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## Men's 200 Metres

Event starts: August 3 Entrants:

(Days) Born SB PB

24y 134d 1997

1136 GARDINER Steven BAH

**BURKE Mario** BAR

1153

20.24 25y 321d 1995 19.75 -18 NR

20.08

20.08 -19

20.15 -17

21.39 -17 NR

2019 World Champion // 400 pb: 43.87 -18 (44.47 -21). sf WJC 200 2014 (6 4x400); sf WCH 400 2015; sf OLY 400 2016 (3 4x400); 2 WCH 400 2017 (but no relay medal as Bahamas were eliminated in the heats having rested Gardiner). 1 Bahamian 400 2015/2016/2017/2019/2021. Coach-Gary Evans. 1.96 tall

In 2021: 1 Carolina 200; (all 400) 1 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic; dnf Fort Worth US F&F Open; 1 Nashville Music City Carnival; 1 Bahamian; 1 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

3x Barbadian Champion at 100m // 100 pb: 9.95w, 9.98 -19 (10.32 -21). 5 World Youth 100 2013; 3 WJC 100 2016; qf WCH 100 2017/2019; 3 North/Central American & Caribbean under-23 100 2019. 1 Barbadian 100 2017/2018/2019. 1 NCAA 4x100 2017/2018 & 2 NCAA indoor 60 2019, representing the University of Houston In 2021: 6 Texas Relays invitational 100 (5 200 'B'); 3 Prairie View Sprint Summit 100; 4 Miramar Invitational 100 'B'; 7 Austin Texas Invitational 100 'B'; 7 Houston Tom Tellez Invitational 100; 4 Clermont FL 'Pure Summer' 100; 2 Barbadian 100; 8ht Marietta Stars & Stripes 100

1203 VANDERBEMDEN Robin BEL 27y 170d 1994 21.08 20.43 -18

World, European & European indoor relay medals // 20.40w -18 (21.22i -21). 400 pb: 45.65 -17. 8 EJC 200 2013; 8 Francophone Games 200 2013; 8 under-23 ECH 400 2015; 6 WIC 4x400 2016 (sadly he dropped the baton for the team which included him and three Borlée brothers); gold ECH 4x400 2016/2018 (ran heats both times); 2 EIC 4x400 2017; 3 WCH 4x400 2019 (2015-5). 1 Belgian indoor 60 2013/2017 & 200 2021

In 2021: 2 Metz 200 'B'; 1 Belgian indoor 200

da SILVA Aldemir Gomes BRA 1325 29y 51d 1992

Full name-Aldemir Gomes da Silva Junior 2019 World Military Games Champion at 200m

21.19w -21. 100 pb: 10.13 -19. 400 pb: 46.20 -17 (47.65 -21). 1 South American junior 100 2011; sf OLY 200 2012; 1 South American under-23 100 2012 & 200 2014; ht WCH 200 2013/2015/2019; ht OLY 200 2016; 1 World Military Games 200 2019. 1 Brazilian 200 2014/2015/2017/2019. Hobbies include Samba dancing. Coach-Vania da Silva

In 2021: 4 Braganca Paulista 'Meeting Towards Tokyo' 200; 2 São Paulo Champs 400 'B'

VIDES Jorge Henrique BRA 1334

247d 1992 20.42 Twice Ibero-American Champion at 200m // 100 pb: 10.08 -18 (10.28 -21). 3 South American 200 2013 (1 4x100); 1 Ibero-American 200 2014 (2 100); 1 Ibero-American 200

2018 (2 100); 1 World Relays 4x100 2019. 1 Brazilian 100 2021 & 200 2016/2021. Coach-Paulo Servo In 2021: 1 Bragança Paulista City Tournament 100; 1 Bragança Paulista 100; 2 São Paulo Trophy 200; 1ht Brazilian 100/200; 1 Maia 200; 2 Lucerne 200; 4 Gateshead Diamond/Jul 4x100

1335 VILAR Lucas BRA 20v 142d 2001 20.62 20.58 - 20

Full name-Lucas Conceicao Vilar

2021 South American 200m silver // 100 pb: 10.34 -20 (10.41 -21). 3 Youth Olympic 200 2018; 1 South American Junior 200 2019; 3 Pan-Am Junior 200 2019; 2 South American 200 2021

In 2021: 2 Concepción del Uruguay 100; 2 Bragança Paulista 100; 2 South American 200; 4 Brazilian 200 (sf 100)

AR-RASYID Muhd Noor Firdaus BRU 1365 24y 280d 1996 Bruneian record holder at 200m // 100 pb: 10.60 -19. ht WCH 200 2017/2019; 5 South East Asian Games 200 2017

**BLAKE Jerome CAN** 1421 25y 346d 1995 20.38 -18

100 pb: 10.15 -21. 400 pb: 48.16 -18 (48.19 -19). 5 North/Central American & Caribbean 200 2018; 6 Pan-Am Games 200 2019. 2 Canadian 200 2018 & 100 2021. Born-Jamaica, visited family in Canada in 2013 and stayed on, granted Canadian citizenship in 2018. Coach-Dennis Mitchell In 2021: 2 Prairie View Relays 200/4x100; dnf Prairie View Sprint Summit; 5 Hollywood Miramar Invitational 200; 3 Gainesville Tom Jones Memorial 100 'C'

1423 | BROWN Aaron CAN 29y 63d 1992 19.95 -19

4x Canadian Champion at both 100m & 200m. Relay bronzes in Moscow 2013, Beijing 2015 and Rio 2016, then reached both individual sprint finals at Doha 2019 100 pb: 9.95w -16, 9.96 -16/19 (10.08 -21). 400 pb: 46.33 -19. 2 World Youth 100 2009; 3 WJC 200 2010 (5 100); 3 Pan-Am junior 100 2011; sf OLY 200 2012; 3 WCH 4x100 2013/2015; sf WCH 100 2013/2015; sf COM 100 2014; ht OLY 100 2016 (3 4x100); dq ht WCH 200 2017 (6 4x100); 2 COM 200 2018; 2 North/Central American & Caribbean 200 2018; 6 WCH 200 2019 (8 100). 1 Canadian 100 2013/2018/2019/2021 & 200 2015/2018/2019/2021. Lives-Toronto. Coach-Dennis Mitchell. 1.98 tall Disaster for him in London 2017: won his 200m heat in 20.08 but disqualified for stepping on the line on the bend. The final was won in a slower time, 20.09 In 2021: 5 Miramar Invitational 100; 3 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 200; 4 Walnut Golden Games 200; 3 Ostrava Golden Spike 200; 2 Gateshead Diamond/May 200; 3 Doha Diamond 200; 1 Canadian 100/200; 2 Oslo Diamond 200; 5 Stockholm Diamond 100; 5 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 200

DE GRASSE Andre CAN 1425 26y 262d 1994 19.89 19.80 -16 NR

(Pronounced De Grass, not De Grassi)

2016 Olympic 100m bronze & 200m silver, then two injury-ruined years, then the same two medals at Doha 2019
19.58w -16. 100 pb: 9.69w -17, 9.91 -16 (9.92w, 9.99 -21). 2 Pan-Am junior 100 2013 (3 200); sf COM 200 2014; 1 Pan-Am Games 100/200 2015; =3 WCH 100 2015 (3

4x100); 2 OLY 200 2016 (3 100/4x100); 2 WCH 200 2019 (3 100). 1 NCAA 100/200 2015; 1 Canadian 100 2015/2016/2017 (1 200 2017). Right hamstring tear in 2017, then the same hamstring went again in 2018. Partner-Nia Ali (1 WCH 100H 2019), their daughter Yuri born June 23, 2018, and another baby due in 2021. Coach-Rana Reider (formerly Stuart McMillan)

In 2021; 2 Jacksonville North Florida Invitational 100; 3 Ostrava Golden Spike 100; 3 Gateshead Diamond/May 200; 2 Doha Diamond 200; 1ht Jacksonville Duyal County Challenge 100 (in 9.92w, scratched from final); 1 Oslo Diamond 200; 1 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 200; 4 Monaco Diamond 100; 4 Gateshead Diamond/July 100 (2 4x100 when he closed right down on GBR)

1438 RODNEY Brendon CAN 29y 111d 1992 20 49 19.96 -16

Third leg for team which won World 4x100m bronze in 2015 and Olympic bronze in 2016

100 pb: 10.18 -17 (10.20 -21). 400 pb: 45.96 -16. 5 WSG 200 2013 (1 4x400); sf COM 200 2014; 3 WCH 4x100 2015 (sf 200); 3 OLY 4x100 2016 (ht 200); qf WCH 100 2017; sf WCH 200 2019. 1 Canadian 200 2014/2016. Studied Exercise Science at Long Island University Brooklyn in New York City. Coach-Peter Miller

In 2021: Assorted runs at JAAA meetings at Kingston or Spanish Town, with bests of 10.20, 20.49 & 47.27; 6 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge 200; 2 Canadian 200 (4 100)

1508 | XIE Zhenye CHN 27y 347d 1993 20.54 19.88 -19 AR

Asian record holder at 200m. Twice fourth in world indoor 60m finals
100 pb: 9.91w -17, 9.97 -18 (10.15 -21). 1 Youth Olympic 200 2010; 1 Asian junior 200 2012 (2 100); 5 WJC 200 2012 (8 100); ht WCH 200 2013; 1 Asian Games 4x100
2014; 4 Asian Champs 100 2015 & 200 2019; 2 WCH 4x100 2015 (dq ht 200 for running out of lane); 4 WIC 60 2016/2018; 4 OLY 4x100 2016; 4 WCH 4x100 2017; 1 Athletics World Cup 200 2018 (China's only male winner of the meeting, but they didn't enter 14 events); 1 Asian Champs 200 2019; 7 WCH 200 2019. 1 Chinese 100 2014/2017/2020 & 200 2012/2014/2015/2020/2021. From-Zhejiang Province. Coach-Tao Jianrong

In 2021: 1 Shenzhen 100 (Jan 30); 1 Shenzhen 200 (Feb 6); 1 Shenzhen 100 'B' (Mar 20); 1 Shaoxing Yangtze River Delta Elite 200; 2 Zhaoqing 100; 1 Chinese 200 (2 200)

1532 **ESEME Emmanuel** CMR 20.31 -19 NR **27v** 347d 1993 20 44

Co-holder of the Cameroonian 200m record, with Joseph Batangdon (they each clocked 20.31 20 years apart)

100 pb: 10.41 -19 (10.54 -21). sf African Champs 100/200 2018; dnq WCH 200 2019; 5 World Military Games 200 2019

In 2021: 1 Douala 200 (2 100) (Feb 20); 1 Douala 100/200 (Mar 27/29); 1 Yaoundé 100/200; 1 Lagos 'Making of Champions' Relays 200

BALOYES Bernardo COL

27y 205d 1994

21.29

20.00 -18 NR

Twice South American Champion at 200m // 400 pb: 45.68 -14 (49.50 -21). 100 pb: 10.18 -19. sf World Youth 200 2011; ht WCH 200 2013/2017/2019; 2 Ibero-American 200 2014 (2016-4); ht OLY 200 2016; 1 South American 200 2017/2019 (2013-2); 3 South American Games 200 2018 (1 4x100/4x400); 1 Central American & Caribbean Games 200 2018. 1 Colombian 200 2013/2017/2018 & 400 2014

In 2021: 5 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 400; 3 Clermont FL Pure Sprint Elite 200

JIRKA Jan CZE 1634

**27y** 298d 1993

20.45

20.45 -21

New Czech record holder at 200m // 100 pb: 10.45w -14, 10.50 -20. ht WJC 200 2012; 3 under-23 ECH 200 2015 (2 4x100); ht ECH 200 2018. 1 Czech 200 2018/2021 In 2021: 5 Prague Czech League round 1 60; 1 Prague Czech League round 2 200; 1 Prague Czech League round 3 200; 2 Czech indoor 200

**MARTINEZ Yancarlos** DOM

29<sub>V</sub> 21d 1992 20.21

20 19 -16 NR

2019 Pan-American Games 200m bronze // 100 pb: 10.10w -21, 10.14 -15 (10.17 -21). 4 Central American & Caribbean Games 100 2014; 7 Pan-Am Games 200 2015 (sf 100); 2 North/Central America & Caribbean 200 2015; sf WCH 200 2015/2019; 1 Ibero-American 200/4x100 2016; ht OLY 200 2016; 3 World Military Games 200 2019. At the 2015 Pan-American Games, he broke the Dominican Republic 100m record of Juan Núñez (10.16) which had stood since 1983. Former baseball player, but was forced to give up that sport with an injured wrist. 1.67 tall

In 2021: 1 Ibiza 200; 1 Savona 200; 1 Andújar 200; 2 Šamorín PTS 200; 1 Santo Domingo Felix Sanchez Invitational 100/200; 1 Castellón 100/200; 3 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 200

1705 QUINONEZ Alex ECU

31y 353d 1989

20.73

19.87 -19 NR

2019 World Championship bronze at 200m. Ecuadorian record holder at 60m, 100m, 200m & 400m

400 pb: 46.28 -19. 100 pb: 10.09 -13/18. 60 pb: 6.66i -19. 1 Ibero-American 100/200 2012; 7 OLY 200 2012; 1 South American 200 2013/2015 (1 100 2013); 2 South American Games 200 2014 (3 100); 1 South American Games 200 2018 (2 100); 1 Pan-Am Games 200 2019 (2011-6); 3 WCH 200 2019 (2013-sf, 2015-dq ht/false start). Clocked 20.08 from lane 1 in Paris 2018

In 2021: 4 World Relays 4x200; 1 Spanish League 'División De Honor' Final 200; 2 Maia 200; It has been reported that he's been suspended for anti-doping whereabouts failures

1760 SALAZAR José ESA

24y 200d 1997

21.23

21.23 -19

Full name-José Andres Salazar

2019 Central American Champion at 100m (as distinct from the various Central American & Caribbean Championships)

20.90w -19. 100 pb: 10.42w, 10.58 -19. 2 Central American 100 2018 (3 200); 5 Ibero-American 200 2018 (7 100); 1 Central American 100 2019 (2 200); ht WCH 200 2019; 7 Central American 100 2021

His ambition is break the Salvadorian 200m record of 21.05 which has stood to Rubén Benítez since 1998

In 2021: 1 San Salvador 100.200 (2x); 1 Salvadorian 100/200; 7 Central American 100

**GEMILI Adam GBR** 

27v 297d 1993

20.41

19.97 -16

2014 European 200m Champion. 2017 World 4x100m Champion // 100 pb: 9.97 -15 (10.14 -21). 2 EJC 100/4x100 2011; sf OLY 100 2012; 1 under-23 ECH 100/4x100 2013 (4 200); 5 WCH 200 2013; 2 COM 100/4x100 2014; 1 ECH 200/4x100 2014; 4 OLY 200 2016 (missed bronze by just 0.003, he clocked 20.119 to Christophe Lemaitre's 20.116); 1 WCH 4x100 2017; 5 ECH 200 2018 (1 4x100); 4 WCH 200 2019 (sf 100, 2 4x100). 1 UK 200 2016/2019/2021. Was a semi-professional footballer with Thurrock. Suffered a grade three tear in his right hamstring when he overbalanced at the finish of the 100m final in the 2015 Birmingham Grand Prix outdoors in June 2015. Mother Sacha from Iran, father Az from Morocco. Coach-Rana Reider

In 2021: 6 Gateshead Diamond/May 200; 6 Doha Diamond 200; 5 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge 200; 1 UK 200; 5 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 100 (4 200 'B'); 8 Gateshead Diamond/July 100

2057 MITCHELL-BLAKE Nethaneel GBR

27y 119d 1994

20.76

19.95 -16

Nethaneel pronounced 'Neth-an-neel'

Anchored Britain to 2017 World Championship relay gold, then silver in 2019

100 pb: 9.99 -17 (10.28 -21). 400 pb: 46.55 -16. sf World Youth 200 2011; 1 EJC 200 2013; 5 ECH 200 2016; sf OLY 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x100); 2 ECH 200 2016; 4 WCH 200 201 2018; 2 WCH 4x100 2019. 2 NCAA indoor 200 2016 & outdoor 200 2017 (6 100 2017); 1 UK 200 2017/2018. Born-Newham, moved to Jamaica at age 13 "but I always claim to be British". Was at Louisiana State University. Father-Joseph Mitchell was an 800m runner, mother-Audrey Blake. Coach-Lance Brauman In 2021: 3 Clermont FL 'Pure Spring' 100; 6 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 100 'B'; 7 Baton Rouge LSU Alumni Gold 100 (4 200 'B'); 2 UK 200; 3 Lignano Sabbiadoro 100;

**MULLER Steven GER** 2169

3 Gateshead Diamond/July 100 'B' (1 4x100)

30v 318d 1990

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20 42 -19

First leg for German team which won the 4x200m at the 2021 World Relays

100 pb. 10.31w, 10.33 -18 (10.47 -21). sf ECH 200 2018; 6 ETCh 200 2019; ht WCH 200 2019. 1 German 200 2019 & indoor 200 2018. Former player of German League American Football (for the Paderborn 'Dolphins'). Tried athletics training to improve his speed and was so good, coaches persuaded him to change sports In 2021: 2ht Frankfurt 60; 7ht German indoor 60; 1 World Relays 4x200; 2 Mannheim 'Road To Tokyo' #1 200; 1 Weinheim 200 'B' (2 100 'B'); 2 Bochum 100/200; 2 German 200; 1 Athens Sprint Gala; 2 Osterode 100/200; 5 Regensburg 100/200; dq Wetzlar 100

2196 AMOAH Joseph GHA

24y 199d 1997 20.36

20.08 -19 NR

Full name-Joseph Paul Amoah

Ghanaian record holder at 200m. Anchored Ghana to victory in the 4x100m relay at 2019 African Games

100 pb: 10.00w -21, 10.01 -19 (10.28 -21). sf COM 200 2018; 4 African Games 100 2019 (1 4x100); qf WCH 100 2019 (ht 4x100). 1 IC4A indoor 200 2017 (IC4A = Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America); 4 NCAA 200 2019. Attends Coppin State University in Baltimore, Maryland

In 2021: 2 Virginia Beach 'B' (Feb 6); 1 Virginia Beach Norfolk State Invitational 60/200 (Feb 12); 1 Towson Invitational; 1 Greensboro 'Aggie' Invitational 100/200; dq World Relays 4x100; 1 Greensboro 'Aggie' Classic 100; 4sf NCAA 100/200

2345 LAWLER Marcus IRL

152d 1995 26v

20.93

20.40 -18

4x Irish Indoor Champion at 200m (the first time in 2012 at age 16)

20.33w 19. 100 pb: 10.27w, 10.30 -17 (10.50 -21). sf World Youth 200 2011; ht WJC 200 2012/2014; 4 EJC 200 2013; 7 under-23 ECH 200 2015; sf ECH 200 2016; 3 WSG 200 2019. 1 Irish 100/200 2015. 1 Irish indoor 200 2012/2014/2015/2016. Coach/mother-Patricia

In 2021: 2 Málaga 200; 1 Belfast City of Lisburn 100/200; 2 Salamanca Pérez 200; 4 Geneva 200 'B'; 3 Kladno 200; 3 Irish 200; 2 Lucerne 200 'B'

**REID Leon IRL** 2349

27y 4d 1994 20.79

20.27 -18

2018 Commonwealth Games 200m bronze (for Northern Ireland), despite being the finalist with the slowest personal best

100 pb: 10.26w, 10.33 -17. 2 European Youth Olympic Festival 100 2011; 6 Commonwealth Youth Games 100 2011; 2 EJC 200 2013; 2 under-23 ECH 200 2015; 3 COM 200 2018 (2014-ht); 7 ECH 200 2018. 1 Irish indoor 60 2018, 1 Irish 100 2018 & 200 2018/2019/2021 (1 indoor 200 2019). 1 English under-23 200 2015/2016. His mother was born in Belfast. Based-Bath, coach-James Hillier

Allegiance transferee from Great Britain - cleared by World Athletics to represent Ireland in international competition from August 3, 2018

In 2021: 5ht EIC 60; 1 Worthing Open 100/200; 1 Nuneaton Birchfield H 'Warm Up' 100/200; 1 Loughborough International 100/200; 1 Worthing Track Night 100/200; 1 Irish 200; He has denied charges relating to drugs and firearms offences, put to him and 17 other defendants on June 23

2419 **DESALU Eseosa** ITA 20.13 -18 **27y** 161d 1994 20.48

2021 European Team Champion at 200m // 100 pb: 10.29 -20 (10.38 -21). ht WJC 200 2012; 5 EJC 200 2013; sf ECH 200 2014/2016; 1 World Military Games 200 2015; ht OLY 200 2016; 2 Mediterranean Games 200 2018 (1 4x100); 6 ECH 200 2018; sf WCH 200 2019; 1 ETCh 200 2021 (2019-2). 1 Italian 200 2016/2017/2021. Born in Italy of Nigerian parents. Acquired Italian citizenship in 2012 and formally cleared by World Athletics to compete for Italy from May 2, 2012. Coach-Sebastian Bacchieri In 2021: 2 World Relays 4x100; 1 ETCh 200; 2 Hengelo FBK Games 200; 1 Italian 200; 4 Oslo Diamond 200

INFANTINO Antonio ITA 2427

30y 130d 1991 20.48 20.41 -19

3x UK Champion at 200m indoors, twice Italian Champion at 200m outdoors

3x UK Champion at 200m indoors, twice italian Champion at 200m outdoors 20.27w -19. 100 pb: 10.06w, 10.26 -19 (10.31 -21).. 7 Commonwealth Youth Games 200 2008; sf ECH 200 2016; ht WCH 200 2019. 1 English Schools under-15 100 2005, under-17 200 2007 & senior 2008; 1 UK indoor 200 2015/2017/2018; 1 English 200 2017; 1 Italian 200 2019/200. Allegiance transferee from Great Britain & NI – has dual citizenship with Italy and having never competed for Britain internationally was cleared by World Athletics to represent Italy from June 11, 2016 In 2021: 1 Dubai 100; 2 Bradenton Florida International (pro) 100 (3 200); 4 Clermont FL 'Pure Spring' 100 (2 200 'B'); 1 Lubbock 'Masked Rider' Open 200 (2 100); 5

Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 200 'C'; 1 London 200; 1 Dagenham 200 (3 100); 6 Geneva 200; 1 Kettering 100/200; 2 Italian 200; 1 Lee Valley Sprint Series 200; 1 Bulle

2548 BLAKE Yohan JAM

31v 216d 1989 20.27 19.26 -11

London Olympic silver at 100m & 200m, 0.12 behind Bolt in each race

100 pb: 9,69 -12 (9,95 -21). 400 pb: 46.32 -13. 7 World Youth 100 2005; 1 Central American & Caribbean junior 100/200 2006; 3 WJC 100 2006 (1 4x100); 2 Pan-Am junior 100 2007; 4 WJC 100 2008 (2 4x100); 1 WCH 100/4x100 2011; 2 OLY 100/200 2012 (1 4x100); 1 OLY 4x100 2016 (4 100, sf 200); 4 WCH 100 2017 (sf 200, then was the man who passed the baton to Usain Bolt in the fateful 4x100m final); 3 COM 100/4x100 2018; 5 WCH 100 2019 (sf 200). 1 Jamaican 100/200 2012/2016/2017 (1 100 2019) In 2021: 1 Kingston 200 'B' (Feb 20); 3 Kingston 200 (Feb 27); 1 Kingston 100 'B' (Mar 13); dnf Kingston 100 'C' (Apr 17); 1 Kingston 100 'B' (Apr 24); 2 Clermont FL Pure Sprint Elite 100; 2 Boston Games; 2 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge 100; 2 Jamaican 100/200; 1 Marietta Stars & Stripes 100; He has been named as captain of the Jamaican men's team in Tokyo

2572 **DWYER Rasheed** JAM

32v 182d 1989 20.17 19 80 -15

Former Commonwealth Games Champion at 200m // 100 pb: 10.08w, 10.10 -16 (10.17 -21). 400 pb: 46.64 -17 (48.89 -21). 2 Central American & Caribbean Games 200 2010; sf COM 200 2010 (2 4x100); 2 WSG 200 2013; 1 COM 200 2014 (2018-sf); 2 IAAF Continental Cup 200 2014; 2 Pan-Am Games 200 2015; 1 North/Central America & Caribbean 200 2015; gold WCH 4x100 2015 (ran ht); sf WCH 200 2017/2019; 5 Pan-Am Games 100 2019. 1 Jamaican 200 2019/2021. Coach-Maurice Wilson In 2021: 5 Spanish Town 400 'C'; 6 Kingston 400 (Feb 20); 1 Kingston 200 'B' (Apr 17); 1 Kingston 200 'B' (Apr 24); 1 Kingston 100 (May 1); 3 Kingston 100 'B' (May 22); 4 Kingston 100 (May 29); 2 Kingston 200 (Jun 5); 1 Jamaican 200; 2 Marietta Stars & Stripes 200

FORTE Julian JAM 2580

28v 204d 1993 20.22 19.97 -16

20.48

20.11 -16

(Forte is pronounced as in Fort Worth, one syllable)

Ran in heat of 2014 Commonwealth Games relay [in Glasgow], so awarded gold won by Jamaica in final

100 pb: 9.91-17 (10.03 -21). 400 pb: 47.24 -15 (48.43 -21). 8 WJC 200 2012; sf WCH 200 2015; sf WCH 100 2017 (then ran the second leg for the sprint relay team whose challenge ended with Usain Bolt's injury)

In 2021: 1 Kingston 60 (Feb 20); 1 Kingston 400 'C' (Mar 13); 4 Miami 'TRUFit' 100; 6 Clermont FL Pure Sprint Elite 100; 7 Gateshead Diamond/May 200; 2 Kingston 100 (Jun 5); 4 Jamaican 100 (dnf 200)

**IIZUKA Shota JPN** 2692

Second leg for Japanese 4x100 team which ran Jamaica so closely in Rio 2016, then won bronze at London 2017 (and now winning medals at 4x400s) 100 pb: 10.08 -17 (10.18w, 10.42 -21). 1 WJC 200 2010; 4 Asian Champs 200 2011; ht OLY 200 2012 (5 4x100); 3 WSG 200 2013 (2 4x100)6 WCH 4x100 2013; ht OLY 200 2016 (2 4x100); 6 Asian Games 200 2018 (3 4x400). 1 Japanese 200 2013/2016/2018. Attends Chuo University. Coach-Yasuhiro Toyoda

30<sub>V</sub>

35d 1991

In 2021: 1 Hachioji 100/200 (3x); 1 Hachioji 100; 1 Fukuroi Shizuoka International 200; 1 'Ready Steady' Tokyo 200; 6 Japanese 200

2700 KOIKE Yuki JPN 26y 78d 1995 20.24 20.23 -18

2018 Asian Games Champion at 200m. Only the third Japanese to go sub-10 for 100m (after Yoshihide Kiryu & Abdul Hakim Sani Brown) 100 pb: 9.98 -19 (10.04w, 10.13 -21). 400 pb: 46.51 -14. 4 WJC 200 2014 (2 4x100); sf WSG 100 2015; 1 Asian Games 200 2018; 2 Asian Champs 200 2019; sf WCH 100 2019 (ht 200). 1 Japanese 200 2021 Ran in heat of 2019 World 4x100 (deputising for Shuhei Tada), so awarded bronze won by Japan in final In 2021: 1 Izumo 100; 2 Fukuroi Shizuoka International 200; 3 'Ready Steady' Tokyo 100; 1 Osaka 200; 3 Tottori 100; 1 Japanese 200 (4 100)

2709 SANI BROWN Abdul Hakim JPN

22v 146d 1999 20.08 -19

2017 World 200m finalist at age 18 // 100 pb: 9.96w, 9.97 -19 (10.25w, 10.29 -21). 1 World Youth 100/200 2015; sf WCH 200 2015; 7 WCH 200 2017 (sf 100); sf WCH 100 2019 (3 4x100). 1 Japanese 100/200 2017/2019. Born-Fukuoka, father-Ghanaian, mother-Japanese. She (Akiko) was a sprint hurdler. Coach-Rana Reider . 1.87 tall In 2021: 6 Japanese 100

2723 YAMASHITA Jun JPN

23y 341d 1997 20.61 20.40 -19

Third leg for Japanese sprint relay team which won at the 2019 World Student Games

