



# World Rowing Cup Media Guide **2023 Season**



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# Sustainability and World Rowing

**Protecting and enhancing the wellbeing of communities and ecosystems through the sport of rowing.**

In the practice of our sport we inevitably impact the people, communities and environment. WE have a responsibility as rowers to protect and preserve all that we touch through our sport, minimising negative impacts and seeking to make positive impacts instead.

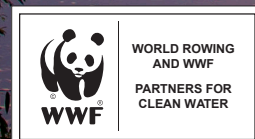
As an organisation World Rowing integrates sustainability principles and objectives into its day-to-day operations and decision-making processes.

As the global custodian of the sport of rowing, World Rowing's role is to lead our communities and facilitate a positive contribution by rowers and rowing to the wellbeing of people, communities and the environment.

**We call it our 'sustainability race plan'**

**In implementing this policy World Rowing is guided by**

- Biodiversity
- Clean water
- Climate action
- Diversity and inclusion
- Responsible consumption
- Fair and equitable treatment
- Partnerships, education and grassroots activism





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**ORIGIN**

The boat was human's most significant mode of transport for centuries and the oar is considered to be the most important invention before the wheel.

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The first representation of a rowing boat was discovered in Finland and dates back to 5 800 BC.

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The earliest regatta was held in 1274 in Venice, Italy, where regattas developed as challenges between gondoliers and boatmen.

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**OLYMPIC ROWING REGATTA**

Rowing became an Olympic sport in 1896, at the first Olympic Games of the modern era held in Athens, Greece. Rough seas, however, forced the event to be cancelled. Women's events were added to the Olympic programme in 1976 and lightweight events in 1996.

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Para rowing first appeared at the Paralympic Games in 2008.

**WORLD ROWING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The first World Rowing Championships were held in 1962 in Lucerne, Switzerland. It is now the biggest annual World Rowing event. This year, it will be held in Belgrade, Serbia in September.

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Women's boat classes were included on the World Championship programme in 1974. Lightweight categories featured from 1985. In 2018, the programme became gender equal. Para rowing was added in 2002, originally over 1000m. It is now fully integrated at 2000m.

## About rowing



### THE BOATS

Boats, or shells, were traditionally made from wood. Top level boats are now fabricated from composite materials such as carbon fibre and kevlar. There's a small fin fitted beneath the boat for directional stability and a rudder for steering (except some sculling boats).

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A white ball (bow ball) is attached to the bow for safety and judging precision of the start and finish of races. Seats are fitted with wheels which roll on runners or tracks.



### THE OARS

Oars are hollow to reduce weight, attached to the boat by adjustable outriggers. The size and shape of oars is unrestricted, the average length of a sweep oar is 3.70m and of a scull 2.85m.



### MORE ROWING

World Rowing has grown to include indoor rowing, with the World Rowing Indoor Rowing Championships, first being raced in 2018.

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The World Rowing Coastal Championships were first held 2007 and take place annually. This is the rough-water version and is raced on the sea or large lakes. The boats are designed to handle rough water and waves. The World Rowing Beach Sprint Finals are the newest event, added in 2019.



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The World Rowing Federation is the governing body of the sport of rowing. It is empowered by its 157-member National Rowing Federations, the National Olympic Committees and the International Olympic Committee, to govern the sport of rowing.

World Rowing was previously called FISA (from the French, Fédération Internationale des Sociétés d’Aviron) with a full name change to World Rowing coming into effect in 2020.

World Rowing sets the rules and regulations for the practice of the sport in all its forms (elite, para rowing, coastal, masters and aspects of indoor). It organises sanctioned World Rowing events including those for under-19 and under-23s. It provides advice and expertise for the organisation of rowing regattas, events, coaching education, rowing development and other matters relating to the sport and its development.

In 2017 World Rowing, as FISA, celebrated its 125th anniversary. It was founded by representatives from Belgium, France, Italy, Switzerland and Adriatica (now a part of Italy) in Turin, Italy on 25 June 1892. It is the oldest international sports federation in the Olympic movement. World Rowing established its first headquarters in Lausanne, Switzerland in 1922 and, after moving away, it returned to Lausanne in February 1996. Lausanne is the home of the International Olympic Committee.



### WORLD ROWING'S VISION

To encourage the development of the sport of rowing and strengthen the bonds that unite all who enjoy the sport.



### WORLD ROWING'S MISSION

To make rowing a universally practised and globally relevant sport in all its forms. To effectively and efficiently govern, develop, showcase and promote the sport of rowing and respect and protect the environment when practising the sport.

### World Rowing's Guiding Principles

- **Priority to Rowers and Rowing:** The interests, well-being and health of the rowers are always at the centre of our sport. World Rowing directs its work in the interests of rowers and rowing
- **Rowing in all its Forms:** World Rowing recognises the value of the different forms of rowing that exist globally and that enable the sport to be practised by people of differing ages, abilities and training objectives. World Rowing seeks to both represent and develop all of these different forms of rowing.
- **Equality of Opportunity & Fairness:** World Rowing seeks to ensure fairness and equality of opportunity, both in competition and across all levels of the organisation.
- **Inclusion & Non-Discrimination:** World Rowing is committed to inclusion and accessibility, strives for gender equality and does not tolerate any form of discrimination.
- **Integrity:** World Rowing is committed to the highest ethical standards, is a recognised leader in the fight against doping and is dedicated to preventing the manipulation of competitions.
- **Sustainability:** World Rowing carefully assesses sustainability in all its actions and decisions. FISA endorses a responsible and sustainable approach to the planning and staging of its events so as to maximise positive impacts and minimise negative impacts on the environment and surrounding communities.
- **Autonomy & Independence:** World Rowing undertakes to preserve the independence and autonomy of international sport.
- **Integral Part of World Sport:** World Rowing seeks to ensure a leading position for rowing in the world of sport. World Rowing is an integral member of the Olympic and Paralympic movements and other leading world sports organisations. World Rowing at events

**Core values of Rowing**

<b>Fairness</b>	In a spirit of fair play, rowers learn self-discipline, the need for commitment and respect for their opponents.
<b>Teamwork</b>	Rowers learn that by working together to achieve a common goal everyone achieves more.
<b>Inclusiveness</b>	Rowers combine into a single and cooperative community, irrespective of race, gender, orientation, creed, age or ability.
<b>Timeless</b>	Rowers pass on time-honoured values and shared experiences from past to future generations.
<b>Environmental awareness</b>	Rowers respect and safeguard the water and its surroundings.

**World Rowing activities during international events:**

- The Umpiring Commission, chaired by Patrick Rombaut, supervises and advises the Jury.
- The Events Commission, chaired by Eva Szanto, oversees the preparation, technical aspects and running of event.
- The Competitive Commission, chaired by Rosie Mayglothling, is in charge of competition regulation such as the fairness committee and coach support.

- The Sports Medicine Commission, chaired by Juergen Steinacker, oversees all medical aspects of the competition, including anti-doping.
- World Rowing's Executive Director, Vincent Gaillard, represents the Executive Committee in overseeing the operation of the event.

For more information: <https://worldrowing.com/about/organisation/>

**World Rowing events**

- World Rowing Championships
- World Rowing Cup (annual series of three regattas)
- World Rowing Under 23 Championships
- World Rowing Under 19 Championships
- World Rowing Indoor Championships
- World Rowing Coastal Championships
- World Rowing Beach Sprint Finals



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## Boat classes

### Olympic boat classes

Rowing events are either sculling or sweep events. In sculling (denoted by an 'x'), each rower has two oars whereas in sweep rowing (denoted by a '-' for boats without coxswains and '+' for coxed boats) each person in the boat has one oar.

Men	Women
Single sculls (M1x)	Single sculls (W1x)
Double sculls (M2x)	Double sculls (W2x)
Quadruple sculls (M4x)	Quadruple sculls (W4x)
Pair (M2-)	Pair (W2-)
Four (M4-)	Four (W4-)
Eight (M8+)	Eight (W8+)

### International boat classes

Men	Women
Lightweight single sculls (LM1x)	Lightweight single sculls (LW1x)

### Para rowing boat classes

PR1 single sculls (PR1M1x, PR1W1x)

PR2 single sculls (PR2M1x, PR2W1x)

PR2 mixed double sculls (PR2Mix2x)

PR3 pair (PR3 M2-, PR3W2-)

PR3 mixed double sculls (PR3mix2x)

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## World Rowing regatta calendar

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### 2023 CALENDAR

May			
5-7	Zagreb	CRO	World Rowing Cup I
20-21	Brive-la-Gaillarde	FRA	European Rowing Under 19 Championships
25-28	Bled	SLO	European Rowing Championships
June			
16-18	Varese	ITA	World Rowing Cup II
July			
7-9	Lucerne	SUI	World Rowing Cup III
19-23	Plovdiv	BUL	World Rowing Under 23 Championships
August			
2-6	Paris	FRA	World Rowing Under 19 Championships
4-6	Chengdu	CHN	FISU World University Games
5-12	Bali	IND	World Beach Games
26-27	Krefeld	GER	European Rowing Under 23 Championships
September			
31 August-3 September	La-Seyne-Sur-Mer	FRA	2023 European Rowing Coastal & Beach Sprint Championships
3-10	Belgrade	SRB	World Rowing Championships
21-24	Pretoria	RSA	World Rowing Masters Regatta
October			
28 September-1 October	Barletta	ITA	World Rowing Beach Sprint Finals
4-7	Barletta	ITA	World Rowing Coastal Championships

### 2024 CALENDAR

February			
24-25	Prague	CZE	World Rowing Indoor Championships
April			
12-14	Varese	ITA	World Rowing Cup I
May			
3-5	Szeged	HUN	European Rowing Championships
18-19	Location TBD		European Under 19 Championships
24-26	Lucerne	SUI	World Rowing Cup II
June			
14-16	Poznan	POL	World Rowing Cup III
July			
27-3 August	Paris	FRA	Paris 2024 Olympic Games
August			
18-23	St Catharines	CAN	World Rowing Championships, Under 23 & Under 19 Championships
30/1 September	Paris	FRA	Paris 2024 Paralympic Games
September			
11-15	Bradenburg	GER	World Rowing Masters Regatta

#### Still dates to be confirmed

- Continental qualification regattas for the 2024 Paris Olympic and Paralympic Games – Africa, Asia & Oceania, Europe, Americas, Final Olympic and Paralympic qualification regattas.
- World Rowing Beach Sprint Finals & Coastal Championships (attributed to Genoa, Italy)
- European Rowing Under 23 Championships (attributed to Edirne, Turkiye)

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## Media Information



## Key Media Information

### Media accreditation

All media accreditations should be submitted through World Rowing at <https://worldrowing.com/media-centre>. Last-minute media accreditation requests should be made directly to [media@worldrowing.com](mailto:media@worldrowing.com). All filming and broadcasters (whether national or international) need to be approved by World Rowing. A media accreditation confirmation email will be sent to media having requested accreditation for this event. Accreditation can be collected on site upon arrival at the venue.

