

Semi Finals - Bartosz Losiak/Piotr Kantor, Poland vs. Ricardo Santos/Emanuel Rego, Brazil

Bartosz Losiak



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date: May 14, 1992 (22 yrs old)
Home Town: Jastrzebie Zdroj
Resides: Jastrzebie Zdroj
Height: 191 cm (6'3")
Weight: 86 kg (191 lbs.)
Seasons: 6
Tournaments: 35
Best Finish: 1st (3 times)
Best WT Finish: 5th (São Paulo 2013)
Career Winnings: \$62,025

Piotr Kantor



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Personal Info

Birth Date: March 5, 1992 (22 yrs old)
Home Town: Sosnowiec
Resides: Sosnowiec
Height: 198 cm (6'6")
Weight: 90 kg (200 lbs.)
Seasons: 6
Tournaments: 35
Best Finish: 1st (3 times)
Best WT Finish: 5th (São Paulo 2013)
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Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	33	41	57	Money
FIVB	29	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	6	4	2	7	3	US\$124,050.00
FIVB Age Group WC	5	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	US\$0.00
Overall	34	3	1	0	0	1	0	6	0	6	4	2	7	3	US\$124,050.00

Previous São Paulo Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2013	Piotr Kantor - 5th	Bartosz Losiak - 5th

São Paulo Matches

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Wed, 9/24/2014	Pool A	Alexander Huber / Robin Seidl, Austria (17)	Won 21-16, 21-16	0:32
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Thu, 9/25/2014	Pool A	Alison Cerutti / Bruno Oscar Schmidt, Brazil (1)	Lost 16-21, 19-21	0:39
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 1	Matteo Ingrosso / Paolo Ingrosso, Italy (21)	Won 21-19, 21-8	0:35
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 2	Jake Gibb / Casey Patterson, United States (9)	Won 21-17, 21-19	0:33
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 3	Aleksandrs Samoilovs / Janis Smedins, Latvia (4)	Won 21-18, 20-22, 15-13	1:15
Sat, 9/27/2014	Semi-Finals	Emanuel Rego / Ricardo Santos, Brazil (6)		

- Bartosz Losiak and Piotr Kantor have been playing together since 2009. They are playing in their 29th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Bartosz is playing in his 1st FIVB World Tour final four.
- Piotr is playing in his 1st FIVB World Tour final four.
- Bartosz and Piotr finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Bartosz and Piotr are currently ranked 24th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 2,200 points and 24th in winnings with \$75,000.
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- Bartosz (29) and Piotr (29) each ranks 317th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Bartosz (\$62,025) and Piotr (\$62,025) each ranks 210th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Bartosz and Piotr won the gold medal at the FIVB U19 World Championships in 2010 (Porto, Portugal).
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- Bartosz and Piotr won the gold medal at the FIVB U23 World Championships in 2013 (Myslowice, Poland).

Ricardo Alex Costa Santos



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Birth Date:	January 6, 1975 (39 yrs old)
Home Town:	Salvador de Bahia
Resides:	João Pessoa
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Career Winnings:	\$1,809,783

Emanuel Fernando Scheffer Rego



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Resides:	João Pessoa/Rio de Janeiro
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Tournaments:	245
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Best WT Finish:	1st (76 times)
Career Winnings:	\$2,491,773

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Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	89	33	12	12	8	9	0	11	0	2	1	US\$1,878,530.00
FIVB C&S	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	US\$2,000.00
Overall	90	34	12	12	8	9	0	11	0	2	1	US\$1,880,530.00

