

Semi Finals - Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler, Germany vs. Larissa Franca/Talita Antunes, Brazil

Katrin Holtwick



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Personal Info

Birth Date:	April 10, 1984 (30 yrs old)
Home Town:	Bocholt
Resides:	Berlin
Height:	176 cm (5'9")
Weight:	63 kg (140 lbs.)
Seasons:	12
Tournaments:	97
Best Finish:	1st (4 times)
Best WT Finish:	1st (2 times)
Career Winnings:	\$398,100

Ilka Semmler



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Personal Info

Birth Date:	September 8, 1985 (28 yrs old)
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Resides:	Berlin
Height:	183 cm (6'0")
Weight:	69 kg (153 lbs.)
Seasons:	12
Tournaments:	96
Best Finish:	1st (4 times)
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Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	33	41	CQ	Money
FIVB	87	2	5	5	4	9	2	19	6	15	9	3	3	4	US\$784,700.00
FIVB C&S	4	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	US\$11,500.00
Overall	91	4	5	5	4	11	2	19	6	15	9	3	3	4	US\$796,200.00

Previous Stare Jablonki Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2009	Ilka Semmler - 7th	Katrin Holtwick - 7th
2010	Ilka Semmler - 25th	Katrin Holtwick - 25th
2011	Ilka Semmler - 5th	Katrin Holtwick - 5th
2012	Ilka Semmler - 3rd	Katrin Holtwick - 3rd
2013	Ilka Semmler - 17th	Katrin Holtwick - 17th

Stare Jablonki Matches

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Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool D	Isabelle Forrer / Anouk Verge-Depre, Switzerland (20)	Won 21-16, 21-15	0:31
Thu, 8/21/2014	Pool D	Talita Antunes / Larissa Franca, Brazil (13, Q1)	Lost 16-21, 16-21	0:33
Thu, 8/21/2014	Winner 1	Emily Day / Summer Ross, United States (18)	Won 21-19, 21-16	0:34
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 2	Karla Borger / Britta Buthe, Germany (7)	Won 21-13, 21-12	0:31
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 3	Agatha Bednarczuk / Barbara Seixas, Brazil (2)	Won 21-18, 21-15	0:35
Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Talita Antunes / Larissa Franca, Brazil (13, Q1)		

- Katrin Holtwick and Ilka Semmler have been playing together since 2006. They are playing in their 87th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Katrin is playing in her 17th FIVB World Tour final four with two gold, five silver, five bronze medals and four 4th place finishes.
- Ilka is playing in her 17th FIVB World Tour final four with two gold, five silver, five bronze medals and four 4th place finishes.
- This is Katrin's and Ilka's 4th Final Four of 2014 (Silver Prague Open, Gold Gstaad Grand Slam, Silver The Hague Grand Slam).
- Katrin and Ilka finished 9th in the Olympic Games in 2012 (London).
- Katrin and Ilka finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships in 2009 (Stavanger), 9th in 2011 (Rome), and 17th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Katrin and Ilka are currently ranked 6th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 4,290 points and 4th in winnings with \$199,000. They have one win in 2014 (Gstaad Grand Slam).
- Katrin and Ilka rank 23rd on the all-time FIVB World Tour team gold medal list with two, 11th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with 87, and 8th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$784,700.
- Katrin (2) and Ilka (2) each ranks 32nd in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Katrin (91) ranks 63rd and Ilka (89) ranks 67th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Katrin (\$392,350) ranks 30th and Ilka (\$394,100) ranks 29th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Katrin and Ilka won the silver medal at the European Championship Final in 2010 (Berlin, Germany).
- Katrin won the silver medal at the U21 World Championships with Maria Kleefisch in 2003 (Saint Quay Portrieux, France).
- Ilka won the bronze medal at the U18 World Championships with Ruth Flemig in 2002 (Xylokastro, Greece).
- Ilka won the silver medal at the U21 World Championships with Ruth Flemig in 2005 (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil).