20.31w -19. 100 pb: 10.26w -18, 10.28 -19 (10.37 -21). 6 Youth Olympic Games 200 2014; 8 WJC 200 2016 (2 4x100); 8 WSG 200 2017 (1 4x100); ht WCH 200 2019. 3 Japanese 200 2018. His father Norifumi (11 WCH TJ 1991) and brother Kohei were both international triple jumpers

In 2021: 1 Tsukuba 100; 6 Hiroshima Oda Memorial 100; 5 Fukuroi Shizuoka International 200; 4 'Ready Steady' Tokyo 200; 3 East Japanese Corporate 200; 2 Osaka 200; 4 Japanese 200

2846 HADID Noureddine LBN 28y 183d 1993 20.83 Lebanese record holder at 100m, 200m & 400m // 100 pb: 10.41 -19 (10.42 -21). 400 pb: 47.36 -19 (47.87 -21). ht Asian Champs 100/200 2015; sf Asian Champs 100 2017 (ht 200); sf Asian Games 200 2018 (ht 100); 4 Asian Champs 200 2019 (sf 100); ht WCH 200 2019; 6 World Military Games 100/200 2019. 1 Lebanese 100/200 2015

-2019/2021 (though in the 2017 he was second, but first Lebanese so he took the title); 1 Lebanese 400 2019/2021 In 2021: 3 Turkish indoor 200; 1 Beirut 100 (3x); 1 Beirut 200 (2x); 1 Mersin 100; 6 Erzurum 100; 3 Arab 200 (6 100); 1 Lebanese 100/200/400

FAHNBULLEH Joe LBR 2848

19y 322d 2001 19.91 19.91 -21

Allegiance transferee from the USA - cleared by World Athletics to represent Liberia from June 14, 2021 (so his 19.91 on June 11 can;t count as a Liberian record) 100 pb: 10.01w, 10.21 -21.1 NCAA 200 2021 (3 indoors). Parents emigrated from Liberia to Minnesota. Attends University of Florida

In 2021: 1 NCAA indoor 200 'B' (3rd overall); 1 Florida State U. Relays 100; 1 Florida Relays 100/200; 2 Southeastern Conference 200 (5 100); 1 NCAA 200 (7 100); He was the Liberian flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with 200m hurdler Ebony Morrison)

MATADI Emmanuel LBR 2849

30y 106d 1991 20.44 20.44 -16

Allegiance transferee from USA - has had dual citizenship with Liberia since birth and formally cleared by World Athletics to represent Liberia from June 11, 2016

2016 African Championships bronze at 200m 100 pb: 9.93w -17, 10.01 -19/21. 3 African Champs 200 2016 (5 100); ht OLY 100/200 2016; sf WCH 100 2017/2019. 1 NCAA div 2 100/200 2015, representing Minnesota State University. Born in Liberia. To escape a civil war, his family moved to the USA when he was three

In 2021: 1 Prairie View Sprint Summit 100 (2 200); 2 Miramar Invitational 200 (4 100); 1 Waco Michael Johnson Invitational 100; 3 Eugene Grand Prix 100; 4 Austin Texas Invitational 200; 7 Fort Worth US F&F Open 100; 5 Gateshead Diamond/May 200; 4 Doha Diamond 200; 3 Šamorín PTS 200; 1 Tatabánya 100; 1 Prague Odložil 100; 3 Florence Diamond 100; 7 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 100; 4 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 200; dq Gateshead Diamond/July 100 'B' (false start); Unusually, he has equalled both his 100m & 200m personal bests in 2021

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TRUSKAUSKAS Gediminas LTU 2868

**23v** 209d 1998

20 48

20.48 -21 NR

Lithuanian record holder at 200m // 100 pb: 10.26w, 10.33 -21. 400 pb: 47.65 -17. ht World Youth 200 2015; sf EJC 400 2017; ht ECH 200 2018; ht EIC 60 2021. 1 Lithuanian 100 2020 & 200 2018/2019/2020/2021. 1 Lithuanian indoor 60 2019/2020/2021

In 2021: 1 Lithuanian indoor 60; 6ht EIC 60; 1 Polish Universities 200; 2 Eisenstadt 100; 1 Kladno 200; 2 ETCh 2nd League 200 (4 100); 1 Lithuanian 200; 1 Vilnius 200

SISSOKO Fodé MLI

24y 293d 1996 20.60 20.52 -18 NR

Malian record holder at 200m // 100 pb: 10.47w, 10.48 -18 (11.09 -21). 400 pb: 46.28 -18. 5 African Champs 200 2018; ht WCH 200 2019. Lives-France In 2021: 1 French indoor 200; 1 Tourcoing 100/200; 1 Geneva 200

**BURNET Taymir** NED 3016

28y 301d 1992

20.62

20.34 -19

Anchored the Netherlands to 2018 European relay bronze (preceded by Christopher Garia, Churandy Martina & Hensley Paulina)

100 pb: 9.98w, 10.12 -19 (10.39 -12). ht WCH 4x100 2017 (dq final 2019); sf ECH 200 2018 (3 4x100); sf WCH 100/200 2019. 1 Dutch 200 2020. Born-Curacão In 2021: dnf World Relays 4x100; 5 Vught Harry Schulting Games 100; 2 Oordegem Flanders Cup 200; 4 Hengelo FBK Games 100/200; 3 Geneva 200 'B'; 2 Dutch 200; 3 Lucerne 200 'B'; 1 Vught 100; 3 Gateshead Diamond/Jul 4x100

3125 EDWARD Alonso PAN

31v 234d 1989

20.18

19.81 -09 NR

2009 World 200m silver behind Bolt's 19.19 (in 19.81, which remains his quickest)

100 pb: 9.97w -09, 10.01 -18 (10.09 -21). ht WJC 100 2008; 1 South American 100/200 2009; 2 WCH 200 2009 (2011-dnf final, 2013-sf, 2015-4, 2017-ht); 1 Central American 200 2012/2013; dq ht OLY 200 2012 (false start); 1 IAAF Continental Cup 200 2014/2018; 3 Pan-Am Games 200 2015 (2019-4); 7 OLY 200 2016. Lost 2015 World Championship 200m bronze to Anaso Jobodwana, 19.861 to 19.863. His younger brother Mateo holds the Panamanian indoor record for 60m In 2021: 1 Šamorín PTS 100/200; 2 Tatabánya 100; 2 Prague Odložil 100; 2ht 'Meeting' Madrid 100; 2 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 200 'B'; 1 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 200; He was the Panamanian flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with boxer Atheyna Bylon)

3294 **OGUNODE Femi** QAT 30y 76d 1991 20.16

19.97 -16 NR

Full name-Femi Seun Ogunode

Allegiance transferee from Nigeria – acquired Qatari citizenship in 2009

2014 World indoor bronze at 60m

100 pb: 9.91 -15/16 (10.00 -21). 400 pb: 45.12 -10. 1 West Asian 100/200 2010. 1 Asian Games 200/400 2010/2014; 1 Asian Champs 200 2011; 1 World Military Games 100/200 2011; 8 WCH 400 2011 (sf 200); 2 Asian Indoor Champs 60 2014; 3 WIC 60 2014; 1 Asian Champs 100/200 2015; 7 WCH 200 2015 (sf 100); ht OLY 100/200 2016; 2 Asian Champs 100 2017 (3 200). Served two-year doping suspension in 2012-2014. His younger brother Tosin Ogunode (100 pb: 10.00) also transferred from Nigeria to Qatar

In 2021: 1 Doha Aspire Invitational 100; 1 Doha Diamond 100; 1 Arab 100/200

3408 JOBODWANA Anaso RSA 29y today 1992

20.72

19.87 -15

2015 World bronze at 200m // 100 pb: 10.07w -18, 10.10 -13 (10.36 -21). 8 OLY 200 2012; 1 WSG 100/200 2013; 6 WCH 200 2013; 3 WCH 200 2015 (ht 100); ht OLY 200 2016; dg sf COM 200 2018 (false start); 2 COM 4x100 2018; 3 African Games 200/4x100 2019; sf WCH 200 2019. Coach-Stuart McMillan

He set a South African 200m record of 19.87 in 2015, but that has since been broken by both Wayde van Niekerk and Clarence Munyai

In 2021: 6 South African 200; 3 Pretoria Athletics Gauteng North League #2 100/200; 2 Regensburg 200; 1 Mannheim 'Road to Tokyo #2' 200/100 'D'; 1 Berlin 200 (2 100)

MASWANGANYI Shaun RSA

20v 179d 2001

20.10

20.10 -21

(aka Phatutshedzo Maswanganyi) // 100 pb: 9.87w, 10.04 -21. 1 African Junior 200 2019 (2 100). 2 NCAA 100 2021 (3 200). Student of Business at the University of Houston. Born-Soweto. Coaches-Leroy Burrell & Carl Lewis

In 2021: Long indoor season, 60m best of 6.58 (indoor pb), then 7ht NCAA indoor 60; 3 Texas Relays 200 (1 4x100); 1 Houston Alumni 100; 2 Baton Rouge LSU Boots Garland Invitational 100; 1 Tampa 'The American' Champs 100/200 (9.87w/19.93w; 2 NCAA 100 (3 200); Should he win, look out for his victory celebration he calls 'opening the safe'

3426 MUNYAI Clarence RSA

23y 160d 1998

20.49

19.69 -18 NR

Clocked 19.69 for 200m at altitude in March 2018, but not otherwise below 20 seconds. Brilliant 3rd leg man for RSA in relays

100 pb: 10.10 -18 (10.25 -21). 300 pb: 31.61 -17. 4 WJC 200 2016; ht OLY 200 2016; dq ht WCH 200 2017 (lane); 4 COM 200 2018; sf WCH 200 2019; 1 World Relays 4x100 2021. Third leg for South African sprint relay team which clocked super-fast times at Doha 2019: 37.65 heat & 37.73 final (5th). 1 South African 200 2016. Coach-

In 2021: 1 World Relays 4x100 (team of Thando Dlodlo, Gift Leotlela, him, Akani Simbine); 1 Pretoria Athletics Gauteng North League #2 200 (2 100); 2 Geneva 200; 3 Lucerne 200; dq Heusden Night of Athletics 200; 6 Tomblaine 100

**REAIS William** SUI 3524

22<sub>V</sub> 87d 1999 20.47

20.24 -20

2021 European under-23 Champion at 200m // 100 pb: 10.35 -20. sf WJC 200 2018; ht ETCh 200 2019; ht EIC 60 2021; 1 under-23 ECH 200 2021. 1 Swiss 200 2020 &

indoor 200 2018/2019/2020/2021. Coach-Flavio Zberg In 2021: 1 Swiss indoor 200 (2 60); 4ht EIC 60; 1 Basie Hurdles/Sprints 150; 4 Ostrava Golden Spike 200; 1 Basle Meier 200; 3 Geneva 4x100; 1 under-23 ECH 200

WILSON Alex SUI 3527

30y 314d 1990

20.64

19.98 -19 NR

Full name-Alex Ricardo Wilson

2018 European 200m bronze // 100 pb: 10.08 -19 (10.38). 7 under-23 ECH 200 2011; sf OLY 200 2012; ht WCH 200 2013; sf WCH 100/200 2017; 3 ECH 200 2018 (2010/2012-ht, 2014-sf); sf WCH 200 2019 (qf 100). 1 Swiss 100 2017/2018/2019 & 200 2011/2012/2014/2018/2019/2021. Allegiance transferee from Jamaica – has been resident in Switzerland since 2004 after his Jamaican mother married a Swiss man. Was granted Swiss citizenship on May 30, 2010 and cleared by World Athletics to compete for his new country on June 18, 2010

In 2021: 3 Providence 100; 1 Basle Meier 100; 1 Zofingen 100; 1 Swiss 200 (2 100); 1 Lucerne 200 (3 100); 7 Oslo Diamond 200; 1 Marietta Georgia Games 100/200 (in reported times of 9.84/19.89 but the timing system was not legitimate);

He has been provisionally suspended by the Athletics Integrity Unit (after a prohibited substance was found in a sample he gave last March)

VOLKO Ján SVK

24y 269d 1996

20.62

20.24 -18 NR

A full medal set from the European Indoor Championships 60m // 100 pb: 10.07w, 10.13 -18 (10.31). sf EJC 100 2015; ht WIC 60 2016; sf ECH 100/200 2016/2018; 1 under 23 ECH 200 2017 (2 100); 3 WSG 200 2017 (5 100); 6 WIC 60 2018; sf WCH 200 2017 (qf 100); 1 EIC 60 2019 (2015-ht, 2017-2, 2021-3); 4 WSG 100 2019 (5 200). 1 Slovak 100 2015/2016/2017/2018/2019/2020 & 200 2016/2018/2019/2020/2021. 1 Slovak indoor 60 2017/2018/2019/2020/2021 & 200 2015/2016. He played football from the age of six to 14, but felt he didn't have the technical skills and "I was sitting on the bench more than playing.

In 2021: 1ht Slovak indoor 60; 3 EIC 60; 6 Savona 100; 5 Ostrava Golden Spike 100/200; 4 Šamorín PTS 200 (6 100); 1 Slovak 200

MATSENJWA Sibusiso SWZ 3580

33y 88d 1988 20.47

20.47 -21 NR

Eswatini record holder at 60m, 100m, 200m & 400m // 20.45w -17. 100 pb: 10.22 -18 (10.42 -21). 400 pb: 46.79 -18. ht WCH 200 2009/2011; ht WIC 60 2010/2012/2014/2016/2018; 8 WSG 200 2013; ht COM 100/200 2014; ht WCH 200 2015/2017/2019; ht OLY 200 2016; sf COM 100/200 2018; 5 African Games 200 2019

(2011-7). He is a member of the Royal Swaziland Police In 2021: 1 Potchefstroom 200 (3 100) (Mar 12/13); 5 Roodepoort 100; 4 Roodepoort Athletix Invitational 200; 2 Lusaka International 200 (6 100); 1 Potchefstroom ACNW Open 100 'C' (Apr 29); 3 Pretoria Gauteng North League #3 200 (6 100); 1 Potchefstroom Central North West 'Preparation' 200 (4 100) Jun 26

3628 GREAUX Kyle TTO 20.70 33<sub>V</sub> 94d 1988 19 97 -18

2019 World Championship 100m finalist // 100 pb: 10.16 -17 (10.50 -21). 400 pb: 47.14 -13. ht OLY 200 2016; 6 COM 200 2018 (2014-sf); 2 Pan-Am Games 4x100 2019; 8 WCH 200 2019 (2013/2015-ht, 2017-sf). 1 Trinidadian 200 2015/2018. His father Vernie Greaux was an international athlete. Coach-Lance Brauman

In 2021: 1 Clermont FL 'Pure Summer' 200; 2 Miramar NACAC Invitational 200; Ran in heats only of the Bahamian Championships; 1 Nassau Marlin 200; 3 Marietta Stars & Stripes 200

3634 RICHARDS Jereem TTO

27y 198d 1994 20.13

2018 Commonwealth Champion at 200m. 2017 World Championship 200m bronze with the fastest finish, then 4x400m relay gold with a super-fast split of 43.5 on the difficult leg 2

100 pb: 10.23 -19 (10.27w, 10.36 -21). 400 pb: 45.21 -17. 3 WIC 4x400 2012; 3 WCH 200 2017 (1 4x400); 4 WIC 4x400 2018; 1 COM 200 2018 (4 4x400); 2 Pan-Am Games 200 (3 4x400); sf WCH 200 2019. At the 2018 Commonwealth Games, he crossed the line in second place in the 200m but was promoted to gold after it was determined he have been impeded by the original winner, Zharnel Hughes (ENG). Coach-Lance Brauman

In 2021: 1 Clermont FL 60 'B'; 1 Clermont FL 'Pure Spring' 200 'C'; 2 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 200 (4 100 'C'); 1 Eugene Grand Prix 200; 3 Walnut Golden Games 200; 1 Boston Games 150 Straight; 4 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 200

**GULIYEV Ramil TUR** 3670

31v 62d 1990 20 43

19.76 -18 NR

In 2017 he succeeded Usain Bolt as World Champion at 200m (and then received personal congratulations from the Presidents of both Turkey and Azerbaijan) 100 pb: 9.97 -17 (10.12w, 10.25 -21). ht WJC 100 2006; 2 World Youth 200 2007; ht WIC 60 2008; 5 WJC 200 2008; qf OLY 200 2008; 7 EIC 60 2009; 1 WSG 200 2009; 1 EJC 200 2009 (2 100); 6 ECH 200 2014 (dq ht 100 with false start); 2 ECH 200 2016 (6 100); 8 OLY 200 2016; 1 WCH 200 2017 (2009-7, 2015-6, 2019-5); 1 ECH 200 2018 (2 4x100). Allegiance transferee from Azerbaijan – became a Turkish citizen on April 5, 2011 and cleared by World Athletics to compete for that country in from April 4, 2013. Wife-Yekaterina Poistogova/Zavyalova (2 OLY 800 2012), their daughter born 2020. Striking tattoos on both arms. Right-a phoenix; left-a dragon and the latin word "meus" (my)

In 2021: 8 Doha Diamond 200; dq St. Pölten Prokop 100; 2 Marseille 100; 1 Erzurum 200; 7 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 200 'B'; 6 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 200

**SMELYK Sergiy** UKR

34v 102d 1987

20.62

20.30 -14

Twice European Team Champion at 200m // 100 pb: 10.10 -16 (10.27w, 10.45 -21). ht OLY 200 2012; 4 WSG 200 2013 (1 4x100); sf WCH 200 2013/2019 (2015/2017-ht); 3 ECH 200 2014 (2012-5, 2016/2018-sf); 1 ETCh 200 2015/2017 (2011-10, 2013-3, 2014/2019-4); ht OLY 200 2016; 5 ECH 4x100 2018. 1 Ukrainian 100 2010/2012/2014/2017/2018/2019/2021 (1 200 2012/2013/2016/2018/2019/2020). Coach-Viktor Bryzgin (1 OLY 4x100 1988), husband of Olga Bryzgina (1 OLY 400 1988)

In 2021: 4 Ukrainian Indoor Team Champs 60; 3ht World Relays 4x100 (team missed a place in final – and therefore Olympic qualification – by one thousandth); 3 Erzurum 200; 1 Ukrainian 200; 3 Karlstad 100; 1 Balkan 200; 2 Graz 200 (4 100)

**BEDNAREK Kenny** USA 3905

22<sub>V</sub> 289d 1998 19.82

19.82 -19

(The D in Bednarek is silent, so 'Ben-ar-ek')

Fourth in 2021 US Olympic Trials 100m, despite clocking 9.89

19.49w -19 (19.65w -21). 100 pb: 9.89 -21. 400 pb: 44.73 -19. ht WCH 200 2019 (hamstring). 1 US 'Junior College' 200/400 2019 (in 19.49w ht, 19.82 / 44.73, on same day). Born-Oklahoma with his twin lan, they were adopted by a family in Rice Town, Wisconsin. Coach-Dennis Mitchell. 1.82 tall

In 2021: 1 Miramar Invitational 200; 3 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 100; 2 Walnut Golden Games 200; 1 Ostrava Golden Spike 200; 1 Gateshead Diamond/May 200 (very impressive win in 20.33 in cold and wet and with a 3.0 headwind); 1 Doha Diamond 200; 2 US 200 (4 100); 2 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 200

KERLEY Fred USA 3940 19.90 26<sub>V</sub> 84d 1995 19.90 -21

2019 World Championship 400m bronze & relay gold, now moved down in distance (temporarily, he says)
100 pb: 9.86 -21. 400 pb: 43.64 -19 (44.60 -21). 7 WCH 400 2017 (2 4x400); 2 WIC 4x400 2018; 3 WCH 400 2019 (1 4x400). 1 NCAA 400 2017 indoors & out; 1 US 400 2017/2018. His younger brother Mylik Kerley is a 44.85 400m runner and was on the same Texas A&M 4x400 relay teams which won NCAA titles indoors & out in 2017. Their sister Virginia is a collegiate sprinter and jumper (400m pb 54.38 -17). 1.93 tall

In 2021: 1 Fayetteville American Track League 1 400; 2 Miami Tropical Park Elite Sprints 100; 1 Clermont FL Pure Spring 100; 1 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 200; 1 Miami 'TRUFit' 100; 1 Ostrava Golden Spike 100 (2 200); 3 Doha Diamond 400; 1 Hengelo FBK Games 400; On June 13 he announced he was going to run the 100m & 200m only at the US Olympic Trials (having also entered the 400m), and later explained "The bigger plan is still the 400 metres ... right now I'm concentrating on getting my speed up"; 3 US 100 (4 200); 6 Monaco Diamond 100; 5 Gateshead Diamond/July 100

KNIGHTON Erriyon USA 3944

17<sub>V</sub> 182d 2004 19.84

19.84 -21

Usian Bolt's replacement as world youth and world junior record holder at 200m

3 US 200 2021 after setting world junior records in both semi-final (19.88) & final (19.84). He is the youngest American man to compete in Olympic athletics since 1964 (Jim Ryan). Coach-Jonathan Terry. 1.91 tall

In 2021: 1 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 200 'B'; 5 Clermont FL Pure Sprint Elite 100; 1 Walnut Golden Games 200 'B'; 1 Boston Games 100; 1 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge 200; 3 US 200; 3 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 200

3950 LYLES Noah USA

12d 1997 24v

2019 World Champion at 200m & 4x400m // 100 pb: 9.86 -19 (9.95 -21). HJ pb: 2.03i -16. sf World Youth 200 2013 (2 Medley Relay); 1 Youth Olympic 200 2014; 1 Pan-American Junior 200 2015 (6 100); 1 WJC 100/4x100 2016; 1 Diamond League 200 2017/2018; 1 IAAF Continental Cup 100/4x100 2018; 1 WCH 200/4x100 2019. 1 US indoor 300 2017 (in world indoor best 31.87). 1 US 100 2018 & 200 2019/2021. Coach-Lance Brauman

Father-Kevin Lyles (400 pb 45.01 -95) was a contemporary of Michael Johnson and was awarded a gold medal at the 1995 World Championships 4x400 after he ran in the heat only, deputising for Butch Reynolds). Younger brother-Josephus Lyles (400 pb: 45.09 -18,1 WJC 4x400 2014)

In 2021: 4 Gainesville Tom Jones Olympic 100; 2 Eugene Grand Prix 100; 1 Walnut Golden Games 200; 2 Boston Games 100; 2 Clermont FL 'Pure Summer' 100; 1 US 200

4019 SIAME Sydney ZAM

23y 296d 1997

20.57

20.16 -19 NR

2019 African Games Champion at 200m (After which was promoted from Inspector to Chief Inspector in the Zambian Police Service)

100 pb: 10.06 -18. sf WJC 100 2014; 1 Youth Olympic 100 2014; 3 African junior 100 2015 (7 200); 5 African Champs 200 2016 (3 4x100); sf WCH 200 2017 (2016/2019ht); ht WIC 60 2018; 5 COM 200 2018; 1 African Games 200 2019. His 9.88 in Lusaka in April 2017 is regarded as having been doubtfully timed In 2021: 1 Lusaka 200; 1 Lusaka All Comers 200; 5 Lusaka International 200

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST  119.19Usain Bolt JAM2000	2021 WORLD LIST 119.74Noah Lyles USA
219.26Yohan Blake JAM	219.78Kenny Bednarek USA 319.81Terrance Laird USA 419.84Erriyon Knighton USA 519.88Divine Oduduru NGR
619.57Justin Gatlin USA	619.89Andre De Grasse CAN 719.90Fred Kerley USA 819.91Joe Fahnbulleh LBR 919.99Isiah Young USA
1019.68Frank Fredericks NAM 1996	1020.02Andrew Hudson USA

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## Men's 1500 Metres

Entrants: Event starts: August 3

3:33.23

3:29.51

3:34.08

3:37.92

3:28.75 -15

3:33.23 -21

3:29.51 -21

3:34.08 -21

3:35.28 -17

SB PΒ (Days) Born

1009 MAKHLOUFI Taoufik ALG

2012 Olympic Champion at 1500m, then silvers at that and the 800m in 2016

800 pb: 1:42.61 -16. 1 African Games 800 2011 (3 1500); 1 African Champs 800 2012; 1 OLY 1500 2012; 2 OLY 800/1500 2016; 2 WCH 1500 2019 (2009/2011-sf, 2015-4). At WXC: 2007-82J. 1 Algerian 800 2010. Born-Souk Ahras ALG. Retired in 2017 & 2018 but said he returned because he missed "the story and the glory

33<sub>V</sub>

91d

23y 146d 1998

1988

**EDWARDS Jye** AUS 1083

Down from 3:41 to 3:33 for 1500m in 2021, though he was recovering from Achilles surgery in the interim Mile pb: 3:49.27 -21. 3000 pb: 7:56.58 -20. 1 Australian 2021. Achilles surgery (right) in August 2017 and further injuries keeping him out of action in 2018/2019. Lives-

In 2021: 1 Canberra Classic; 1 Melbourne Track Classic; 1 Melbourne Box Hill Classic; 1 Australian; 1 Nice; 1 Décines-Charpieu; 3 Oslo Diamond Mile; 12 Monaco Diamond

**HOARE Oliver AUS** 1085

182d 1997 3:33.19 24v 3:33.19 -21

59d 1995

7d 1997

360d 1995

24v

25v

Former US Collegiate Champion // Mile pb: 3:53.35 -20. 5000 pb: 13:22.16 -21. 1 NCAA 2018 (2019-4); 3 NCAA indoor Mile 2019. His later father Greg Hoare was a beach running world champion. Studied Economics at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Born-Caringbah, New South Wales. Lives-Boulder, Colorado. Coach-Dathan Ritzenhein

[Ritual: He cleans his teeth just before races: "Got to have those pearly whites glistening for the cameras as you hit the track."]

