and after the main matches (note all filming must be done at the back on the room on the designated platforms).
- Interviews in the mixed zone.
- Private interviews in the interview room.

Non-rights holders may NOT film match action on the FoP. If non-TV rights holders would like to have access to match footages, they must contact ITTF's media rights holder. Please approach any ITTF Staff who will put you in contact with the representative from the media rights holder present at the venue.

2. Rights Holders Have The Right To Film:

- Match action on the FoP, proving they have permission from the HB that they are not disrupting the world feed.
- Presentations, training and warm up on the FoP.
- One-to-one Interviews:
 - After the Draw
 - After each press conference
 - Training in the training hall.

Any unauthorized filming may result in the revoking of the relevant media accreditation.

MEDIA GUIDELINES

Media Centre and Press Tribune

Only accredited media are permitted into the media centre and are not allowed to bring in guests.

As the media centre is a place for work, media must keep the noise to a minimum.

General

Television, radio, or written interviews may only take place in the mixed zone (after matches), and in the interview room during the press conference.

If the accredited media would like to have a one-to-one interview with a player, they must organize this through the OC press team or the ETTU Press Manager, and should not approach the player themselves outside the mixed zone or press conference room.

The Organizing Committee (OC) Media operations staff will manage all photographers onsite and be present to assist photographers with queries, photo position placement and will enforce the guidelines stated herein.

For clarification on any item, please email ITTF's Head of Communications Matt Pound at mpound@ittf.com and ETTU Media Manager Milica Nikolic at press@ettu.org.

FACILITIES WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PRESS

1. Press center 1 (in the basement of the venue):

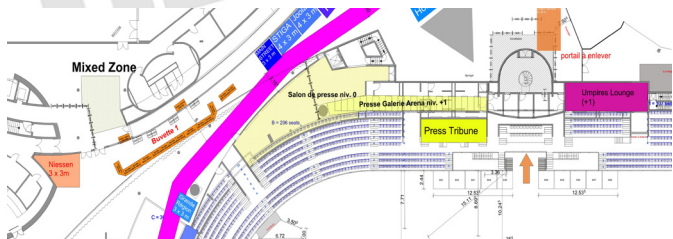
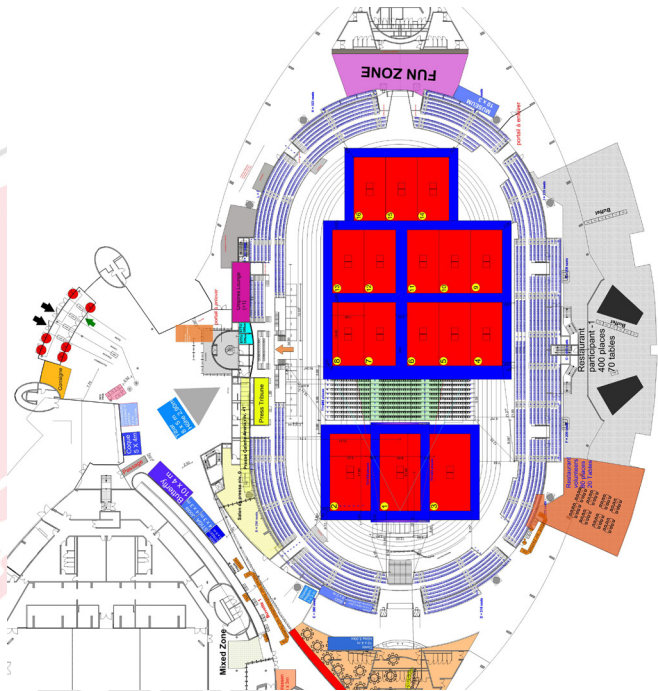
- +/- 20 seats:
- ✓ 20 internet cable
- ✓ WIFI

2. Press center 2 (with view on the show courts):

- +/- 30 seats:
- ✓ WIFI

3. Press tribune (with view on the show courts):

- +/-20 seats:
- ✓ internet cable





Luxembourg

The tourist offer in Luxembourg has never before been as rich and diverse as today. With three tourist sites registered as UNESCO World Heritage, a thousand-year old multicultural capital and five tourist regions with their very own characteristics, the Grand Duchy offers on a small surface of 2.586 km² a huge variety of tourist attractions.

Despite its spectacular modernization in the last few decades, Luxembourg city remains a metropolis on a human scale, shaped by tradition and modernity and with great natural surroundings. The old town around the Grand Ducal Palace has been part of UNESCO World Heritage list since 1994.

Outside the city, in the Guttland region, cultural heritage is omnipresent with an impressive range of enchanted, picturesque villages, mysterious castles and great landscapes. In the north, the Ardennes enchant with their pristine hilly landscapes, their wonderful hiking trails and their fascinating castles.

Wooded highlands and rocky formations characterize the hilly landscapes of the Mullerthal Region – Luxembourg's Little Switzerland, also known for its certified Mullerthal trail.

With its mild climate, the Moselle region is ideal for culinary adventures and intrinsically linked to wine tourism. The “red rocks” region in the south is synonymous with the country's former steel industry and to one of the most impressive urban developments in Europe. The region also features exciting mountain bike tracks, next to a complete offer for cycling tourists in the whole country.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Media Services

Media Centre

On the ground level there is a media centre with all the facilities media need to conduct their work. The media centres will provide accredited media with access to working areas, free high-speed internet access, media tools, tea, coffee and snacks.

Media Centre Opening Hours

Dates	12 September	13-17 September	18 September
Open	09:00	9:00	9:00
Close	21:00	one hour after the last match finishes	22:00

Field Photographer

To go onto the field of play, photographers must first obtain a bib from the press centre. A piece of ID must be given as deposit in order to receive the bib. Photographers are obliged to wear this bib at all times whilst on the field of play and must follow the accredited media guidelines.

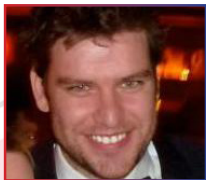
Mixed Zone

After every match, all the players will pass through the mixed zone. This gives the accredited media the opportunity to interact one on one with the players and the teams. The first part of the mixed zone is dedicated to TV broadcasters and they have the first priority to speak to the players. The second part of the mixed zone is for the written press.

Press Conferences

After the men's and women's gold medal match, there will be a press conference with the champion and runner up.

MEDIA CONTACTS

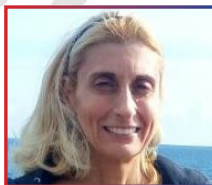


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