Larissa França



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	April 14, 1982 (32 yrs old)
Home Town:	Cachoeira de Itapemirim-Es
Resides:	Fortaleza
Height:	174 cm (5'9")
Weight:	68 kg (151 lbs.)
Seasons:	12
Tournaments:	119
Best Finish:	1st (47 times)
Career Winnings:	\$1,401,735

Talita Antunes da Rocha



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	August 29, 1982 (31 yrs old)
Home Town:	Riatio Grosso Do Sul
Resides:	Rio de Janeiro
Height:	181 cm (5'11")
Weight:	65 kg (144 lbs.)
Seasons:	12
Tournaments:	135
Best Finish:	1st (19 times)
Career Winnings:	\$1,020,225

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	US\$109,000.00

Previous Stare Jablonki Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2008	Did not play	Renata Ribeiro - 4th
2009	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 3rd
2010	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 3rd
2011	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 3rd
2012	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 5th
2013	Did not play	Taiana Lima - 17th

Stare Jablonki Matches

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Tue, 8/19/2014	Qualifier 2	Laura Bloem / Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands (Q17)	Won 21-14, 21-13	0:27
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool D	Isabelle Forrer / Anouk Verge-Depre, Switzerland (20)	Won 21-23, 21-18, 16-14	0:50
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool D	Lisa Chukwuma / Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria (29, Q9)	Won 21-15, 21-16	0:28
Thu, 8/21/2014	Pool D	Katrin Holtwick / Ilka Semmler, Germany (4)	Won 21-16, 21-16	0:33
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 2	Madelein Meppelink / Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands (6)	Won 21-16, 21-13	0:32
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 3	Elsa Baquerizo / Liliana Fernandez, Spain (5)	Won 23-21, 21-16	0:36
Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Katrin Holtwick / Ilka Semmler, Germany (4)		

- Larissa Franca and Talita Antunes have been playing together since the middle of July. They are playing in their 4th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Larissa is playing in her 90th FIVB World Tour final four with 47 gold, 20 silver, 17 bronze medals and five 4th place finishes.
- Talita is playing in her 64th FIVB World Tour final four with 19 gold, 14 silver, 14 bronze medals and 16 4th place finishes.
- This is Larissa's and Talita's 2nd Final Four of 2014 (Gold Klagenfurt Grand Slam).
- Larissa finished 5th in the Olympic Games with Ana Paula Henkel in 2008 (Beijing) and won the bronze medal with Juliana Felisberta in 2012 (London).
- Talita finished 4th in the Olympic Games with Renata Ribeiro in 2008 (Beijing) and 9th with Maria Antonelli in 2012 (London).
- Larissa finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships with Ana Richa in 2003 (Rio de Janeiro), won the silver medal in 2005 (Berlin), won the bronze medal in 2007 (Gstaad), won the silver medal in 2009 (Stavanger), and won the gold medal in 2011 (Rome), all with Juliana Felisberta.
- Talita finished 9th in the FIVB World Championships with Renata Ribeiro in 2007 (Gstaad), won the bronze medal in 2009 (Stavanger) and finished 5th in 2011 (Rome), both with Maria Antonelli, and finished 17th with Taiana Lima in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Larissa and Talita are currently ranked 26th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 2,080 points and 12th in winnings with \$109,000. They have one win in 2014 (Klagenfurt Grand Slam).
- Larissa and Talita rank 37th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team gold medal list with one, 599th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with four, and 117th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$109,000.
- Larissa (47) ranks 2nd and Talita (19) ranks 8th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Larissa (119) ranks 21st and Talita (133) ranks 13th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Larissa (\$1,401,735) ranks 2nd and Talita (\$1,018,175) ranks 7th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Talita won the bronze medal at the U21 World Championships with Maria Clara Salgado in 2002 (Catania, Italy).
- Larissa was named the FIVB World Tour Best Defensive Player in 2009 and 2012, Best Hitter in 2008 and 2010, Best Setter in 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012, Most Outstanding in 2006, and was Team of the Year and Tour Champion with Juliana Felisberta in 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012.
- Talita was named the FIVB World Tour Top Rookie in 2005, Best Blocker in 2013, Best Hitter in 2013, Best Offensive Player in 2013, and was Team of the Year and Tour Champion with Taiana Lima in 2013.