In 2021: 1 Staten Island 'Gold' Tour (3:32.35, an Oceanian indoor record); 7 San Juan Capistrano 'Sound' Invitational 5000; 1 Eugene Grand Prix; 1 Walnut Golden Games; 2 Gateshead Diamond/May

McSWEYN Stewart AUS

26v Oceanian record holder at 1500m, Mile & 3000m // 5000 pb: 13:05.23 -18 (13:05.87 -21). 3000 pb: 7:28.02 -20 (7:28.94 -21). 10,000 pb: 27:23.80 -19. 3000SC pb: 8:34.25 -17. 14 WSG 5000 2015; ht WCH 3000SC 2017; 5 COM 5000 2019 (11 10,000); 12 WCH 5000 2019 (sf 1500). At WXC: 2013-86J, 2017-53; 1 Australian XC 2016; 1 Melbourne Zatopek (Australian) 10,000 2017. Born-Launceston, Tasmania. Coach-Nic Bideau

In 2021: 1 Melbourne Box Hill 'Burn' 5000; 2 Australian 1500; dnf Perth 5000; dnf Ostrava Golden Spike 3000; 3 Gateshead Diamond/May 1500; 2 Doha Diamond 1500; dnf Gothenburg Grand Prix 5000; 11 Florence Diamond 5000; 1 Oslo Diamond Mile (Oceanian record 3:48.37); 4 Monaco Diamond (Oceanian record 3:29.51); 2 Gateshead Diamond/July 3000

1093 RAMSDEN Matthew AUS

2019 Oceanian Champion at 1500m // 5000 pb: 13:16.63 -20 (13:19.52 -21), 3000 pb: 7:35.65 -21, Mile pb: 3:51.33 -20, 6 WJC 1500 2016 (15 5000); 1 Oceanian 1500 2019; sf WCH 1500 2019. At WXC: 2015-dnfJ, 2019-38. 2 Australian 1500 2017. He won the Elimination Mile at the first of the Melbourne "Nitro" meetings in 2017 In 2021: 1 Perth 1500 (Jan 22); 2 Melbourne Box Hill 'Burn' 5000; 1 Sydney Classic 5000; 2 Melbourne Box Hill Classic; 5 Australian 1500; 2 Perth 5000 (May 11); 5 Gateshead Diamond/May 1500; 12 Doha Diamond; 5 Gothenburg Grand Prix 5000; 15 Florence Diamond 5000; 7 Lucerne 5000; 2 Heusden Night of Athletics; 5 Gateshead Diamond/July 3000

1194 **DEBJANI Ismael** BEL

30y 308d 1990 3:33.06 3:33.06 -21 NR Belgian record holder // Mile pb: 3:52.70 -21. 800 pb: 1:46.31 -21. ht WCH 2017/2019; 8 ECH 2018 (2016-11); ht EIC 2019. At EXC: 2018-7 Relay. 1 Belgian 2020 (1

8002014). In 2016 he achieved the Olympic entry standard with 3:35.62, but three days too late for selection In 2021: 1 Karlsruhe 'Runner's Night'; 7 Ostrava Golden Spike; 1 Oordegem Flanders Cup 800; 1 Huelva; 5 Hengelo FBK Games; 1 Geneva; 5 Belgian 800; 5 Oslo

Diamond Mile; dnf Heusden Night of Athletics 5000

ANDRE Thiago BRA

Full name-André Thiago do Rosario New South American Champion at 800m & 1500m

800 pb: 1:44.81 -17 (1:44.92 -21). 1 South American junior XC 2013; 4 WJC 800/1500 2014; 8 Pan-Am Games 1500 2015; ht OLY 1500 2016; 7 WCH 800 2017; 1 Ibero-American 800 2018; 1 South American 800/1500 2021. 1 Brazilian 1500 2015/2017/2021 & 800 2015/2017. Wife-Jéssica Gonzaga dos Santos was Brazil's quickest 800m woman in 2014 (2:03.98). Their son Gabriel born June 21, 2015. Coach-Tomasz Lewandowski

In 2021: 3 Bragança Paulista São Paulo Trophy 800; 1 Bragança Paulista 800; 1 Praia Grande São Paulo Trophy 800/1500; 1 São Paulo 800: 1 Brazilian 1500 (6 800)

1356 MIKHOU Sadik BRN

31y 5d 1990 3:33.81 3:33.31 -13 2021 Arab Champion // 800 pb: 1:46.55 -14. 5000 pb: 13:40.37 -21. dq Islamic Solidarity Games 2017 (originally 1st); dq WCH 1500 2017 (originally 6th). At WXC: 2017-dq

Allegiance transferee from Morocco - acquired Bahraini citizenship on September 17, 2015 and cleared by World Athletics to represent Bahrain from September 17, 2016 Suspended and/or disqualified across 2016-20120 after irregularities found in his Athlete Biological Passport; among results annulled were Bahrain's fourth place in the 2017 WXC relay and his 6th place in the World 1500m final that year. Free to compete again from December 4, 2020, so he is one who has benefited from the postponement of Tokyo 2020

In 2021: 1 Arab (2 1500)

SOULEIMAN Ayanleh DJI 1678

28y 238d 1992 3:29.58 -14 NR

Former World Indoor Champion at 1500m // 800 pb: 1:42.97 -15. Mile pb: 3:47.32 -14. 5000 pb: 13:17.97 -15. ht World Youth 3000 2009; 3 WCH 800 2013; sf WCH 15002013/2019 (2015-ht); 1 Francophone Games 1500 2013; 1 WIC 1500 2014 (2012-5, 2016-9); 1 African Champs 1500 2014 (2012-2, 2018-4); 4 OLY 1500 2016 (sf 800); ht WCH 1500 2017; 2 African Games 1500 2019 (2011-6). Born-Somalia, came to Djibouti in 2008. Made extraordinary improvement from 3:42.70 to 3:34.32 to win at 2011 Arab Championships

1733 LOKORO Paulo Amotun EOR

29v 210d 1992

In 2006 he fled to Kenya from the conflict in South Sudan. He began training with the Tegla Loroupe Foundation in Kenya in 2015, after his talent was noticed while in the Kakuma Refugee Camp. Coach-Tegla Loroupe ht OLY 2016; 7 World Relays 4x800 2017; 123 World Half Mar 2018 (69:31); ht WCH 2019

In 2021: 3ht Nairobi Athletics Kenya Weekend #2: 8ht Kenyan 'Pre-Trials

1792 FONTES Ignacio ESP

Full name-Ignacio Fontes García-Balibrea

2019 European under-23 Champion

800 pb: 1:46.79 -19. 6 World Youth 2015; sf WJC 800 2016; 1 under-23 ECH 2019; 4 EIC 2021. At EXC: 2016-28J, 2017-8J, 2018-55J. He is studying to become a doctor at the University of Granada. Coach-Jesús Montiel

In 2021: 6 Spanish indoor; 4 EIC; 3 Nerja 1000; 4 Ostrava Golden Spike; 4 Gateshead Diamond/May; 3 Huelva; 7 Hengelo FBK Games; 3 Marseille; 2 Spanish; 10 Oslo Diamond Mile; 2 Stockholm Diamond

23y

38d

1998

3:33.27

3:33.27 -21

1794 GOMEZ Jesus ESP **21v** 331d 1999 3:35.70 3:33.07 -20

Full name-Jesús Gómez Santiago

Three European bronzes: One at cross country relay & two at indoor 1500

3000 pb: 7:48.76i -19, 7:54.46 -20 (7:50.38i -21). 800 pb: 1:45.67 -17. 7 Mediterranean Games 2017; 3 EIC 2019/2021; sf WCH 2019; 2 ETCh 2021. At EXC: 2017-3 Relay. 1 Spanish indoor 2019/2021. Coach-Benjmaín Álvarez

In 2021: 1 Spanish indoor; 3 EIC; 1 Córdoba 100; 1 Nerja 1000 (Spanish record 2:15.99); 2 Ostrava Golden Spike; 2 ETCh; 3 Hengelo FBK Games

1805 MECHAAL Adel ESP

30v 237d 1990 3:46.53 3:33.91 -19

Fourth place in 2017 World 1500m and also in 2018 European 10,000m

10,000 pb: 27:50.56 -18. 5000 pb: 13:15.40 -16. 3000 pb: 7:35.28 -17 (7:46.52i, 8:32.08 -21. 800 pb: 1:47.69 -19. 5 ETCh 1500 2013 (2015-6); 2 ECH 5000 2016; ht OLY 1500/5000 2016; 1 EIC 3000 2017 (2015-6, 2021-3); 4 WCH 1500 2017 (2019-ht); 5 WIC 3000 2018; 4 ECH 10,000 2018; 1 ETCh 3000 2019 (2021-3); 46 World Half Mar 2020. 1 Spanish 1500 2015/2017/2021 & 5000 2015/2017. At WXC: 2015-68, 2017-43. At EXC: 2015-3, 2016-8, 2017-2. Born-Morocco, gained Spanish citizenship in February 2013. Lives-Istanbul, wife-Emine Hatun Tuna TUR (1 EXC-j 2014)

In 2021: 1 Turkish indoor 3000; 11 Liévin 'Gold' Tour 3000; 1 Spanish indoor 3000 (5th time); 3 EIC 3000; dnf Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 3 ETCh 3000; 1 Spanish 1500

1869 | **LEMI Teddese** ETH

22v 191d 1999 3:31.90

11d 1993

86d 1995

28<sub>V</sub>

26y

3:31.90 -21

3:31.74 -21

3:34.23 -19

Third leg for Ethiopian team which won the mixed relay at the 2019 World Cross Country Championships

800 pb: 1:44.65 -21. 2 African junior 800 2017; sf WJC 800 2016 (2018-dq ht, left his lane before the breakline); ht African Champs 800 2018; ht African Games 2019; sf WCH 2019. At WXC: 2019-1 Relay. 1 Ethiopian 800 2017 & 1500 2019. Born-Ambo. Coach-Nigatu Worku

In 2021: 1 Ethiopian 'Olympic Candidate' Trial 1500: 1 Andújar 1500: 1 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 1500: 6 Chorzów Kusocinski 800 (substantial pb., down from 1:46.0 to 1:44.65)

NBERET Melese ETH 1873

20y 182d 2001 3:31.82 3:31.82 -21

Full name appears to be Kefale Melese Nberet

**TEFERA Samuel ETH** 

2017 World Youth Champion at 800m (a title he still holds, as that was the last edition)

800 pb: 1:45.05 -21. 1 World Youth 800 2017; 3 African Youth 1500 2018; 3 Youth Olympic combined 1500/XC 2018 (1st in the 1500m section, 7th at XC)

In 2021: 1 Ethiopian 1500; 4 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 1500; 9 Chorzów Kusocinski 800; 9 Monaco Diamond 1500

1876 World Indoor Champion and record holder [both times in Birmingham] but not yet quite as quick outdoors

21y 280d 1999 3:30.71 3:30.71 -21

3:31.04i -19. Mile pb: 3:49.95 -19. 800 pb: 1:48.40 -19. 1 WIC 2018; 5 WJC 2018; sf WCH 2019 (2017-ht). 1 Ethiopian 2018. Born-Oromia State. Coach-Birhanu Mekonnen "For me I run for several reasons," he told World Athletics in 2018 "It allows me to live a healthy life, it is good for mental development and it has transformed my life by making me prosperous.

In 2021: 4 Doha Diamond; 3 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial

ZELEKE Samuel ETH 1878

143d 1999 3:32.80 22<sub>V</sub> 3:32.80 -21

3:31.74

3:36.03

2 Ethiopian World Championship Trial 2019; 2 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 2021

In 2021: 3 Ethiopian 'Olympic Candidate' Trial; 2 Ethiopian; 3 Ostrava Golden Spike; 2 Andújar; 2 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial

HABZ Azeddine FRA 1957

Allegiance transferee from Morocco - cleared by World Athletics to represent France from May 21, 2019 5000 pb: 13:38.00 -19. 800 pb: 1:46.20 -21. ht EIC 2021. At EXC: 2019-36. 1 French indoor 3000 2020. Born-Ouled Naceur MAR, gained French citizenship in August 2018

In 2021: 2 French indoor; 5ht EIC; 3 Andújar; 4 Montreuil; 8 Marseille; 3 Décines-Charpieu 800; 3 French; 8 Monaco Diamond; 3 Sotteville-lès-Rouen 800

1967 | MIELLET Alexis FRA

(Pronounced "Me-Lav") 2017 World Student Games silver at 1500m // 800 pb: 1:46.49 -21. 8 WJC 2014; 2 WSG 2017; ht ECH 2018 (fell); sf WCH 2019. At EXC: 2013-14J, 2014-24J, 2015-49u23,

2016-18u28, 2017-7u23, 2018-2 Relay, 2019-3 Relay. 1 French 2018/2019. Former footballer. Coach-Remy Geoffroy In 2021: 13 Monaco 5K; 11 Ostrava Golden Spike; 7 Montreuil 800; 7 Huelva; 11 Marseille; 5 Décines-Charpieu 800; 2 French

1968 | MISCHLER Baptiste FRA

23v 249d 1997 3:32.42 3:32.42 -21

2015 European junior silver // 800 pb: 1:45.37 -21. 6 Youth Olympic 2014; 2 EJC 2015; 4 WJC 2016; sf WSG 800 2017; ht ECH 2018; 4 under-23 ECH 2019 (2017-5); ht EIC 2021. At EXC: 2012-12J. 1 French 2021. Coach-Jean-Claude Vollmer

In 2021: 3 French indoor; 5ht EIC; 2 Nerja 1000; 1 Dessau Anhalt; 7 Montreuil; 6 Prague Odložil; 5 Marseille; 2 Strasbourg 800; 2 Décines-Charpieu 800; 1 French; 5 Tomblaine 800; 11 Monaco Diamond

2049 **HEYWARD Jake** GBR

22<sub>v</sub> 95d 1999 3:33.99 3:33.99 -21

Former European Junior Champion // Mile pb: 3:52.50 -21. 800 pb: 1:46.47 -21. 1 European Youth 2016; 1 EJC 2017; 4 WJC 2018; 11 under-23 ECH 2019. At EXC: 2017 In 2011: 2017; 30.1, 2018: 4J. In 2019 left Cardiff to join Oregon Track Club, Coach-Mark Rowland In 2021: 2 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 3 Portland Track Festival; 7 Marseille; 9 Nice 800; 3 UK; 5 Stockholm Diamond national; 2 Gateshead Diamond/July Mile

2052 KERR Josh GBR **23v** 295d 1997 3:31.55 3:31.55 -21

2019 World Championship finalist // 800 pb: 1:45.35 -19 (1:45.74 -21). 5000 pb: 13:23.78 -21. Mile pb: 3:53.88 -19. 1 EJC 2015; 10 WJC 2016; 6 WCH 2019; 1 UK 2021. 1 NCAA indoor Mile 2017/2018; 1 NCAA 2017 (2018-3). Studied exercise science at University of New Mexico. His older brother Jake Kerr is an international rugby union player for Scotland

in 2021: 1 San Juan Capistrano CA 1500; 5 Walnut Golden Games 800; 5 Irvine 'Track Meet' 5000; 1 Portland 'Stumptown Twilight' 1500; 1 UK 1500

WIGHTMAN Jake GBR 2070

27v 19d 1994 3:34.67 3:29.47 -20

Fifth at 2019 World Championships 1500m // Mile pb: 3:52.02 -19 (3:55.78 -21). 800 pb: 1:44.18 -18 (1:45.47 -21). 1 EJC 1500 2013; ht COM 1500 2014; 2 ETCh 1500 2017; 6 WIC 1500 2018; 3 COM 1500 2018 (4 800); 3 ECH 1500 2018 (2016-7); 5 WCH 1500 2019 (2017-sf). 1 Scottish 800 2015; 1 UK indoor 1500 2018. Father/coach-Geoff Wightman (6 ECH Marathon 1990), mother/first coach-Susan Tooby (12 OLY Marathon 1988).

Both of his parents also competed at the Commonwealth Games: Susan Tooby 6th at 10,000m in Edinburgh 1986; Geoff Wightman 8th at Marathon in Auckland 1990

In 2021: 2 Staten Island 'Gold' Tour 1500; 3 Ostrava Golden Spike 800; 1 ETCh 800; 1 Hengelo FBK Games 1500; 2 UK 1500; 4 Gateshead Diamond/July Mile

2095 ENZEMA Benjamín GEQ

3:46.14 -18 NR 32v 127d 1989 3:47.95

Equatoguinean (or Equatorial Guinean) record holder at 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 5000m & Marathon 800 pb: 1:50.91 -18 (1:53.14 -21). 3000 pb: 8:24.48 -18. 5000 pb: 14:18.46 -18. Marathon pb: 2:21:22 -19. ht WCH 1500 2009/2017; ht WIC 800 2012; ht OLY 800 2012/2016; dq ht WIC 1500 2018; ht WCH 800 2021. Based-Blois (France), coach-Claude Guillaume

Marathons (2): 9 Annecy 2019, 2 Loire 2019

In 2021: 1 Blois 2000 (Apr 17); 1 Blois 1000 (May 8); 2 Blois 800 (May 29); 1 Vineuil 1500; 1 Saran 1500

2149 BARTELSMEYER Amos GER

27y 5d 1994 3:35.24 3:35.24 -21

Dual national with the US, declared for Germany in 2018 // Mile pb: 3:53.33 -19. 3000 pb: 7:49.47i -19. 5000 pb: 14:04.26 -15. 800 pb: 1:46.71 -216 EIC 3000 2019; 6 ETCh 1500 2019; sf WCH 1500 2019. 1 German 1500 2019. Was at Georgetown University, Washington DC. German mother, born Aschaffenburg, moved to the USA aged two In 2021: 2 Phoenix 800; 2 Austin 'Trials of Miles'; 2 San Juan Capistrano CA; 7 Portland Track Festival; 3 German; 7 Kladno; 1 Vida; 1 Sacramento 800

2155 FARKEN Robert GER **23v** 313d 1997 3:34.64 3:34.64 -21

2021 European Team Champion at 1500m // 800 pb: 1:45.80 -21. sf EIC 800 2017 (2019-ht); 1 ETCh 1500 2021. 1 German 1500 & indoor 800 2017/2019/2020. He was Europe's quickest junior at 800m in 2016, but his fast time came too late to qualify for the World Junior Championships. From-Leipzig. Coaches-Thomas Dreianzigacker &

In 2021: 1 Karlsruhe 'Runner's Night' 800; 1 Leipzig 800; 3 Rehlingen 1500; dnf Leipzig 800; 1 ETCh 1500; 2 Gothenburg Grand Prix 800; 1 German 1500 (with 3:34.00 he broke Thomas Wessinghage's championship record from 1977); 1 Lucerne 1500; 1 Leipzig 1000

2276 SZOGI István HUN

25y 321d 1995 3:36.63 3:36.63 -21

5000 pb: 14:09.88 -20. 800 pb: 1:47.75i -21, 1:48.26 -20 (1:53.47 -21). 12 WJC 5000 2014 (13 10,000); 16 under-23 ECH 5000 2015; 7 under-23 ECH 5000 2017. At EXC: 2012-71J, 2013-83J. 1 Hungarian 1500 2020 & indoor 2020/2021. 1 Hungarian 1500 2021 & 5000 2017/2020. 1 Hungarian indoor 1500 2021 & 3000 2020 In 2021: 1 Szekszárd XC; 1 Hungarian indoor (2 800); 8 EIC; 3 Hungarian XC; 2 Hungarian Team Champs (West) semi-final 800; 6 Ostrava Golden Spike; 5 Rehlingen; 8 Montreuil; 10 Hengelo FBK Games; 4 Sollentuna; 2 ETCh 2nd League; 1 Hungarian

COSCORAN Andrew IRL

3:35.66 25v 41d 1996 3:35.66 -21

800 pb: 1:46.61 -21. 8 EJC 2015; 7 EIC 2021. At EXC: 2013-40J. 1 Irish 2021 & indoor 2020. Studied sport management at Florida State University but returned after a year to live and work Ireland. Coach-Feidhlim Kelly

In 2021: 7 EIC; 2 Belfast City of Lisburn 800; 1 Nijmegen; 2 Sollentuna; 2 Décines-Charpieu; 1 Irish; 8 Lucerne; 6 Lignano Sabbiadoro; 7 Gateshead Diamond/July Mile

**CHERUIYOT Timothy KEN** 

25y 252d 1995 3:28.28 3:28.28 -21

2019 World Champion. 2017 World silver, 2018 Commonwealth Games silver, then 2018 African silver, each time behind Elijah Manangoi (who is now suspended) Mile pb: 3:49.64 -17. 800 pb: 1:43.11 -19. 2 African Champs 2016/2018; 2 COM 2018; 1 WCH 2019 (2015-7, 2017-2). 1 Kenyan 2017/2018. Fourth in 2016 Kenyan Olympic and again in 2021. In Zurich 2017 he won Diamond League title, leading home a Kenyan 1-2-3-4-5-6. Distinctive forward lean. Coach-Bernard Ouma In 2021: 1 Doha Diamond; 4 Kenyan Olympic Trial; 1 Stockholm Diamond; 1 Monaco Diamond; He wasn't originally selected for Tokyo, having placed fourth in the trial race.

But then one of those ahead of him, Kamar Etiang, was dropped from the team as he hadn't been subject to enough doping control tests in the past year

2779 KIPSANG Abel KEN

24v 249d 1996 3:32.68 3:32.68 -21

800 pb: 1:45.14 -21. 3000 pb: 7:50.02 -21. 4 African Games 2019

In 2021: 3 Nairobi Relay Series #3 800; 1 Nairobi Athletics Kenya Weekend #1; 1 Nairobi Athletics Kenya Weekend #2; 1 Rehlingen; 1 Montreuil; 2 Hengelo FBK Games; 1 Marseille; 3 Kenyan Olympic Trial; 1 Liège 3000; 1 Heusden Night of Athletics; 3 Tomblaine 800

SIMOTWO Charles KEN

3:30.30 -21 26<sub>v</sub> 85d 1995 3:30.30

Full name-Charles Cheboi Simotwo // Mile pb: 3:49.40 -21. 800 pb: 1:46.20 -17. 8 African Champs 2018. 3 African Games 2018; 6 World Military Games 2019. 2 Kenyan 2018

In 2021: 1 Kenyan Armed Forces; 6 Nijmegen; 2 Montreuil; 4 Hengelo FBK Games; 1 Kenyan Olympic Trial; 4 Oslo Diamond Mile; 5 Monaco Diamond

**GRETHEN Charles LUX** 2878

29v 57d 1992 3:36.75

3:36.75 -21 NR

Luxembourger record holder at 1500m indoors & out // 800 pb: 1:46.44 -16. sf WJC 800 2012; sf ECH 800 2016 (2012/2014-ht); ht OLY 800 2016; 5 WSG 1500 2017; ht ECH 1500 2018; ht EIC 1500 2019/2021; 1 Small European States Games 1500 2019. Studied Finance at the University of Georgia. Coach-Camille Schmit In 2021: (all 1500) 3ht EIC; 5 Ostrava Golden Spike; 2 Rehlingen; 4 Huelva; 16 Marseille; 1 Luxembourger; 2 Lucerne

**EL BAKKALI Soufiane MAR** 2885

3:31.95 3:31.95 -21 **25v** 204d 1996

Steeplechase Silver at London 2017, bronze at Doha 2019, fourth at Rio 2016

3000SC pb: 7:58.15 -18 (8:08.54 -21). 5000 pb: 13:10.60i -17, 13:47.76 -14. 3000 pb: 7:49.68 -16. 4 WJC 3000SC 2014; 4 OLY 3000SC 2016; 2 WCH 3000SC 2017 (2019 3); 2 African Champs 3000SC 2018; 3 African Games 3000SC 2019. At WXC: 2015-18J, 2019-2 Relay. Coach-Karim Tlemcani

Huge improvement in his 1500m during the pandemic; down from 3:45 to 3:33 in 2020, then 3:31 in 2021

In 2021: 3 Doha Diamond 1500 (3:31.95); 1 Florence Diamond 3000SC

2888 ESSAYI Anas MAR

20y 73d 2001 3:34.58 3:34.58 -21

2018 Youth Olympic silver // 5 World Youth 2017; ht WJC 2018; 2 African Youth 2018; 2 Youth Olympic combined 1500/XC 2018; 3 Arab 2021

In 2021: 2 Rabat (Feb 20); 6 Rabat (Mar 21); 1 Rabat (May 8); 7 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial; 1 Carquefou; 3 Arab

**KAAZOUZI Brahim** MAR 2890

45d 1990 3:34.13 3:31.62 -18 31<sub>v</sub>

2018 Mediterranean Games Champion // 5000 pb: 13:16.98 -17. 3000 pb: 7:41.88 -17. sf OLY 1500 2016; 2 Francophone Games 1500 2017; dnf ht WCH 500 2017; ht WIC 1500 2018; 1 Mediterranean Games 1500 2018. 1 Moroccan 1500 2014. At WXC: 2017-4 Relay

In 2021: 3 Rabat 3000 (Apr 7); 3 Rabat (Apr 27); dnf Rabat (May 26); 3 Montreuil; 2 Prague Odložil; 4 Marseille; 7 Stockholm Diamond

SADIKI Abdelatif MAR 2892

22v 196d 1999 3.34 54 3:34.54 -21

800 pb: 1:47.98 -19 (1:50.85 -21). 2 Arab 2021. 2 Moroccan 800/1500 2019. Won 2019 Rabat Diamond 'national' 1500 Lives-Fes

In 2021: Three wins from eight races in Rabat; 2 Arab

3080 | INGEBRIGTSEN Filip NOR

101d 1993 3:30.01 -18 28v 3:32.23

2017 World bronze & 2016 European Champion at 1500m. 2018 European Cross Country Champion 3000 pb: 7:34.00 -21. 5000 pb: 13:11.75 -19. 1500 pb: 3:30.01 -18 (3:40.09i -21). Mile pb: 3:49.60 -19. 9 WJC 1500 (ht 800) 2012; ht EIC 1500 2015/2017/2019/2021; dq ht OLY 1500 2016 (he he was judged to have impeded Charlie Grice GBR and Homiyu Tesfaye GER); 1 ECH 1500 2016 (2018-12); 3 WCH 1500 2017 (2019-sf); dnf WCH 5000 2019. At EXC: 2012-46J, 2015-19u23, 2018-1, 2019-11. 1 Norwegian 1500 2013 (1 800 2016/2019). Coach/father-Gjert Ingebrigtsen. Married international sprinter

Astrid Mangen Cederqvist in Aurskog on September 15, 2018
Older brother Henrik (1 ECH 1500 2012), younger brother Jakub (1 ECH 1500/5000 2018)

In 2021: 4ht EIC 1500; 5 Oslo Diamond 3000; 10 Monaco Diamond 1500

**INGEBRIGTSEN Jakob NOR** 3081

20y 313d 2000 3:29.25

3:28.68 -20 NR

Reigning European Champion at 1500m, indoor 1500m, indoor 3000m & 5000m

5000 pb: 12:48.45 -21. 3000 pb: 7:27.05 -20. Mile pb: 3:51.30 -19. 3000SC pb: 8:26.81 -17. 9 WJC 1500 2016; 1 EJC 5000/3000SC 2017 (8 1500); ht WJC 3000SC 2017; 2 WJC 1500 2018 (3 5000); 1 EIC 3000 2019 (2 1500); 1 EIC 1500/3000 2021. At WXC: 2019-12J. At EXC: 2016-1J, 2017-1J, 2018-1J, 2019-1J. In Eugene 2017 with 3:58.07 at age 16 became the youngest-ever four minute miler. 1 Norwegian 1500/5000/3000SC 2017, 1500 2018/2019/2020 & 800 2020. Coach/father-Gjert Ingebrigtsen He and his two older brothers have now all been European Champions at 1500m. Henrik in 2012, Filip in 2016, Jakob in 2018. Fiancé-Elisabeth Asserson In 2020: His progress continued, European records at 1500m & 2000m (4:50.01)

In 2021: 1 Lievin Gold' Tour 1500 (European indoor record 3:31.80); 1 EIC 1500/3000; 1 Gateshead Diamond/May 1500; 1 Florence Diamond 5000 (European record 12:48.45); 3 Monaco Diamond 1500

3105 TANNER Samuel NZL

339d 2000 3:36.44 -21 20v 3:36.44

2019 New Zealand Champion at 1500m // Mile pb: 3:54.97 -21. 800 pb: 1:48.63 -21. ht WJC 1500 2018; 3 Oceanian 1500 2019. 1 New Zealand 1500 2019. 10 NCAA 1500 2021. In 2019 at age 18y with 3:58.41, he became the youngest New Zealander to run a four-minute mile. Attends University of Washington in Seattle

In 2021: 1 Tauranga 1500; 1 New Zealand 3000; 1 Wanganui Mile; 5ht NCAA indoor Mile; 1 U. of Washington v Washington State U. 800; 8 Clovis Fresno State West Coast Relays invite 1500; 3ht Los Angeles 'Pacific 12' 1500; 3 Los Angeles 'Pacific 12' 1500; 10 NCAA 1500

3107 WILLIS Nick NZL 38y 96d 1983 3:38.43 3:29.66 -15 NR

Two Olympic medals, three Commonwealth medals, four World Championship finals; Tokyo 2021 are his fifth Olympics

Mile pb: 3'49.83 -14 (3:56.82i, 3:57.62 -21). 3000 pb: 7:36.91 -14. 5000 pb: 13:20.33 -14. 800 pb: 1:45.54 -04 (1:50.59 -21). 4 WJC 1500 2002; 1 COM 1500 2006 (2010/2014-3); 2 OLY 2008 (2004-5f, 2012-9, 2016-3); 10 COM 5000 2014; 6 WCH 1500 2015 (2005/2013-5f, 2007-10, 2011-12, 2017-7); 3 WIC 1500 2016 (2008/2014-dq, he ran inside the kerb of the track both times). Economics Graduate from University of Michigan. Coach/wife/manager-Sierra Willis, they have two sons In 2021: 2 Clermont FL Mile (Jan 19); 6 Clermont FL 800 (Jan 22); 2 Fayetteville American Track League 3 Mile; 7 Staten Island 'Gold' Tour 1500; 9 Austin 'Trials of Miles' 1500; 4 San Juan Capistrano CA 1500; 13 Portland Track Festival 1500; 4 Saint Louis Festival of Miles Mile; 3 Nashville Music City Carnival 1500; 9 Sollentuna 1500; 5