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- Ricardo Santos and Emanuel Rego played together from 2002-2009 before reuniting in Sao Paulo. They are playing in their 89th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Ricardo is playing in his 126th FIVB World Tour final four with 55 gold, 29 silver, 23 bronze medals and 18 4th place finishes.
- Emanuel is playing in his 170th FIVB World Tour final four with 76 gold, 36 silver, 41 bronze medals and 16 4th place finishes.
- This is Ricardo's and Emanuel's 1st Final Four of 2014.
- Ricardo and Emanuel won the gold medal in the Olympic Games in 2004 (Athens) and the bronze medal in 2008 (Beijing).
- Ricardo won the silver medal in the Olympic Games with Ze Marco de Melo in 2000 (Sydney) and finished 5th with Pedro Cunha in 2012 (London).
- Emanuel has played in all five Olympic Games, besides the two with Ricardo, he finished 9th with Ze Marco de Melo in 1996 (Atlanta), 9th with Jose Loiola in 2000 (Sydney) and won the silver medal with Alison Cerutti in 2012 (London).
- Ricardo and Emanuel won the gold medal in the FIVB World Championships in 2003 (Rio de Janeiro), finished 17th in 2005 (Berlin), 4th in 2007 (Gstaad), and 5th in 2009 (Stavanger).
- Ricardo finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships with Ze Marco de Melo in 1999 (Marseille), won the silver medal with Jose Loiola in 2001 (Klagenfurt), won the silver medal with Marcio Araujo in 2011 (Rome), and won the silver medal with Alvaro Filho in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Emanuel has played in all nine FIVB World Championships, besides the four with Ricardo, he finished 5th with Ze Marco de Melo in 1997 (Los Angeles), won the gold medal with Jose Loiola in 1999 (Marseille), finished 5th with Tande Ramos in 2001 (Klagenfurt), won the gold medal in 2011 (Rome) gold and finished 4th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki), both with Alison Cerutti.
- Ricardo and Emanuel are currently ranked 58th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 560 points and 40th in winnings with \$24,000.
- Ricardo and Emanuel rank 1st on the all-time FIVB World Tour team gold medal list with 33, 10th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with 89, and 1st on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$1,878,530.
- Ricardo (55) ranks 2nd and Emanuel (76) ranks 1st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Ricardo (207) ranks 2nd and Emanuel (244) ranks 1st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Ricardo (\$1,808,782) ranks 2nd and Emanuel (\$2,490,772) ranks 1st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Ricardo and Emanuel were Tour Points Champions in 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, and 2007 and named Team of the Year in 2005, 2006, and 2007.
- Ricardo was named the FIVB World Tour Best Hitter in 2005, Best Offensive Player in 2005, 2006, and 2007, Most Outstanding in 2005 and 2007, Tour Points Champion with Ze Marco de Melo in 2000.
- Emanuel was named the FIVB World Tour Best Hitter in 2006, Most Inspirational in 2011 and 2012, Most Outstanding in 2006 and 2011, Sportsperson in 2005, 2010, 2011, and 2012, Tour Points Champion with Ze Marco de Melo in 1996 and 1997, Tour Points Champion with Jose Loiola in 1999, Tour Points Champion with Tande Ramos in 2001, and Tour Points Champion and Team of the Year with Alison Cerutti in 2011.

Christiaan Varenhorst



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info	
Birth Date:	May 6, 1990 (24 yrs old)
Home Town:	The Hague
Resides:	The Hague
Height:	211 cm (6'11")
Weight:	106 kg (235 lbs.)
Seasons:	8
Tournaments:	47
Best Finish:	2nd (Brighton 2008)
Best WT Finish:	3rd (Fuzhou 2014)
Career Winnings:	\$125,700

Reinder Nummerdor



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info	
Birth Date:	September 10, 1976 (38 yrs old)
Home Town:	Ijsselmuider
Resides:	Uithoorn
Height:	194 cm (6'4")
Weight:	87 kg (193 lbs.)
Seasons:	9
Tournaments:	80
Best Finish:	1st (9 times)
Career Winnings:	\$470,125

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	US\$41,000.00

Previous São Paulo Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2013	Jon Stiekema - 17th	Did not play

São Paulo Matches

Date	Bracket	Opponent	Score	Time
Wed, 9/24/2014	Pool D	Will Montgomery / Stafford Slick, United States (20)	Won 26-24, 22-24, 15-11	1:03
Thu, 9/25/2014	Pool D	Gustavo Carvalhaes / Allison Cittadin, Brazil (29, Q8)	Won 21-18, 21-17	0:45
Thu, 9/25/2014	Pool D	Aleksandrs Samoilovs / Janis Smedins, Latvia (4)	Lost 19-21, 18-21	0:34
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 2	Theo Brunner / John Mayer, United States (27)	Won 21-15, 21-15	0:32
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 3	Murat Giginoglu / Volkan Gogtepe, Turkey (26, Q5)	Won 21-19, 21-14	0:33
Sat, 9/27/2014	Semi-Finals	Josh Binstock / Sam Schachter, Canada (23)		