Series tied 1-1

Date	Tournament	Round	Winning Team	Score	Time
8/21/2014	Stare Jablonki Grand Slam	Pool D	Larissa Franca/Talita Antunes	21-16, 21-16	0:33
7/25/2014	ASICS World Series of Beach Volleyball	Winner 2	Katrin Holtwick/Ilka Semmler	21-17, 21-16	0:34

Taiana de Souza Lima



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	May 27, 1984 (30 yrs old)
Home Town:	Fortaleza - CE
Resides:	Rio de Janeiro
Height:	175 cm (5'9")
Weight:	66 kg (147 lbs.)
Seasons:	12
Tournaments:	59
Best Finish:	1st (8 times)
Best WT Finish:	1st (6 times)
Career Winnings:	\$312,300

Fernanda Alves



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	June 29, 1985 (29 yrs old)
Home Town:	Rio de Janeiro
Resides:	Rio de Janeiro
Height:	189 cm (6'2")
Weight:	74 kg (164 lbs.)
Seasons:	2
Tournaments:	9
Best Finish:	1st (The Hague 2014)
Career Winnings:	\$72,025

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	US\$130,000.00

Previous Stare Jablonki Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2010	Vivian Cunha - Country Quota	Did not play
2013	Talita Antunes - 17th	Did not play

Stare Jablonki Matches

Date	Bracket	Opponent	Score	Time
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool H	Victoria Bieneck / Julia Grossner, Germany (25, Q3)	Won 21-16, 21-17	0:34
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool H	Ana Gallay / Georgina Klug, Argentina (24)	Won 21-17, 21-19	0:37
Thu, 8/21/2014	Pool H	Monika Brzostek / Kinga Kolosinska, Poland (9)	Won 21-11, 21-23, 15-13	0:48
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 2	Melissa Humana-Paredes / Taylor Pischke, Canada (26)	Won 19-21, 21-9, 18-16	0:51
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 3	Kristyna Kolocova / Marketa Slukova, Czech Republic (3)	Won 21-13, 21-18	0:38
Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Laura Ludwig / Julia Sude, Germany (11)		

- Taiana Lima and Fernanda Alves have been playing together since the beginning of July. They are playing in their 5th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Taiana is playing in her 14th FIVB World Tour final four with six gold, three silver, two bronze medals and two 4th place finishes.
- Fernanda is playing in her 2nd FIVB World Tour final four with one gold medal.
- This is Taiana's and Fernanda's 2nd Final Four of 2014 (Gold The Hague Grand Slam).
- Taiana finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships with Vivian Cunha in 2011 (Rome) and 17th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki) with Talita Rocha.
- Taiana and Fernanda are currently ranked 22nd in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 2,440 points and 10th in winnings with \$130,000. They have one win in 2014 (The Hague Grand Slam).
- Taiana and Fernanda rank 37th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team gold medal list with one, 517th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with five, and 106th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$130,000.
- Taiana (6) ranks 20th and Fernanda (1) ranks 50th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Taiana (54) ranks 156th and Fernanda (9) ranks 551st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Taiana (\$309,950) ranks 42nd and Fernanda (\$72,025) ranks 177th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Taiana won gold medals at the U21 World Championships with Juliana Felisberta in 2002 (Catania, Italy) and with Carolina Salgado in 2004 (Porto Santo, Portugal).
- Taiana was named the FIVB World Tour Most Improved Player in 2010 and Sportsperson in 2013. She and Talita Rocha are the current World Tour Points champions and were named Team of the Year in 2013.