### Media accommodation

For assistance with accommodation, please contact the organising committee of each event.

### Media facilities

The media centre will be open during the following times:

**Day before the start of the regatta** – Usually from about 13:00hrs – 17:00hrs.  
**During the regatta** – one hour before racing to three hours after the last race.

The usual facilities are available to the press in the media area:

- Workspaces with power (power sockets are Type C and F)
- WiFi internet access
- Cabled broadband ISDN & analogue connections (please book ahead of time)
- Copy service
- Drinks and light snacks throughout the day

### Photographers & TV camera operators

Bibs must be worn to distinguish accredited photographers from private/non-professional photographers or TV camera operators. These bibs must be worn throughout the event. They are handed out upon a deposit of 50 EUR / an ID card or Passport. Filming equipment needs to be approved by World Rowing and be identified with an event logo sticker that must remain clearly visible. Accredited camera teams must contact World Rowing in the media centre upon arrival and sign a Filming Request Form in order to receive an accreditation sticker for their equipment.

### Safeguarding

Everyone should feel safe to enjoy the sport of rowing. All rowers, entourage, coaches, volunteers, media and staff have the right to participate and work in a non-violent, safe and respectful environment. Behaviour and actions that constitute harassment and abuse will not be tolerated. If you are worried about how you, or someone else, is being treated please talk to the World Rowing Event Safeguarding Officer - the Event Safeguarding will vary for each of the three World Cups – send an email to [safeguarding@worldrowing.com](mailto:safeguarding@worldrowing.com).

### The World Rowing communications and media team

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**James Lee** – Communications consultant  
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**Johnny Luk** – Communications consultant  
**Cora Zillich** – Media operations officer  
**Detlev Seyb** – Photographer  
**Ben Tufnell** – Photographer





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- Live race tracker & results
- Videos
- Audio commentary
- Live blog
- Photos
- News
- Race Reports

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# 2023 World Rowing Cup Season





## World Rowing season summary for 2022

After the disruption to events caused by the COVID-19 Pandemic, 2022 welcomed back a complete year of World Rowing events. This included the World Rowing Championships taking place for the first time since 2019. And it was full steam ahead as nations and their top rowers set off in earnest for the cycle that will culminate in the Paris 2024 Olympic Games.

Like any year following the Olympics, athletes came into the season not knowing what to expect. It began at World Rowing Cup I in May in Belgrade, Serbia. This was the first look at who was putting themselves forward. Belgrade had 36 nations racing and, after a disappointing Tokyo Olympic campaign, had Great Britain coming out firing on all cylinders. They topped the medals table with eight gold, two silver and four bronze medals.

On to World Rowing Cup II in June in Poznan, Poland, more than 600 athletes signed up to race. In the absence of Great Britain, the Netherlands grabbed the limelight and ranked as the top nation collecting six gold medals. This included a stand-out performance by Roos De Jong and Laila Youssifou who took gold in both the double and eight. The Dutch also won the men's and women's single sculls with 24-year-old Karolien Florijn winning her second gold of the season. Florijn went on to have an unbeaten season, culminating in a World Champion title ahead of Olympic Champion Emma Twigg of New Zealand.

The men's singles race went to Melvin Twellaar who also completed a stellar season winning at the European Rowing Championships and finishing with silver behind Germany's Oliver Zeidler at the World Rowing Championships.

The final in the World Cup series, World Rowing Cup III took place in Lucerne, Switzerland and a new World Best Time being set. Imogen Grant of Great Britain led the lightweight women's single sculls and clocked 7:23.

At the end of the World Cup series the Netherlands topped the overall medals standings with Great Britain a close second and China back in third.

The European Rowing Championships combined with the multisport European Championships in Munich, Germany utilising the 1972 Olympic regatta venue. On home waters this was Germany's famed single sculler's chance to shine. Instead the men's single final turned into the biggest upset of the regatta with Ollie Zeidler fading in the closing strokes of the race. Twellaar was able to secure another gold. The Sinkovic brothers of Croatia secured their fourth gold of the season and Romania put themselves back on top in the women's eight.

The world came together for the World Rowing Championships in Racice, Czech Republic with 900 competitors. Sixty-five nations were represented and at the end Great Britain was the top nation with Italy second and Romania third. In para rowing Roman Polianskyi of Ukraine continued his domination in the para PR1 men's single with former arch rival, Erik Horrie (Australia) finishing in fourth. The PR1 women's single has a similar dominating athlete in the form of Birgit Skarstein of Norway. She took the gold over Nathalie Benoit of France.

Martin and Valent Sinkovic were unable to make it a completely gold season. Back in the double after racing the last Olympiad in the pair, the Sinkovics ended out of the medals with Olympic Champions, Hugo Boucheron and Matthieu Androdias of France winning. Romania secured their first World Champion title for a while in the women's eight, while Great Britain won the men's eight.

The 2023 season is already the pre-Olympic year. That's a big deal as the World Rowing Championships will be the main qualifying regatta for the Paris 2024 Olympic Games. So strap your boots on tight, this is going to be one whirlwind of a season that culminates in the most important World Championships of the quadrennial.







### What to expect for 2023

Starting off the international season is World Rowing Cup I which takes place in Zagreb, Croatia. The first World Cup of the series of three is usually a laid-back, relatively calm affair. It's often used by countries to try different boating combinations as they search for the best line-up for the World Rowing Championships. But then Zagreb's got the Sinkovic factor. Martin and Valent Sinkovic are Croatian sporting stars and the fans will be out in droves to support the brothers. Now in a double, the Sinkovics will be proving their worth to the home crowd.

The European Rowing Championships will squeeze in between World Cups taking place in late May. Held in the stunningly beautiful Lake Bled in Slovenia, athletes will be there to go after the European Champion crowns up for offer. Romania regularly excels at the Europeans and their star rowers at present have to be Ancuta Bodnar and Simona Radis. The duo are the Olympic Champions in the double and had an unbeaten 2022 season.

Then onto World Rowing Cup II set to be staged in mid-June in Varese, Italy. This, along with World Rowing Cup III in Lucerne, Switzerland, is bound to get the big numbers. Nations outside of Europe are likely to use these two regattas to test their international strength. Australia, New Zealand, Canada and potentially the United States will follow this model along with other smaller rowing nations.

Watch out for the clash of single scullers with Oliver Zeidler of Germany knowing he'll have tough competition coming from Olympic Champion Stefanos Ntouskos of Greece as well as the potential comeback of Sverri Nielsen of Denmark. New Zealand's Olympic Champion Emma Twigg will be preparing for her Paris Olympic bid as will Karolien Florijn of the Netherlands.

The para rowers will race in Varese and dominating the singles is likely to be Roman Polianskyi and Birgit Skarstein. But these two will be constantly looking over their shoulders as the standard continues to grow and new rowers come into the scene. Keep an eye out too for Great Britain in the mixed four. It will take a lot for any nation to step up and beat them.

The spotlight will then shift to the pinnacle event of the season. The World Rowing Championships will take place in Belgrade, Serbia and as the main Olympic qualification event, this could see over 1000 athletes taking part from around the world. This is the only time you'll see b-finals raced like the athlete's life depended on it as getting an Olympic qualification spot is the absolute focus. It also opens up the opportunity to see new stars emerge as lesser-known athletes line up Paris positions.

The usual contenders in the men's eight will be giving it their all with the big question-mark around how the formerly dominant German boat will come through. Great Britain are the reigning World Champions and Australia and the Netherlands look to be in the mix. For the women's eight Romania looks to be back at their former best with Canada and the Netherlands in hot pursuit. It's the United States that, like the German men, used to dominate, but now have a question mark around their medal chances.

A must-see is the men's double sculls. Invariably medals are won by split-second margins and this year will be no exception. Keep an eye out for the lightweight men's double sculls. Through 2022 combinations had not really formed and this year will see some stabilisation in the pairings as well as a chance for one crew to rise above the rest. Will the Irish duo of Fintan McCarthy and Paul O'Donovan be out in front or will the Italians find their perfect combo?

## World Rowing Cup series

The World Rowing Cup, in its current form, was established in 1997 to give athletes more opportunities for top international racing. It is a series of three regattas that acts as a lead-up to the World Rowing Championships. The racing programme includes the 14 Olympic boat classes and a selection of international boat classes. Selected World Cups also include para rowing boat classes.

### Boat classes

#### Olympic boat classes

Men	Women
Single sculls (M1x)	Single sculls (W1x)
Double sculls (M2x)	Double sculls (W2x)
Quadruple sculls (M4x)	Quadruple sculls (W4x)
Pair (M2-)	Pair (W2-)
Four (M4-)	Four (W4-)
Eight (M8+)	Eight (W8+)

#### International boat classes

Men	Women
Lightweight single sculls (LM1x)	Lightweight single sculls (LW1x)

#### Para rowing boat classes

Men	Women
PR1 single sculls (PR1M1x)	PR1 single sculls (PR1W1x)
PR2 single sculls (PR2M1x)	PR2 single sculls (PR2W1x)
PR3 pair (PR3M2-)	PR3 pair (PR3M2-)
Mixed	
PR2 mixed double sculls (PR2Mix2x)	
PR3 mixed double sculls (PR3Mix2x)	
PR3 mixed coxed four (PR3Mix4+)	





### Scoring

Each Olympic boat class earns points based on the finishing order. The highest placing boat from a country is awarded the following points:

<b>1st</b>	8 points
<b>2nd</b>	6 points
<b>3rd</b>	5 points
<b>4th</b>	4 points
<b>5th</b>	3 points
<b>6th</b>	2 points
<b>7th</b>	1 point

If a country has more than one crew in a boat class, points are awarded only to the first crew. The crew with the most points in each boat class is declared the World Rowing Cup leader. These athlete receive the yellow “World Rowing Cup Leader Bib.” After the third World Rowing Cup regatta, the crew with the most points in each boat class is declared the World Cup winner. They receive the World Rowing Cup for that boat class.

### Competition schedule

The schedule of racing will be drawn after entries close and a provisional competition schedule can be found on the event page on [www.worldrowing.com](http://www.worldrowing.com). Racing usually occurs over three days with the progression going through heats, repechages and finals. Quarterfinals and semifinals are added to the racing progression as required by the number of entries in each boat class.

The final racing draw is made at the Team Managers Meeting which takes place at 3pm on the Thursday before racing starts. The draw is streamed live through Facebook and Instagram.