Kladno 1500: 5 Vida 1500

3199 LEWANDOWSKI Marcin POL

**34y** 47d 1987

3:30.42 3:30.42 -21 NR

3:49.78 -19

Twice European Indoor Champion at 1500m, twice fourth in World Championship finals at 800m, then 1500m bronze in 2019
800 pb: 1:43.72 -15 (1:44.31 -21). 3000 pb: 7:51.69i -21. 1 ECH 800 2010 (2014-5, 2016-2); 4 WCH 800 2011/2013 (2009-8, 2015/2017-sf); dnf WIC 800 sf 2012; dq WIC
800 2014; 1 EIC 800 2015 (2009-6, 2011-2); 6 OLY 800 2016 (2008/2012-sf); 1 EIC 1500 2017/2019 (2013-4, 2021-2); 1 ETCh 1500 2017/2019 (2014-3, 2015-2); 2 WIC
1500 2018; 2 ECH 1500 2018; 3 WCH 1500 2019 (2017-6). At WXC: 2006-90 short. 1 Polish 800 2011/2016/2018 & 1500 2008/2010/2014/2016/2019/2021 (1 indoor 800 2015 & 1500 2017/2018). Club-AZS UMCS Lublin. Father of two daughters, Mia (6) & Midia (4). Coach-Piotr Rostkowski

In 2021: 1 Polish indoor 1500; 2 EIC 1500 (for two hours or so he was the champion, during the temporary disqualification of Jakob Ingebrigtsen); 1 Ostrava Golden Spike 1500; 4 Boston Games Road Mile; 8 Marseille 800; 4 Chorzów Kusocinski 800; 1 Polish 1500; 2 Oslo Diamond Mile (Polish record 3:49.11); 6 Monaco Diamond (Polish record 3:30.42)

3205 ROZMYS Michał POL

**26y** 139d 1995 **3:34.96 3:34.96 -2** 

2019 World Student Games Champion at 1500m // 800 pb: 1:45.32 -18 (1:47.02 -21). 9 ETCh 3000 2017; 3 under-23 ECH 1500 2017; sf WCH 800/1500 2017; 4 ECH 800 2018; ht EIC 800 2019; 1 WSG 1500 2019; 1 World Military Games 800/1500 2019; 6 EIC 1500 2021. 1 Polish 800 2017 & indoor 800 2019. 1 Polish 1500 2020. Club-UKS Barnim Goleniów. Coach-Jacek Kastrzeba. 1.87 tall

In 2021: 7 Ostrava Czech Indoor Gala 800; 6 Metz 1500; 2 Toruń PZLA 'Control' 800; 4 Toruń 'Gold' Tour 1500; 1 Polish indoor 3000 (2 1500); 6 EIC 1500; 8 Ostrava Golden Spike 1500; 1 Rehlingen 800 'B'; 3 ETCh 1500; 5 Montreuil 1500; 9 Marseille 1500; 2 Poznań Grand Prix 800; 2 Polish 1500

3292 | HASSAN Abdirahman Saeed QAT

24y 108d 1997 3:34.24 3:34.24 -21

800 pb: 1:45.33 -21. 4 Asian Champs 800 2019; ht WCH 1500 2019; 5 Arab 800 2021 (7 1500)

In 2021: 1 Doha 800 (Mar 7); 1 Doha 800 (Mar 15); 2 Nerja 1500; 8 Doha Diamond 800; 6 Marseille 800; 5 Arab 800 (7 1500)

3293 MUSAB Adam Ali QAT

26y 104d 1995 3:32.41 3:32.41 -21

2018 Asian Championship bronze // 800 pb: 1:47.62 -20. Mile pb: 3:53.15 -21. 3000SC pb: 9:02.80 -14. 1 Asian Junior 5000/3000SC 2014; 7 World Military 1500 2015; 4 Asian Indoor Champs 1500 2016; 6 World Relays 4x800 2017; 5 Asian Games 1500 2018; 3 Asian Champs 1500 2019

In 2021: 1 Doha (Feb 10); 1 Doha (Feb 14); 8 Gateshead Diamond/May; 7 Oslo Diamond Mile; 5 Stockholm Diamond; 13 Monaco Diamond

3478 **HASSAN Ali Idow** SOM 12 African Games 2015. Lives-Ethiopia

In 2021: He was the Somalian flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with boxer Ramla Said Ahmed Ali)

3495 GUEM Abraham SSD

22v 92d 1999 3:42.99 3:42.99 -21

29d 1998

11 African Games 2019. At WXC: 2017-105. Travelled to Japan in 2019 to train for, then stay for the Tokyo Olympics; when the Games were postponed, their host city Maebashi established a fund allowing him and his group to stay until the Games took place. "I am staying in a very peaceful environment with very loving people." In 2021: 2 Tokyo; 15 Niigata; He was the South Sudanese flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with sprinter Lucia Moris)

3560 BERGLUND Kalle SWE

25y 140d 1996 3:37.92 3:33.70 -19 NR

Swedish record holder at 1500m & One Mile, breaking records which had stood for 34 years and 44 years respectively
Mile pb: 3:53.83 -19. 800 pb: 1:46.63 -18. 6 ETCh 800 2015; ht ECH 800 2016 & 1500 2018; 2 EIC 1500 2017; ht WIC 1500 2018; 2 ETCh 3000 2019; 9 WCH 1500 2019
(2017-sf). 1 Swedish 1500 2015/2016/2018/2019 & 5000 2018 (1 indoor 1500 2018). Won at 2020 Swedish Club Champs 1500 in 4:40.40, after a 49.2 last lap. At EXC: 2015-45J, 2016-20u23. Former ice hockey player who took up running to help with his conditioning. Coach-Janne Bengtsson

In 2021: 1 Jordbro 5K; dnf Gateshead Diamond/May 1500; 10 Doha Diamond; dnf Gothenburg Grand Prix 5000; dnf Stockholm Diamond 1500

3599 de DEUS Felisberto TLS

**22v** 24d 1999 - **4:05.1 - 20** 

Half Mar pb: 68:35 -18. 5000 pb: 14:35.57 -19. 9 Asian Champs 3000SC 2017; 12 Asian Games 5000/3000SC 2018. 5 Macau Half Mar 2018; 1 East Timorese 1500/5000 2020

In 2021: He was the East Timorese flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with swimmer Imelda Belo)

3715 MUSAGALA Ronald UGA

28y 225d 1992 3:33.99 3:30.58 -19 NR

2016 Olympic finalist & Ugandan record holder at 1500m // 800 pb: 1:45.27 -14. Mile pb: 3:53.04 -21. 3000 pb: 7:44.78 -18. 5000 pb: 13:24.41 -15. sf WCH 800 2013; 8 COM 800 2014 (11 1500); 11 OLY 2016; sf WCH 2017/2019 (2015-ht); ht COM 2018; 3 African Champs 2018. At WXC: 2017-dq Relay (team ran in a different order to that declared); 2019-5 Relay. Dutch coach-Addy Ruiter (same as Joshua Cheptegei)

In 2021: 1 Kampala Ugandan Trials #6; 6 Doha Diamond; 12 Hengelo FBK Games; 6 Oslo Diamond Mile; 4 Stockholm Diamond

3911 CENTROWITZ Matthew USA

**31y** 285d 1989 **3:35.26 3:30.40 -15** 

DEFENDING OLYMPIC CHAMPION

In Rio became the first US Olympic 1500m Champion since 1908, but in the slowest winning time since 1932

Mile pb: 3:49.26 -21. 800 pb: 1:44.62 -15 (1:46.23 -21). 3000 pb: 7:40.74i -16. 5000 pb: 13:00.39 -19. 1 Pan-American junior 2007; 11 WJC 5000 2008; 2 WCH 2013 (2011 -3, 2015-8, 2017-ht, 2019-8); 1 WIC 2016 (2012-7); 1 OLY 2016 with a 50.5 last lap. (2012-4). 1 US 2011/2015/2016/2018 (2019-2) (1 indoor mile 2015 & 1500 2016); 1 NCAA 2011. His father-Matt Centrowitz was 1979 Pan-American Games Champion at 5000m. Coach-Jerry Schumacher Marathon: (1) dnf Chicago 2017 (ran 17-mile training run)

In 2021: 8 San Juan Capistrano CA; 6 Miramar Invitational 800; 1 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 5 Portland Track Festival 800; Ran three 800s in one day at the Portland 'Stumptown Twilight' meeting: 1:53.92, 1:49.72 & 1:50.33; 1 Portland 'Centro' Mile (pb 3:49.26. Was attempting to break the US record of 3:46.91 but fell back after a 54.5 opening lap)

3921 ENGELS Craig USA

27y 90d 1994 3:33.64 -21

Twice fourth at US Olympic Trials // Mile pb: 3:51.60 -19 (4:00.0 -21). 800 pb: 1:44.68 -19 (1:46.14 -21). 1 Pan-Am Junior 2013; 7 WIC 2018; 10 WCH 2019. 1 US 2019 (1 indoor Mile 2019). Fourth in the 2016 US Olympic Trials at 800m, then fourth again in 2021 at 1500m. Studied Environmental Management at North Carolina State University. Coach-Pete Julian. 1.87 tall

In 2021: 1 Austin 'Trials of Miles' 5000 'B'; 2 Des Moines Drake Relays; 7 Walnut Golden Games; 1 Portland Track Festival; 1 Portland 'Stumptown Twilight' 800; 4 US; 3 Pittsburgh Mile

3933 HOCKER Cole USA

**20y** 54d 2001 **3:35.28 3:35.28 -21** 

Has improved out of recognition in the time since he was 69th at the NCAA Cross Country Championships in November 2019 5000 pb: 13:18.95 -21. Mile pb: 3:50.55i -21. 800 pb: 1:46.39 -21. 1 NCAA 1500 & indoor Mile/3000 2021. Attends University of Oregon. Coach-Ben Thomas In 2021: 2 Fayetteville 'Tyson' Mile (pb down from 3:58.20 to 3:50.55, the fastest indoor mile ever by a teenager) (1 800 'B'); 1 Fayetteville 'Tyson' 'B'; 1 NCAA indoor Mile/3000/Distance Medley Relay; (outdoors) 1 Eugene Hayward Premiere Invitational 800/1500; 1 Oregon Relays invitational 5000; 3 Eugene Oregon Twilight; 1 Los Angeles 'Pacific 12' 5000 (3 800); 1 NCAA 1500 (4 5000); 1 US 1500

3960 **NUGUSE Yared** USA **22y** 59d 1999 **3:34.68 -21** 

2019 US Collegiate Champion // 800 pb: 1:48.29 -19. Mile pb: 3:55.62i -20. 3000 pb: 7:46.71i -20. ht WJC 2018. 23 NCAA XC 2021; 1 NCAA 2019 (2021-2); 3 US 2021. Born-USA, parents were refugees from Tigray region of Ethiopia. Student of Biochemistry at the University of Notre Dame. Coach-Sean Carlson In 2021: 23 NCAA XC; 1 Raleigh Relays 5000; 1 Eugene Oregon Twilight; 1 Atlantic Coast Conference; 2 NCAA; 3 US

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2021 WORLD LIST
13:26.00 Hicham El Guerrouj MAR	13:28.28Timothy Cheruiyot KEN 23:28.76Mohamed Katir ESP 33:29.25Jakob Ingebrigtsen NOR 43:29.51Stewart McSweyn AUS 53:30.30Charles Simotwo KEN 63:30.42Marcin Lewandowski POL 73:30.71Samuel Tefera ETH 83:31.55Josh Kerr GBR 93:31.74Azeddine Habz FRA 103:31.82Melese Nberet ETH

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## Men's 5000 Metres

46 Event starts: August 3 Entrants:

PΒ (Days) Born SB

1089 McDONALD Morgan AUS

13:13.67 13:13.67 -21 25<sub>V</sub> 97d 1996 2018 Australian Champion at 5000m. NCAA Champion in four events across 2018/2019

10,000 pb: 27:58.75 -21. 3000 pb: 7:41.55 -21. 1500 pb: 3:37.42 -20. 10 WJC 5000 2014; ht WCH 5000 2017; 8 COM 5000 2018; ht WCH 5000 2019. At WXC: 2013-33J, 2015-40J. 1 Australian 5000 2018; 1 NCAA XC 2018;1 NCAA indoor 3000/5000 2019; 1 NCAA 5000 2019. Studied inance at University of Wisconsin. Born-Paddington NSW (same as Sally Pearson)

In 2021: 5 Phoenix 3000; 1 Des Moines Drake Relays 5000; 10 Irvine 'Track Meet' 10,000; 4 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 1 Nice 5000

McNEILL David AUS

13:12.82 13:12.82 -21 **34v** 297d 1986

2010 US Collegiate Champion at 5000m indoors & out, representing Northern Arizona University where he was a student of physiotherapy

3000 pb: 7:39.43 -21. 10,000 pb: 27:45.01 -15. 4 Commonwealth Youth Games 3000 2004; 24 WCH 10,000 2009; 8 COM 5000 2010 (2018-12); 16 OLY 10,000 2016. At WXC: 2007-64, 2008-68, 2011-41, 2015-87. 1 Australian 10,000 2008. 1 NCAA 5000 2010 indoors & out. Grandfather John McNeill was Victoria State Champion at long & triple jumps in 1939. Born-East Melbourne, coach-Nic Bideau

In 2021: 3 Melbourne 'Zatopek' 10,000; 7 Melbourne Box Hill 'Burn' 5000; 4 Sydney Classic 5000; 1 Melbourne Box Hill Classic 3000; 5 Australian 3000; 1 Perth 5000; 15 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; dnf ECP 10,000; 3 Nice 5000; dnf Manchester Invitational 10,000; 8 Oslo Diamond 3000; 2 Lignano Sabbiadoro 1500; 14 Gateshead Diamond/July 3000

TIERNAN Patrick AUS 1099

26y 322d 1994 13:20.46 13:12.68 -19

Oceanian record holder at 10,000m // Half Mar pb: 61:22 -19 (62:38 -21). 5000 pb: 13:12.68 -19 (13:20.46 -21). 3000 pb: 7:37.76 -17. Mile pb: 3:56.82i -21, 3:57.59 -17. 1500 pb: 3:38.64 -21. ht OLY 5000 2016; 11 WCH 5000 2017 (22 10,000); ht WCH 5000 2021. 3 NCAA 5000 2016 (2014-6, 2015-10); 1 NCAA XC 2016. At WXC: 2017-13. In 2019 his was part of Eliud Kipchoge's marathon pacing team when the Kenyan clocked 1:59:41 in Vienna in 2019. Studied Mathematics at Villanova University. Fiancé-Angel Piccirillo USA (4:10.89 at 1500m). Coach-Marcus O'Sullivan

In 2021: 1 Henderson NV Half Mar; 1 Seattle Mile; dnf Irvine 'Track Meet' 10,000; 3 Portland Track Festival 1500 'B'; 2 Portland 'Stumptown Twilight' 5000; 1 Sacramento 5000

**HENDRIX Robin BEL** 1196

26v 197d 1995 13:25.68 13:19.50 -19

2019 World Student Games bronze at 5000m // 10,000 pb: 28:30.58 -21. 1500 pb: 3:39.11 -18 (3:40.83i -21). 15 ECH 5000 2018; 3 WSG 5000 2019; ht WCH 5000 2019; 12 EIC 3000 2021 (2019-ht). At EXC: 2007-9u23, 2018-15, 2019-5 Relay. 1 Belgian indoor 3000 2020

In 2021: 12 EIC 3000; 9 Stockholm '25 Laps to Tokyo' 10,000; 9 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 2 Ninove 5000

KIMELI Isaac BEL 1198

143d 1994 13:21.34 27<sub>V</sub> 13:13.02 -19

Full name-Isaac Kipruto Kemeli (Kenyan origin)

2018 European Cross Country silver, 2021 European indoor 3000m silver

10,000 pb: 27:22.70 -21. 3000 pb: 7:47.48 -20 (7:49.47 -20). 1500 pb: 3:36.51 -18 (3:45.50 -21). 800 pb: 1:46.93 -16. 2 under-23 ECH 5000 2015; 9 ECH 1500 2016 (2014/2018-ht); 14 WCH 5000 2019 (sf 1500); 2 EIC 3000 2021. At WXC: 2013-30J, 2017-dnf. At EXC: 2012-6J, 2013-2J, 2014-20u23, 2015-38u23, 2016-1u23, 2018-2, 2019-7. 1 Belgian 1500 2014. Disqualified from the 2018 European 5000m final after cutting in too early from the outer echelon at the start. Moved from Kenya to Belgium in 2009, joining his mother. Coach-Tim Moriau

In 2021: 2 EIC 3000; 1 Stockholm '25 Laps to Tokyo' 10,000 (27:22.70 on his début for the distance); 5 Ostrava Golden Spike 3000; 16 Hengelo FBK Games; 12 Florence Diamond 5000; 1 Ninove 5000

1349 BALEW Birhanu BRN

153d 1996 12:57.71 12:56.26 -19 25<sub>v</sub>

Full name-Birhanu Yemataw Balew (he operates as both Birhanu Yemataw and Birhanu Balew)

Top 10 at 5000m in Rio 2016 & Doha 2019

10,000 pb: 27:07.49 -21. 3000 pb: 7:33.05 -21. 9 OLY 5000 2016; 10 WIC 3000 2018; 1 Asian Games 5000 2018; dnf IAAF Continental Cup 3000 2018 (he was the first to be eliminated, being at the back of the pack with four laps remaining); 1 Asian Champs 5000 2019; 9 WCH 5000 2019 (2017-12). At WXC: 2017-27, 2019-19. 1 Lausanne Diamond 5000 2018 (came through to win after the Barega/Kejelcha shorts-pulling clash)

Allegiance transferee from Ethiopia – acquired Bahraini citizenship on October 8, 2014, cleared by World Athletics to compete for Bahrain from October 8, 2015

In 2021: 5 Liévin 'Gold' Tour 3000; 2 Ostrava Golden Spike 10,000; 7 Florence Diamond 5000; 4 Oslo Diamond 3000

1353 FIKADU Dawit BRN

25y 213d 1995

13:10.40 -19

2019 Asian Champion at 10,000m // Half Mar pb: 60:01 -19 (64:29 -21). 10K pb: 27:56 -16. 5000 pb: 28:26.30 -19 (28:48.66 -21). 4 'Great' Ethiopian Run 2016; 2 West Asian 5000/10,000 2018; 1 Asian Champs 10,000 2019; 1 Arab 10,000 2021. At WXC: 2019-24

Allegiance transferee from Ethiopia – Acquired Bahraini citizenship in 2015, cleared by World Athletics to compete for Bahrain from March 30, 2017

In 2021: 2 Dhaka Half Mar; 3 Maia Fernanda Ribeiro Gala 10,000; 1 Arab 10,000

**AHMED Mohammed CAN** 1418

30y 206d 1991 12:50.12 12:47.20 -20

Double silver at 2018 Commonwealth Games (each hard fought versus Joseph Cheptegei), the 2019 World 5000m bronze

10,000 pb: 26:59.35 -19. Mile pb: 3:56.60 -17. 1500 pb: 3:40.18 -15 (3:40.67 -21). 1 Pan-Am junior 5000 2009; 4 WJC 10,000 2010 (2008-9); 18 OLY 10,000 2012 (2016 -32); 5 COM 5000 2014 (6 10,000); 1 Pan-Am Games 10,000 2015; 9 WIC 3000 2016; 4 OLY 5000 2016; 1 COM 5000/10,000 2018; 6 WCH 10,000 2019 (2013-9, 2017-8, 2015-12); 3 WCH 5000 2019 (2015-12, 2017-6). 1 Canadian 5000 2016/2017/2018/2019. At WXC: 2008-51J, 2009-57J, 2010-27J, 2013-22. Born-Somalia, moved to Canada at age 10. Younger twin brothers-Kadar & Ibrahim, Ibrahim was 25 WJC 10,000 2012. Coach-Jerry Schumacher In 2021: 8 Walnut Golden Games 1500; 1 Irvine 'Track Meet' 5000; 3 Florence Diamond 5000

**BRUCHET Luc** CAN 1424 13:12.56 -21 30y 157d 1991 13:12.56

Half Mar pb: 63:12 -21. 10,000 pb: 28:17.33 -20 (28:40.66 -21). 1500 pb: 3:37.79 -21. 9 WSG 5000 2013; 8 Pan-Am Games 5000 2015; ht OLY 5000 2016. At WXC: 2010 -65J, 2013-65. 1 Canadian 10,000 2021. Born-Vancouver. Graduated from the University of British Columbia in Kinesiology. Coach-Richard Lee In 2021: 1 Mission Half Mar; 1 Burnaby 5000 (May 1); 1 Burnaby 'Endurance' 5000; 1 Burnaby Jerome Classic 5000; 1 Canadian 10,000; 1 Montréal Classic 3000; 4 Burnaby Mile (Jul 10); 6 Trabuco Hills 1500

1426 FLANAGAN Ben CAN

26y 200d 1995 13:20.67 13:20.67 -21

2018 US Collegiate Champion at 10,000m (representing the University of Michigan)

10,000 pb: 27:49.09 -21. ht World Youth 1500 2011. At WXC: 2013-34J. 1 Canadian 5K 2018; 1 NCAA 10,000 2018 (56.9 last lap to reel in Vincent Kiprop); 3 Canadian 5000 2018. Coach-Coach Kevin Sullivan.

Widely-shared video clips of him after his shock NCAA 10,000m win 2018, when he immediately shouted "Where's my mom? Where's my mom?" (his mother Michelle was in the crowd). #wheresmymom was created and a running company produced stickers with that slogan In 2021: 6 Austin 'Trials of Miles' 5000; 4 Charlottesville Virginia Challenge; 4 Des Moines Drake Relays 5000; 7 Irvine 'Track Meet' 10,000; 1 Attlesboro 5000; 1 Vida 5000;

15 Gateshead Diamond/July 3000

1430 KNIGHT Justyn CAN 25v 10d 1996 12:51.93 12:51.93 -21

10th & 9th at the last two World Championship 5000m final // 1500 pb: 3:36.07 -18. 10,000 pb: 29:46.41 -16. 8 WJC 5000 2014; 9 WCH 5000 2017 (2019-10); 3 North/Central American & Caribbean 5000 2018. At WXC: 2015-25J. 2 NCAA XC 2016; 2 Canadian 5000 2017/2018/2019; 2 NCAA 5000 2018 (2017-3), representing Syracuse University. Coach-Chris Fox

In 2021: 1 Austin 'Trials of Miles'; 2 Eugene Grand Prix; 2 Walnut Golden Games; 5 Florence Diamond 5000

1730 EISA MOHAMMED Jamal Abdelmaji EOR

27y 336d 1993 13:59.61 13:54.28 -19

10K pb: 29:37 -19 (29:46 -20). 5000 pb: 13:54.28 -19 (13:55.74 -20). At WXC: 2019-84. ht WCH 5000 2019. A native of Darfur (western Sudan), when he was 10 his father was killed by militia. Now living in Israel

In 2021: 9 Tel Aviv 10,000; 7 Jerusalem 5000; 1 Tel Aviv 3000; 5 ECP 10,000 'B'; guested at Israeli 5000

KATIR Mohamed ESP 1798

23y 163d 1998

12:50.79

12:50.79 -21 NR

Full name-Mohamed Katir Fl Haouzi

Enormous margins of improvement within 2021 to set Spanish records at 1500m, 3000m & 5000m (which were all tough records to begin with) 3000 pb: 7:27.64 -21. 1500 pb: 3:28.76 -21. 4 EIC 3000 2021. 1 Spanish under-23 XC 2018/2019; 1 Spanish indoor 3000 2019(2021-2). Born-Morocco (mother-Egyptian, father-Moroccan), has lived in Spain since the age of five, obtained Spanish nationality in November 2019. Former footballer and boxer. Coach-Gabriel Lorente In 2021: 2 Spanish indoor 3000; 4 EIC 3000; 1 Nerja 1500; 1 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 4 Florence Diamond 5000 (Spanish record 12:50.29); 1 Spanish League 'División De Honor' Final 1500; 2 Spanish; 2 Monaco Diamond 1500 (Spanish record 3:28.76); 1 Gateshead Diamond/July 3000 (Spanish record 7:27.64, 2:23.90 last kilo) ("this performance is the consequence of working hard and training in the mountains," he said)

1804 MAYO Carlos ESP

25y 315d 1995 13:18.15 13:18.15 -21

Full name-Carlos Mayo Nieto

2017 European under-23 Champion at 10,000m

10,000 pb: 27:25.00 -21. 1500 pb: 3:36.44 -21. 10 WJC 10,000 2014 (14 5000); 3 under-23 ECH 5000 2015/2017; 13 ECH 5000 2016; 8 EIC 3000 2017; 1 under-23 ECH 10,000 2017; 3 ETCh 5000 2021; 3 ECP 10,000 2021. At EXC: 2013-35J, 2014-2J, 2015-2u23, 2016-2u23, 2019-13. 1 Spanish 5000 2021. Born-Madrid, coach-José Luis

He has reported how neighbours screamed in anger at him during the 2020 Covid lockdown when he - as an elite athlete - was first allowed outdoors to train In 2021: 2 Toulon 5000; 2 Spanish XC; 2 Ibiza 3000; 5 Bergamo 5000; 3 ETCh 5000; 3 ECP 10,000; 1 Spanish 5000; 1 Barcelona 1500

**GEBRHIWET Hagos** ETH 1865

12:49.02 12:45.82 -18

Full name-Hagos Gebrhiwet Berhe

Medals over 5000m at two World Championships and the 2016 Olympics 10,000 pb: 26:48.95 -19 (26:57.16 -21). 3000 pb: 7:30.36 -13. 5 World Youth 3000 2011; 11 OLY 5000 2012 (was pressurising Mo Farah at the bell, but then fell back with a sore heel); 2 WCH 5000 2013 (2015-3); 3 OLY 5000 2016; 4 WIC 3000 3018 (2014-5); 9 WCH 10,000 2019. At WXC: 2015-4. Born-Atsbi (Tigray State). Coaches-Tolera Dinka & Hussein Shebo

In 2021: 2 Ethiopian 10,000; 4 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 10,000; 2 Florence Diamond 5000

MELAK Nibret ETH

21y 294d 1999 12:54.22 12:54.22 -21

Full name-Nibret Melak Bogale // 10K pb: 27:26 -19. 1500 pb: 3:39.2 -18. 10 African junior XC 2018; 3 'Great' Berlin 10K 2019. 1 Ethiopian 'junior' XC 2019, though he was officially a senior that year and so did not go on to compete at the World Cross

In 2021: 1 Ethiopian 'Ólympic Candidate' Trial 5000; 2 Campaccio XC; 1 Cinque Mulini XC (beat strong field, he would have been a World Championship contender had the World Cross taken place); 2 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 5000

1872 MENGESHA Milkesa ETH

21y 104d 2000 12:58.28 12:58.28 -21

Full name-Milkesa Mengesha Tolosa

2019 (therefore reigning) World Junior Cross Country Champion

10,000 pb: 27:51.89 -19. 3000 pb: 7:49.23 -19. 4 World Youth 3000 2017; 5 African junior XC 2018. At WXC: 2019-1J

In 2021: 3 Addis Ababa 10K; 4 Ethiopian 'Olympic Candidate' Trial 10,000; 3 Ethiopian 5000; 3 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 5000

WALE Getnet ETH 1877

13d 2000 12:53.28 12:53.28 -21 21v Full name-Getnet Wale Bayabil

Has moved across from steeplechase, where he was 2019 Diamond League Champion, running from the front

3000SC pb: 12:53.28 -21.3 WJC 3000SC 2016 (despite falling twice in the final)/2018; 3 African Champs 3000SC 2018; 2 African Games 3000SC 2019; 4 WCH 3000SC 2019 (2017-9). 1 Ethiopian 3000SC 2018/2019. Won 2019 Diamond League Steeplechase & 2020 World Indoor Tour 3000. Born-Sekela. Coach-Teshome Kebede In 2021: 2 Ethiopian 'Olympic Candidate' Trial 3000SC; 1 Liévin 'Gold' Tour 3000 (7:24.98, #2 all-time indoors after Daniel Komen's 1998 world record 7:24.90); 1 Val-de-Reuil 1500; 1 Ethiopian 5000; 1 Ostrava Golden Spike 3000SC; 1 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 5000