- This is the first season together for Christiaan Varenhorst and Reinder Nummerdor. They are playing in their 2nd FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Christiaan is playing in his 3rd FIVB World Tour final four with one bronze medal and one 4th place finish.
- Reinder is playing in his 22nd FIVB World Tour final four with nine gold, five silver, two bronze medals and five 4th place finishes.
- This is Christiaan's and Reinder's 1st Final Four of 2014.
- Reinder finished 5th in the Olympic Games in 2008 (Beijing) and 4th in 2012 (London), both with Richard Schuil.
- Christiaan finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships with Daan Spijkers in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Reinder finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships in 2007 (Gstaad), 17th in 2009 (Stavanger), 17th in 2011 (Rome), and 17th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki), all with Richard Schuil.
- Christiaan and Reinder are currently ranked 41st in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 1,040 points and 31st in winnings with \$41,000.
- Christiaan and Reinder rank 237th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$41,000.
- Reinder (9) ranks 18th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Christiaan (42) ranks 230th and Reinder (80) ranks 110th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Christiaan (\$125,700) ranks 129th and Reinder (\$470,125) ranks 31st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Christiaan and Reinder won the gold medal at the 2014 CEV Beach Volleyball European Baku Masters in 2014 (Baku, Azerbaijan).
- Christiaan won the silver medal at the U21 World Championships with Alexander Brouwer in 2008 (Brighton, England).
- Christiaan was named the FIVB World Tour Top Rookie in 2012.
- Reinder was named the FIVB World Tour Best Defensive Player in 2009 and 2011.

Josh Binstock



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Personal Info

Birth Date:	January 12, 1981 (33 yrs old)
Home Town:	Toronto
Resides:	Richmond Hill, ON
Height:	196 cm (6'5")
Weight:	98 kg (218 lbs.)
Seasons:	10
Tournaments:	53
Best Finish:	2nd (Vaduz 2006)
Best WT Finish:	9th (Myslowice 2012)
Career Winnings:	\$31,825

Sam Schachter



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	May 8, 1990 (24 yrs old)
Home Town:	Richmond Hill, ON
Resides:	Toronto
Height:	198 cm (6'6")
Weight:	86 kg (191 lbs.)
Seasons:	7
Tournaments:	22
Best Finish:	1st (Alanya 2010)
Best WT Finish:	9th (Québec 2011)
Career Winnings:	\$22,275

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	33	Money
FIVB	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	US\$33,800.00

Previous São Paulo Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2013	Sam Schachter - 33rd	Josh Binstock - 33rd

São Paulo Matches

Date	Bracket	Opponent	Score	Time
Wed, 9/24/2014	Pool G	Clemens Doppler / Alexander Horst, Austria (10)	Won 20-22, 21-18, 15-11	0:50
Thu, 9/25/2014	Pool G	Adrian Gavira / Pablo Herrera, Spain (7)	Won 21-16, 21-18	0:43
Thu, 9/25/2014	Pool G	Murat Giginoglu / Volkan Gogtepe, Turkey (26, Q5)	Won 21-18, 21-10	0:37
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 2	Viacheslav Krasilnikov / Konstantin Semenov, Russia (8)	Won 21-19, 21-15	0:37
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 3	Ben Saxton / Chaim Schalk, Canada (15)	Won 21-18, 25-23	0:44
Sat, 9/27/2014	Semi-Finals	Reinder Nummerdor / Christiaan Varenhorst, Netherlands (13)		