### ANNABELLE MCINTYRE AND JESSICA MORRISON, Australia



Women's pair



The success of Annabelle McIntyre and Jessica Morrison has been nothing short of phenomenal. They started rowing in a pair together in 2019 and at that year's World Rowing Championships raced in both the pair and eight. They took two silver medals and truly established themselves as a force to be reckoned with in the world of sweep rowing. For the Tokyo Olympics they lined up in both the four and the pair. The four led to a gold medal while they were unlucky in the pair to miss out racing in the final when they finished just 0.36 seconds short of qualifying.

Morrison took a break for the 2022 season while McIntyre raced to bronze in the four at the World Rowing Championships. They're back together and with the New Zealand Olympic pair out of the picture, this year could be their oyster.

### JACKIE KIDDLE AND SHANNON COX, New Zealand



Lightweight women's double sculls



In their first season together, Jackie Kiddle and Shannon Cox are a mixture of veteran experience and new blood. Kiddle's rowing goes back to high school rowing in 2008 when Cox was just ten years old. Kiddle made New Zealand's under-23 team and then moved into the senior squad winning international medals in the lightweight single and double. This included a World Champion title in 2019. Kiddle's doubles partner was unable to compete at the Tokyo Olympics leaving Kiddle Olympic-less. But she's back on track for the Paris Olympics with Cox in the boat. Cox's international rowing may have been thwarted by the Covid Pandemic, so this year has been her first opportunity to race internationally. Cox and Kiddle will be raring to go.

### RODRIGO CONDE ROMERO AND ALEIX GARCIA PUJOLAR, Spain



Men's double sculls



When Rodrigo Conde moved from rowing as a lightweight and into the open double with Aleix Garcia the combination sparked. They came together to race internationally in 2021 and last year proved to be their breakout season. Together they medalled at every event they competed in including silver at the World Rowing Championships and a European Championship silver.

Younger of the duo, Garcia has come through from competing for the junior and then under-23 Spanish national team in the four. Sculling and joining with Conde is serving him well. After missing on qualifying for the Tokyo Olympics, the duo is on course to be part of the Paris Olympics.

### SVERRI NIELSEN, Denmark



Men's single sculls



Sverri Nielsen is on a cautious comeback to rowing. The 29-year-old finished fourth in the single at the Tokyo Olympics after being regularly on the medals podium through 2019. The limited 2020 season saw Nielsen win the European Rowing Championships and in the lead-up to Tokyo he took silver at the European Championships and gold at World Rowing Cup III. A proud Faroese Islander, Nielsen began rowing in the Faroese wooden rowing boats. He has also made his mark as an indoor rower and has several times broken the Danish indoor rowing record for 2000 metres.

### KAROLIEN FLORIJN, Netherlands



Women's single sculls



The 2022 season saw the rise of a new single sculling star. In her first season in the single, Karolien Florijn achieved an unbeaten season which started with a win at World Rowing Cup I, gained a European Champion title and finished as a World Champion when she won over the reigning Olympic Champion, Emma Twigg of New Zealand. Florijn may be new to the single, but she's far from new to rowing. Beginning as a junior national team rower in 2015, Florijn has competed in a number of different team boats before being selected for the Tokyo Olympics in the four. This turned out to be fortuitous with her crew taking silver. Now in the single, has Florijn truly found her boat calling?

### MARTIN MACKOVIC AND MILOS VASIC, Serbia



Men's pair



A combination that began in 2019, Martin Mackovic and Milos Vasic got off to an incredible start when they won the first World Rowing Cup that they entered together. The more senior Vasic began rowing internationally as a junior in 2008. Mackovic also came through from the Serbian junior national team, but four years later. Together they competed at the Tokyo Olympics and finished fifth overall. Last year they finished a solid season with a fourth in the final at the World Rowing Championships. This year the goal is Olympic qualification.



### STEFANO OPPO AND PIETRO RUTA, Italy



Lightweight men's double sculls



Pietro Ruta and Stefano Oppo have been rowing together since their days in the lightweight four. Together with their four they finished fourth at the 2016 Olympic Games. As this was the last Games with the four, Ruta and Oppo switched to the lightweight double in 2017 and straight away had success winning bronze at the that year's European Championships. After that they continued to make it onto the podium and at the Tokyo Olympics they won bronze. Despite all of their medal success, experience and longevity in the double, Ruta and Oppo have yet to beat the Irish duo. At the 2022 World Rowing Championships they won silver behind Ireland. This year could be their season.

### JACK HARGREAVES, ALEX HILL, ALEX PURNELL, SPENCER TURRIN, Australia



Men's four



When any mention is made of the men's four, Australia will be in that conversation. The four is an Australian institution and their rivalry with the British, especially at the Olympic Games, is unparalleled. Over the years the crew has remained relatively stable and Turrin can look back now to a decade of rowing in the four. Hargreaves, Hill, Purnell and Turrin made the line up for the Tokyo Olympics winning gold. With one change to the line-up they took silver behind Great Britain at the 2022 World Rowing Championships. The Olympic boat is back together for 2023 and no doubt, Olympic qualification later in the season will be on their minds.

### SIMONA RADIS AND ANCUTA BODNAR, Roumania



Women's double sculls



Simona Radis and Ancuta Bodnar teamed up in the double in 2019 and in that year took silver at the European Rowing Championships. The next year they improved to gold at the Europeans and all eyes were on them to see how they would hold out under the pressure that is the Tokyo Olympic Games. Radis and Bodnar won in a dominating performance over New Zealand. This propelled them to Romanian heroes and their image featured on a stamp.

Last year the duo won both the double and eight at the European Championships. Then for the World Rowing Championships the more experienced Radis took gold in these two events with Bodnar just racing in the double.

### YUNXIA CHEN, LING ZHANG, YANG LYU, XIAOTONG CUI, China



Women's quadruple sculls



When the Chinese do well in a boat class they usually do it in style. At the Tokyo Olympics they won the final by a whopping six-second margin. This crew came together in 2019 and have been rowing together relatively consistently since. Cui is the most experienced and has been in stroke seat since 2018. Last year the crew saw some shuffling through the season, but when it came to the World Rowing Championships this line up was back together and finished with gold in the final over the Netherlands.

### GIACOMO PERINI, Italy



PR1 men's single sculls



In an event dominated by Ukraine's Roman Polianskyi, Giacomo Perini is a shot of fresh air. The Italian had his first international season in 2022 and, despite only five years of rowing, he took gold at the European Rowing Championships and silver behind Polianskyi at the 2022 World Rowing Championships. Perini has osteosarcoma, a type of bone cancer that was discovered when he was 18 and led to his leg being amputated. Formerly an equestrian athlete, Perini looks to have taken to rowing with a passion and with success.

### JOLANTA MAJKA AND MICHAL GADOWSKI, Poland



PR2 mixed double sculls



After finishing sixth at the Tokyo Paralympic Games, Jolanta Majka and Michal Gadowski have seen a huge leap and they stepped up to taking silver at the 2022 World Rowing Championships. This comes with a partnership that is going into its twelfth year together. For para rowing this is huge. Majka began rowing with her husband Piotr Majka and has been to four Paralympic Games as a para rower. She has also competed at the Sydney Paralympics as a swimmer. Gadowski came to international para rowing in 2011 when he teamed up with Majka. Their progression has been steady and consistent.





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## NATHALIE BENOIT, France



### PR1 women's single sculls



It will be hard to get past Norway's Birgit Skarstein in the single, but Nathalie Benoit is giving it her best shot. After finishing with silver at the 2012 London Paralympics, Benoit stepped away from international para rowing. When she came back in 2019 she stepped back to regularly being on the podium and at the Tokyo Olympics Benoit won a bronze medal. The 2022 seasons saw Benoit finish at the World Rowing Championships in silver behind Skarstein. The 42-year-old has multiple sclerosis which puts her into the PR1 para class.

### The comebacks

“ **Anyone who sees me go anywhere near a boat again, ever, you’ve got my permission to shoot me.** ”

These words were famously uttered by Sir Steve Redgrave following his fourth Olympic gold in 1996. Four months later he was back rowing. Four years later he won his fifth gold at the Sydney Olympics.

Sport is full of comebacks and rowing is no exception. The reasons are wide-ranging and idiosyncratic.

Helen Glover is about to embark in comeback number two and continue a rowing career that has already proved to be exceptional.

She came through Great Britain’s World Class Start programme despite having to stand on tiptoes to make the height restriction. She showed masses of potential and was soon on the British national team.

Joining with Heather Stanning in the pair proved to be fortuitous and in their first international season they won silver at the World Rowing Championships. They went on to win gold at the London 2012 Olympics – not just a gold, but the first gold ever for Great Britain in women’s rowing (and the first gold for their nation at those Olympics).

Glover then raced with Polly Swann – in the absence of Stanning – and continued to dominate in the pair with a 2013 World Championship title. Stanning came back to rowing in 2014 and the duo dominated the pair through to the Rio 2016 Olympics setting the World Best Time along the way and successfully defended their Olympic title. Glover then retired only to show up again in the lead up to the Tokyo Olympics with a husband and three kids in tow.

Glover joins a small but growing group of women who returned to rowing after having children. Rowing’s own Ekaterina Karsten took one year out of the sport and came back to be a World Champion within the year. Bulgaria’s

Rumyana Neykova took 2001 off to have her first baby and was a World Champion in 2002. She then had her second child in 2006, returning in 2007 to take world silver in the women’s single. The next year Neykova won her first Olympic gold.

Glover had spent lockdown on the rowing machine and had decided to give the sport another shot. In partnership with Swann, the pair finished a credible fourth in Tokyo.





In Tokyo, Glover became the first mother to row for Great Britain at the Olympics. After racing, Glover announced her second retirement. Stressing: “this really is it”.

Glover then disappeared from the international scene only to pop up at the 2022 World Rowing Beach Sprint Finals and finish second (behind single sculling Olympic Champion Emma Twigg) in the solo (singles) race.

She has since announced her comeback for the Paris 2024 Olympics. Not surprisingly Glover was welcomed with open arms by British Rowing, assisted by her win in the British pairs trial with Rebecca Shorten.

The 36-year-old, whose son is now aged five and boy and girl twins who are three, told the Guardian: “I want to be an elite athlete and a mum, not an elite athlete despite being a mum. I want to be able to do the two absolutely to the same ability as everybody else, without my being a mum being seen as a negative or leaving an asterisk beside my name. I want to be the very best and I truly think I can be better than ever.”

Glover is also driven by her wider aim to prove that mothers of young children can be as successful in their careers as fathers.

About this time in the Olympic cycle, when the next Games just don't seem that far away, formerly retired athletes start to be seen back on the water and back racing. Glover is not the only one that has done the comeback.