Laura Ludwig



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	January 13, 1986 (28 yrs old)
Home Town:	Berlin
Resides:	Kiel
Height:	181 cm (5'11")
Weight:	70 kg (155 lbs.)
Seasons:	11
Tournaments:	110
Best Finish:	1st (2 times)
Best WT Finish:	1st (Shanghai 2014)
Career Winnings:	\$522,300

Julia Sude



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	September 2, 1987 (26 yrs old)
Home Town:	Gießen
Resides:	Friedrichshafen
Height:	185 cm (6'1")
Weight:	77 kg (171 lbs.)
Seasons:	11
Tournaments:	68
Best Finish:	2nd (4 times)
Best WT Finish:	2nd (Durban 2013)
Career Winnings:	\$140,613

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	US\$76,000.00

Previous Stare Jablonki Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2008	Sara Goller - 13th	Claudia Lehmann - Country Quota
2009	Did not play	Claudia Lehmann - 17th
2010	Sara Goller - 9th	Jana Kohler - 25th
2011	Sara Goller - 9th	Jana Kohler - 17th
2013	Kira Walkenhorst - 5th	Did not play

Stare Jablonki Matches

Date	Bracket	Opponent	Score	Time
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool F	Maria Prokopeva / Ekaterina Syrtseva, Russia (22)	Lost 19-21, 16-21	0:34
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool F	Brittany Hochevar / Heather Hughes, United States (27, Q4)	Won 21-19, 21-18	0:36
Thu, 8/21/2014	Pool F	Madelein Meppelink / Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands (6)	Won 21-12, 21-14	0:30
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 2	Marta Menegatti / Viktoria Orsi Toth, Italy (16)	Won 21-13, 18-21, 15-5	0:47
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 3	Heather Bansley / Sarah Pavan, Canada (19)	Won 21-15, 21-23, 15-10	0:53
Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Fernanda Alves / Taiana Lima, Brazil (8)		

- Laura Ludwig and Julia Sude have been playing together since the beginning of July. They are playing in their 5th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Laura is playing in her 22nd FIVB World Tour final four with one gold, nine silver, seven bronze medals and four 4th place finishes.
- Julia is playing in her 3rd FIVB World Tour final four with one silver medal and one 4th place finish.
- This is Laura's and Julia's 1st Final Four of 2014.
- Laura finished 9th in the Olympic Games in 2008 (Beijing) and 5th in 2012 (London), both with Sara Goller.
- Laura finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships in 2005 (Berlin), 17th in 2007 (Gstaad), 9th in 2009 (Stavanger), and 9th in 2011 (Rome), all with Sara Goller and 5th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki) with Kira Walkenhorst.
- Julia finished 37th in the FIVB World Championships with Claudia Lehmann in 2009 (Stavanger) and 5th with Jana Kohler in 2011 (Rome).
- Laura and Julia are currently ranked 28th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 2,000 points and 21st in winnings with \$76,000.
- Laura and Julia rank 517th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with five and 150th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$76,000.
- Laura (1) ranks 50th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Laura (107) ranks 37th and Julia (61) ranks 121st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Laura (\$521,450) ranks 19th and Julia (\$138,112) ranks 115th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Laura won the gold medal at the U18 World Championships with Jana Kohler in 2003 (Pattaya, Thailand).
- Laura won the gold medal at the European Championship Final with Sara Goller in 2008 (Hamburg, Germany) and in 2010 (Berlin, Germany).
- Julia won the bronze medal at the Under 18 World Championships with Florentina Buttner in 2004 (Termoli, Italy).
- Julia won the bronze medal at the Under 19 World Championships with Florentina Buttner in 2005 (Saint Quay Portrieux, France).
- Julia won the silver medal at the Under 21 World Championships with Jana Kohler in 2006 (Myslowice, Poland).
- Laura was named the FIVB World Tour Most Improved Player in 2007, Best Offensive Player in 2011, Best Defensive Player in 2013, and Most Inspirational in 2013.

Taiana Lima/Fernanda Alves lead the series 1-0

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7/24/2014	ASICS World Series of Beach Volleyball	Pool G	Taiana Lima/Fernanda Alves	21-9, 21-17	0:32

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Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Talita Antunes / Larissa Franca, Brazil (13, Q1)	Lost 17-21, 12-21	0:35
Sat, 8/23/2014	Bronze Medal	Fernanda Alves / Taiana Lima, Brazil (8)		

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- Katrin and Ilka won the silver medal at the European Championship Final in 2010 (Berlin, Germany).
- Katrin won the silver medal at the U21 World Championships with Maria Kleefisch in 2003 (Saint Quay Portrieux, France).
- Ilka won the bronze medal at the U18 World Championships with Ruth Flemig in 2002 (Xylokastro, Greece).
- Ilka won the silver medal at the U21 World Championships with Ruth Flemig in 2005 (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil).