**GRESSIER Jimmy FRA** 1956

24v 87d 1997 13:08 99 13.08 99 -21

Reigning European under-23 Champion at 5000m, 10,000m & XC (and also now a world-class steeplechaser) 1500 pb: 3:37.83 -19. 3:38.03i -21. 3000 pb: 7:39.70i -21, 7:53.81 -18. 10,000 pb: 8:44.17 -19. 3000SC pb: 8:24.72 -20. 10 WJC 5000 2016; 1 under-23 ECH 5000/10,000 2019; 9 ETCh 3000 2019; 8 EIC 3000 2021; 7 ETCh 1500 2021. At WXC: 2015-80J (after only six months of training in athletics). At EXC: 2015-4J, 2016-4J, 2017-1u23, 2018-1u23 (knee-slide into finishing tape), 2019-1u23. His first sport was football, he played for the team which placed fourth at the 2015 World Schools Championship, but he became "The footballer who was running too fast". Coach-Arnaud Dinielle In 2021: 4 French indoor 1500; 1 Toulon 5000; 8 EIC 3000; 8 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 7 ETCh 1500; 1 Huelva 5000; 10 Marseille 1500; 2 French 5000

**HAY Hugo** FRA 1959

24y 124d 1997 13:10.95 13:10.95 -21

European under-23 silvers at both cross country and 5000m // 3000 pb: 7:47.30i -21, 8:14.52 -17. 1500 pb: 3:38.73 -20. 6 EJC 5000 2015; 2 under-23 ECH 5000 2019 (2017-5); 3 ETCh 5000 2019; 6 EIC 3000 2021; 2 ETCh 5000 2021. At EXC: 2015-47J, 2016-7J, 2017-2u23, 2018-3u23, 2019-18u23. 1 French 5000 2019/2021. Coach-

In 2021: 1 French indoor 3000; 6 EIC 3000; 2 ETCh 5000; 1 Gothenburg Grand Prix 5000; 1 French 5000

misconduct by UK Athletics for making statements likely to bring athletics into disrepute." He was fined £5000

**BUTCHART Andrew GBR** 

29v 289d 1991 13:20.39 13:06.21 -19

Sixth at 2016 Olympics, now 3rd all-time UK at 5000m after Farah & Moorcroft 5000 pb: 13:06.21 -19 (13:20.39 -21). 1500 pb: 3:37.58i -17, 3:38.34 -19 (3:40.82i -21). 10,000 pb: 29:32.43 -15. 12 ECP 10,000 2015; 3 ETCh 3000 2015; 6 OLY 5000 2016; 8 WCH 5000 2017 (2019-ht); 7 EIC 3000 2021 (2019-h0). At WXC: 2015-86. At EXC: 2014-35, 2016-4, 2017-3, 2019-4. 1 Scottish 5000 2015; 1 UK 5000

2016/2017/2019. In November 2015, he gave up his job as a fitness instructor to concentrate on running. Coach-Barry Fudge In 2021: 4 Karlsruhe 'Gold' Tour 3000; 2 Manchester Invitational 1500; 2 Manchester UK Trial 3000 (6 1500); 7 EIC 3000; 2 Irvine 'Track Meet' 5000; In May he announced

that her and his partner Lynsey Sharp (1 ECH 800 2012) are due to become parents later this year; 6 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 1 Watford BMC 3000; 2 UK 5000; 3 Gateshead Diamond/July 3000 (Scottish record 7:35.18); On July 17 UK Athletics stated: Following widely publicised comments by Andrew Butchart on a podcast regarding the alleged faking of COVID tests, he was charged with 2065 SCOTT Marc GBR **27v** 221d 1993 13:05.13 13:05.13 -21

3x UK Champion at 5000m // 10,000 pb: 27:10.41 -21. 3000 pb: 7:36.09 -21. 1500 pb: 3:35.93 -20. 6 under-23 ECH 10,000 2015; 2 ETCh 3000 2017; 5 ECH 5000 2018; ht WCH 5000 2017/2019; 7 ECP 10,000 2021. At EXC: 2014-7u23, 2015-4u23, 2018-9. 10 NCAA XC 2015. 1 UK 5000 2018/2020/2021 (2016/2017-4, 2019-2); 1 'Great' South Run 10M 2019. He is the youngest (by two minutes) of triplets, his older brothers being Robert and Ben. Studied exercise science at the University of Tulsa. Coach-Jerry Schumacher

In 2021: 1 Phoenix 3000 (7:36.09 outdoors); 1 San Juan Capistrano 'The Ten' 10,000 (27:10.41, 2nd UK all-time); 1 San Juan Capistrano 'The Ten' 10,000; 2 San Juan Capistrano 'Sound' Invitational 5000; 3 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 7 ECP 10,000

#### **MOHUMED Mohamed GER** 2168

22y 128d 1999 13:17.04 13:17.04 -21

New European under-23 Champion at 5000m // 1500 pb: 3:38.51 -21. 4 European Youth 3000 2016; 13 WJC 5000 2018; 9 under-23 ECH 5000 2019 (11 10,000); 1 under -23 ECH 5000 2021. At EXC: 2017-35J, 2018-6J, 2019-16u23. 1 German 5000 2020/2021 & indoor 3000 2021. His younger brother Yassin Mohumed (2 EJC 5000 2021). Born-Dortmund of Somali parents

In 2021: 1 German indoor 3000; 3 Vienna 'Mid Summer Track Night' 5000; 10 Rehlingen 1500; 3 Pfungstadt 1500; 2 Huelva 5000; 1 German 5000; 9 Nice 5000; 5 Lucerne 5000; 1 under-23 ECH 5000

**GRIJALVA Luis** GUA 2246

22v 111d 1999 13:13.14 13:13.14 -21 NR

Guatemalan record holder at 1500m & 5000m // 1500 pb: 3:39.02 -21. 9 NCAA XC 2021; 2 NCAA 5000. Born-Guatemala City. Lives-Flagstaff. Attends Northern Arizona University. His family came to the USA from Guatemala when he was one year old. Coach-Michael Smith

In 2021: 9 NCAA XC; 1 Tucson Jim Click Shootout; 1 Clovis Fresno State West Coast Relays invite 5000; 1 Ogden 'Big Sky' 1500 (2 800, 5 5000); 2 NCAA 5000; 3 Vida 1500; 2 Trabuco Hills 1500; As he is classified as an unauthorised immigrant, he needed special permission [from the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services] to leave to and return from Tokyo. This was granted only on July 26, 2021

2416 CRIPPA Yemaneberhan ITA

13:02.26 -20 NR 24y 287d 1996 13:17.23

Italian record holder at 3000m, 5000m & 10,000m // 10,000 pb: 27:10.76 -19. 3000 pb: 7:37.90 -21. 1500 pb: 3:35.26 -20. 6 World Youth 1500 2013; 10 WJC 1500 2014; 3 EJC 5000 2015; 8 ECH 5000 2016; 7 EIC 3000 2017; 1 under-23 ECH 5000 2017; 3 Mediterranean Games 5000 2018; 3 ECH 10,000 2018 (4 5000); 1 ECP 10,000 2019; 1 ETCh 5000 2019/2021; 8 WCH 10,000 2019 (ht 5000). At WXC: 2013-38J, 2015-20J. At EXC: 2012-32J, 2013-7J, 2014-1J, 2015-1J, 2016/2017-3u23, 2018-6, 2019-2. 1 Italian 1500 2016. Born-Ethiopia, he was orphaned at age 7 then adopted by an Italian couple along with his brother Nekagenet (who is also an international runner). Coach-Massimo Pegoretti

In 2021: dnf Trento; 1 ETCh 5000; 9 Florence Diamond 5000; 2 Nembro 3000; 8 Gateshead Diamond/July 3000 (Italian record 7:37.90)

2686 BANDO Yuta JPN

24y 250d 1996 13:31.46 13:18.49 -20

2019 Japanese Cross Country Champion // Half Mar pb: 64:27 -16. 10,000 pb: 28:20.72 -19. 1500 pb: 3:37.99 -21. At WXC: 2019-64. 1 Japanese XC 2019 & 5000 2020. Competes for the club of a Japanese multinational information and communications technology equipment and services company, based in Tokyo. Coach-Tadashi Fukushima

In 2021: 10 'Ready Steady' Tokyo 5000; 8 Niigata 5000; 5 Japanese 5000; 3 Chitose 1500

MATSUEDA Hiroki JPN 2703

13:30.21 28<sub>v</sub> 71d 1993 13:24.29 -20

Half Mar pb: 61:29 -21. 10,000 pb: 28:29.01 -16. 1500 pb: 3:38.12 -19 (3:52.01 -21). 2 Asian Champs 5000 2019. At WXC: 2015-52. 1 Japanese 5000 2017/2019. Coach-Tadashi Fukushima

In 2021: 13 Japanese Corporate Half Mar: 3 Inzai 3000: 4 Japanese 5000: 12 Chitose 1500

(Ebenyo) SIMIYU Daniel KEN 2771

25v 315d 1995 13:05.05 13:05.05 -21

2019 Kenyan Champion // 1 Kenyan 5000 2019; 2 Kenyan World Championship Trial 5000 2019, and was selected for Doha, but could not take his place as he had not been subject to sufficient out-of-competition testing (nobody expected that he would qualify).

As a boy he used to run a 24km round trip to and from school. "I would be forced to take a longer route to escape being attacked by rustlers," he explains

In 2021: 6 Nairobi Relay Series #3 200 'B'; 3 Nairobi Athletics Kenya Weekend #1 5000; 1 Berlin 10K (27:50); 2 Kenyan Olympic Trial 5000; 2 Lucerne 5000

2775 KIMELI Nicholas KEN

**22v** 304d 1998 13:02.87 12:51.78 -20

Full name-Nicholas Kipkorir Kimeli // 10,000 pb: 26:58.97 -20. 3000 pb: 7:31.33 -21. 1 African Junior 10,000 2017 (3 5000); 9 COM 5000 2018; 8 WCH 5000 2019. 3 Kenyan XC 2020

In 2021: 2 Eldoret XC; 1 Vught Harry Schulting Games 3000; 2 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 1 Kenyan Olympic Trial 5000; 3 Oslo Diamond 3000

2783 MASAI Samwel KEN

2801

13:12.55 -21 20v 132d 2001 13:12.55

Full name-Samwel Chebolei Masai // 10,000 pb: 27:36.37 -20. At WXC: 2019-8J. 1 Kenyan 5000 2018 (at age 17). 1 Kenyan junior XC 2019. He is the younger brother of world U20 1500m record holder Ronald Chebolei Kwemoi. Lives-Japan, competes for the club of a leading Japanese producer of high-quality skincare, makeup and hair care cosmetics

In 2021: 1 Nijmegen 5000; 8 Hengelo Ethiopian Olympic Trial 5000; 3 Kenyan Olympic Trial 5000

**KENESHBEKOV Nursultan KGZ** 

126d 2000 13:52.68 13:52.68 -21 21<sub>V</sub>

1500 pb: 3:43 76 -21 7 Asian Junior 5000 2018: 10 Asian Games 5000 2018: dnf W.IC 5000 2018 1 Belarusian 5000 2021 Coach-Satybek Chokaey

In 2021: 3 Mashhad 5000; 1 Uzbek 5000; 1 Turkish 3000 (2 5000); 1 Bishkek Kolpakova 5000 (2 1500); 1 Almaty Qosanov 1500/5000; 1 Belarusian 5000 (3 1500)

2883 BOUQANTAR Soufiyan MAR

**27v** 334d 1993 13:31.84 13:13.68 -19

2017 FrancophonesChampion at 10,000m // 10,000 pb: 27:47.59 -17. 3000 pb: 7:38.65 -17. 1500 pb: 3:37.75 -19. dnf WJC 5000 2012; ht OLY 5000 2012/2016; 3 Mediterranean Games 10,000 2013; 1 Francophone Games 10,000 2017 (2 5000); ht WCH 5000 2017/2019; 2 Mediterranean Games 5000 2018; 5 African Champs 5000 2018. At WXC: 2011-18J. 1 Moroccan 5000 2014/2015. Partner-Malika Akkaoui (10 WCH 1500 2017)

In 2019: 3 Arab 5000; 11 Shanghai Diamond 5000; 9 Hengelo Blankers-Koen 5000; 3 Rabat Diamond 5000; dnf Lausanne Diamond 5000; 7 Székesfehérvár 3000; 2 Bellinzona 1500; 3 Brussels Diamond 5000

2973 ABIDINE Abidine MTN

28v 121d 1993 15:18.83 -17

12 Islamic Solidarity Games 5000 2017: 27 African Games 5000 2019

In 2021: He was the Mauritanian flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with sprinter Houleye Ba)

3020 FOPPEN Mike NED Dutch record holder at 3000m indoors and 5000m outdoors (shared with Kamiel Maase)

24y 242d 1996 13:13.69 13:13.06 -20

1500 pb: 3:36.01 -20. 10 under-23 ECH 1500 2017; 14 WSG 5000 2017; ht EIC 3000 2019/2021. At EXC: 2018-20u23, 2019-32. 1 Dutch 1500 2016, 5000 2019/2020/2021 & indoor 3000 2019/2020/2021. Coach-Joshua Mols

In 2021: 1 Dutch indoor 3000; 4ht EIC 3000; 1 Utrecht; 11 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 2 Nice 5000; 1 ETCh 1st League 3000; 1 Dutch 5000

#### **INGEBRIGTSEN Jakob NOR** 3081

**20y** 313d 2000 12:48.45 12:48.45 -21 AR

Reigning European Champion at 1500m, indoor 1500m, indoor 3000m & 5000m

1500 pb: 3:28.68 -20 (3:29.25 -21). 3000 pb: 7:27.05 -20. Mile pb: 3:51.30 -19. 3000SC pb: 8:26.81 -17. 9 WJC 1500 2016; 1 EJC 5000/3000SC 2017 (8 1500); ht WJC 3000SC 2017; 2 WJC 1500 2018 (3 5000); 1 EIC 3000 2019 (2 1500); 1 EIC 1500/3000 2021. At WXC: 2019-12J. At EXC: 2016-1J, 2017-1J, 2018-1J, 2019-1J. In Eugene 2017 with 3:58.07 at age 16 became the youngest-ever four minute miler. 1 Norwegian 1500/5000/3000SC 2017, 1500 2018/2019/2020 & 800 2020. Coach/father-Gjert Ingebriatsen

He and his two older brothers have now all been European Champions at 1500m. Henrik in 2012, Filip in 2016, Jakob in 2018. Fiancé-Elisabeth Asserson

In 2020: His progress continued, European records at 1500m & 2000m (4:50.01)

In 2021: 1 Lievin 'Gold' Tour 1500 (European indoor record 3:31.80); 1 EIC 1500/3000; 1 Gateshead Diamond/May 1500; 1 Florence Diamond 5000 (European record 12:48.45); 3 Monaco Diamond 1500

### 3083 NORDAS Narve Gilje NOR

22v 303d 1998 13:16.67 13:16.67 -21

10,000 pb: 28:20.55 -20. 5 EJC 10,000 2017 (10 5000); 6 under-23 ECH 10,000 2019; 5 EIC 3000 2021. At EXC: 2019-19u23. 1 Norwegian 5000 2020 & indoor 1500 2021. Coach-Gjert Ingebrigtsen (who persuaded him to become a full-time athlete)

In 2021: 5 EIC 3000; 2 Oslo Night of Highlights 5000; 7 Nice 5000; 4 Lucerne 5000

### 3417 | MASHELE Lesiba Precious RSA

290d 1990 30v 13:11.65 13:11.65 -22

Full name-Lesiba Precious Mashele

Twice South African Champion at 5000m

Half Mar pb: 61:18 -21. 10,000 pb: 27:55.87 -21. At WXC: 2015-39, 2017-57, 2019-16. 14 World Half Mar 2020 (2018-44). 1 South African 5000 2019/2021 In 2021: 1 Boksburg 5000: 1 Durban 10,000: 1 Stellenbosch 5000: 1 Kwazulu Natal 10,000: 1 Stellenbosch 5000: 1 South African 5000: 1 South African Half Mar: 1 Durban

**RAESS Jonas** SUI 3523

27y 144d 1994 13:15.91 13:15.91 -21

2019 World Student Games Champion at 5000m // 3000 pb: 7:45.67i -20, 7:59.82 -18 (7:47.50i -21). 1500 pb: 3:37.46 -20. 21 ECH 5000 2018; 1 WSG 5000 2019 (2017-8); 6 ETCh 3000 2019; ht EIC 3000 2021. At EXC: 2012-69J, 2015-33u23, 2016-17u23, 2017-29, 2019-9. 1 Swiss 5000 2017/2018/2019/2020/2021. Coach-Steve Vernon In 2021: 6ht EIC 3000; 5 Gateshead Diamond/May 5000; 4 Nice 5000; 1 Swiss 5000

WANDERS Julien SUI 3525

25y 133d 1996 13:57.61 13:13.84 -19

European record holder at 10K & Half Marathon. Swiss record holder at 10,000m (and French, he has dual nationality)

10,000 pb: 27:17.29 -19. Half Mar pb: 59:13 -19. 3000 pb: 7:43.62 -19 (7:56.21 -21). 1500 pb: 3:39.30 -19 (3:46.74 -21). 18 WJC 5000 2014; 14 EJC 5000 2015; 8 World Half Mar 2018; 7 ECH 10,000 2018 (8 5000); 2 ETCh 5000 2019; ht WCH 5000 2019 (dnf 10,000). At WXC: 2015-36J. At EXC: 2013-54J, 2014-16J, 2015-12J, 2019-3. 1 Swiss 5000 2016/2017 & 1500 2018/2019. Since the age of 18 he has spent much of each year living and training in Kenya. In 2019 set a short-lived world 5K record of 13:29. Coach-Marco Jaeger

In 2021: 8 Morton 5K; 1 Basle Meier 1500; 3 Meilen 3000; 14 Lucerne 5000

#### 3708 CHELIMO Oscar UGA

13:06.79 -21 19y 230d 2001 13:06.79

2018 Youth Olympic bronze at combined 3000m & Cross Country // 10K pb: 28:50 -18. 3000 pb: 7:43.00 -21. 5 World Youth 3000 2017; 1 World Junior Mountain Running Champs 2017 (2018-3); 3 Youth Olympic 3000/XC 2018; 7 WJC 5000 2018; 2 African Youth 3000 2018; 5 African Games 5000 2019; ht WCH 5000 2019. At WXC: 2019 -3J. His older step-brother is Jacob Kiplimo (1 World Half Mar 2020)

In 2021: 3 San Giorgio su Legnano XC, 4 Cinque Mulini XC; 3 Bergamo 5000; 3 Ostrava Golden Spike 3000

#### **CHEPTEGEI Joshua** UGA 3711

24y 320d 1996 12:54.69 12:35.36 -20 WR

Full name-Joshua Kiprui Cheptegei

World record holder at 5000m, 10,000m & road 5K. World Champion at 10,000m & Cross Country. Commonwealth Champion at 5000m & 10,000m 10,000 pb: 26:11.00 -20. Half Mar pb: 59:21 -20. 15K pb: 41:05 -18. 10K pb: 26:38 -19. 5K pb: 12:51 -20 (13:14 -21)

1 WJC 10,000 2014 (4 5000); 6 OLY 10,000 2016 (8 5000); 1 COM 5000/10,000 2018; 1 WCH 10,000 2019 (2015-9, 2017-2); 4 World Half Mar 2020. At WXC: 2015-11J, 2017-30, 2019-1 One of nine children. He holds the rank of Inspector in the Ugandan Police Force. Coach-Addy Ruiter NED was in Uganda with Cheptegei during lockdown

At the 2017 World Cross Country Championships in Kampala, he had an 11-second lead from the Kenyans at the start of the last lap, but then hit the wall and was passed by 29 men (yet his 30th place helped Uganda to win team bronzes)

In 2021: 1 Monaco 5K; 3 Kampala Ugandan Trials #6 (pb 3:37.36); 1 Ostrava Golden Spike 3000 (pb 7:33.24); 6 Florence Diamond 5000

### 3712 KIPLIMO Jacob UGA

20y 257d 2000 12:55.60 12:48.63 -20

2020 World Half Marathon Champion while still 19y // 10,000 pb: 26:33.93 -21. 3000 pb: 7:26.64 -20. 3 WJC 10,000 2016; ht OLY 5000 2016; ht WCH 5000 2017; 4 COM 10,000 2018; 2 WJC 10,000 2018 (6 5000); 1 World Half Mar 2020. At WXC: 2017-1J, 2019-2. 1 Italian 10,000 2016. He was the youngest athlete entered for the athletics programme in Rio 2016, not born until just after the Sydney Olympics. His younger step-brother is Oscar Chelimo (3 Youth Olympic 3000/XC 2018). Coach-lacopo Brasi ITA In 2021: 1 Ostrava Golden Spike 10,000 (26:33.93, #7 all-time); 1 Lucerne 5000

#### **CHELIMO Paul** USA 3912

30y 276d 1990 13:26.82 12:57.55 -18

Full name-Paul Kipkemoi Chelimo

2016 Olympic 5000m silver (after he was initially disqualified for stepping inside kerb, but then re-instated by the jury of appeal), 2017 World bronze 13:09.90i -21. Half Mar pb: 62:19 -19. 10,000 pb: 27:43.89 -19. Mile pb: 3:55.96 -18. 1500 pb: 3:39.33 -16. 2 WSG 5000 2013 (4 1500); 7 WIC 3000 2016 (2018-dq/ht); 2 OLY 5000 2016; 3 WCH 5000 2017 (2019-7); 1 IAAF Continental Cup 3000 2018. 1 US 5000 2017/2018/2021 (1 indoor 2M 2017 & indoor 1500/3000 2018). Member of the US Armed Forces. Allegiance transferee from Kenya - acquired US citizenship on July 23, 2014 and cleared by World Athletics to compete for the USA on June 15, 2015 In 2021: Two fast indoor 5000m wins at Virginia Beach: 13:12.51 & 13:09.90; 2 Ostrava Golden Spike 3000; 1 US 5000

### 3925 FISHER Grant USA

13:02.53 24<sub>V</sub> 99d 1997 13:02.53 -21

A pair of second places at the 2021 US Olympic Trials // 10,000 pb: 27:11.29 -21. 3000 pb: 7:37.21 -21. 1500 pb: 3:36.23 -20 (3:36.52 -21). 9 World Youth 1500 2013; ht WJC 1500 2014. 1 NCAA 5000 2017 (2018-3, 2019-2); 2 NCAA XC 2018; 2 NCAA indoor 3000 2019; 2 US 5000/10,000 2021. Studied Electrical Engineering at Stanford University. Born-Calgary. He is the training partner of Woody Kincaid; they each qualified for Tokyo 2020 in both the 5000m & 10,000m. Their coach-Jerry Schumacher In 2021: 2 Phoenix 3000; 2 San Juan Capistrano 'The Ten' 10,000; 1 San Juan Capistrano 'Sound' Invitational 5000; 4 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 1 Portland Track Festival 5000; 2 US 5000 (52.98 last lap) /10,000

## 3942 KINCAID Woody USA

28y 311d 1992 13:24.64 12:58.10 -19

(William)

2021 UŚ Champion at 10,000m // 10,000 pb: 27:12.78 -21. 3000 pb: 7:46.08 -21. 5 NCAA 5000 2015; 2 US indoor 2M 2017; 3 US 5000 2019/2021; 1 US 10,000 2021. Broke through from 13:26 to 12:58 for 5000m in September 2019. Was at the University of Portland (where he completed a Bachelors degree in History and a Masters in Business Administration). He is the training partner of Grant Fisher; they each qualified for Tokyo 2020 in both the 5000m & 10,000m. Their coach-Jerry Schumacher He's called 'Woody' because that's what his slightly older cousin kept calling him when they were both infants (their way of saying 'William'), and the name stuck In 2021: 7 Phoenix 3000; 3 San Juan Capistrano 'The Ten' 10,000; dnf San Juan Capistrano 'Sound' Invitational 5000; 2 Portland Track Festival 5000; 1 US 10,000 (53.46 last lap); 3 US 5000 (52.74 last lap)

### 3972 **TEARE Cooper** USA

346d 1999 13:12.27 13:12.27 -21

2021 US Collegiate Champion at 5000m, representing the University of Oregon Athletics 1500 pb: 3:35.97 -21. 10 WJC 1500/5000 2018. 2 NCAA indoor 3000 2021; 1 NCAA 5000 2021. 4 US 5000 2021. Has improved out of recognition in 2021

In 2021: 1 Fayetteville 'Tyson' (pb down from 3:55.50i to 3:50.39i); 3 Eugene 3000; 2 NCAA indoor 3000; 2 Eugene Hayward Premiere; 2 Oregon Relays invitational 5000; 2 Eugene Oregon Twilight 1500; 1 Los Angeles 'Pacific 12' 1500; 1 NCAA 5000; 4 US 5000

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### 2021 WORLD LIST

1.....12:48.45..Jakob Ingebrigtsen NOR
 2.....12:49.02..Hagos Gebrhiwet ETH
 3.....12:50.12..Mohammed Ahmed CAN
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 5.....12:51.93..Justyn Knight CAN
 6.....12:53.28..Getnet Wale ETH
 7....12:54.22..Nibret Melak ETH
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# Men's 110 Metres Hurdles

Entrants: Event starts: August 3

PΒ (Days) SB

1086 HOUGH Nicholas AUS

27y 283d 1993 13.38 -18

2019 Oceanian Champion. Former Youth Olympic Champion // 13.48w -21. 200 pb: 20.66 -13. 100 pb: 10.39 -13. 1 Youth Olympic Games 2010; 2 WJC 2012; 4 COM 2014; 6 WSG 2017; sf WIC 2018; 1 Oceanian 2019; sf WCH 2019 (2015/2017-ht). 1 Australian 2014/2015/2017/2018/2019/2021. His father Anthony was a 7676-point decathlete. Born-Westmead, coach-Anthony Benn

In 2021: 1 Australian Capital Territory; 1 Canberra 'Super Summer'; 2 New South Wales State; 1 Canberra Classic; 1 Sydney Classic; 1 Australian; 2 Gold Coast Oceania Invitational #2; 2 Townsville Festival

**BRATHWAITE Shane** BAR

31v 172d 1990

Twice sixth in World Championship finals // 100 pb: 10.43 -09. 200 pb: 20.51 -17. 400H pb: 50.90 -12. 1 World Youth Octathlon 2009; sf WJC 400H 2008; ht OLY 2012; 1 Central American & Caribbean Champs 2013; 3 COM 2014 (2018-6=); 8 WIC 2016; 6 WCH 2017/2019 (2015-sf); =6 COM 2018; Central American & Caribbean Games 2018 110H/4x100; 3 North/Central American & Caribbean 2018; 1 Pan-Am Games 2018 (2015-3). He is not related to 2009 World Champion Ryan Brathwaite In 2021: 3 Prairie View Relays 100 'B'; 1 Prairie View Sprint Summit; 4 Des Moines Drake Relays Elite; 1 Austin Texas Invitational; 2 Houston Tom Tellez Invitational; 7 Fort Worth US F&F Open; 2 Boston Games; 5 Montreuil; 2 Tatabánya; 1 Prague Odložil; 5 Florence Diamond; 3 Bydgoszcz Szewińska; 7 Székesfehérvár Gyulai; 3 Sottevillelès-Rouen

**OBASUYI Michael BEL** 1200

21y 352d 1999

13.32

13.32 -21

2021 European under-23 silver // 7 European Youth LJ 2016; sf EJC 2017; 4 WJC 2018; sf ECH 2018; 5 under-23 ECH 2019. 1 Belgian 2019/2020/2021 & indoor 2020. Lives-Ostend

In 2021: 1 Oordegem Buyle; 5 Turku Paavo Nurmi Games; 6 Geneva; 5 'Meeting' Madrid; 1 Belgian; 2 under-23 ECH

PARAKHONKA Vitali BLR

27v 346d 1993

13.30

13.30 -21

10x Belarusian Champion (5 in + 5 out) // ht WJC 2012; ht ETCh 2017; sf WIC 2018; sf ECH 2018; sf EIC 2019 (2015/2017/2021-ht); ht WCH 2019. 1 Belarusian 2017/2018/2019/2020/2021 &1 indoor 2017/2018/2019/2020/2021. Wife is international hurdler Sviatlana Parakhonka. 1.90 tall

In 2021: 1 Belarusian indoor (3 60/200); 5ht EIC; 1 Belarusian Cup; 1 Minsk Zhelobovskogo prizes; 1 Erzurum; 1 ETCh 1st League; 1 Belarusian; 2 Lignano Sabbiadoro; 4 **Tomblaine** 