Denmark's Eskild Ebbesen completed Olympics number three and had just won his second Olympic gold in Athens. He was 32 and the oldest on the team. With a wife and kid and a new company to run, Ebbesen decided to retire.

“But,” says Ebbesen, “I still had this motivation and curiosity whether it was possible to do it one more time. I was asked if I wanted to come back to the four.” He went on to win gold at the Beijing Olympics.

Again Ebbesen retired. But the gold had made him think it would be possible for him to continue “even at 40 years old”.

“I had three kids and a big house and garden. The plan was to stop but I opened up to the possibility of coming back.”

He did. In London his crew won bronze. Ebbesen retired for the last time in 2012.

Glover's fellow compatriot Sir Steve Redgrave made it very clear he was retiring after he won his fourth Olympic gold in 1996. Four months later he was back rowing. Four years later he won his fifth gold at the Sydney Olympics.

Redgrave's most regular rowing partner was Matthew Pinsent who rowed with Redgrave to gold in Sydney. Pinsent continued and won his fourth Olympic gold in Athens in 2004. After the win Redgrave predicted that Pinsent would say he would retire and then do a comeback. Three months after Athens, Pinsent announced his retirement. He never came back.

“I always said I would retire after Athens and so it has proved,” said Pinsent. “I think my body knows it's done.”

Finishing fourth twice at the Olympics isn't what an elite athlete ever wants. For Emma Twigg of New Zealand it helped bring her out of a post-2016 Olympic retirement. After Rio, working for the International Olympic Committee, Twigg went to the 2018 Winter Olympics. There she watched the New Zealand men's speed skating team finish fourth. She says this helped sow the seeds for a rowing comeback.

At the time Twigg commented: “Working has made me appreciate what a privilege it is to be an athlete. It's a pretty sweet life doing what you love.”

Twigg went on to become the Olympic Champion in the single sculls at the Tokyo Olympics. Last week Twigg confirmed that she aims to defend her Olympic title at the 2024 Paris Olympics. She will be 37 years old.

As Mr. T said: “To have a comeback, you have to have a setback”. You need a reason to leave the sport. Then you need a good reason to come back.



## Putting Saudi rowing on the map

If you happen to be visiting the Olympic Museum in Lausanne, Switzerland, look out for a brand-new object on display – a pair of sculling blades, slightly used, in the bright green of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

July 2021 in Tokyo, Husein Alireza became the first Saudi rower to compete at an Olympic Games, reaching the quarterfinals and finishing a creditable 24th overall in the men's single sculls. In recognition of those achievements, the Olympic Museum asked for the blades to be displayed and also inducted Alireza into the museum. He is the first Saudi athlete to receive that honour.

The moment comes amid serious efforts, led by Alireza and his father Ali Alireza, to build Saudi rowing into a position of strength. When Alireza began rowing in 2016 at university in Cambridge, UK, the sport was unheard of back in his home country.

Now, just over six years on, Saudi rowing was ranked joint first out of all 97 federations associated with the Saudi Olympic Committee in a recent evaluation assessing technical ability, sustainability and professionalism.

“That was a huge moment for us. Not only are we new but we’re doing it properly,” said Alireza.

In mid-January 2023 190 men and women took part in the third Saudi indoor rowing championships. There are 11 full-time male and female athletes training on the water under the watchful eyes of former British rower Matthew Tarrant and British coaching veteran Bill Barry, who accompanied Alireza to Tokyo, as well as a bigger squad hoping to make it to the full-time programme.



**Husein Alireza donated his oars to the Olympic Museum in December.**



The team are currently training from a rented villa in Jeddah while a new boathouse is constructed, alongside a 2km-stretch of flat water.

“We have a few really good athletes up and coming on the water, but until the boathouse is finished it’s difficult to get everyone on the water at the same time,” Alireza explained.

The squad is targeting success at the Asian Games in China in September, with as much racing as possible before then at international and domestic level.

“A lot of them have started relatively recently, so we’re just trying to get them as much experience as possible. Obviously Olympic qualification in Paris would be the dream for a crew,” Alireza said.

In his speech at the donation ceremony at the Olympic Museum Alireza thanked his father for his support in his own career and the development of Saudi rowing and he said that had made the experience particularly special.

“It’s myself and my father on this journey together and our ultimate goal is to build a very strong foundation for this sport in the future,” he added.

“We’re growing the sport in a country without rivers or lakes. It’s sort of like the Jamaican bobsleigh thing.”

Alireza describes donating his oars as “an incredible honour” adding:

**“ Those oars have had my blood, sweat, and tears on the handles throughout the years. ”**

As well as crediting his father, Alireza dedicated the moment to his mother.

“I’m particularly happy because I feel the legacy of my late mother, Salma Dajani, will live on forever, and that means the world to me. This was her journey just as much as it was mine.”



### 2023 World Rowing Cup I

#### Zagreb, Croatia



Only 7 km south of the city centre of Zagreb is Jarun Lake, also called the 'Zagreb Sea'. The largest entertainment centre in Zagreb, which comprises two lakes and six islands, is the training centre for the Croatian national team. Lake Jarun hosted the 2021 World Rowing Cup I and is now ready to welcome again the first international rowing event of the season.

### 2023 World Rowing Cup II

#### Varese, Italy



Loved by rowers from throughout the world, Italy's Varese regatta course is a regular fixture on the international rowing circuit. Located in northern Italy, with a stunning view on the mountains, Lake Varese has hosted a huge number of events these past few years, including the 2021 European Rowing Championships and the 2022 World Rowing Under 23 & Under 19 Championships.

### 2023 World Rowing Cup III

#### Lucerne, Switzerland



It's not known as the 'lake of the gods' for nothing. Lucerne's Rotsee regatta course is a natural lake set in a protected area with plants and wildlife flourishing. It is regularly the final stop in the World Rowing Cup series ever since the series started in 1997. Lucerne has also hosted the World Rowing Championships and European Rowing Championships. The 2000m course fits perfectly into the lake size and shape with no notable current and surrounding hills protecting the lake from wind.



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Women's Pair (W2-)	6:47.41	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Grace Prendergast, Kerri Gowler	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Pair (M2-)	6:08.50	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Eric Murray, Hamish Bond	28-Jul-12	Eton (GBR)
Women's Double Sculls (W2x)	6:37.31	<a href="#">Australia</a> Olympia Aldersey, Sally Kehoe	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Men's Double Sculls (M2x)	5:59.72	<a href="#">Croatia</a> Martin Sinkovic, Valent Sinkvich	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Women's Four (W4-)	6:14.36	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Kayla Pratt, Kelsey Bevan, Grace Prendergast, Kerri Gowler	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Men's Four (M4-)	5:37.86	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Alex Gregory, Pete Reed, Tom James, Andrew Triggs Hodge	25-May-12	Lucerne (SUI)
Women's Single Sculls (W1x)	7:07.71	<a href="#">Bulgaria</a> Rumyana Neykova	21-Sep-02	Seville (ESP)
Men's Single Sculls (M1x)	6:30.74	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Robert Manson	18-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Women's Double Sculls (LW2x)	6:41.36	<a href="#">Italy</a> Valentina Rodini, Frederica Cesarini	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Lightweight Men's Double Sculls (LM2x)	6:05.33	<a href="#">Ireland</a> Fintan Mc Carthy, Paul O'Donovan	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Women's Quadruple Sculls (W4x)	6:05.13	<a href="#">China</a> Yunxia Chen, Ling Zhang, Yang Lyu, Xiaotong Cui	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Quadruple Sculls (M4x)	5:32.03	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Lucas Theodoor Dirk Uittenbogaard, Abe Wiersma, Tone Wieten, Koen Metsemakers	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Women's Eight (W8+)	5:52.99	<a href="#">Romania</a> Magdalena Rusu, Viviana Bejinariu, Georgina Dedu, Maria Tivodariu, Ioana Vrinceanu, Amalia Beres, Madalina Beres, Denisa Tilvescu, Daniela Druncea	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Eight (M8+)	5:18.68	<a href="#">Germany</a> Johannes Weissenfeld, Felix Wimberger, Maximilian Planer, Torben Johannesen, Jackb Schneider, Malte Jakschik, Richard Schmidt, Hannes Ocik, Martin Sauer	18-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Women Single Sculls (LW1x)	07:23.4	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Imogen Grant	20-Jul-22	Lucerne (SUI)
Lightweight Men's Single Sculla (LM1x)	6:41.03	<a href="#">Germany</a> Jason Osborne	9-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
Lightweight Women's Pair (LW2-)	7:17.42	<a href="#">Italy</a> Maria Zerboni, Samantha Premerl	29-Jul-22	Varese (ITA)



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Lightweight Men's Pair (LM2-)	6:22.91	<a href="#">Switzerland</a> Simon Niepmann, Lucas Tramer	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Lightweight Women's Quadruple Sculls (LW4x)	6:15.95	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Mirte Kraaijkamp, Elisabeth Woerner, Maaïke Head, Ilse Paulis	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Lightweight Men's Quadruple Sculls (LM4x)	5:42.75	<a href="#">Greece</a> Gerogios Konsolas, Spyridon Giannaros, Panagiotis Magdanis, Eleftherios Konsolas	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1 W1x)	10:13.63	<a href="#">Norway</a> Birgit Skarsten	16-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1 M1x)	9:12.99	<a href="#">Ukraine</a> Roman Polianskyi	01-Sep-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)
PR2 Women's Single Sculls (PR2 W1x)	9:24.99	<a href="#">Australia</a> Kathryn Ross	28-Aug-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)
PR2 Men's Single Sculls (PR2 M1x)	8:28.40	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Corne De Koning	21-Jun-19	Poznan (POL)
PR3 Women's Pair (PR3 W2-)	7:39.30	<a href="#">United States</a> Daniele Hansen, Jaclyn Smith	15-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
PR3 Men's Pair (PR3 M2-)	7:10.64	<a href="#">France</a> Remy Taranto, Antoine Jesel	22-Jun-18	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)
PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2 Mix 2x)	8:06.21	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Annika Van der Meer, Corne De Koning	17-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3 Mix 2x)	7:28.95	<a href="#">Brazil</a> Diana Barcelos de Oliveira , Jairo Klug	29-Sep-17	Sarasota (USA)
PR3 Mixed coxed Quadruple Sculls (PR3 Mix 4+)	6:49.24	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Ellen Buttrick, Giedre Rakauskaite, James C. Fox, Oliver Stanhope, Erin Wysocki-Jones	28-Aug-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)