Taiana de Souza Lima



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Fernanda Alves



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Personal Info

Birth Date:	June 29, 1985 (29 yrs old)
Home Town:	Rio de Janeiro
Resides:	Rio de Janeiro
Height:	189 cm (6'2")
Weight:	74 kg (164 lbs.)
Seasons:	2
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Career Winnings:	\$72,025

Team Career Summary

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Previous Stare Jablonki Results

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Thu, 8/21/2014	Pool H	Monika Brzostek / Kinga Kolosinska, Poland (9)	Won 21-11, 21-23, 15-13	0:48
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Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Laura Ludwig / Julia Sude, Germany (11)	Lost 26-28, 19-21	0:49
Sat, 8/23/2014	Bronze Medal	Katrin Holtwick / Ilka Semmler, Germany (4)		

- Taiana Lima and Fernanda Alves have been playing together since the beginning of July. They are playing in their 5th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Taiana is playing in her 14th FIVB World Tour final four with six gold, three silver, two bronze medals and two 4th place finishes.
- Fernanda is playing in her 2nd FIVB World Tour final four with one gold medal.
- This is Taiana's and Fernanda's 2nd Final Four of 2014 (Gold The Hague Grand Slam).
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- Taiana and Fernanda rank 37th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team gold medal list with one, 517th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with five, and 106th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$130,000.
- Taiana (6) ranks 20th and Fernanda (1) ranks 50th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Taiana (54) ranks 156th and Fernanda (9) ranks 551st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Taiana (\$309,950) ranks 42nd and Fernanda (\$72,025) ranks 177th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Taiana won gold medals at the U21 World Championships with Juliana Felisberta in 2002 (Catania, Italy) and with Carolina Salgado in 2004 (Porto Santo, Portugal).
- Taiana was named the FIVB World Tour Most Improved Player in 2010 and Sports person in 2013. She and Talita Rocha are the current World Tour Points champions and were named Team of the Year in 2013.

Taiana Lima/Fernanda Alves lead the series 1-0

Date	Tournament	Round	Winning Team	Score	Time
7/20/2014	The Hague Grand Slam	Gold Medal	Taiana Lima/Fernanda Alves	21-16, 16-21, 15-12	0:55

Larissa Franca



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	April 14, 1982 (32 yrs old)
Home Town:	Cachoeira de Itapemirim-Es
Resides:	Fortaleza
Height:	174 cm (5'9")
Weight:	68 kg (151 lbs.)
Seasons:	12
Tournaments:	119
Best Finish:	1st (47 times)
Career Winnings:	\$1,411,235

Talita Antunes da Rocha



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	August 29, 1982 (31 yrs old)
Home Town:	Riatio Grosso Do Sul
Resides:	Rio de Janeiro
Height:	181 cm (5'11")
Weight:	65 kg (144 lbs.)
Seasons:	12
Tournaments:	135
Best Finish:	1st (19 times)
Career Winnings:	\$1,029,725

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	US\$128,000.00

Previous Stare Jablonki Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2008	Did not play	Renata Ribeiro - 4th
2009	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 3rd
2010	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 3rd
2011	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 3rd
2012	Juliana Felisberta - 1st	Maria Antonelli - 5th
2013	Did not play	Taiana Lima - 17th