PEREIRA Rafael Henrique BRA 1311

24v

13.35

13.35 -21

New South American Champion // sf WJC 2016: 1 South American under-23 2018: 1 South American 2021, 1 Brazilian 2021, Coach-Mauro Roberto In 2021: 1 Bragança Paulista São Paulo Trophy; 2 Bragança Paulista City Tournament; 1 South American; 1 Brazilian (6 200); 1 Bragança Paulista International; 1 Bragança Paulista 'Meeting Towards Tokyo'

**CONSTANTINO Gabriel BRA** 

26v 171d 1995 13.46

13.18 -19 NR

Full name-Gabriel Oliveira Constantino

2019 World Student Games Champion

13.36w -21. 100 pb: 10.28 -18. 200 pb: 20.21 -19. sf WJC 2014 (ht 200); 6 WIC 2018; 1 Ibero-American 2018; 2 South American 2019; 1 WSG 2019; dnf Pan-Am Games 2019 (fell); dq/ht WCH 2019 (trailing leg). 1 Brazilian 2016/2018. He has plans to become a professional singer after his athletics career

In 2021: 1 Chula Vista High Performance #1; 1 La Mirada; 1 Azusa Bryan Clay Invitational; 1 Chula Vista High Performance #2; 1 Azusa Pacific 'Last Chance'; dq/ht Turku Paavo Nurmi Games: 3 Chorzów Kusocinski: 1 Maia: 1 Lucerne

1327 RODRIGUES Eduardo BRA

25y 295d 1995 13.40

13.30 -19

Full name-Eduardo Rodrigues dos Santos de Deus Junior

2017 South American Champion

2 Ibero-American 2016; 1 South American 2017 (2019-3); 1 South American Games 2018; 3 Pan-Am Games 2019; ht WCH 2019. Coach-Katsuhico Nakaya In 2021: 1 Concepción del Uruguay; 1 Concepción del Uruguay; 2 Bragança Paulista São Paulo Trophy; 1 Bragança Paulista São Paulo Trophy 'B'; 1 Bragança Paulista City Tournament; 2ht South American; 1 São Paulo; 2 Brazilian; 2 Bragança Paulista International; 2 Bragança Paulista 'Meeting Towards Tokyo'

1507 XIE Wenjun CHN

19d 1990

13.17 -19

Chinese #1, post Liu Xiang. Twice Asian Champion & Asian Games Champion

sf OLY 2012 (2016-ht); 4 IAAF Continental Cup 2014; 1 Asian Games 2014/2018; 1 Asian Champs 2015/2019; sf WCH 2015/2017 (2013-ht); sf WIC 2016; 5 Athletics World Cup 2018; 4th, then 5th WCH 2019. 1 Chinese junior 2008/2009; 2 Chinese 2011; 1 Chinese Universities 2011; 1 Chinese National Games 2013/2017. Missed qualifying for the London Olympic final by one place (he clocked 13.34 to Lawrence Clarke's 13.31). From-Shanghai

Bad luck in Doha 2019, he crossed line in 4th, but then downgraded to 5th when it was agree that Orlando Ortega (originally 5th) was disadvantaged by Omar McLeod and should receive a bronze medal, meaning Xie had to be 5th not 4th

In 2021: 6 Chinese; 1 Hangzhou

**HAMADI Fadane** COM 1561

29y 8d 1992 14.63

14.60 - 18

14.59w -19. TJ pb: 14.73 -18. ht WCH 2019

In 2021: 1 Châlon-sur-Saone; 1 Epinal; 3 Châlon-sur-Saone; 6sf Bondoufle; He was the Comoron flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with sprinter Amed

1608 TRAJKOVIC Milan CYP

29y 134d 1992 13.82

13.25 -17 NR

Won European indoor title from lane 1 in Glasgow 2019, at first thinking he'd lost

1 Small European States Games 2013/2015; 8 under-23 ECH 2013; 6 WSG 2015; 1 Balkan 2016 & indoor 2015; 5 ECH 2016 (2014-ht, 2018-sf); 7 OLY 2016; dq WIC final 2018; 4 COM 2018 (2014-ht); 1 EIC 2019 (2013/2015-ht, 2017-6, 2019-sf); 8 WCH 2019 (2017-sf). 1 Cypriot 2014/2016. Born-Serbia (Surdulica). During the unrest in the 1990s, his family moved to Cyprus when he was aged 9. Coach-Antonis Giannoylakis (same as Orlando Ortega)

He points to his head before getting on then blocks. Why? "It's all the mind," he says

In 2021: 6sf EIC; 9 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 4 Boston Games; 9 Hengelo FBK Games; 1 Cypriot; 1 ETCh 3rd League; He was the Cypriot flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with shooter Andri Eleftheriou)

MARTINEZ Asier ESP 1800

98d 2000 21<sub>v</sub>

13.31

13.31 -21

Full name-Asier Martínez Etxarte

New European under-23 Champion // sf EJC 2019; 4 EIC 2021; 1 under-23 ECH 2021. 1 Spanish 2020 & indoor 2021. Coach-Francois Beoringyan Born-Pamplona: with 13.31, he is the fastest ever Spanish-born man at 110mH (only Orlando Ortega ex-CUB & Jackson Quiñónez ex-ECU are faster) In 2021: 1 San Sebastián; 3 Miramas 'Elite'; 1 Spanish under-23 indoor; 1 Spanish indoor; 4 EIC; 1 Pamplona Spanish League; 1 Castellón Spanish League; 1 ETCh; 1 Marseille; 3 'Meeting' Madrid; 2 Spanish; 1 Pamplona; 1 under-23 ECH

1808 ORTEGA Orlando ESP

30v 1d 1991 13.15

12.94 -15 NR

Sixth in London Olympics for Cuba, second in Rio for Spain, the]n a controversial bronze at Doha 2019

dnf/ht WJC 2010; 3 Pan-Am Games 2011; sf WIC 2012; 2 OLY 2016 (2012-6); 1 ETCh 2017/2019; 7 WCH 2017 (2013-ht); 3 ECH 2018; 4 EIC 2019 (2017-7); 5/bronze WCH 2019 (crossed line in fifth but awarded an extra bronze after it was clear he'd been accidentally impeded by Omar McLeod when the Jamaican struck hurdle eight). 1 Cuban 2011 & Spanish 2017/2018/2020/2021. His first sports were taekwondo and boxing. Coached in Cyprus by Antonis Giannoylakis (same as Milan Trajkovic) Allegiance transferee from Cuba – Entered Spain on July 28, 2013 and apparently considered to be a Spanish resident from that date, (therefore enabling him to compete at the Olympic Games after three years). Gained Spanish citizenship on September 8, 2015 and cleared by the World Athletics to represent Spain from July 29, 2016 In 2021: 1 Spanish; 1 Bydgoszcz Szewińska; 2 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

1906 LAKKA Elmo FIN

28y 111d 1993

13.31

13.31 -21 NR

13.15 -21

12x Finnish Champion (7 in + 6 out)

Finnish record holder // 100 pb: 10.40w -15, 10.57 -14. sf ECH 2016/2018; 1 FIN v SWE 2018/2019/2020; 8 EIC 2019 (2017-ht, 2021-sf); 8 ETCh 2019 (2015-9); ht WCH 2019. 1 Finnish 2015/2016/2017/2018/2019/2020 & indoor 2014/2015/2016/2017/2019/2020/2021

In 2021: 1 Finnish indoor; 4sf EIC; 1 Lahti; 1 Jyväskylä (broke Arto Bryggare's 37 year-old Finnish record [of 13.35] with 13.31); 4 Turku Paavo Nurmi Games; 3 Espoo; 5 ETCh 1st League; 1 Vaasa; 5 Stockholm Diamond national

1943 **BELOCIAN Wilhem** FRA

26v 38d 1995

2021 European Indoor Champion (by a margin of 0.01 from Andrew Pozzi GBR)

13.14w -19. 3 World Youth Medley Relay 2011; 3 WJC 2012; 1 EJC 2013; 1 Carifta Games 2014; 1 WJC 2014 (2012-3); 3 ECH 2016; dq/ht OLY 2016; 2 WSG 2019; sf WCH 2019; 1 EIC 2021 (2015-3, 2019-7). 1 French 2019/2020/2021 & indoor 2021. Born/lives-Guadeloupe. Coach-Ketty Cham

A disastrous false start by him in his heat at the 2016 Olympics: "Everything was over in less than a second and all my preparation had gone to the trash. It was horrible." In 2021: 1 EIC; 3 Hengelo FBK Games; 3 Florence Diamond; 1 Chorzów Kusocinski; 1 French (pb 13.15)

MANGA Aurel FRA 1964

29y 5d 1992 13.24 13.24 -21

2018 World indoor bronze, 2019 European indoor bronze // 100 pb: 10.32w, 10.39 -14. sf under-23 ECH 100 2013; 6 ECH 2016 (2018-7); 2 ETCh 2017; 5 EIC 2017/2021; ht WCH 2017; 3 WIC 2018; 3 EIC 2019. 1 French 2017 & indoor 2018/2021. Studied Electrical Engineering at the Sorbonne University in Paris. Coach-Giscard Samba In 2021: 2 French indoor; 5 EIC; 2 Montreuil; 5 Hengelo FBK Games; 1 Geneva; 2 French; 2 Tomblaine

MARTINOT-LAGARDE Pascal FRA 1965

29y 311d 1991 13.45 12.95 -14 NR

Ran his best race in two years to become European Champion in Berlin 2018, then 2019 World Championship bronze

4 EJC 2009; 1 WJC 2010; 2 ETCh 2013/2015/2019 (2014-3); 2 WIC 2014/2016 (2012-3, 2018-5); 1 EIC 2015 (2013-3, 2017/2019-2); 4 OLY 2016; 1 Athletics World Cup 2018; 1 ECH 2018 (2014-3); 3 WCH 2019 (2013-ht, 2015-4). 1 French 2014/2018 & indoor 2012/2013/2014/2016/2017/2019. Missed 2017 outdoor season with an injury to his left foot. His older brother Thomas Martinot Lagarde is also an international hurdler, but has himself been injury for much of the past three years. Coach-Benjamin Crouzet

In 2020 he raised €1500 for a hospital by selling the vest he won at Doha 2019

In 2021: 8 Florence Diamond; 3 Tomblaine; 1 Sotteville-lès-Rouen

27y 47d 1994 13.37 13.37 -21

13.14 -17/20

3x UK Champion, 2x UK Indoor Champion // sf ECH 2016/2018; ht WCH 2017; sf WIC 2018; ht COM 2018; sf EIC 2019 (2017-ht). 1 British Universities 2013; 1 English under-23 2014/2015/2016; 1 UK 2017/2019/2020; 1 UK indoor 2019/2020. He has paid for his own training spells in Phoenix, Arizona with US Coach Tim O'Nei In 2021: 3 Paarl 100; 1 Phoenix; 2 Chandler; 1 Chula Vista High Performance #3; 2 ETCh; 6 Hengelo FBK Games; 1 Turku Paavo Nurmi Games; 2 Espoo; 2 UK

2062 **POZZI Andrew** GBR

29y 76d 1992 13.25

2017 European Indoor Champion. 2018 World Indoor Champion // 13.13w -17. 100 pb: 10.44 -18. sf World Youth 2009; 2 EJC 2011; dnf ht OLY 2012; dns ECH final 2016 (cramp); sf OLY 2016; 1 EIC 2017 (2019-6, 2021-2); sf WCH 2017/2019; 1 WIC 2018 (2012/2014-4); =6 COM 2018; 6 ECH 2018. 1 UK 2012/2016/2018 & indoor 2012/2014=/2016/2017/2018. Great breakthrough in 2012, then in 2013 he had the first of five foot surgeries in five years. Coach-Santiago Antunez (CUB), who includes salsa music to help develop rhythm in some sessions

In 2021: 1 Luxembourg; 2 Madrid 'Gold' Tour (7.51 behind Grant Holloway's world record of 7.29); 2 EIC; 1 Savona; 1 Montreuil; 2 Florence Diamond; 3 UK; 3 Gateshead Diamond/July

2182 **TRABER Gregor** GER

28y 239d 1992

13.55

2014 World indoor finalist // 13.52w -21. TJ pb: 15.33 -09. 7 World Youth TJ 2009; sf WJC 2010; 3 under-23 ECH 2013; 5 WIC 2014 (2012-ht); sf WCH 2015; sf OLY 2016; 5

ECH 2018 (2012/2014/2016-sf); 3 ETCh 2019. 1 German 2015/2018/2019 (1 indoor 2011/2012/2019). Club-Stadtwerke Tübingen. Coach-Gisela Hölzle In 2021: 1 World Relays Mixed Shuttle Hurdles Relay; 1 Mannheim 'Road To Tokyo' #1; 1 Weinheim; dq German; 4 'Meeting' Madrid; 4 Bydgoszcz Szewińska

**DOUVALIDIS Konstadinos** GRE 2220

34y 142d 1987

13.84

13.33 -15 NR

Greek record holder. 23x Greek Champion (13 out + 10 in) // 100 pb: 10.42 -13. 200 pb: 20.91 -13/14 (21.28 -19). dnf World Youth 2003; 2 EJC 2005; 3 WJC 2006; 1 under -23 ECH 2007; 2 ECP 2008 (2007-5); 6 OLY 2008/2012; 5 ETCh 2011/2017/2019; 8 ECH 2012 (2010-ht, 2014/2016/2018-sf); 5 EIC 2015/2019 (2009/2013-sf); sf WCH 2015/2019 (2007/2013/2017-ht); sf WIC 2018. 1 Greek 2007/2008/2010-2020 & indoor 2009/2012/2013/2014/2015/2017/2018//2019/2020/2021. Mother-Greek, father-American. Full-name-Konstadínos Douvalídis-Ricks (mother's name is Douvalídis, father's is Ricks)

In 2021: 1 Greek indoor; 1 Eastern Macedonia & Thrace Clubs; 4 ETCh 1st League 'B'

**CHAN Chung Wang HKG** 2261

29y 297d 1991

14.08

13.74 -18 NR

Hong Kong Chinese record holder // ht Asian Champs 2015/2017/2019. 6 Asian Indoor Champs 2018. Coach-Chen Pei

In 2021: 1 Hong Kong (3x)

SZUCS Valdó HUN 2277

31d 1995

13.38

13.38 -21

sf World Youth 2011; sf WJC 2014 (2012-ht); 8 under-23 ECH 2015; sf ECH 2016; sf EIC 2019 (2015-ht); 8 WSG 2019; ht WCH 2019. 1 Hungarian 2019/2020 & indoor 2019/2020. 4 UK indoor 2017 (2016-6); 2 British Universities 2017/2018 (he was at Bath University)

In 2021: 3 Boston Games; 1 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge 'B'; 1 Žalaegerszeg; 2 'Meeting' Madrid; 1 Hungarian; 5 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

LOVETT Eddie ISV 2379

29v 34d 1992

2013 World Student Games Champion // 13.29w -13. 200 pb: 20.90w, 21.15 -17. 1 Pan-American junior 2010; 1 WSG 2013; 4 Central American & Caribbean Games 2014; 3 North/Central America & Caribbean 2015; 7 WIC 2016 (2018-sf); ht OLY 2016; sf WCH 2017 (2013-ht). sf US Olympic Trial 2012; 1 NCAA indoor 2013 representing the University of Florida. Coach-Erin Tucker

Allegiance transferee from USA - born-Florida, his late father Edwin Williams was a Virgin Islander and Eddie was cleared to compete for that country by World Athletics from July 6, 2013

(His Virgin Islands record of 7.57 (2014) is inferior to his personal best as it was set before he was cleared to compete for that country)

In 2021: 8 Miramar Invitational

2417 DAL MOLIN Paolo ITA

33y 364d 1987 13.27 13.27 -21 NR

Two medals from European Indoor Championships (2013 silver & 2021 bronze)

sf WIC 2012 (2014/2018-ht); sf ECH 2012/2014; 2 EIC 2013 (2021-3); sf ECH 2018. 1 Italian 2012/2021. 1 Italian indoor 2012/2014. Born-Cameroon (Italian mother, Cameroonian father). Coach-Antonio De Sanctis

In 2021: 3 EIC; 1 Rieti Regional; 7 Florence Diamond; 1 Nembro; 1 Italian (Italian record 13.27); 1 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 'B'; 7 Gateshead Diamond/July

2423 FOFANA Hassane ITA 29v 92d 1992 13 42 13.42 -21

Allegiance transferee from the Ivory Coast - cleared by World Athletics to compete for Italy from November 9, 2011

8x Italian Champion (5 out + 3 in)

5 ETCh 2015 (2014-9, 2019-6); sf ECH 2016/2018 (2014-ht); ht WIC 2018; sf WCH 2019; sf EIC 2021 (2015/2017-ht). 1 Italian 2013/2014/2015/2016/2019. 1 indoor

2015/2017/2018

In 2021: 2 Italian indoor; 2 Savona; 3 Rieti Regional; 6 Turku Paavo Nurmi Games; 2 Geneva; 2 Italian; 7 Lucerne; 1 Trieste

2596 **LEMONIOUS Phillip** JAM

22v 230d 1998

13.21

13.21 -21

1 North/Central American & Caribbean under-23 2019. 3 NCAA 2021; 4 Jamaican 2021. Attends University of Arkansas

In 2021: 4 NCAA indoor; 4 Southeastern Conference; 3 NCAA; 4 Jamaican

**LEVY Ronald JAM** 2597

28v 272d 1992

13.08

13.05 -17

2018 Commonwealth Champion // 100 pb: 10.10w -16, 10.17 -17. dnf ht WCH 2017 (hamstring tear); sf WIC 2018; 1 COM 2018; 2 Athletics World Cup 2018; sf WCH 2019. 1 Jamaican 2018/2019/2021. Started at 400m hurdles but in 2013 broke a foot and decided to move down. Underwent shin surgery in October 2019. Coach-Paul Francis, also advised by Brigitte Foster-Hylton

In 2021: 7 Kingston 60 (Feb 20), 4 Miramar Invitational; 2 Kingston (Apr 17); 2 Miami 'TRUFit'; 2 Kingston (May 22); 2 Miramar NACAC Invitational; 1 Jamaican; 4 Székesfehérvár Gyulai; 1 Gateshead Diamond/July

2617 PARCHMENT Hansle JAM

31y

43d 1990

13.16

12.94 -14

(Hansle is pronounced Hansel, as in Hansel & Gretel, the fairy tale)

Surprise Olympic bronze at London 2012, World Championship silver in Beijing 2015

sf World Youth 2007; 5 Central American & Caribbean Games 2010; 1 WSG 2011; 3 OLY 2012; 2 WCH 2015 (2013-sf, 2017-8); 2 COM 2018 (2010-5). 1 Jamaican 2012. Coach-Fitz Coleman, 1.96 tall

In 2021: 4 Fort Lauderdale; 3 Jamaican; 2 Marietta Stars & Stripes

2635 THOMAS Damion JAM

22<sub>V</sub>

31d 1999

13 11

13.11 -21

Reigning World Junior Champion // 1 WJC 2018 (2016-sf). 3 NCAA 2018 (2021-8); 1 NCAA indoor 2021

In 2021: Excellent season on the US Collegiate circuit, 14/15 wins culminating with 1 NCAA indoor; 1 Texas Relays; 2 Baton Rouge LSU Alumni Gold; 4 Baton Rouge LSU Invitational; 2 Southeastern Conference; 8 NCAA; 2 Jamaican

IZUMIYA Shunsuke JPN 2696

21v 185d 2000

13.06

13.06 -21 NR

Won 2021 Japanese title with a startling new national record of 13.06 3 WJC 2018; 3 WSG 2019. He was declared for his heat at the 2019 World Championships, but couldn't run because of an injury to his right hamstring. 1 Japanese 2020

indoors & out. Attends Juntendo University . Coach-Kazuhiko Yamazaki In 2021: 1 Japanese indoor; 2 Hiroshima Oda Memorial; 2 'Ready Steady' Tokyo; 1 Kanto Universities; 1 Japanese

KANAI Taio JPN 2697

25y 305d 1995

13.16

13.16 -21

Former Japanese record holder // 1 Asian Junior 2014; sf WJC 2014; 4 WSG 2017; 7 Asian Games 2018; 5 Asian Champs 2019; ht WCH 2019. 1 Japanese 2018. He plans to follow his father and become a Dentist. Coach-Shunji Karube

In 2021: 3 Japanese indoor; 1 Machida; 1 Hiroshima Oda Memorial; 1 'Ready Steady' Tokyo; 1 Tottori; 2 Japanese

MURATAKE Rashiddo JPN 2705

174d 2002 19v

13.28 13.28 -21

13.20w -21. 1 Japanese Universities 2020

In 2021: 4 Hiroshima Oda Memorial; 4 'Ready Steady' Tokyo; 2 Kanto Universities; 1 Osaka; dq Japanese (false start, after a 13.28 heat)

2715 | TAKAYAMA Shun-ya JPN

330d 1994 13.37 26v

13.25 -19

Former Japanese record holder. Twice fourth at Asian Championships

ht WJC 2012; 4 Asian Champs 2017/2019; ht WCH 2017; 3 Asian Games 2018; sf WCH 2019. 1 Japanese 2015/2017/2019. Coach-Kimihiro Kaneko

In 2021: 3 'Ready Steady' Tokyo; 3 Tottori; 3 Japanese

2829 AL-YOHA Yaqoub KUW

28<sub>v</sub> 180d 1993 13.74

13.35 -19 NR

Full name-Yacoub Mohamed Al-Youha

Twice second at Asian Championships

100 pb: 10.27w -19, 10.44 -15. 7 Asian junior 2012; sf WJC 2012; 2 Asian Indoor Champs 2014/2016; 7 Asian Games 2014; 2 Asian Champs 2017/2019; sf WCH 2017/2019; 3 World Military Games 2019; 1 Arab 2021

In 2021: 1 Kuwaiti; 7 Hengelo FBK Games

2971 LARARAUDEUSE Jeremie MRI

20v 121d 2001

14.15

14.15 -21

100 pb: 10.74 -21. 2 African Youth 2018; 2 African Junior 2019; 5 African Games 2019. Coach-Jeremie Lararaudeuse

In 2021: 1 Réduit

**CZYKIER Damian POL** 3189

28y

353d 1992

13.37

13.28 -17

(Say it like "Chick-Ear")

Twice fourth at European Championships outdoors, and twice fourth at European Team Championships

100 pb: 10.28w -17, 10.71 -12. 4 ECH 2016/2018; sf OLY 2016; sf WCH 2017; 3 WSG 2017 (2015-4); sf WIC 2018; 6 EIC 2021 (2015/2019-sf, 2017-ht); 3 ETCh 2021 (2015-6, 2017/2019-4). 1 Manchester 'Great' CityGames 2018 (beat Pozzi & Merritt). 1 Polish 2016-2020 & indoor 2017-2021. His father Dariusz Czykier was a footballer in the Polish League, playing in 230 matches and scoring 33 goals. He studied Civil Engineering at the Warsaw University of Technology, where he wrote a thesis on the efficiency of bus line #103 in the Polish Capital. Club-KS Podlasie Białystok

In 2021: 1 Polish indoor; 6 EIC; 2 World Relays Mixed Shuttle Hurdles Relay; 1 Lomza; 3 ETCh; 3 Montreuil; 2 Turku Paavo Nurmi Games; 6 Espoo; 2 Chorzów Kusocinski; 1 Polish; 2 Bydgoszcz Szewińska; 5 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 'B'

3348 SHUBENKOV Sergey ROC

299d 1990 30y

13.19

12.92 -18

On the podium at the past four World Championships, 2015 gold included

2 EJC 2009; 1 under-23 ECH 2011; 1 ECH 2012/2014 (2018-2); sf OLY 2012; 1 EIC 2013; 1 ETCh 2013/2014/2015; 3 WSG 2013; sf WIC 2014; 1 IAAF Continental Cup 2014; 1 WCH 2015 (2011-ht, 2013-3, 2017/2019-2). 1 Russian 2013/2016/2020/2021 (1 indoor 2013/2014). He has diplomas in Law and Sports Science from Tyumen State University. His mother Natalya Shubenkova was fourth in the Seoul Olympic Heptathlon and scored 6859 in 1984. Coach-Sergei Klevtsov

The World Athletics Doping Review Board approved his application to compete internationally as a neutral athlete in 2021 on June 26, 2021

In 2021: 1 Russian Cup; 1 Russian Team Champs; On June 22 he was cleared by the Athletics Integrity Unit of having committed an Anti-Doping rule violation in December 2020. It was agreed that "the positive finding resulted from his unintentional ingestion of residue from medication being used to treat a family member."; 1 Russian; 3 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

3396 ALKANA Antonio RSA

31y 109d 1990

13.11 -17 NR

African Champion & record holder // 100 pb: 10.15w -17, 10.33 -15. 200 pb: 20.71 -15. 1 African Games 2015; ht WIC 2016; 1 African Champs 2016/2018; sf OLY 2016; sf WCH 2017/2019 (2015-ht); 5 COM 2018; 4 IAAF Continental Cup 2018. 1 South African 2013/2015/2016/2017/2018/2019. Based-Cape Town, coach-Marcél Otto In 2021: 1 Parow (3x); 4 South African; 7ht 'Meeting' Madrid; 1 Lucerne 'B'; 4 Lignano Sabbiadoro; 7 Székesfehérvár Gyulai 'B'

**MENDY Louis François SEN** 3456

**22v** 150d 1999

13.96

13.59 -19 NR

Senegalese record holder // 5 African Champs 2018; 3 African Games 2019; ht WCH 2019. Trains at Dakar High Performance Centre, coach-Alain Smail In 2021: 1 Dakar (Apr 25); 1 Senegalese League Championships; 1 Bondoufle; 3 Liège; 7 Heusden Night of Athletics; 1 Sotteville-lès-Rouen

JOSEPH Jason SUI

22v 292d 1998

13.62

13.62

13.29 -20 NR

Swiss record holder // 13.37w -21. 100 pb: 10.46w -18, 10.56 -17. 1 EJC 2017; ht WIC 2018; sf ECH 2018; 1 under-23 ECH 2019; ht ETCh 2019; sf WCH 2019. 1 Swiss 2018/2019/2020/2021 (1 indoor 2017/2018/2019). Coach-Claudine Muller

In 2021: 9 Gainesville Tom Jones Colleges; 1 Basle; 7 Geneva; 1 Swiss

CHEN Kuei-Ru TPE 3603

27y 311d 1993

13.34 -19 NR

Taiwanese record holder. Medals at the World Student Games and Asian Championships

4 Asian Indoor Champs 2016; 2 WSG 2017; 3 Asian Champs 2019 (2017-6); sf WCH 2019. 1 Japanese Universities 2016 In 2021: 1 Kaohsiung; 1 Taipei (2x); 5 'Ready Steady' Tokyo

**ALLEN Devon USA** 3901

26y 230d 1994 13.10 13.03 -16

3x US and twice US Collegiate Champion. Fifth at Rio Olympics, seventh at Doha 2019
100 pb: 10.36 -16. 200 pb: 20.52 -18. 400H pb: 51.19 -14. 5 OLY 2016; sf WCH 2017; 3 Athletics World Cup 2018; 7 WCH 2019. 1 US 2014/2016/2018; 1 NCAA

2014/2016. 1 NCAA indoor 2016; 1 US indoor 2019. He did not race in 2015 after tearing a ligament in his right knee playing football In 2021: 1 Annapolis; 1 Eugene Oregon Twilight; 2 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 2 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge; 2 Hengelo FBK Games; 4 Florence Diamond; 2 US; 3

Marietta Stars & Stripes

**CUNNINGHAM Trey** USA 3917

22y 338d 1998

13.21 -21

4 US 2021 (2018-5, 2019-8). 3 NCAA indoor 2019. Student of Public Relations at Florida State University

In 2021: 3 NCAA indoor; 1 Florida State U. Relays; 3 Florida Relays; 2 Gainesville Tom Jones Colleges; 2 Jacksonville North Florida Invitational; 1 Atlantic Coast Conference; 4 US

3934 HOLLOWAY Grant USA

23y 253d 1997

12.81

12.81 -21

World Champion, world indoor record holder & now #2 all-time outdoors
LJ pb: 8.32w, 8.17 -18. HJ pb: 2.16 -14. 200 pb: 20.66 -19. 43.74 400m relay split in 2019. 1 NCAA 110H 2017/2018/2019, 1 NCAA indoor 60H 2017/2018/2019 & 60 flat 2019, representing the University of Florida. He turned down the chance of a lucrative career in American football ("because I wanted to walk when I'm 30") to concentrate on athletics. Coach/cousin-Mike Holloway