- Josh Binstock and Sam Schachter have been playing together since the FIVB São Paulo Grand Slam in 2013. They are playing in their 5th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Josh is playing in his 1st FIVB World Tour final four.
- Sam is playing in his 1st FIVB World Tour final four.
- Canada has not had a men's team in an FIVB World Final Four since John Child and Mark Heese finished 4th in the FIVB Hellas Open in Rhodes, Greece in June of 2003.
- Josh finished 17th in the Olympic Games with Martin Reader in 2012 (London).
- Josh and Sam are currently ranked 42nd in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 1,000 points and 34th in winnings with \$33,800.
- Josh and Sam rank 667th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with five and 260th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$33,800.
- Josh (45) ranks 214th and Sam (19) ranks 418th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Josh (\$27,150) ranks 287th and Sam (\$22,275) ranks 315th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Josh and Sam won the gold medal at the Norceca Beach Volleyball Circuit Toronto in 2014 (Toronto, Canada).
- Josh won the gold medal at the Norceca Beach Volleyball Circuit Cayman Islands with Rich VanHuizen in 2011 (Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands).
- Sam won the gold medal at the U21 World Championships with Garrett May in 2010 (Alanya, Turkey).

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Bartosz Losiak



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Home Town:	Jastrzebie Zdroj
Resides:	Jastrzebie Zdroj
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Weight:	86 kg (191 lbs.)
Seasons:	6
Tournaments:	35
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Career Winnings:	\$62,025

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Sat, 9/27/2014	Bronze Medal	Josh Binstock / Sam Schachter, Canada (23)		

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Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 3	Sebastian Dollinger / Marcus Popp, Germany (30)	Won 21-18, 18-21, 15-13	0:49
Sat, 9/27/2014	Semi-Finals	Piotr Kantor / Bartosz Losiak, Poland (16)	Won 28-26, 21-17	0:40
Sun, 9/28/2014	Gold Medal	Reinder Nummerdor / Christiaan Varenhorst, Netherlands (13)		

- Ricardo Santos and Emanuel Rego played together from 2002-2009 before reuniting in Sao Paulo. They are playing in their 89th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Ricardo is playing in his 126th FIVB World Tour final four with 55 gold, 29 silver, 23 bronze medals and 18 4th place finishes.
- Emanuel is playing in his 170th FIVB World Tour final four with 76 gold, 36 silver, 41 bronze medals and 16 4th place finishes.
- This is Ricardo's and Emanuel's 1st Final Four of 2014.
- Ricardo and Emanuel won the gold medal in the Olympic Games in 2004 (Athens) and the bronze medal in 2008 (Beijing).
- Ricardo won the silver medal in the Olympic Games with Ze Marco de Melo in 2000 (Sydney) and finished 5th with Pedro Cunha in 2012 (London).
- Emanuel has played in all five Olympic Games, besides the two with Ricardo, he finished 9th with Ze Marco de Melo in 1996 (Atlanta), 9th with Jose Loiola in 2000 (Sydney) and won the silver medal with Alison Cerutti in 2012 (London).
- Ricardo and Emanuel won the gold medal in the FIVB World Championships in 2003 (Rio de Janeiro), finished 17th in 2005 (Berlin), 4th in 2007 (Gstaad), and 5th in 2009 (Stavanger).
- Ricardo finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships with Ze Marco de Melo in 1999 (Marseille), won the silver medal with Jose Loiola in 2001 (Klagenfurt), won the silver medal with Marcio Araujo in 2011 (Rome), and won the silver medal with Alvaro Filho in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Emanuel has played in all nine FIVB World Championships, besides the four with Ricardo, he finished 5th with Ze Marco de Melo in 1997 (Los Angeles), won the gold medal with Jose Loiola in 1999 (Marseille), finished 5th with Tande Ramos in 2001 (Klagenfurt), won the gold medal in 2011 (Rome) gold and finished 4th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki), both with Alison Cerutti.
- Ricardo and Emanuel are currently ranked 49th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 720 points and 32nd in winnings with \$43,000.
- Ricardo and Emanuel rank 1st on the all-time FIVB World Tour team gold medal list with 33, 10th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with 89, and 1st on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$1,897,530.
- Ricardo (55) ranks 2nd and Emanuel (76) ranks 1st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Ricardo (207) ranks 2nd and Emanuel (244) ranks 1st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Ricardo (\$1,818,282) ranks 2nd and Emanuel (\$2,500,272) ranks 1st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Ricardo and Emanuel were Tour Points Champions in 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, and 2007 and named Team of the Year in 2005, 2006, and 2007.
- Ricardo was named the FIVB World Tour Best Hitter in 2005, Best Offensive Player in 2005, 2006, and 2007, Most Outstanding in 2005 and 2007, Tour Points Champion with Ze Marco de Melo in 2000.
- Emanuel was named the FIVB World Tour Best Hitter in 2006, Most Inspirational in 2011 and 2012, Most Outstanding in 2006 and 2011, Sportsman in 2005, 2010, 2011, and 2012, Tour Points Champion with Ze Marco de Melo in 1996 and 1997, Tour Points Champion with Jose Loiola in 1999, Tour Points Champion with Tande Ramos in 2001, and Tour Points Champion and Team of the Year with Alison Cerutti in 2011.