Stare Jablonki Matches

Date	Bracket	Opponent	Score	Time
Tue, 8/19/2014	Qualifier 2	Laura Bloem / Marloes Wesselink, Netherlands (Q17)	Won 21-14, 21-13	0:27
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool D	Isabelle Forrer / Anouk Verge-Depre, Switzerland (20)	Won 21-23, 21-18, 16-14	0:50
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool D	Lisa Chukwuma / Stefanie Schwaiger, Austria (29, Q9)	Won 21-15, 21-16	0:28
Thu, 8/21/2014	Pool D	Katrin Holtwick / Ilka Semmler, Germany (4)	Won 21-16, 21-16	0:33
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 2	Madelein Meppelink / Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands (6)	Won 21-16, 21-13	0:32
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 3	Elsa Baquerizo / Liliana Fernandez, Spain (5)	Won 23-21, 21-16	0:36
Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Katrin Holtwick / Ilka Semmler, Germany (4)	Won 21-17, 21-12	0:35
Sat, 8/23/2014	Gold Medal	Laura Ludwig / Julia Sude, Germany (11)		

- Larissa Franca and Talita Antunes have been playing together since the middle of July. They are playing in their 4th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Larissa is playing in her 90th FIVB World Tour final four with 47 gold, 20 silver, 17 bronze medals and five 4th place finishes.
- Talita is playing in her 64th FIVB World Tour final four with 19 gold, 14 silver, 14 bronze medals and 16 4th place finishes.
- This is Larissa's and Talita's 2nd Final Four of 2014 (Gold Klagenfurt Grand Slam).
- Larissa finished 5th in the Olympic Games with Ana Paula Henkel in 2008 (Beijing) and won the bronze medal with Juliana Felisberta in 2012 (London).
- Talita finished 4th in the Olympic Games with Renata Ribeiro in 2008 (Beijing) and 9th with Maria Antonelli in 2012 (London).
- Larissa finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships with Ana Richa in 2003 (Rio de Janeiro), won the silver medal in 2005 (Berlin), won the bronze medal in 2007 (Gstaad), won the silver medal in 2009 (Stavanger), and won the gold medal in 2011 (Rome), all with Juliana Felisberta.
- Talita finished 9th in the FIVB World Championships with Renata Ribeiro in 2007 (Gstaad), won the bronze medal in 2009 (Stavanger) and finished 5th in 2011 (Rome), both with Maria Antonelli, and finished 17th with Taiana Lima in 2013 (Stare Jablonki).
- Larissa and Talita are currently ranked 26th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 2,240 points and 11th in winnings with \$128,000. They have one win in 2014 (Klagenfurt Grand Slam).
- Larissa and Talita rank 37th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team gold medal list with one, 599th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with four, and 107th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$128,000.
- Larissa (47) ranks 2nd and Talita (19) ranks 8th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Larissa (119) ranks 21st and Talita (133) ranks 13th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Larissa (\$1,411,235) ranks 2nd and Talita (\$1027,675) ranks 7th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Talita won the bronze medal at the U21 World Championships with Maria Clara Salgado in 2002 (Catania, Italy).
- Larissa was named the FIVB World Tour Best Defensive Player in 2009 and 2012, Best Hitter in 2008 and 2010, Best Setter in 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012, Most Outstanding in 2006, and was Team of the Year and Tour Champion with Juliana Felisberta in 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, and 2012.
- Talita was named the FIVB World Tour Top Rookie in 2005, Best Blocker in 2013, Best Hitter in 2013, Best Offensive Player in 2013, and was Team of the Year and Tour Champion with Taiana Lima in 2013.

Laura Ludwig



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Personal Info

Birth Date:	January 13, 1986 (28 yrs old)
Home Town:	Berlin
Resides:	Kiel
Height:	181 cm (5'11")
Weight:	70 kg (155 lbs.)
Seasons:	11
Tournaments:	110
Best Finish:	1st (2 times)
Best WT Finish:	1st (Shanghai 2014)
Career Winnings:	\$531,800

Julia Sude



Photo:FIVB

Personal Info

Birth Date:	September 2, 1987 (26 yrs old)
Home Town:	Gießen
Resides:	Friedrichshafen
Height:	185 cm (6'1")
Weight:	77 kg (171 lbs.)
Seasons:	11
Tournaments:	68
Best Finish:	2nd (4 times)
Best WT Finish:	2nd (Durban 2013)
Career Winnings:	\$150,113