His lists Michael Jordan [a US basketball player] and Colin Jackson as his heroes

In 2021: Unbeaten indoor season of 10 races completed with a world indoor 60mH record of 7.29 in Madrid (to beat the record which has stood to Colin Jackson since 1994); 1 Miramar Invitational; 1 Gainesville Tom Jones Colleges; 1 Jacksonville North Florida Invitational; 1 Boston Games; 1 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge; 1 US (12.81 semi, #2 all-time); Unbeaten in 22 races in 2021 before Tokyo, 11 finals + 11 preliminaries

3963 ROBERTS Daniel USA

23y 108d 1998 13.11

13.00 - 19

2019 US Champion, having gone down from 13.27 to 13.00 in 2019 // dq/ht WCH 2019 after he lost balance and knocked a hurdle into an opponent's lane. 2 NCAA 2019 indoors & out; 1 US 2019. He's the UK record holder at 60 & 110m hurdles (UK = University of Kentucky, he studied Media & Design there). Coach-Tim Hall In 2021: 2 Miramar Invitational; 1 Des Moines Drake Relays Elite; 2 Lexington Kentucky Invitational 100; 3 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge; 3 US

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2021 WORLD LIST
112.80	112.81Grant Holloway USA 213.01Omar McLeod JAM 313.06Shunsuke Izumiya JPN 413.08Ronald Levy JAM =513.10Rasheed Broadbell JAM13.10Devon Allen USA =713.11Daniel Roberts USA13.11Damion Thomas JAM =913.15Wilhem Belocian FRA13.15Orlando Ortega ESP

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# Men's Triple Jump

Entrants: Event starts: August 3

PΒ (Days) Born SB

1012 TRIKI Yasser ALG 17.33 128d 1997 17.33 -21

Full name-Yasser Mohamed Triki

Algerian record holder at Triple Jump

LJ pb; 8.08 -19 (7.96 -21). 7 World Youth LJ 2013; 1 Arab TJ 2017/2019/202 (1 LJ 2017); 2 WSG LJ 2017 (5 TJ); 2 Mediterranean Games LJ 2018; 3 African Champs TJ 2018 ( 4 LJ); 1 African Games LJ 2019 (2 TJ); dng WCH TJ 2019; 3 World Military Games LJ/TJ 2019. 1 NCAA TJ 2018 (8 LJ). Studied Sports Management at Texas Tech University. Coach-Azzedine Talhi

In 2021: 1 Algiers TJ (May 7); 1 Algiers TJ (May 28); 1 Algiers TJ (Jun 4); 1 Arab LJ/JT; 1 Oslo Diamond TJ; 3 Székesfehérvár Gyulai TJ (17.33)

AGHASYAN Levon ARM 1038

26<sub>v</sub> 192d 1995 17.16 17.16 -21

6x Balkan Champion (4 in + 2 out) [Armenia are members of the Association of Balkan Athletics Federations - as are Cyprus, Georgia, Israel, San Marino and Ukraine] LJ pb: 7.36 -15. 6 World Youth 2011; 1 EJC 2013; 5 WJC 2014 (2012-dnq); 8 under-23 ECH 2015 (2017-13); 1 Balkan 2016/2020 & indoor 2014/2017/2018/2019; dnq OLY 2016; dnq ECH 2018; 10 WSG 2019; dnq WCH 2019; 5 EIC 2021 (2015/2017/2019-dnq). 1 Armenian 2014/2016/2017/2018/2019

In 2021: 5 EIC; 1 Georgian; 1 Kapan; 1 ETCh 3rd League

**BABAYEV Nazim** AZE 1125

23y 295d 1997

17.18 -17

2019 World Student Games Champion // 16.57i -21. LJ pb: 7.54 -18. 3 Youth Olympic 2014; dng EIC 2015; 1 EJC 2015; 8 WIC 2016; dng WJC 2016; dng OLY 2016; 1 under-23 ECH 2017 (2019-2); dnq WCH 2017/2019; 4 ECH 2018 (2016-dnq); 1 WSG 2019 (2017-3). 1 Balkan indoor 2021

In 2021: 2 Turkish indoor; 1 Balkan indoor

1304 de SA Mateus Daniel BRA

251d 1995 25v

16.53

16.87 -17

3 WJC 2014; 1 Ibero-American 2016; 2 South American 2017; dnq WCH 2017; 8 WSG 2017; 2 South American indoor 2020. 2 Brazilian 2018/2019/2021. Coach-Nelio Moura

In 2021: 2 Concepción del Uruguay (Mar 26); 3 Concepción del Uruguay (Mar 28); 3 Bragança Paulista São Paulo Trophy; 2 Bragança Paulista City Tournament; 2 Praia Grande São Paulo Trophy; 5 South American; 2 Brazilian; 1 Bragança Paulista International; 1 Bragança Paulista 'Meeting Towards Tokyo'

1319 DOS SANTOS Almir BRA

17.53 -18

2018 World Indoor Championship silver. Former high jumper (pb 2.14 in 2014/2015) who has suddenly discovered a much better event for him dnq WJC HJ 2012; 5 South American 2017; 2 WIC 2018; 4 Pan-Am Games 2019; 12 WCH 2019. 1 Brazilian 2019. Coach-José Haroldo Loureiro Gomes ["I always had a hidden passion for the horizontal jumps"]

In 2021: 2 Bragança Paulista São Paulo Trophy; 1 Bragança Paulista City Tournament; nm Walnut Golden Games; 1 Azusa Pacific 'Last Chance'; nm Redlands CA; 5 Gateshead Diamond/July

1326 MELO Alexsandro BRA

307d 1995 25v 16.98

1993

17.31 -19

Full name-Alexsandro do Nascimento de Melo

2021 South American Champion at Triple Jump

LJ pb: 8.19 -19 (8.02 -21). dnq WCH LJ 2015/2019; 3 Ibero-American TJ 2018 (5 LJ); 3 South American Games LJ 2018; 3 WSG TJ 2019 (11 LJ); 4 Pan-Am Games LJ 2019 (8 TJ); 1 South American TJ 2021 (3 LJ). 1 Brazilian TJ 2017/2018/2021 (1 LJ 2018/2021). Coach-Neilton Moura

In 2021: 1 Bragança Paulista São Paulo Trophy TJ (2 LJ); 2 Praia Grande São Paulo Trophy LJ; 1 South American TJ (3 LJ)

1380 ZANGO Hugues Fabrice BUR

28y 35d 17.82

17.82 -21 AR

(Hugues pronounced "Ooo-ger")

In 2021 became the first African to set a world record in a men's jumping event

18.07i -21. 2 WSG 2015/2017 (2013-6); dnq OLY 2016; 1 Francophone Games 2017 (2013-10); 6 WIC 2018; 1 African Champs 2018 (2016-2); 1 African Games 2019 (2015-5); 3 WCH 2019 (2015-dnq). 1 French 2019/2020 & indoor 2019/2020/2021. Lives-Béthune, Northern France. He is an Electrical Enginéering graduate. Coach-Teddy Tamgho was the previous world indoor record holder

In 2021: (indoors) 1 Aubière (world indoor record 18.07); 1 Miramas 'Elite'; 1 Liévin 'Gold' Tour; 1 Val-de-Reuil; 1 French indoor;

(outdoors) 1 Montpellier; 1 Ostrava Golden Spike; 1 Montreuil; 1 'Meeting' Madrid; 2 Székesfehérvár Gyulai (lost to Pedro Pablo Pichardo, 17.92 to 17.82); He was the Burkinabe flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with swimmer Angelika Ouedraogo)

25y 100d 1996 17.17

17.17 -19

LJ pb: 7.91 -15. 2 World Youth LJ/TJ 2013; 1 Asian junior 2014; 6 WJC 2014; 10 WCH 2019 (2017-10). 1 Chinese 2019 (202/2021-3). From Shaanxi Province In 2021: 3 Chengdu Indoor Grand Prix; 1 Shaoxing Yangtze River Delta Elite; 7 Xi'an; 3 Chinese; 2 Chinese National Games Trial

**WU Ruiting CHN** 

25v 243d 1995

16.90

17.47 - 19

Twice ninth at World Championships // 9 WCH 2017/2019. 4 Chinese National Games 2017; 1 Chinese 2018 (2015-2); 1 Chinese Universities 2018. From-Guangdong Province

In 2021: 2 Chengdu Indoor Grand Prix; 1 Shenyang Indoor Grand Prix; 2 Xi'an; 2 Chinese; 1 Hangzhou

1512 **ZHU Yaming CHN**  27y 87d 1994 17.39

17.40 -19

2017 Asian Champion // 1 Asian Champs 2017 (2019-2); 7 WIC 2018; 8 Asian Games 2018; dnq WCH 2017. 1 World Military Games 2019. 1 Chinese 2016; 2 Chinese National Games 2017. From Liaoning Province

In 2021: 1 Chengdu Indoor Grand Prix: 1 Xi'an: 1 Chinese

1592 **DIAZ Andy CUB**  25y 217d 1995

17.63

17.63 -21

2x Cuban Champion // LJ pb: 7.40 -17. 4 WJC 2014; 5 North/Central America & Caribbean 2015; 7 WCH 2017 (2019-dnq); dnq WIC 2018; 3 Pan-Am Games 2019. 1 Cuban 2017/2019, 1.90 tall

In 2021: 1 Metz; 2 Havana 'Confrontation Test' #5 (May 21); 1 Havana 'Confrontation Test' #4 (May 28); 1 Havana 'Confrontation Test' #7 (17.63, Jun 4); 2 Oslo Diamond

1596 NAPOLES Cristian Atanay CUB

22v 245d 1998

17.03

17.34 -18

Fifth & fourth at the past two World Championships // 1 World Youth 2015; 2 WJC 2016; 4 WCH 2017 (2019-5); 9 WIC 2018; 1 Central American & Caribbean Games 2018;

In 2021: 3 Havana (May 21); 3 Havana (May 28); 3 Havana (Jun 4); 5 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

TORRIJOS Pablo ESP 1811

29y 78d 1992 16.93

17.09 -20 NR

Full name-Pabo Torrijos Navarro

2015 European indoor silver. Spanish record holder

17.23w -18, 17.18i -20. LJ pb: 7.56w -14, 7.53 -12. dnq World Youth LJ/TJ 2009; 6 EJC 2011; 8 under-23 ECH 2013; 8 ECH 2014; dnq WCH 2015; 2 EIC 2015 (2017-9, 2019-dnq); 7 WIC 2016; dnq OLY 2016; 3 ETCh 2017/2019 (2014-6); 10 WCH 2017; 5 ECH 2018 (2016-8); 2 Ibero-American 2018. 1 Spanish 2013/2014/2015/2017/2018/2020/2021 & indoor 2014/2015/2016/2017/2019/2020. Coach-Claudio Veneziano

In 2021: 1 Castellón Spanish League; 3 ETCh; 1 Spanish League 'División De Honor' Final; 7 'Meeting' Madrid; 1 Spanish; 4 Oslo Diamond; 4 Gateshead Diamond/July

1950 COMPAORÉ Benjamin FRA

**33v** 359d 1987

17.03

17 48 -14

Former European Champion // LJ pb: 8.02 -16. 5 EJC 2005; 1 WJC 2006; dnq EIC 2007/2013; 8 WCH 2011 (2015-12, 2017/2019-dnq); 6 OLY 2012 (2016-10); 1 ECH 2014 (2010-5, 2016-12); 1 IAAF Continental Cup 2014; 3 WIC 2016 (2012-6); 3 ETCh 2019. 1 French indoor 2012. Father of three daughters. Coach-Jean-Herve Stievenart În 2021: 2 Montpellier (May 8); 1 Montpellier (May 23); 1 Saint-Denis; 2 French; 8 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

1973 PONTVIANNE Jean-Marc FRA

26y 358d 1994

17.17

17.17 -21

6 EIC 2017; 4 ETCh 2017 (2015-7); 8 WCH 2017 (2019-dnq); 7 ECH 2018. 1 French 2017/2021 (1 indoor 2015/2017). Coaches-Sebastien Bouschet & Jerome Simian In 2021: 3 Montpellier; 4 Ostrava Golden Spike; 4 'Meeting' Madrid; 1 French

1974 | **RAFFIN Melvin** FRA

22y 355d 1998

17.19

17.19 -21

2016 World junior bronze, 2017 European junior bronze // 17.20i -17. 100 pb: 10.67 -17. 11 World Youth 2015; 3 WJC 2016; 5 EIC 2017 (2021-dnq); 3 EJC 2017; dnq WCH 2018; 5 ETCh 2021. 1 French indoor 2020/2021. Younger sister-Lesly Raffin (5 Youth Olympic TJ 2018). Coaches-Laurence Bily & Teddy Tamgho In 2021: 2 French indoor; dnq EIC (which was a big upset); 4 Montpellier; 3 Ostrava Golden Spike; 5 ETCh; 2 Montreuil; 3 'Meeting' Madrid; 3 French

WILLIAMS Ben GBR 2071

29y 186d 1992

16.37

17.27 -19

2019 European Team Championships and Britain's first new 17m triple jumper in 14 years LJ pb: 7.46 -17. 2 Commonwealth Youth Games 2008; 1 World Youth 2009; 11 WJC 2010; 1 ETCh 2019 (2017-2); dnq WCH 2019. 1 English Junior 2008; 1 English Schools 2008; 1 UK indoor 2011; 1 UK 2017/2019 (2014-2, 2015-4, 2016-3); 4 NCAA 2015 (2016-16); 1 English under-23 2014. On merit he was UK #1 in 2017, but then missed 2018 with knee surgery. Coach-Aston Moore (formerly John Crotty). Did not compete in 2020 after getting surgery on his left ankle In 2021: 1 UK; 6 Gateshead Diamond/July

2083 | GULELAURI Lasha GEO

65d 1993 28<sub>v</sub>

17.08

17.08 -21

17.16i -21. LJ pb: 7.92 -17. 8 World Youth 2011; 6 WJC 2012; 1 Balkan junior 2012; dnq EIC 2013/2015; 4 under-23 ECH 2015; dnq ECH 2016/2018; dnq OLY 2016; 2 Small European States Games 2018. His idol is Soviet triple jumper Viktor Saneyev (1 OLY 68/72/76), also Georgian In 2021: 1 Georgian indoor; 2 Georgian; 3 Geneva; 2 ETCh 3rd League

2159 **HESS Max** GER

25y 16d 1996 17.13 17.20 -16

Great breakthrough in 2016 to become the youngest-ever European (outdoor) Champion at triple jump 17.52i -17, 17.24w -17 (17.16w -21). LJ pb: 8.03i, 7.57 -15. 8 World Youth 2013; 2 WJC 2014; dnq EIC LJ 2015; 2 WIC 2016 (2018-11); 1 ECH 2016 (2018-dnq); dnq OLY 2016; 3 EIC 2017/2019/2021; 1 ETCh 2017/2021; 3 under-23 ECH 2017; 3 EIC 2019. 1 German 2016/2017/2019/2020 & indoor 2016/2017/2018/2019/2021. Coaches-

In 2021: 1 Leverkusen; 1 German indoor; 3 EIC; 1 Dresden; 1 Chemnitz; 2 Ostrava Golden Spike; 1 ETCh; 1 German; 5 'Meeting' Madrid; 5 Oslo Diamond; 7 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

2225 TSIAMIS Dimítrios GRE

39y 199d 1982 16.04

17.55 -06 NR

25x Greek Champion (15 in + 10 out), finally won a big medal (2018 European bronze) at age 36

17.21w, 16.42i-21. HJ pb: 2.04-01. LJ pb: 7.66-01. dnq WJC 2000; 7 EJC 2001; 8 WIC 2006; 4 ECP 2007 (2008-5); dnq OLY 2008; 4 ETCh 2013 (2009/2019-6, 2010-7, 2017-5); 10 WCH 2013 (2007-12, 2009/2017-dnq); 3 ECH 2018 (2010-13, 2012-9, 2014-10, 2016-dnq); 7 EJC 2021(2011/2013-dnq). 1 Greek 2007/2008/2009/2010/2012-2018 (1 indoor 2001/2006/2008/2009/2011-2021). Coach-Panagiotis Markianidis

In 2021: 1 Greek indoor; 3 Balkan indoor; 7 EIC; 1 Piraeus & Western Attica Clubs; 2 Greek

2415 BOCCHI Tobia ITA

24v 114d 1997

17.14

17.14 -21

Silvers at Youth Olympics and European Junior Championships // dng World Youth 2013; 2 Youth Olympic Games 2014; 2 EJC 2015; dng WJC 2016; 4 under-23 ECH 2019; 4 EIC 2021 (2019-dnq); 4 ETCh 2021. 1 Italian 2021 (1 indoor 2021). Former rugby player. Coach-Renato Conte His partner Linda Olivieri goes in the 400m Hurdles in Tokyo

In 2021: 1 Ancona; 2 Metz; 4 Liévin 'Gold' Tour; 1 Italian indoor; 4 EIC; 4 Walnut Golden Games; 4 ETCh; 2 Turku Paavo Nurmi Games; 1 Italian; 2 Gateshead Diamond/July

2418 DALLAVALLE Andrea ITA

21y 272d 1999

294d 1998

22v

17.35

17.35 -21

17.14 -21

New European under-23 Champion // HJ pb: 2.05 -16, 2 European Youth 2016; 2 EJC 2017; dng WCH 2019; 1 under-23 ECH 2021 (2019-3), 1 Italian 2020, From a family of jumpers: Mother-Cristina Bobbi was Italian Long Jump Champion indoors in 1983; Older brother Lorenzo was 6 EJC TJ 2013. Coach-Ennio Butto In 2021: 1 Pescara; 3 Montreuil; 1 Italian under-23; 1 under-23 ECH

IHEMEJE Emanuel ITA 2426

Full name-Chiebuka Emmanuel Ihemeje 2012 US Collegiate Champion representing the University of Oregon

17.26i -21. 6 EJC 2017. 1 NCAA 2021 indoors & out. Coach (in Eugene) - Robert Johnson

Allegiance transferee from Nigeria - Born-Italy of Nigerian parents, acquired Italian citizenship on September 10, 2016 and cleared by World Athletics to represent Italy from March 30, 2017 (under today's rules, he would not need formal approval as he never competed for Nigeria)

In 2021: 1 NCAA indoor; 1 Eugene Hayward Premiere; 2 Los Angeles 'Pacific 12'; 1 NCAA; 2 Italian

2604 McLEOD Carey JAM

23y 107d 1998

16.40

17.14

16.40 -21

3x third at US Collegiate Championships Long Jump in 2021 // 17.17i. LJ pb: 8.34 -21. 4 Pan-American Junior LJ 2017. 1 Carifa Games LJ 2017; 3 NCAA indoor LJ/TJ 2021; 3 NCAA LJ 2021 (7 TJ), Was at Emporia State University (Kansas), then transferred to the University of Tennessee where he's a student of Communications & Media Studies

In 2021: 3 NCAA indoor/TJ; 2 Tennessee Relays TJ; 1 Southeastern Conference LJ (10 TJ); 3 NCAA LJ (7 TJ); 2 Jamaican LJ (4 TJ)

EVORA Nelson POR 3236

37y 100d 1984

15.93

17.74 -07

Olympic Champion at age 24, European Champion at age 34 (and plenty more medals in between) Oryhip Champion at age 54, European Youth LJ 2001; 6 WJC TJ 2002 (dnq LJ); 1 EJC LJ/TJ 2003; 4 ECH TJ 2006 (6 LJ); 1 WCH TJ 2007 (2005-dnq, 2009-2, 2013-5, 2015/2017-3, 2019-dnq), 3 WIC TJ 2008/2018 (2004-dnq, 2006-3, 2016-4); 1 OLY TJ 2008 (2004-dnq, 2016-6); 1 ETCh TJ 2009 (2 LJ); 6 ETCh TJ 2011; 1 WSG TJ 2013; 1 EIC TJ 2015/2017 (2007-5, 2019-2); 1 ECH TJ 2018 (2014-6, 2016-dnq). 1 Portuguese TJ 2002/2004/2006/2007/2009/2010/2011/2013/2014/2015/2016/2017 (1 LJ 2006/2007). 1 Portuguese junior indoor HJ 2000. His partner is 2019 European Indoor Champion Ana Peleteiro, they are both coached in Spain by Iván Pedroso In 2021: 5 Spanish League 'División De Honor' Final TJ; 2 Portuguese TJ; nm Székesfehérvár Gyulai; He was the Portuguese flagbearer at the opening ceremony in Tokyo (along with judo player Telma Monteiro)

3238 | PEREIRA Tiago POR

27v 314d 1993

17.11

17.11 -21

Has been Portuguese Champion at both High & Triple Jumps // HJ pb: 2.21 -15 (2.11 -21). LJ pb: 7.65w, 7.64 -21. =10 under-23 ECH HJ 2015; 6 Ibero-American HJ 2016. 1 Portuguese indoor HJ 2015/2019. 1 Portuguese TJ 2019/2020/2021. Coach-Joao Ganco. 1.85 tall

In 2021: 2 Portuguese indoor TJ (3 HJ); 1 Maia Fernanda Ribeiro Gala LJ; 1 Lisbon 'Meeting of Inclusion' TJ (2 LJ); 4 Montreuil TJ; 1 Turku Paavo Nurmi Games TJ; 1 Lisbon City TJ; 6 'Meeting' Madrid TJ; 1 Portuguese TJ; 1 Castellón TJ (3 HJ); 3 Oslo Diamond TJ; 1 Portuguese Club Champs TJ (2 HJ); 3 Gateshead Diamond/July TJ (over 17m for first time)

3239 PICHARDO Pedro Pablo POR

28v 30d 1993

17 92

18.08 -15 NR

Full name (which he prefers people to use)-Pedro Pablo Pichardo Peralta

Twice World Championship silver medallist, each time behind 18m men

LJ pb: 7.81 -15. 1 WJC 2012; 2 WCH 2013/2015 (2019-4); 3 WIC 2014; 1 Pan-Am Games 2015; 1 EIC 2021; 2 ETCh 2021. Started triple jumping at 17, previously he was a hurdler and high jumper. Coach/father-Jorge Pichardo

Allegiance transferee from Cuba – gained Portuguese citizenship on November 23, 2017 having been recruited by Benfica Sporting Club. Cleared by World Athletics to represent Portugal from August 1, 2019

In 2021: 1 Portuguese indoor; 1 EIC; 2 ETCh; 2 'Meeting' Madrid; 1 Székesfehérvár Gyulai (beat Fabrice Zango Hugues 17.92 to 17.82); 1 Gateshead Diamond/July

3669 ER Necati TUR

**24y** 156d 1997 **16.62** 

17.37 -19

2019 World Championship finalist // LJ pb: 7.72i -21. 7.41 -19. dnq WJC 2016; 4 Mediterranean under-23 2018 dnq ECH 2018; 1 under-23 ECH 2019 (2017-9); 11 WCH 2019; dnq EIC 2021. 1 Turkish indoor 2018

In 2021: 1 Istanbul LJ; 4 Balkan indoor LJ; dnq EIC; 1 Sollentuna; 2 ETCh 1st League; nm Balkan; 6 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

3906 | BENARD Chris USA

31v 117d 1990

17.15

17.48 -17

Sixth at 2017 World Championships // LJ pb: 8.10i, 7.96 -14. 11 WIC 2016; dnq OLY 2016; 6 WCH 2017. 2 US 2017/2018 (2014/2016/2021-3); 2 US indoor 2014/2015 (2016-3). 2 US indoor LJ 2014. Studied Communications, Exercise and Wellness at Arizona State University

In 2021: 1 Chula Vista High Performance #1; 1 Chula Vista High Performance #2; 3 Walnut Golden Games; 3 US; 3 Chula Vista Tokyo 'Tune Up'

3910 CARTER Chris USA

32y 141d 1989

6.05

7.18 -16

Twice US Indoor Champion // LJ pb: 7.68w -11, 7.67 -13. 1 WJC 2006; 6 Pan-Am Games 2011/2019; 5 WIC 2018 (2014-6). 4 US 2011/2013; 1 US indoor 2014/2016 In 2021: 1 Houston Cougar 'Spring Break'; 2 Chula Vista High Performance #1; 1 Baton Rouge LSU Boots Garland Invitational; 1 Austin Texas Invitational; 5 Walnut Golden Games; 1 Prairie View USATF Invitational; 2 Chula Vista 'Field Fest'; 4 US; 2 Chula Vista Tokyo 'Tune Up'

3914 CLAYE WIII USA

**30y** 47d 1991

17.21

18.14 -19

Silvers in London 2012, Rio 2016, London 2019 & Doha 2019 – it wasn't for Christian Taylor, he'd be the double World & double Olympic Champion LJ pb: 8.42w -16, 8.29 -11. 3 WCH TJ 2011 (9 LJ); 1 WIC TJ 2012 (4 LJ); 2 OLY TJ 2012 (3 LJ); 3 WCH TJ 2013 (2015-dnq); 2 OLY TJ 2016; 2 WCH TJ 2017/2019; 1 WIC TJ 2018. 1 US TJ 2014/2021 & indoor LJ 2015. Studied Social and Behavioural Science at the University of Florida. Coach-Jeremy Fischer

After winning his silver in Rio, he went into the stands, got down on one knee and proposed to his fiancée Queen Harrison (2015 Pan-American Games Champion at 100mH), they married in October 2018. In November 2019, he ruptured his Achilles tendon (the same fate which has now met Christian Taylor). The postponement of Tokyo 2020 allowed him to make a gradual recovery. Coach-Jeremy Fischer

In 2021: 1 Walnut Golden Games; 1 US (dnq LJ)

3967 SCOTT Donald USA

29y 157d 1992

17.18

17.43 -19

Twice US Champion both indoors & out // 17.74w -19. 2 Athletics World Cup 2018; 6 WCH 2019 (2017-dnq). 1 US 2018/2019 & indoor 2017/2019. Was at Eastern Michigan University, from where he graduated with a degree in Criminal Justice. He's Donald Scott II according to his social media. Coach-Sterling Roberts

In 2021: 1 Eugene Grand Prix; 2 Walnut Golden Games; 1 Chula Vista 'Field Fest'; 2 US; 6 Oslo Diamond; 4 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

3994 KURBANOV Ruslan UZB

28v 170d 1993

17.03

17.03 -21

2019 Asian Champion // 6 Youth Olympic 2010; dnq WJC 2012; 3 Asian Indoor Champs 2014; dnq OLY 2016; 7 Asian Indoor Games 2017; 2 Asian Games 2018 (2014-7); 1 Asian Champs 2019; dnq WCH 2019. Coach-Valery Kazakov

In 2021: 1 Uzbek; 1 Tashkent

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2021 WORLD LIST
118.29Jonathan Edwards GBR	117.92Pedro Pablo Pichardo POR 217.82Fabrice Zango Hugues BUR 317.63Andy Díaz CUB 417.39Zhu Yaming CHN 517.35Andrea Dallavalle ITA 617.34Jordan A. Díaz CUB 717.33Yasser Triki ALG 817.21Will Claye USA 917.19Melvin Raffin FRA 1017.18Donald Scott USA

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## Men's Shot Put

Entrants: 33 Event starts: August 3

Age (Days) Born SB PB

1224 **PEZER Mesud** BIH **26y** 337d 1994 **20.98** 

2019 Balkan Indoor Champion // DT pb: 59.42 -18. 6 World Youth 2011; 5 WJC 2012; 1 EJC 2013 (4 DT); 4 under-23 ECH 2015; 12 ECH 2016; dnq OLY 2016; dnq WCH 2017/2019; 5 WIC 2018; 3 Mediterranean Games 2018; 12 ECH 2018; 1 Balkan indoor 2019; 6 EIC 2019 (2017-7, 2021-8). Coach-Vesteinn Hafsteinsson. 1.96/120kg In 2021: 2 Balkan indoor; 8 EIC; 5 Ostrava Golden Spike; 4 Andújar; 6 Doha Diamond; 1 Bosnian & Herzegovinian; 2 Sarajevo; 4 ETCh 3rd League; 6 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