Christiaan Varenhorst



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Personal Info

Birth Date:	May 6, 1990 (24 yrs old)
Home Town:	The Hague
Resides:	The Hague
Height:	211 cm (6'11")
Weight:	106 kg (235 lbs.)
Seasons:	8
Tournaments:	47
Best Finish:	2nd (Brighton 2008)
Best WT Finish:	3rd (Fuzhou 2014)
Career Winnings:	\$135,200

Reinder Nummerdor



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Personal Info

Birth Date:	September 10, 1976 (38 yrs old)
Home Town:	Ijsselmuiden
Resides:	Uithoorn
Height:	194 cm (6'4")
Weight:	87 kg (193 lbs.)
Seasons:	9
Tournaments:	80
Best Finish:	1st (9 times)
Career Winnings:	\$479,625

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	US\$60,000.00

Previous São Paulo Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2013	Jon Stiekema - 17th	Did not play

São Paulo Matches

Date	Bracket	Opponent	Score	Time
Wed, 9/24/2014	Pool D	Will Montgomery / Stafford Slick, United States (20)	Won 26-24, 22-24, 15-11	1:03
Thu, 9/25/2014	Pool D	Gustavo Carvalhaes / Allison Cittadin, Brazil (29, Q8)	Won 21-18, 21-17	0:45
Thu, 9/25/2014	Pool D	Aleksandrs Samoilovs / Janis Smedins, Latvia (4)	Lost 19-21, 18-21	0:34
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 2	Theo Brunner / John Mayer, United States (27)	Won 21-15, 21-15	0:32
Fri, 9/26/2014	Winner 3	Murat Giginoglu / Volkan Gogtepe, Turkey (26, Q5)	Won 21-19, 21-14	0:33
Sat, 9/27/2014	Semi-Finals	Josh Binstock / Sam Schachter, Canada (23)	Won 23-21, 21-13	0:37
Sun, 9/28/2014	Gold Medal	Emanuel Rego / Ricardo Santos, Brazil (6)		

- This is the first season together for Christiaan Varenhorst and Reinder Nummerdor. They are playing in their 2nd FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Christiaan is playing in his 3rd FIVB World Tour final four with one bronze medal and one 4th place finish.
- Reinder is playing in his 22nd FIVB World Tour final four with nine gold, five silver, two bronze medals and five 4th place finishes.
- This is Christiaan's and Reinder's 1st Final Four of 2014.
- Reinder finished 5th in the Olympic Games in 2008 (Beijing) and 4th in 2012 (London), both with Richard Schuil.
- Christiaan finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships with Daan Spijkers in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Reinder finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships in 2007 (Gstaad), 17th in 2009 (Stavanger), 17th in 2011 (Rome), and 17th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki), all with Richard Schuil.
- Christiaan and Reinder are currently ranked 38th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 1,200 points and 27th in winnings with \$60,000.
- Christiaan and Reinder rank 191st on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$60,000.
- Reinder (9) ranks 18th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Christiaan (42) ranks 230th and Reinder (80) ranks 110th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Christiaan (\$135,200) ranks 124th and Reinder (\$479,625) ranks 31st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Christiaan and Reinder won the gold medal at the 2014 CEV Beach Volleyball European Baku Masters in 2014 (Baku, Azerbaijan).
- Christiaan won the silver medal at the U21 World Championships with Alexander Brouwer in 2008 (Brighton, England).
- Christiaan was named the FIVB World Tour Top Rookie in 2012.
- Reinder was named the FIVB World Tour Best Defensive Player in 2009 and 2011.

Teams have not played each other in an FIVB event