Team Career Summary

Tour	Played	1	2	3	4	5	7	9	13	17	25	Money
FIVB	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	US\$95,000.00

Previous Stare Jablonki Results

Year	Partner - Result	Partner - Result
2008	Sara Goller - 13th	Claudia Lehmann - Country Quota
2009	Did not play	Claudia Lehmann - 17th
2010	Sara Goller - 9th	Jana Kohler - 25th
2011	Sara Goller - 9th	Jana Kohler - 17th
2013	Kira Walkenhorst - 5th	Did not play

Stare Jablonki Matches

Date	Bracket	Opponent	Score	Time
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool F	Maria Prokopeva / Ekaterina Syrtseva, Russia (22)	Lost 19-21, 16-21	0:34
Wed, 8/20/2014	Pool F	Brittany Hochevar / Heather Hughes, United States (27, Q4)	Won 21-19, 21-18	0:36
Thu, 8/21/2014	Pool F	Madelein Meppelink / Marleen Van Iersel, Netherlands (6)	Won 21-12, 21-14	0:30
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 2	Marta Menegatti / Viktoria Orsi Toth, Italy (16)	Won 21-13, 18-21, 15-5	0:47
Fri, 8/22/2014	Winner 3	Heather Bansley / Sarah Pavan, Canada (19)	Won 21-15, 21-23, 15-10	0:53
Sat, 8/23/2014	Semi-Finals	Fernanda Alves / Taiana Lima, Brazil (8)	Won 28-26, 21-19	0:49
Sat, 8/23/2014	Gold Medal	Talita Antunes / Larissa Franca, Brazil (13, Q1)		

- Laura Ludwig and Julia Sude have been playing together since the beginning of July. They are playing in their 5th FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour tournament together.
- Laura is playing in her 22nd FIVB World Tour final four with one gold, nine silver, seven bronze medals and four 4th place finishes.
- Julia is playing in her 3rd FIVB World Tour final four with one silver medal and one 4th place finish.
- This is Laura's and Julia's 1st Final Four of 2014.
- Laura finished 9th in the Olympic Games in 2008 (Beijing) and 5th in 2012 (London), both with Sara Goller.
- Laura finished 17th in the FIVB World Championships in 2005 (Berlin), 17th in 2007 (Gstaad), 9th in 2009 (Stavanger), and 9th in 2011 (Rome), all with Sara Goller and 5th in 2013 (Stare Jablonki) with Kira Walkenhorst.
- Julia finished 37th in the FIVB World Championships with Claudia Lehmann in 2009 (Stavanger) and 5th with Jana Kohler in 2011 (Rome).
- Laura and Julia are currently ranked 27th in FIVB World Tour points in 2014 with 2,160 points and 15th in winnings with \$95,000.
- Laura and Julia rank 517th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team tournament list with five and 130th on the all-time FIVB World Tour team winnings list with \$95,000.
- Laura (1) ranks 50th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual gold medals.
- Laura (107) ranks 37th and Julia (61) ranks 121st in all-time FIVB World Tour individual tournaments.
- Laura (\$530,950) ranks 19th and Julia (\$147,612) ranks 110th in all-time FIVB World Tour individual earnings.
- Laura won the gold medal at the U18 World Championships with Jana Kohler in 2003 (Pattaya, Thailand).
- Laura won the gold medal at the European Championship Final with Sara Goller in 2008 (Hamburg, Germany) and in 2010 (Berlin, Germany).
- Julia won the bronze medal at the Under 18 World Championships with Florentina Buttner in 2004 (Termoli, Italy).
- Julia won the bronze medal at the Under 19 World Championships with Florentina Buttner in 2005 (Saint Quay Portrieux, France).
- Julia won the silver medal at the Under 21 World Championships with Jana Kohler in 2006 (Myslowice, Poland).
- Laura was named the FIVB World Tour Most Improved Player in 2007, Best Offensive Player in 2011, Best Defensive Player in 2013, and Most Inspirational in 2013.

Teams have not played each other in an FIVB event