1328 ROMANI Darlan BRA

**30y** 112d 1991 **21.56 22.61 -19 AR** 

21.48 -19

Fifth at Rio 2016, fourth at Doha 2019. Set three South American records at the Stanford Diamond League 22.46, 22.55 & 22.61

7 WJC 2010; 5 OLY 2016; 1 South American 2017/2019 (2013/2015-2); 1 South American Games 2018 (2014-2); 4 WIC 2018 (2016-18); 1 Ibero-American 2018; 1 Pan-Am Games 2019 (2015-6); 4 WCH 2019 (2015/2017-dnq). 1 Brazilian 2012-2019/2021. Coach-Justo Navarro Despaigne. 1.87/140kg

In 2021: 1 Brazilian; 1 Bragança Paulista International; 1 Bragança Paulista 'Meeting Towards Tokyo'; 1 São Paulo Champs

1355 MAHMOUD Abdelrahman BRN

**20y** 210d 2001 **21.15 21.15 -21 NR** 

5 Asian Champs 2019; fouled out World Military Games 2019; 1 Arab 2019. 1 Belarusian 2019

In 2021: 1 Belarusian Indoor Universiade; 1 Belarusian Indoor Cup (Asian indoor record 21.10 when he'd never previously put futher than 20m); 1 Belarusian Cup; 1 Arab

1436 **NEDOW Tim** CAN

**30y** 287d 1990 **21.11 21.18 -19** 

Twice Commonwealth bronze // DT pb: 61.49 -15. 3 Pan-Am junior 2009; 12 WSG 2011; 4 North/Central American & Caribbean under-23 2012 (6 DT); dnq WCH 2013; 3 Francophone Games 2013; 3 COM 2014/2018; dnq OLY 2016; 9 WIC 2018; 2 North/Central American & Caribbean 2018; 4 Pan-Am Games 2019. 1 Canadian 2013/2014/2015/2016/2017/2018/2019 (1 DT 2012/2013/2014/2015). Was at DePaul University in Chicago, studying Computer Game Development. Coach-Dane Miller. 2.00/135kg

In 2021: nm Des Moines Drake Relays Elite; 6 Tucson Elite Classic; 9 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'; 1 Collegeville

1571 MIHALJEVIC Filip CRO

**26y** 364d 1994 **21.94 21.94 -21 NR** 

2016 World indoor bronze, 2021 European indoor bronze // DT pb: 63.76 -17. 2 EJC SP 2013 (11 DT); 1 under-23 ECH SP 2015 (4 DT); 3 WIC SP 2016; 11 WCH 2019. 1 NCAA SP 2016/2017 (1 DT 2017). 1 Croatian SP 2013/2020 & DT 2015/2016/2017. Born in Bosnia and Herzegovina. Was at University of Virginia. Father-Mirko was Yugoslavian Cross Country Champion in 1987 & 1988. Coach-Kemal Mešić. 2.01/114kg

In 2021: 3 EIC; 1 Ostrava Golden Spike; 2 Doha Diamond; 1 Croatian; 4 Florence Diamond; 2 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

1639 STANEK Tomáš CZE

**30y** 47d 1991 **21.67 22.01 -17** 

2021 European Indoor Champion // 5 under-23 ECH 2013; dnq OLY 2016; 1 ETCh 2017 (2014-6, 2019-2); 4 WCH 2017 (2019-10); 3 WIC 2018 (2014-dnq, 2016-16); 4 ECH 2018 (2014-dnq); 1 EIC 2021 (2015-dnq, 2017-2, 2019-3). 1 Czech 2016/2017/2018/2021 (1 indoor 2014/2016/2018/2020). Coach-Petr Stehlik. 1.90/125kg In 2021: 1 EIC; 4 Ostrava Golden Spike; 6 Prague Odložil; 6 Florence Diamond; 2 Kladno; 1 ETCh 1st League; 1 Czech; 8 Székesfehérvár Gyulai; 1 Thum

1717 HAMZA Mohamed EGY

**24y** 333d 1996 **20.43 21.29 -20** 

Second at both the African Games and African Championships // 3 World Youth 2013 (dnq DT); 4 WJC 2014; 2 African Games 2015/2019; 2 African Champs 2018 (2014-5, 2016-6); 8 WSG 2019; dnq WCH 2019. 1.89/115kg

In 2021: 1 El Maadi (Jun 2); 2 Arab; 1 El Maadi (2 DT) (Jun 28)

1718 | HASSAN Mostafa Amer EGY

25y 226d 1995 21.15 21.31 -17 NR

Full name-Mostafa Amr Ahmed Ahmed Hassan

Twice NCAA Champion indoors

DT pb: 54.99 -17. 8 WJC 2014; dnq WCH 2015/2019; dnq WIC 2016; 3 African Games 2019; 7 World Military Games 2019. 1 NCAA indoor 2017/2018; 2 NCAA 2017 (2018 -3). Was at Colorado State University. 1.96/125kg

In 2021: 1 Egyptian; 4 Doha Diamond

2055 LINCOLN Scott GBR

28v 84d 1993 21.28 21.28 -21

Easily the British #1 – unbeaten in 12 successive UK Championships (2015 out, 2016 in & out, 2017 in & out, 2018 in & out, 2019 in & out, 2020 in & out, 2021 out) 3 ETCh 2021 (2017-10, 2019-5). 3 English Schools 2011; 1 English under-23 2015 (2013/2014-2); 1 UK 2015-2020; 1 UK indoor 2016/2017/2018/2019/2020; 1 English 2015/2016/2017/2019. Played rugby for Darlington as a youth. Coach-Paul Wilson. 1.90/130kg

In 2021: 1 Loughborough Élite; 1 Loughborough UK Trial; 1 Stretford Trafford Open; 1 Loughborough Spring Throws; 3 European Throws Cup; 1 York; 1 Loughborough International; 3 ETCh; 1 Gothenburg Grand Prix; 1 British League Premiership London North/Jun 6; 2 Brno (Olympic qualifier 21.28); 5 Kladno; 1 UK; 1 Trafford Grand Prix

2082 ABRAMYAN Benik GEO

**35y** 364d 1985 **21.11 21.11 -21** 

A habit of improving his Geogian record in Olympic year; up from 18.48 to 20.54 in May 2016, then from 20.54 to 21.11 in May 2021

dnq EIC 2011; 8 Balkan 2015; dnq OLY 2016. Served two-year doping ban in 2011-2013. Studied Economics at Tbilisi State University. Coach-Davit Mantidze. 1.86/115kg In 2021: 2 Georgian indoor; Armenian; 2 Moldovan

2085 MUJARIDZE Giorgi GEO

23y 130d 1998 19.91 20.27 -19

2018 Small European States Games Champion // 12 World Youth 2015; dnq WJC 2016; 1 Small European States Games 2018/2021; dnq ECH 2018; dnq EIC 2019; 1 European Throws Cup under-23 2019; 5 under-23 ECH 2019. Coach-Davit Mantidze

In 2021: 1 Georgian indoor; dnq EIC; 10 European Throws Cup; 1 European Small States Games; 5 ETCh 3rd League; 6 Balkan

2306 SINGH Tajinder Pal IND

26y 259d 1994 21.49 21.49 -21 AR

Full name-Tajinder Pal Singh Toor

Reigning Asian & Asian Games Champion. Asian record holder

5 WSG 2015; 2 Asian Indoor Games 2017; 2 Asian Indoor Champs 2018; 8 COM 2018; 1 Asian Games 2018; 1 Asian Champs 2019; dnq WCH 2019. 1 Indian 2017/2019.

In 2021: 1 Patiala Grand Prix #2 (3x); 1 Indian Federation Cup

2421 FABBRI Leonardo ITA

**24y** 106d 1997 **21.71 21.99 -20** 

2019 European under-23 silver // DT pb: 53.02 -19. dnq World Youth 2013; 7 Youth Olympic 2014; 11 EJC DT 2015; dnq WJC SP/DT 2016; dnq ECH 2018; dnq EIC 2019/2021; 2 under-23 ECH 2019 (2017-7); dnq WCH 2019; 2 ETCh 2021 (2019-6). 1 Italian 2019/2020 & indoor 2018/2019/2020/2021. Coach-Paolo Dal Soglio (1 EIC 1996). 2 00/120kg

In 2021: dnq EIC; 8 European Throws Cup; 3 Savona; 7 Ostrava Golden Spike; 2 ETCh; 1 Conegliano; 3 Florence Diamond; 5 Chorzów Kusocinski; 3 Italian; 1 Vicenza

2434 PONZIO Nick ITA 26v 207d 1995 21.40 21.72 -20

New Italian Champion (and new Italian) // 6 NCAA 2017; 2 US indoor 2020; 1 Italian 2021. Born-San Diego, Coach-Ryan Whiting. 1.83/132kg

Allegiance transferee from the USA [(his great grandfather Francesco was a Sicilian and emigrated to the USA] - gained Italian citizenship in on June 15, 2021 and cleared by World Athletics to compete for Italy from June 30, 2021

In 2021: 4 Fayetteville American Track League 4; 1 Azusa Bryan Clay Invitational; 2 Des Moines Drake Relays Elite; 1 Chula Vista High Performance #3; 5 Walnut Golden Games; 2 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 3 Tucson Elite Classic; 7 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'; 3 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge; nm Nashville Music City Carnival; 1 Italian; 1 Marietta Stars & Stripes

2444 WEIR Zane ITA

Allegiance transferee from. South Africa [his maternal grandfather is Italian] cleared by World Athletics to compete for Italy from February 23, 2021

3 South African 2019; 2 Italian 2020/2021. Coach-Paolo Dal Soglio

In 2021: 3 Boksburg; 2 Pretoria Gauteng North League #1; 7 European Throws Cup; 2 Savona; 1 Castiglione della Pescaia; 1 Livorno; 5 Doha Diamond; 2 Conegliano; 7 Florence Diamond; 1 Ferrara; 4 Chorzów Kusocinski; 2 Italian

BERTEMES Bob LUX

67d 1993 21.71 28v

25v 326d 1995

22.22 -19 NR

21.11 -21

Luxembourger record holder at shot & discus. Greatly improved in 2019 (from 21.00 to 22.22)

DT pb: 61.06 -19 (57.04 -21). 4 Francophone Games 2013; 1 Small European States Games 2015/2016/2017/2019; 5 EIC 2015/2019 (2017/2021-dnq); 2 under-23 ECH 2015; dnq WCH 2015/2019; 15 WIC 2016; 6 ECH 2018 (2016-dnq). There is also a Luxembourger international distance runner called Bob Bertemes, but there is no family connection between the two. Lives-Mannheim. Coach-Khalid Alqawati. 1.87/118kg

In 2021: dnq EIC; 1 Rehlingen; 1 ETCh 3rd League (3 DT); 1 Luxembourger; 1 Mannheim

**ENEKWECHI Chuk** NGR 3057

28<sub>V</sub> 183d 1993 21.53

21.11

21.80 -19 NR

21.52 -21

Full name-Chukwuebuka Cornnell Enekwechi

Reigning African & African Games Champion

HT pb: 72.77 -15. dnq WCH 2017; 14 WIC 2018; 2 COM 2018; 1 African Champs 2018; 1 African Games 2019; 8 WCH 2019. 2 NCAA 2016. 1 Nigerian 2016/2021. Born in New York and has competed in US Championships as a junior & senior, but holds Nigerian citizenship as his father Christian was born in that country. His declaration for Nigeria confirmed by IAAF from July 26, 2017. 1.81/106kg

In 2021: 1 Bloomington 'Big Ten' Invitational #2; 1 Terre Haute Gibson Invitational; nm Tiffin OH; 3 Des Moines Drake Relays Elite; 3 Walnut Golden Games; 5 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'; 1 Prairie View USATF 'Showcase'; 1 Nigerian; 3 Bydgoszcz Szewińska; 4 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

3101 GILL Jacko NZL

26y 222d 1994 21.52

Full first name-Jackson, Gill is pronounced as in fish gill

7th-9th-8th at the last three World Championships

2 Youth Olympic 2010; 1 WJC 2010/2012; 1 World Youth 2011; 1 Oceanian 2014, 11 COM 2014; 9 WIC 2016; 9 OLY 2016; 1 Oceanian 2019; 7 WCH 2019 (2015-8, 2017) -9). In 2011 at 16y, he broke the senior New Zealand record of 19.80 by Les Mills which had stood since 1967. 1.89/120kg

His older sister Ayla Gill was sixth at Hammer in the 2010 World Junior Championships; his mother Nerida Morris was New Zealand Champion at Discus in 1990; his father Walter Gill was New Zealand Champion at Shot in 1987 & 1989

He did not compete in 2018 after being diagnosed (in December 2017) with an inflamed heart (myocarditis) In 2021: 1 Wanganui; 1 Christchurch; 1 Wellington; 1 Hamilton; 2 Auckland Douglas; 1 North Shore; 2 North Shore; 1 Auckland (Jul 3); 1 Auckland (Jul 10); 1 Auckland Pre-Olympic; He has beaten his compatriot Tom Walsh 4-1 so far in 2021

3106 **WALSH Tom NZL** 

22 90 -19 AR 29v 150d 1992 22 22

World Champion in 2017, then lost it by 1cm in 2019 // DT pb: 53.58 -14. 6 World Youth 2009 (on no training, he claimed); dng WJC 2010; 2 COM 2014; 1 WIC 2016/2018 (2014-3); 3 OLY 2016; 1 WCH 2017 (2015-4, 2019-3). 1 New Zealand 2012-/2019/2020/2021 (1 DT 2013). Played rugby and cricket at youth level for New Zealand. He is from Timaru, on New Zealand's south island, same as Jack Lovelock (1 OLY 1500 1936). Coach-Dale Stevenson. 1.85/125kg

Analysis at the 2017 World Championships showed he had the quickest release of all the men's finalists (14.15 metres per second)

In 2021: 1 Hastings; 2 Wanganui; 2 Christchurch; 2 Hamilton; 1 Auckland Douglas; 1 New Zealand; 2 Tucson Elite Classic; 4 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'; 1 Doha Diamond; 1 Nashville Music City Carnival; 1 Florence Diamond; 1 Bydgoszcz Šzewińska; 1 Székesfehérvár Gyulai; 1 Cetniewo

**BUKOWIECKI Konrad** POL 3187

24y 135d 1997 20.49

(Sav it like "Book-of-vet-ski")

2018 European silver behind his compatriot Michal Haratyk

20.54i -21. DT pb: 58.42 -17. 5 World Youth 2013; 1 WJC 2014 (2016-dq - originally 1st but tested positive for a banned stimulant, got a warning rather than a ban); 1 Youth Olympic Games 2014; 1 EJC 2015 (dnq DT); 4 WIC 2016 (2018-8); fouled out OLY final 2016; 1 EIC 2017 (2019-dnq); 1 under-23 ECH 2017/2019; 8 WCH 2017 (2015/2019-dnq); 2 ECH 2018 (2016-4); 1 WSG 2019 (2017-2). 1 Polish 2016/2019. Tried judo, ju-jitsu, boxing and swimming before shot putting. Partner-international 400m runner Natalia Kaczmarek. Coach/father-Ireneusz Bukowiecki. Club-AZS UWM Olsztyn. 1.91/129kg

In 2021: 3 Polish indoor; Missed the European Indoor Championships after testing positive for COVID-19; 6 Ostrava Golden Spike; 3 Andújar; 7 Doha Diamond; 1 Szczytno; 8 Florence Diamond

HARATYK Michał POL 3195

29y 110d 1992 22.17

22.32 -19 NR

Reigning European Champion. Polish record holder // DT pb: 53.53 -13. 14 WIC 2016; dng OLY 2016; 5 WCH 2017 (2019-dng); 1 Athletics World Cup 2018; 1 ECH 2018 (2016-2); 1 EIC 2019 (2017-dnq, 2021-2); 1 ETCh 2019/2021. 1 Polish 2017/2018/2020/2021 & indoor 2018/2019/2020/2021. His elder brother Łukasz Haratyk is an 18.82 shot putter. In 2020 he constructed his own shot putting facility in his hometown. Club-KS Sprint Bielsko-Biała. 1.94/135kg

In 2021: 1 Polish indoor; 2 EIC; 1 Kielce; 1 Warsaw Szelesta Memorial; 2 Ostrava Golden Spike; 1 Olesnica; 1 ETCh; 5 Florence Diamond; 1 Chorzów Kusocinski; 1 Polish; 6 Bydgoszcz Szewińska; 3 Cetniewo

3234 BELO Francisco POR Full name-Francisco Miguel Pereira Boavida Pires Belo

30y 125d 1991 21.27 21.27 -21

22.25 -19

2017 World Student Games Champion DT pb: 62.01 -17 (56.66 -21). dnq WJC 2010; 12 WSG 2015 (13 DT); dnq WCH 2017/2019; 1 WSG 2017 (5 DT); 4 EIC 2019/2021; 6 ETCh 2021. 1 Portuguese 2021. DT 2017/2018 & indoor SP 2019/2020/2021. Coach-Vladimir Zinchenko UKR (5 WCH DT 1987/1993). He works as a doctor in Lisbon. Probably the shot putter with the loudest reactions on the circuit. 1.93/125kg

In 2021: 4 EIC; 1 Lisbon; 2 European Throws Cup (6 DT 'B'); 1 Savona; 1 Faro; 2 Lisbon; 2 Andújar; 6 ETCh; 1 Lisbon City; 3 Brno; 1 Kladno; 1 Braga; 1 Maia; 1 Portuguese; 1 Portuguese Club Champs

3368 TOADER Andrei ROU

65d 1997 24v 21.29

21.29 -21

2016 World Junior Champion, but only temporarily // 9 WJC 2014; 2 Youth Olympic Games 2014; 2 EJC 2015; dq WJC 2016 (originally silver, then gold); dq ECH 2016

(originally 6th); 1 Balkan 2020. 1 Romanian 2020/2021 & indoor 2020/2021. 1.84/105kg

Was promoted from silver to gold at the 2016 World Junior Championships (after the disqualification of Konrad Bukowiecki POL), but then was disqualified after having failed an earlier test himself, banned in 2016-2019 and also stripped of his sixth place at the 2016 European (senior) Championships

In 2021: 1 Romanian indoor; 3 Balkan indoor; 1 European Throws Cup; 1 Arad; 2 Rehlingen; 1 Romanian; 5 Prague Odložil; 1 Brno; 4 Kladno; 2 ETCh 1st League

3397 BLIGNAUT Kyle RSA **21v** 263d 1999 21.21 21 21 -21

Reigning World Junior Champion // 1 African Junior 2017; 1 WJC 2018; 3 African Champs 2018; 7 African Games 2019. Student of Business Management at the University of Johannesburg. His profile at tokyo2020.org reveals "He initially played rugby at school but switched to athletics as he felt his performances could be judged more fairly in athletics than in rugby." Caoch-Pierre Blignaut (no relation)

In 2021: 3 Potchefstroom (Feb 16); 1 Boksburg; 3 Pretoria Gauteng North League #1; 1 Potchefstroom ACNW Open (Mar 9); 1 Boksburg Central Gauteng Open #3; 1 Roodepoort; 1 Boksburg; 4 Roodepoort Athletix Invitational; 1 South African; 2 Potchefstroom ACNW Open (Apr 29); 1 Potchefstroom ACNW Open (May 6); 3 South African Universities; 1 South African Universities; 3 Prague Odložil; 3 Kladno; 2 Chorzów Kusocinski; 5 Bydgoszcz Szewińska; 7 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

VAN ROOYEN Jason RSA 3440

24y 176d 1997

36v 287d 1984

21.14

21.31

21.14 -21

21.58 -15

4 Youth Olympic 2014; 8 WJC 2016; 11 WSG 2017; 5 African Champs SP/DT 2018; 6 WSG 2019 (2017-11). 2 South African 2021

In 2021: 2 Potchefstroom (Feb 16); 2 Boksburg (Feb 20); 1 Pretoria Gauteng North League #1; 1 Potchefstroom (Mar 2); 2 Potchefstroom ACNW Open; 2 Boksburg Central Gauteng Open #3; 2 Roodepoort; 2 Boksburg (Mar 27); 2 South African; 1 Potchefstroom ACNW Open (Apr 29); 2 South African Universities

KOLASINAC Asmir SRB

(Kolašinac pronounced 'Collar-Shin-Etz') 2013 European Indoor Champion

3 WSG 2009 (2007-6); 1 Balkan 2011; 3 ECH 2012 (2010-7, 2014/2016-5); 7 OLY 2012 (2008/2016-dnq); 1 EIC 2013 (2011-dnq, 2015-2, 2017-dnq); 7 WCH 2015 (2011/2013-10, 2019-dnq); 15 WIC 2018 (2010/2012/2014-dnq); dnq ECH 2018. 1 Serbian 2008/2010/2011/2012/2013/2014/2015/2018/2019 & Croatian 2012/2016. 1 Serbian indoor 2013/2014/2017/2018/2019. Born-FYR of Macedonia, studied in Bosnia-Herzegovina, lives-Serbia. Groin surgery in 2017. Coach-Nikola Tomašovec 1.87/140kg

In 2021: 2 Serbian indoor; 1 Split; 1 Split; 5 European Throws Cup; 2 Serbian; 1 Sarajevo; 1 Belgrade; 2 ETCh 3rd League; 2 Balkan; 1 Belgrade; 2 Serbian Club Champs

SINANCEVIC Armin SRB 3483

24y 349d 1996

223d 1992

21.88

6x Serbian Champion (3 in + 3 out) // 2 Balkan 2019. Fouled out WCH final 2019; 6 EIC 2021. 1 Serbian 2016/2017/2021 & indoor 2016/2020/2021. Dragan Peric (11x Yugoslavian Champion). 1.92/110kg

In 2021: 1 Balkan indoor; 6 EIC; 1 Bar; 3 Doha Diamond; 1 Serbian; 2 Florence Diamond; 1 Balkan; 2 Bydgoszcz Szewińska; 1 Serbian Club Champs; 5 Székesfehérvár Gyulai

**PETERSSON Wictor SWE** 3567

23y 90d 1998 20.93 20.94 - 20

5x Swedish Champion (3 in + 2 out) // DT pb: 61.72 -16 (55.78 -21). 3 World Youth 2015 (11 DT); 2 WJC 2016 (2016-4); 6 EJC 2017 (8 DT); 3 under-23 ECH 2019; 8 ETCh 2019; dnq WCH 2019. 1 Swedish 2019/2020 (1 indoor 2019/2020/2021). Originally fourth at the 2016 World Junior Championships, but now up to silver after doping disqualifications of Konrad Bukowiecki & Andrei Toader). His older sister Marinda was an international hammer thrower. Coach-Staffan Jönsson. 1.95/132kg In 2021: 1 Swedish indoor; 5 EIC; 3 Ostrava Golden Spike; 1 Norrköping SP/DT; 1 Prague Odložil; 1 Karlstad; 1 Halmstad (4 DT)

MUSIYENKO Igor UKR 3787

27v 342d 1993

28v

21.15

23.37

21.15 -21

23.37 -21

5x Ukrainian Champion (3 in + 2 out) // DT pb: 59.18 -17. dng ECH 2018; 7 ETCh 2019 (2017-9). 2 Ukrainian 2020/2021 & indoor 2019/2020/2021. Coach-Dmytro Korniyenko. 1.86/128kg

In 2021: 1 Ukrainian Indoor Team Champs; 1 Ukrainian indoor; 4 Balkan indoor; 1 Kamianets Podilskyi; 1 Ukrainian Team Champs; 1 Moldovan; 1 Ukrainian; 1 Lutsk

3915 CROUSER Ryan USA

DEFENDING OLYMPIC CHAMPION

New world record holder, indoors & out

DT pb: 63.90 -14. 1 World Youth 2009, then no international championships until 1 OLY 2016; 2 WCH 2019 (2017-6, where he had a potentially winning put disallowed because of minor rim infringement). 1 NCAA 2013/2014 (1 indoor 2016); 1 US 2016/2017/2019 (1 indoor 2019). Graduate in Finance from the University of Texas at Austin. Coach-Mario Sategna (formerly Mac Wilkins). 2.01/124kg

Father-Mitch Crouser (67.22 DT in 1985)

Uncle-Brian Crouser (1 NCAA JT 1982/85, dnq OLY JT 1988/92)

Uncle-Dean Crouser (1 NCAA SP 1982 & DT 1982/83)

Cousin-Sam Crouser (2016 US Olympic representative at JT)

Cousin-Haley Crouser (4 World Youth JT 2011)

(They were all in Rio cheering him on, wearing "Team Crouser" tee-shirts)
In 2013 he won a novelty cake-throwing contest, tossing an oversized pastry (c 1m x 1m x 50cm) 14 metres

In 2021: (indoors) 1 Fayetteville American Track League 1 (world indoor record 22.82); 1 Fayetteville American Track League 2; 1 Fayetteville American Track League 4; (outdoors) 1 Des Moines Drake Relays Elite; 1 Fayetteville Arkansas Twilight; 1 Tucson Elite Classic; 1 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'; 1 US (23.37 to break the world record [of 23.12] which had stood to Randy Barnes since 1990);

He's unbeaten in 19 contests since the Doha World Championships, where he lost by 1cm to Joe Kovacs

3932 HILL Darrell USA

347d 1993

22.34

22.44 -17

2017 World Championship finalist, then up from 21.91 to 22.44 to win that year's Diamond League in Brussels 2 North/Central American & Caribbean under-23 2014; 4 Pan-Am Games 2015; dnq OLY 2016; 11 WCH 2017; 6 WIC 2018; 2 Athletics World Cup 2018; 1 North/Central American & Caribbean 2018; 5 WCH 2019. 2 NCAA 2015 (representing Penn State University). 1 US 2018 (2016/2019-3). Was at Pennsylvania State University. Coach-Greg Garza. 1.93/145kg

In 2021: 1 Chula Vista High Performance #2; 1 Walnut Golden Games; 3 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'; 4 US

KOVACS Joe USA 3946

32v 32d 1989 22.72

22.57 -17

Twice World Champion // 8 WSG 2013; 1 WCH 2015; 2 OLY 2016; 2 WCH 2017; 1 WCH 2019 (with 22.91 won epic 3-way battle with Crouser 22.90 & Walsh 22.90). 1 US 2014/2015 (2016/2017/2019-2); 2 US indoor 2019. He was born in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, grew up in Nazareth, Pennsylvania and his father's name was Joseph. Grandfather from Hungary. He has degrees in Economics, Petroleum and Natural Gas Engineering. Wife/coach-Ashley Muffet (formerly Art Venegas [the coach that is]). 1.83/133kg In 2021: 1 Bloomington Hoosier Hills; 1 Geneva OH 'B1G'; 1 Columbus Jesse Owens Invitational; 2 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'

3961 **OTTERDAHL Payton USA**  118d 1996

21.92

21.92 -21

DT pb: 62.94 -19. 1 US junior DT 2015; 2 NCAA DT 2018 (4 SP); 1 NCAA indoor SP/Weight Throw 2019. Partner-Maddy Niles is a 68.95 Hammer Thrower. He is

1.93/133kg, he has a younger brother Max who is 2.03 tall, and another Trevor who is 1.98. all are throwers. Coach-Justin St. Clair

In 2021: 4 Des Moines Drake Relays Elite; 6 Walnut Golden Games; 1 Irvine 'Track Meet'; 4 Tucson Elite Classic; 10 Tucson USATF 'Throws Fest'; 1 Jacksonville Duval County Challenge; 3 US

WORLD ALL-TIME LIST	2021 WORLD LIST
1.       23.37.       Ryan Crouser USA.       2021         1.       23.12.       Randy Barnes USA.       1990         2.       23.06.       Ulf Timmermann GDR.       1988         =3.       22.91.       Alessandro Andrei ITA.       1987         22.91.       Joe Kovacs USA.       2019         6.       22.90.       Tom Walsh NZL.       2019         7.       22.86.       Brian Oldfield USA.       1975         8.       22.75.       Werner Günthör SUI.       1988         9.       22.67.       Kevin Toth USA.       2003         10.       22.64.       Udo Beyer GDR.       1986	123.37Ryan Crouser USA 222.72Joe Kovacs USA 322.34Darrell Hill USA 422.22Tom Walsh NZL 522.17Michał Haratyk POL 621.94Filip Mihaljević CRO 721.92Payton Otterdahl USA 821.88Armin Sinančević SRB 921.84Josh Awotunde USA =10.21.71Bob Bertemes LUX21.71Leonardo Fabbri ITA