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Women's Pair (W2-)	6:49.08	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Grace Prendergast, Kerri Gowler	18-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
Men's Pair (M2-)	6:16.01	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Eric Murray, Hamish Bond	23-Jun-13	Eton (GBR)
Women's Double Sculls (W2x)	6:39.13	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Brooke Donoghue, Olivia Loe	18-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
Men's Double Sculls (M2x)	6:03.25	<a href="#">France</a> Jean-Baptiste Macquet, Adrien Hardy	17-Jun-06	Poznan (POL)
Women's Four (W4-)	6:18.64	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Heidi Long, Rowan Mckellar, Samantha Redgrave, Rebecca Shorten	10-Jul-22	Lucerne (SUI)
Men's Four (M4-)	5:37.86	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Alex Gregory, Pete Reed, Tom James, Andrew Triggs Hodge	25-May-12	Lucerne (SUI)
Women's Single Sculls (W1x)	7:13.26	<a href="#">Austria</a> Magdalena Lobnig	18-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
Men's Single Sculls (M1x)	6:30.74	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Robert Manson	18-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Women's Double Sculls (LW2x)	6:43.79	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Ilse Paulis, Marieke Keijser	6-Jun-21	Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Men's Double Sculls (LM2x)	6:09.26	<a href="#">France</a> Jeremie Azou, Stany Delayre	21-Jun-15	Varese (ITA)
Women's Quadruple Sculls (W4x)	6:09.38	<a href="#">Germany</a> Julia Richter, Caina Baer, Tina Manker, Stephanie Schiller	25-May-12	Lucerne (SUI)
Men's Quadruple Sculls (M4x)	5:33.15	<a href="#">Russia</a> Vladislav Ryabcev, Alexey Svirin, Nikita Morgachev, Sergey Fedorovtsev	25-May-12	Lucerne (SUI)
Women's Eight (W8+)	5:54.16	<a href="#">United States of America</a> Amanda Mandy Polk, Kerry Simmonds, Emily Regan, Lauren Schmetterling, Grace Luczak, Caroline Lind, Victoria Opitz, Heidi Robbins, Katelin Snyder	14-Jul-13	Lucerne (SUI)
Men's Eight (M8+)	5:18.68	<a href="#">Germany</a> Johannes Weissenfeld, Felix Wimberger, Maximilian Planer, Torben Johannesen, Jaokb Schneider, Malte Jakschik, Richard Schmidt, Hannes Ocik, Martin Sauer	18-Jun-17	Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Women's Single Sculls (LW1x)	7:23.36	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Imogen Grant	9-Jul-22	Lucerne (SUI)
Lightweight Men's Single Sculls (LM1x)	6:43.07	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Matthew Robert George Dungam	18-Jun-22	Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Men's Pair (LM2-)	6:26.21	<a href="#">Ireland</a> Neville Maxwell, Tony O'Connor	19-Jun-94	Paris (FRA)
Lightweight Women's Pair (LW2-)	07:22.2	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Malindi Myers, Jo Nitsch	11-Jul-99	Lucerne (SUI)





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Lightweight Women's Quadruple Sculls (LW4X)	6:26.32	<a href="#">Australia</a> Amy James, Alice Arch, Georgia Miansarow, Georgia Nesbitt	8-Jul-17	Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Men's Quadruple Sculls (LM4X)	5:49.93	<a href="#">France</a> Pierre-Etienne Pollez, Fabrice Moreau, Jeremie Azou, Remi Di Girolamo	21-Jun-08	Poznan (POL)



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Women's Pair (W2-)	6:50.61	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Helen Glover, Heather Stanning	30-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Men's Pair (M2-)	6:09.34	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Eric Murray, Hamish Bond	30-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Women's Double Sculls (W2x)	6:37.31	<a href="#">Australia</a> Olympia Aldersey, Sally Kehoe	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Men's Double Sculls (M2x)	5:59.72	<a href="#">Croatia</a> Martin Sinkovic, Valent Sinkovic	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Women's Four (W4-)	6:14.36	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Kayla Pratt, Kelsey Bevan, Grace Prendergast, Kerri Gowler	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Men's Four (M4-)	5:40.24	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Alex Gregory, Mohamed Sbihi, George Nash, Andrew Triggs Hodge	5-Jan-00	Amsterdam (NED)
Women's Single Sculls (W1x)	7:07.71	<a href="#">Bulgaria</a> Rumyana Neykova	21-Sep-02	Guadalquivir/Seville (ESP)
Men's Single Sculls (M1x)	6:33.35	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Mahe Drysdale	29-Aug-09	Malta/Poznan (POL)
Lightweight Women's Double Sculls (LW2x)	6:48.49	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Zoe McBride, Jackie Kiddle	29-Aug-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)
Lightweight Men's Double Sculls (LM2x)	6:05.36	<a href="#">South Africa</a> James Thompson, John Smith	30-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Women's Quadruple Sculls (W4x)	6:06.84	<a href="#">Germany</a> Annekatrien Thiele, Carina Baer, Julia Lier, Lisa Schmidla	30-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Men's Quadruple Sculls (M4x)	5:32.26	<a href="#">Ukraine</a> Dmytro Mikhay, Artem Morozov, Olexandr Nadtoka, Ivan Dovgodko	30-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Women's Eight (W8+)	5:55.50	<a href="#">United States</a> Brett Sickler, Megan Cooke, Anna Goodale, Lindsay Shoop, Anna Cummins-Mickelson, Zsuzsanna Francia, Caroline Lind, Caryn Davies, Mary Whipple	27-Aug-06	Dorney Lake/Eton (GBR)
Men's Eight (M8+)	5:19.20	<a href="#">United States</a> Alexander Karwoski, Glenn Ochal, Thomas Peszek, Thomas Dethlefs, Conor Harrity, Michael Di Santo, Andrew Reed, Patrick Eble, Julian Venonsky	12-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
Lightweight Women's Single Sculls (LW1x)	7:28.89	<a href="#">Bulgaria</a> Viktoriya Dimitrova	21-Sep-02	Guadalquivir/Seville (ESP)
Lightweight Men's Single Sculls (LM1x)	6:41.03	<a href="#">Germany</a> Viktoriya Dimitrova	9-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
Lightweight Men's Pair (LM2-)	6:22.91	<a href="#">Switzerland</a> Simon Niepmann, Lucas Tramer	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
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Light Weight Women's Quadruple Sculls (LW4X)	6:15.95	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Mirte Kraaijkamp, Elisabeth Woerner, Maaïke Head, Ilse Paulis	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
Light Weight Men's Quadruple Sculls (LM4X)	5:42.75	<a href="#">Greece</a> Georgios Konsolas, Spyridon Giannaros, Panagiotis Magdanis, Eleftherios Konsolas	29-Aug-14	Amsterdam (NED)
PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1 W1x)	10:13.63	<a href="#">Norway</a> Birgit Skarsten	16-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1 M1x)	9:12.99	<a href="#">Ukraine</a> Roman Polianskyi	1-Sep-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)
PR2 Women's Single Sculls (PR2 W1x)	9:24.99	<a href="#">Australia</a> Kathryn Ross	28-Aug-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)
PR2 Men's Single Sculls (PR2 M1x)	8:35.44	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Corne De Koning	15-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
PR3 Women's Pair (PR3 W2-)	7:39.30	<a href="#">United States</a> Daniele Hansen, Jaclyn Smith	15-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
PR3 Men's Pair (PR3 M2-)	7:12.82	<a href="#">Canada</a> Kyle Frederickson, Andrew Todd	15-Sep-18	Plovdiv (BUL)
PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2 Mix 2x)	8:07.33	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Lauren Rowles, Laurence Whiteley	29-Aug-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)
PR3 Mixed Double Sculls (PR3 Mix 2x)	7:28.95	<a href="#">Brazil</a> Diana Barcelos de Oliveira, Jairo Klug	29-Sep-17	Sarasota (USA)
PR3 Mixed coxed Quadruple Sculls (PR3 Mix 4+)	6:49.24	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Ellen Buttrick, Giedre Rakauskaitė, James C. Fox, Oliver Stanhope, Erin Wysocki-Jones	29-Aug-19	Linz-Ottensheim (AUT)



## Olympic and Paralympic Best Times

Event	Time	Boat	Date	Location
Women's Pair (W2-)	6:47.41	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Grace Prendergast, Kerri Gowler	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Pair (M2-)	6:08.50	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Eric Murray, Hamish Bond	28-Jul-12	London (GBR)
Women's Double Sculls (W2x)	6:41.03	<a href="#">Romania</a> Ancuta Bodnar, Simona Radis	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Double Sculls (M2x)	6:00.33	<a href="#">France</a> Hugo Boucheron, Matthieu Androdias	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Women's Four (W4-)	6:15.37	<a href="#">Australia</a> Lucy Stephan, Rosemary Popa, Jessica Morrison, Annabelle McIntyre	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Four (M4-)	5:42.76	<a href="#">Australia</a> Alexander Purnell, Spencer Turrin, Jack Hargreaves, Alexander Hill	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Women's Single Sculls (W1x)	7:13.97	<a href="#">New Zealand</a> Emma Twigg	30-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Single Sculls (M1x)	6:40.74	<a href="#">Greece</a> Stefanos Ntouskos	30-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Lightweight Women's Double Sculls (LW2x)	6:41.36	<a href="#">Italy</a> Valentina Rodini, Frederica Cesarini	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Lightweight Men's Double Sculls (LM2x)	6:05.33	<a href="#">Ireland</a> Fintan Mc Carthy, Paul O'Donovan	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Women's Quadruple Sculls (W4x)	6:05.13	<a href="#">China</a> Yunxia Chen, Ling Zhang, Yang Lyu, Xiaotong Cui	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Quadruple Sculls (M4x)	5:32.03	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Lucas Theodoor Dirk Uittenbogaard, Abe Wiersma, Tone Wieten, Koen Metsemakers	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Women's Eight (W8+)	5:52.99	<a href="#">Romania</a> Magdalena Rusu, Viviana Bejinariu, Georgiana Dedu, Maria Tivodariu, Ioana Vrinceanu, Amalia Beres, Madalina Beres, Denisa Tilvescu, Daniela Druncea	28-Jul-21	Tokyo (JPN)
Men's Eight (M8+)	5:19.85	<a href="#">United States</a> Jason Read, Wyatt Allen, Christian Ahrens, Joseph Hansen, Matt Deakin, Daniel Beery, Beau Hoopman, Bryan Volpenhein, Pete Cipollone	15-Aug-04	Athens (GRE)
PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1W1x)	10:33.34	<a href="#">Israel</a> Moran Samuel	28-Aug-21	Tokyo (JPN)
PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1 M1x)	9:14.61	<a href="#">Great Britain</a> Benjamin Pritchard	28-Aug-21	Tokyo (JPN)
PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2 Mix2x)	8:10.35	<a href="#">Netherlands</a> Annika Van der Meer, Corne De Koning	28-Aug-21	Tokyo (JPN)
PR3 Mixed Coxed 4+ (PR3 Mix4+)	7:06.02	<a href="#">France</a> Erika Sauzeau, Antoine Jesel, Remy Taranto, Margot Boulet, Robin Le Barreau	28-Aug-21	Tokyo (JPN)



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## *Historical Results*





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## World Rowing Cup

## Overall World Rowing Cup standings 2019 - 2022

Rank	2022 World Rowing Cup Overall Standing	Points
1	Netherlands	125
2	Great Britain	119
3	China	94
4	Australia	74
5	Poland	60
6	Germany	56
7	Switzerland	40
8	Romania	38
9	Italy	36
10	France	31
10	United States	31
12	Croatia	30
13	Spain	29
14	Czech Republic	25
15	Ukraine	23
16	Ireland	21
16	New Zealand	21
18	Lithuania	19
19	Canada	17
19	Denmark	17
21	Serbia	14
22	Norway	13
23	Chile	6
23	India	6
25	Greece	5
26	Azerbaijan	4
26	Bulgaria	4
28	Belgium	3
28	Monaco	3
28	Slovenia	3
31	Austria	2
32	Estonia	1
32	Hungary	1

Rank	2021 World Rowing Cup Overall Standing	Points
1	Germany	89
2	Italy	69
3	France	65
4	Netherlands	64
5	Poland	59
6	Great Britain	47
7	Switzerland	43
8	Croatia	37
9	Czech Republic	34
10	Denmark	30
10	Norway	30
12	Romania	24
13	China	18
14	Ireland	16
14	Lithuania	16
16	Belarus	15
17	Turkey	10
18	United States	9
19	Estonia	8
19	Hungary	8
19	Serbia	8
19	Ukraine	8
23	Spain	6
24	Austria	5
25	Russia	4
26	Belgium	3
26	Slovenia	3
26	Sweden	3
29	Egypt	2
29	Japan	2
29	Namibia	2
32	Finland	1
32	Greece	1

Rank	2019 World Rowing Cup Overall Standing	Points
1	Australia	120
2	New Zealand	103
3	China	95
4	Poland	88
5	Great Britain	81
6	Germany	80
7	Netherlands	78
8	Romania	54
9	United States	46
10	Canada	40
11	Denmark	38
12	Belarus	32
13	Switzerland	29
14	Italy	25
15	Croatia	23
16	Czech Republic	21
17	Austria	18
18	Belgium	16
19	Serbia	15
19	Spain	15
21	Ireland	14
21	Norway	14
23	Cuba	12
24	Russia	8
25	Bulgaria	6
25	Hungary	6
25	Moldova	6
28	Finland	5
28	France	5
28	Mexico	5
28	Portugal	5
32	Azerbaijan	3
32	Japan	3

32	Lithuania	3
35	South Africa	2
36	Slovakia	1



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## World Rowing Cup

All time World Rowing Cup medal table by country - since 1997 (page 1/2)

GoldRank	CountryCode	TOTAL				WOMEN				MEN			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1	Germany	221	188	161	570	124	106	92	322	97	82	69	248
2	Great Britain	200	144	132	476	114	89	79	282	86	54	53	193
3	New Zealand	124	56	30	210	70	30	16	116	54	27	17	98
4	Italy	92	90	57	239	88	77	41	206	4	11	16	31
5	Netherlands	70	75	71	216	27	30	42	99	43	45	29	117
6	Australia	62	75	68	205	34	47	34	115	28	40	38	106
7	Denmark	56	56	55	167	46	35	33	114	10	21	22	53
8	China	52	55	61	168	12	15	15	42	40	40	46	126
9	Romania	47	33	41	121	9	10	15	34	38	23	26	87
10	Poland	39	51	53	143	23	31	30	84	16	19	22	57
11	Belarus	39	24	33	96	3	6	11	20	36	18	22	76
12	France	37	58	66	161	33	47	53	133	4	11	11	26
13	Czech Republic	36	51	50	137	33	31	34	98	3	20	16	39
14	Croatia	36	23	21	80	33	20	16	69	3	3	5	11
15	United States of America	34	48	62	144	11	12	21	44	23	36	41	100
16	Canada	34	43	46	123	13	19	22	54	21	24	24	69
17	Switzerland	29	34	36	99	17	22	22	61	12	12	14	38
18	Ukraine	22	24	15	61	11	10	7	28	11	14	7	32
19	Ireland	20	26	21	67	18	11	11	40	2	15	10	27
20	Norway	16	23	26	65	11	23	26	60	5	0	0	5
21	Russia	14	27	30	71	3	11	12	26	11	16	17	44
22	Hungary	14	18	15	47	13	16	10	39	1	2	5	8
23	Slovenia	13	14	19	46	13	14	19	46	0	0	0	0
24	Austria	11	17	25	53	6	11	15	32	5	5	10	20
25	Greece	11	12	13	36	5	8	10	23	6	4	3	13
26	Estonia	6	5	10	21	6	5	10	21	0	0	0	0
27	Lithuania	6	3	6	15	4	3	3	10	2	0	3	5
28	Finland	6	1	2	9	1	0	1	2	5	1	1	7
29	Bulgaria	5	5	9	19	1	1	3	5	4	4	6	14

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All time World Rowing Cup medal table by country - since 1997 (page 2/2)

GoldRank	CountryCode	TOTAL				WOMEN				MEN			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
30	Spain	3	11	15	29	2	5	12	19	1	6	3	10
31	Belgium	3	7	8	18	3	5	8	16	0	2	0	2
32	Cuba	3	5	9	17	2	3	7	12	1	2	2	5
32	Serbia	3	5	9	17	3	5	7	15	0	0	2	2
34	Slovakia	3	4	3	10	3	4	3	10	0	0	0	0
35	South Africa	2	11	9	22	1	7	6	14	1	4	3	8
36	Portugal	2	3	5	10	2	3	5	10	0	0	0	0
37	Argentina	2	2	3	7	1	2	2	5	1	0	1	2
38	Sweden	1	8	16	25	0	4	4	8	1	4	12	17
39	Japan	1	2	5	8	1	2	4	7	0	0	1	1
40	Brazil	1	2	2	5	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	0
41	SCG	1	2	0	3	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	0
42	Mexico	1	1	3	5	1	0	2	3	0	1	1	2
43	Yugoslavia	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
44	Egypt	0	4	5	9	0	4	5	9	0	0	0	0
45	Korea	0	1	2	3	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	1
46	Azerbaijan	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1
46	MNB	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1
46	Israel	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
49	Guatemala	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
49	Tunisia	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
51	Hong Kong	0	0	3	3	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0
51	India	0	0	3	3	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	1
53	Latvia	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1
54	Peru	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
54	Turkey	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
54	Chile	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
54	Uruguay	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0

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## World Rowing Cup

All time World Rowing Cup medal table by athlete - women (page 1/4)

Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
1	Ekaterina Karsten	BLR	30	3	3	36	W1x; W2x; W4x
2	Katherine Grainger	GBR	23	5	8	36	W1x; W2-; W2x; W4x
3	Georgeta Andrunache	ROU	23	4	6	33	W2-; W8+
4	Viorica Susanu	ROU	19	3	6	28	W2-; W8+
5	Manuela Lutze	GER	14	9	1	24	W2x; W4x
6	Frances Houghton	GBR	14	4	6	24	W2x; W4x
7	Anna Watkins	GBR	14	2	2	18	W2x; W4-; W4x; W8+
8	Helen Glover	GBR	12	0	0	12	W2-
9	Debbie Flood	GBR	11	5	4	20	W2x; W4x
10	Doina Ignat	ROU	11	3	3	17	W2-; W8+
11	Kathrin Boron	GER	10	7	4	21	W1x; W2x; W4x
12	Carina Baer	GER	10	5	1	16	W4x
13	Elena Georgescu-Nedelc	ROU	10	3	3	16	W8+
14	Claudia Blasberg	SUI	10	2	2	14	LW2x
15	Annekatrin Thiele	GER	9	5	4	18	W1x; W2x; W4x
16	Ioana Olteanu	ROU	9	2	1	12	W8+
17	Meike Evers	GER	9	1	0	10	W2x; W4x
18	Heather Stanning	GBR	9	0	0	9	W2-
19	Marie-Louise Draeger	GER	8	7	4	19	LW1x; LW2x
20	Kerstin El Qalqili-Kowalski	GER	8	6	3	17	W2x; W4x
21	Annabel Vernon	GBR	8	5	4	17	W2x; W4x; W8+
22	Georgina Evers-Swindell	NZL	8	3	2	13	W1x; W2x; W4x
23	Caroline Evers-Swindell	NZL	8	3	1	12	W2x; W4x
24	Veronica Cochela-Cogeanu	ROU	8	3	0	11	W2-; W2x; W8+
25	Lisa Schmidla	GER	8	2	0	10	W4x
26	Mary Whipple	USA	8	1	1	10	W8+
27	Jana Thieme	GER	8	1	0	9	W2x; W4x
28	Britta Oppelt	GER	7	9	5	21	W2x; W4x
29	Marit Van Eupen	NED	7	6	4	17	LW1x; LW2-; LW2x
30	Lenka Wech	GER	7	6	3	16	W2-; W4-; W8+
31	Rebecca Scown	NZL	7	6	2	15	W2-; W8+





All time World Rowing Cup medal table by athlete - women (page 2/4)

Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
32	Elisabeta Lipa-Oleniuc	ROU	7	5	5	17	W1x; W2x; W8+
33	Silke Guenther	GER	7	5	4	16	W2-; W4-; W8+
34	Annina Ruppel	GER	7	5	3	15	W8+
34	Nicole Zimmermann	GER	7	5	3	15	W2-; W4-; W8+
36	Irina Fedotova	RUS	7	5	2	14	W1x; W2x; W4x
37	Constanta Burcica	ROU	7	2	2	11	LW1x; LW2x; W8+
38	Magdalena Dumitrache	ROU	7	2	1	10	W8+
39	Peggy Waleska	GER	6	7	2	15	W1x; W2x; W4x
40	Kimberley Brennan	AUS	6	6	3	15	W1x; W2-; W2x; W8+
41	Anja Pyritz	GER	6	6	1	13	W4-; W8+
42	Katrin Rutschow	GER	6	5	2	13	W1x; W2x
42	Emma Twigg	NZL	7	5	2	14	W1x
44	Sarah Winckless	GBR	6	4	7	17	W2x; W4-; W4x; W8+
45	Juliette Haigh	NZL	6	4	1	11	W2-
46	Sophie Hosking	GBR	6	4	0	10	LW2x; LW4x
47	Dana Pyritz	GER	6	4	0	10	W8+
48	Cath Bishop	GBR	6	3	5	14	W2-; W8+
49	Alexandra Tsiavou	GRE	6	2	1	9	LW1x; LW2x
50	Manja Kowalski	GER	6	1	1	8	W1x; W2x; W4x
51	Liliana Gafencu	ROU	6	1	1	8	W8+
52	Elke Hipler	GER	5	7	1	13	W2-; W8+
53	Stephanie Schiller	GER	5	6	3	14	W2x; W4x
53	Rodica Serban	ROU	5	6	3	14	W8+
55	Susanne Schmidt	GER	5	6	2	13	W2x; W4x; W8+
56	Rodica Anghel	ROU	5	5	1	11	W8+
56	Meghan Musnicki	USA	5	5	1	11	W2-; W8+
58	Maren Derlien	GER	5	4	7	16	W2-; W2x; W4-; W4x; W8+
59	Magdalena Fularczyk-Kozłowska	POL	5	4	4	13	W2x; W4x
59	Yana Dementieva	UKR	5	4	4	13	W2x; W4x
61	Eniko Mironcic	ROU	5	4	3	12	W4x; W8+
62	Camelia Lupascu	ROU	5	4	2	11	W4x; W8+



All time World Rowing Cup medal table by athlete - women (page 3/4)

Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
63	Britta Holthaus	GER	5	4	1	10	W2x; W8+
63	Simona Musat-Strimbeschi	ROU	5	4	1	10	W8+
65	Tetiana Kolesnikova	UKR	5	3	3	11	W4x
66	Julia Edward	NZL	5	3	1	9	LW1x; LW2x
67	Maria Brandin	SWE	5	2	9	16	W1x
68	Anna Cummins-Mickelson	USA	5	2	2	9	W2-; W4x; W8+
69	Tina Manker	GER	5	2	1	8	W4x
70	Caryn Davies	USA	5	1	2	8	W2-; W4x; W8+
71	Angela Cazac	ROU	5	1	0	6	W8+
71	Amanda Polk	USA	5	1	0	6	W8+
73	Doina Spiru-Craciun	ROU	5	0	2	7	W4x; W8+
75	Janet Raduenzel	GER	5	0	0	5	LW1x; LW2x
76	Alison Cox	USA	5	0	0	5	W8+
77	Yuliya Bichyk	BLR	4	8	9	21	W2-; W2x; W4-; W8+
78	Ioana Rotaru	ROU	4	8	2	14	W8+
79	Ashley Brzozowicz	CAN	4	7	3	14	W2-; W4-; W8+
80	Elena Serban-Parvan	ROU	4	6	2	12	W8+
81	Caroline Lind	USA	4	5	6	15	W2-; W8+
82	Rumyana Neykova	BUL	4	4	6	14	W1x; W2x
81	Beth Rodford	GBR	4	4	6	14	W4-; W4x; W8+
83	Aurica Barascu	ROU	4	4	5	13	W4x; W8+
84	Zsuzsanna Francia	USA	4	4	3	11	W2-; W4x; W8+
85	Natalie Mastracci	CAN	4	4	2	10	W2-; W4-; W8+
86	Rebecca Romero	GBR	4	4	1	9	W2x; W4x
87	Erin Cafaro	USA	4	4	1	9	W2-; W8+
88	Julia Richter	GER	4	3	3	10	W2x; W4x
89	Anastasiia Kozhenkova	UKR	4	3	1	8	W2x; W4x
90	Hester Goodsell	GBR	4	3	0	7	LW2x
90	Kateryna Tarasenko	UKR	4	3	0	7	W4x
92	Jane Robinson	AUS	4	2	5	11	W2x; W4-; W4x; W8+
93	Dongxiang Xu	CHN	4	2	4	10	LW1x; LW2x; W2x

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All time World Rowing Cup medal table by athlete - women (page 4/4)

Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
94	Hua Yu	CHN	4	2	2	8	LW1x; LW2x; LW4x
95	Julia Wilson	AUS	4	2	1	7	W4-; W8+
96	Liang Tian	CHN	4	2	0	6	W2x
97	Olena Morozova-Ronzhina	UKR	4	1	3	8	W4x
98	Fabiana Beltrame	BRA	4	1	2	7	LW1x
98	Tracy Cameron	CAN	4	1	2	7	LW1x; LW2x
100	Titie Jordache-Taran	GER	4	1	1	6	W1x
100	Marioara Ciobanu-Popescu	ROU	4	1	1	6	W8+
100	Grace Luczak	USA	4	1	1	6	W2-; W4-; W8+

## World Rowing Cup

All time World Rowing Cup medal table by athlete - men (page 1/4)

Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
1	Martin Sinkovic	CRO	21	4	1	26	M2x; M4x; M2-
1	Valent Sinkovic	CRO	21	4	1	26	M2x; M4x; M2-
3	Martin Sauer	GER	19	7	0	26	M4+; M8+
4	Eskild Ebbesen	DEN	19	2	3	24	LM4-
5	Peter Reed	GBR	18	10	1	29	M2-; M4-; M8+
6	Richard Schmidt	GER	18	6	0	24	M4-; M8+
7	Thomas Ebert	DEN	18	3	1	22	LM2-; LM4-
8	Andrew T Hodge	GBR	17	9	1	27	M2-; M4-; M8+
9	Ondrej Synek	CZE	17	7	5	29	M1x; M2x
10	Hamish Bond	NZL	16	0	3	19	M2-; M4-; M8+
11	Eric Murray	NZL	16	0	2	18	M2-; M4-
12	James Cracknell	GBR	15	1	2	18	M2-; M4-; M8+
12	Matthew Pinsent	GBR	15	1	2	18	M2-; M4-
14	Alex Partridge	GBR	14	4	7	25	M4-; M8+
15	Alex Gregory	GBR	14	1	2	17	M4-; M8+
16	Marcel Hacker	GER	13	9	6	28	M1x; M2x; M4x
17	Iztok Cop	SLO	12	9	13	34	M1x; M2x; M4x
18	Vaclav Chalupa Jr	CZE	12	9	12	33	M1x; M4x
19	Peter Thiede	GER	12	8	6	26	M4+; M8+
20	Steve Williams	GBR	12	7	3	22	M2-; M4-; M8+
21	Elia Luni	ITA	12	6	4	22	LM2x; LM4-; LM4x
22	Mohamed Sbihi	GBR	12	5	7	24	M4-; M8+
23	Jueri Jaanson	EST	12	1	4	17	M1x; M2x; M4x
24	Mahe Drysdale	NZL	11	6	2	19	M1x; M8+
25	Damir Martin	CRO	11	3	2	16	M1x; M4x
26	Leonardo Pettinari	ITA	11	3	0	14	LM2x
26	Peter Taylor	NZL	11	3	0	14	LM2x; LM4-
28	Kristof Wilke	GER	11	2	1	14	M2-; M4-; M8+
29	Jeremie Azou	FRA	10	2	3	15	LM1x; LM2x; LM4x
30	Daniele Gilardoni	ITA	10	1	2	13	LM1x; LM2x; LM4x; LM8+
31	David Sain	CRO	10	1	0	11	M4x





All time World Rowing Cup medal table by athlete - men (page 2/4)

Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
32	Thomas Poulsen	DEN	10	0	0	10	LM4-
33	Kasper Winther	DEN	9	8	3	20	LM2-; LM4-; LM8+
34	Morten Joergensen	DEN	9	8	2	19	LM2-; LM4-; LM8+
35	Ulf Siemes	GER	9	7	4	20	M4+; M8+
36	Matt Langridge	GBR	9	6	7	22	M2-; M2x; M4-; M4x; M8+
37	Stephan Koltzk	GER	9	6	2	17	M4+; M8+
38	Sinisa Skelin	CRO	9	6	1	16	M2-; M4+; M8+
39	Ingo Euler	GER	9	4	5	18	LM1x; LM2x
40	Malte Jakschik	GER	9	4	0	13	M8+
41	Franco Sancassani	ITA	9	3	0	12	LM2-; LM4-; LM4x; LM8+
42	Florian Mennigen	GER	9	2	1	12	M4-; M4+; M8+
43	Victor Feddersen	DEN	9	0	0	9	LM4-
43	Steve Redgrave	GBR	9	0	0	9	M4-
45	Thorsten Engelmann	GER	8	7	2	17	M8+
46	Lorenzo Bertini	ITA	8	6	3	17	LM1x; LM2x; LM4-; LM4x; LM8+
47	Jean-Christophe Bette	FRA	8	6	2	16	LM2-; LM4-; M8+
48	Adam Korol	POL	8	5	6	19	M2x; M4x
48	Marek Kolbowicz	POL	8	5	6	19	M2x; M4x
50	Hannes OCK	GER	8	5	0	13	M8+
51	Richard Egington	GBR	8	3	6	17	M2+; M4-; M8+
52	Sebastian Schulte	GER	7	7	3	17	M4+; M8+
53	Enrico Schnabel	GER	7	6	4	17	M8+
54	Stefano Basalini	ITA	7	6	0	13	LM1x; LM2-; LM2x; LM4x
55	Richard Chambers	GBR	7	5	7	19	LM2-; LM2x; LM4-
56	Catello Amarante I	ITA	7	5	5	17	LM2-; LM4-; LM8+
57	Maximilian Reinelt	GER	7	5	2	14	M4-; M8+
58	Niksa Skelin	CRO	7	5	1	13	M2-; M8+
59	Eric Johannesen	GER	7	4	2	13	M2x; M4-; M8+
60	Zac Purchase	GBR	7	3	1	11	LM1x; LM2x
60	Jan Martin Broeer	GER	7	3	1	11	M4+; M8+
62	Rossano Galtarossa	ITA	7	3	0	10	M2x; M4x



All time World Rowing Cup medal table by athlete - men (page 3/4)

Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
63	Robert Sens	GER	7	2	4	13	M2-; M2x; M4x; M8+
64	Drew Ginn	AUS	7	1	1	9	M2-; M4-
64	Kevin Light	CAN	7	1	1	9	M2-; M4-; M8+
66	Maximilian Planer	GER	7	0	1	8	M8+
66	James Lassche	NZL	7	0	1	8	LM4-, M8+
68	Lukas Mueller	GER	7	0	0	7	M8+
68	Curtis Rapley	NZL	7	0	0	7	LM4-
68	James Hunter	NZL	7	0	0	7	LM4-
71	Olaf Tufte	NOR	6	11	9	26	M1x; M2x; M4x
72	Joerg Diessner	GER	6	8	3	17	M4+; M8+
73	Matthew Wells	GBR	6	6	5	17	M1x; M2x; M4x
74	Luka Spik	SLO	6	5	4	15	M1x; M2x; M4x
75	Stephan Krueger	GER	6	5	3	14	M2x; M4x
76	Cornel Nemtoc	ROU	6	5	2	13	M2+; M4-; M8+
77	William Lockwood	AUS	6	5	1	12	M2+; M4-; M8+
78	Storm Uru	NZL	6	5	0	11	LM1x; LM2x
79	Mads Rasmussen	DEN	6	4	8	18	LM1x; LM2x
80	Xeno Mueller	SUI	6	4	1	11	M1x
81	Sebastian Thormann	GER	6	3	7	16	M4-; M4+; M8+
82	Paul Mattick	GBR	6	3	4	13	LM2-; LM4-
83	Michal Vabrousek	CZE	6	3	2	11	LM1x
84	Toni Seifert	GER	6	3	2	11	M2-; M4-; M4+; M8+
85	Bernhard Ruehling	GER	6	3	1	10	LM2x
86	Mark Hunter	GBR	6	2	3	11	LM1x; LM2x; LM8+
87	Stany Delayre	FRA	6	2	1	9	LM2x; LM4x
87	Gregor Hauffe	GER	6	2	1	9	M4-; M8+
89	Tim Foster	GBR	6	2	0	8	M4-; M8+
90	Armando Dell'Aquila	ITA	6	1	3	10	LM2-; LM8+
91	Thor Kristensen	DEN	6	1	2	9	LM4-
92	Andreas Kuffner	GER	6	1	0	7	M4-; M8+
92	Thomas Lange	GER	6	1	0	7	M1x



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Rank	Name	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total	Events
94	Adam Kreek	CAN	6	0	1	7	M8+
95	Salvatore Amitrano	ITA	5	6	3	14	LM2-; LM4-
96	Manuel Brehmer	GER	5	6	1	12	LM2x; LM4x
97	Rasmus Quist	DEN	5	5	9	19	LM1x; LM2x; LM4x
98	William Satch	GBR	5	5	1	11	M2-;M4-; M8+
99	Bernd Heidicker	GER	5	4	4	13	M4-; M8+
99	Philipp Stueer	GER	5	4	4	13	M4-; M8+
100	Fabien Tilliet	FRA	5	4	2	11	LM2-; LM4-
100	Bruno Mascarenhas	ITA	5	4	2	11	LM2-; LM2x; LM4-; LM8+
100	Duncan Grant	NZL	5	4	2	11	LM1x
100	Florin Corbeanu	ROU	5	4	2	11	M2-; M4-; M8+

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## Olympic & Paralympic Games

### Olympic Games 2020 - men's & women's results (page 1/3)

Lightweight Women's Double Sculls (LW2x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Italy (ITA)</a> Valentina RODINI Federica CESARINI	6:47.54	<a href="#">France (FRA)</a> Laura TARANTOLA Claire BOVE	6:47.68	<a href="#">Netherlands (NED)</a> Marieke KEIJSER Ilse PAULIS	6:48.03
Women's Single Sculls (W1x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">New Zealand (NZL)</a> Emma TWIGG	7:13.97	<a href="#">Russia (ROC)</a> Anna PRAKATEN	7:17.39	<a href="#">Austria (AUT)</a> Magdalena LOBNIG	7:19.72
Women's Pair (W2-)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">New Zealand (NZL)</a> Grace PRENDERGAST Kerri WILLIAMS	6:50.19	<a href="#">Russia (ROC)</a> Vasilisa STEPANOVA Elena ORIABINSKAIA	6:51.45	<a href="#">Canada (CAN)</a> Caleigh FILMER Hillary JANSSENS	6:52.10
Women's Double Sculls (W2x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Romania (ROU)</a> Ancuta BODNAR Simona RADIS	6:41.03	<a href="#">New Zealand (NZL)</a> Brooke DONOGHUE Hannah OSBORNE	6:44.82	<a href="#">Netherlands (NED)</a> Roos DE JONG Lisa SCHEENAARD	6:45.73
Women's Four (W4-)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Australia (AUS)</a> Lucy STEPHAN Rosemary POPA Jessica MORRISON Annabelle MCINTYRE	6:15.37	<a href="#">Netherlands (NED)</a> Elisabeth HOGERWERF Karolien FLORIJN Ymkje CLEVERING Veronique MEESTER	6:15.71	<a href="#">Ireland (IRL)</a> Aifric KEOGH Eimear LAMBE Fiona MURTAGH EMILY HEGARTY	6:20.46
Women's Quadruple Sculls (W4x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">China (CHN)</a> Yunxia CHEN Ling ZHANG Yang LYU Xiaotong CUI	6:05.13	<a href="#">Poland (POL)</a> Agnieszka KOBUS-ZAWOJSKA Marta WIELICZKO Maria SAJDAK Katarzyna ZILLMANN	6:11.36	<a href="#">Australia (AUS)</a> Ria THOMPSON Rowena MEREDITH Harriet HUDSON Caitlin CRONIN	6:12.08



## Olympic Games 2020 - men's &amp; women's results (page 2/3)

**Women's Eight (W8+)**

Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Canada (CAN)</a> Lisa ROMAN Kasia GRUCHALLA- WESIERSKI Christine ROPER Andrea PROSKE Susanne GRAINGER Madison MAILEY Sydney PAYNE Avalon WASTENEYS Kristen KIT	5:59.13	<a href="#">New Zealand (NZL)</a> Ella GREENSLADE Emma DYKE Lucy SPOORS Kelsey BEVAN Grace PRENDERGAST Kerri WILLIAMS Beth ROSS Jackie GOWLER Caleb SHEPHERD	6:00.04	<a href="#">China (CHN)</a> Zifeng WANG Yuwei WANG Fei XU Tian MIAO Min ZHANG Rui JU Jingjing LI Linlin GUO Dechang ZHANG	6:01.21

**Lightweight Men's Double Sculls (LM2x)**

Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Ireland (IRL)</a> Fintan MC CARTHY Paul O'DONOVAN	6:06.43	<a href="#">Germany (GER)</a> Jonathan ROMMELMANN Jason OSBORNE	6:07.29	<a href="#">Italy (ITA)</a> Stefano OPPO Pietro RUTA	6:14.30

**Men's Single Sculls (M1x)**

Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Greece (GRE)</a> Stefanos NTOUSKOS	6:40.45	<a href="#">Norway (NOR)</a> Kjetil BORCH	6:41.66	<a href="#">Croatia (CRO)</a> Damir MARTIN	6:42.58

**Men's Pair (M2-)**

Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Croatia (CRO)</a> Martin SINKOVIC Valent SINKOVIC	6:15.29	<a href="#">Romania (ROU)</a> Marius COZMIUC Ciprian TUDOSA	6:16.58	<a href="#">Denmark (DEN)</a> Frederic VYSTAVEL Joachim SUTTON	6:19.88

**Men's Double Sculls (M2x)**

Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">France (FRA)</a> Hugo BOUCHERON Matthieu ANDRODIAS	6:00.33	<a href="#">Netherlands (NED)</a> Melvin TWELLAAR Stefan BROENINK	6:00.53	<a href="#">China (CHN)</a> Zhiyu LIU Liang ZHANG	6:03.63

**Men's Four (M4-)**

Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Australia (AUS)</a> Alexander PURNELL Spencer TURRIN Jack HARGREAVES Alexander HILL	5:42.76	<a href="#">Romania (ROU)</a> Mihaita TIGANESCU Mugurel Vasile SEMCIUC Stefan BERARIU Cosmin PASCARI	5:43.13	<a href="#">Italy (ITA)</a> Matteo CASTALDO Marco DI COSTANZO Matteo LODO Giuseppe VICINO	5:43.60



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Men's Quadruple Sculls (M4x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Netherlands (NED)</a> Dirk UITTENBOGAARD Abe WIERSMA Tone WIETEN Koen METSEMAKERS	5:32.03	<a href="#">Great Britain (GBR)</a> Harry LEASK Angus GROOM Tom BARRAS Jack BEAUMONT	5:33.75	<a href="#">Australia (AUS)</a> Jack CLEARY Caleb ANTILL Cameron GIRDLESTONE Luke LETCHER	5:33.97
Men's Eight (M8+)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">New Zealand (NZL)</a> Thomas MACKINTOSH Hamish BOND Tom MURRAY Michael BRAKE Daniel WILLIAMSON Phillip WILSON Shaun KIRKHAM Matt MACDONALD Sam BOSWORTH	5:24.64	<a href="#">Germany (GER)</a> Johannes WEISSENFELD Laurits FOLLERT Olaf ROGGENSACK Torben JOHANNESSEN Jakob SCHNEIDER Malte JAKSCHIK Richard SCHMIDT Hannes OCIK Martin SAUER	5:25.60	<a href="#">Great Britain (GBR)</a> Josh BUGAJSKI Jacob DAWSON Tom GEORGE Mohamed SBIHI Charles ELWES Oliver WYNNE-GRIFFITH James RUDKIN Tom FORD Henry FIELDMAN	5:25.73

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## Olympic & Paralympic Games

### Paralympic Games 2020

PR1 Women's Single Sculls (PR1 W1x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Norway (NOR)</a> Birgit SKARSTEIN	10:56.88	<a href="#">Israel (ISR)</a> Moran SAMUEL	11:18.39	<a href="#">France (FRA)</a> Nathalie BENOIT	11:28.44
PR1 Men's Single Sculls (PR1 M1x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Ukraine (UKR)</a> Roman POLIANSKYI	9:48.78	<a href="#">Australia (AUS)</a> Erik HORRIE	10:00.82	<a href="#">Brazil (BRA)</a> Rene CAMPOS PEREIRA	10:03.54
PR2 Mixed Double Sculls (PR2 Mix2x)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Great Britain (GBR)</a> Laurence WHITELEY Lauren ROWLES	8:38.99	<a href="#">Netherlands (NED)</a> Annika VAN DER MEER Cornelis DE KONING	8:43.85	<a href="#">China (CHN)</a> Shuang LIU Jijian JIANG	8:49.42
PR3 Mixed Coxed Four (PR3 Mix4+)							
Year	Location	1st	Time	2nd	Time	3rd	Time
2021	Tokyo (JPN)	<a href="#">Great Britain (GBR)</a> Ellen BUTTRICK Giedre RAKAUSKAITE James FOX Oliver STANHOPE Erin KENNEDY	7:09.08	<a href="#">United States (USA)</a> Alexandra REILLY Danielle HANSEN Charley NORDIN John TANGUAY Karen PETRIK	7:20.13	<a href="#">France (FRA)</a> Erika SAUZEAU Antoine JESEL Remy TARANTO Margot BOULET Robin LE BARREAU	7:27.04

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