



# European Ladies' Amateur Golf Ranking 2014



Nanna



Céline



Noemi



Congratulations to the Top-Ranked Players in the Ladies' European Amateur Ranking 2014. Final results on September 8, 2014 were:

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| 1 | Nanna Madsen         | Denmark | 1537.84 pts |
| 2 | Céline Boutier       | France  | 1504.65 pts |
| 3 | Noemi Jimenez Martin | Spain   | 1436.85 pts |

**Nanna Madsen (DEN)** started to build her success in the ranking straight from the end of 2013. She won the European Ladies Club Trophy individual ranking by nine strokes and was runner-up, after play-off, in the French International Ladies' Championship (Trophee Cecile de Rothschild). Her form did not decrease throughout 2014. She finished leading qualifier in the Spanish Ladies' Amateur Championship and overcame a strong field to win the European Nations Championship Individual title in Sotogrande, Spain. At the beginning of the summer, she added two more victories to her credit with the DGU Elite Tour Damer 11 and the Danish International Championship. She also placed fourth in the International European Ladies' Amateur Championship. Besides her gold medal, Madsen will receive an invitation to compete at the highest level of the professional game in a Ladies European Tour Event.

**Céline Boutier (FRA)** started her season with a successful spring campaign on the American college circuit. The Duke University student won three consecutive tournaments; the Bryan National Collegiate, Ping ASU Invitational and ACC Championship saw her surge up the ranking. She then finished runner-up in the NCAA Championship and was a great contributor to her University's victory. She was voted best college player of the year. Back in Europe, she won the six matches she played in the European Ladies' Amateur Team Championship helping France to take the title. The 2012 International European Ladies' Amateur Champion took the bronze medal in this year's event played in Estonia.

**Noemi Jimenez (ESP)** takes the third place on the podium thanks to her consistency over the last two

years. In 2013, she enjoyed two wins in the US College season, reached the semi-finals of the Ladies' British Open Amateur Championship and won the gold medal with Spain in the European Ladies' Amateur Team Championship. 2014 was equally successful with another college win in the NCAA D1 West Regional, a quarter-final in the Ladies' British Open Amateur (tied fourth in the qualifying), a runner-up spot in the Spanish Ladies' Amateur Championship and a silver medal in the International European Ladies' Amateur Championship, after a closely fought eight-hole play-off.

All three medal winners represented their countries in the Espirito Santo Trophy (world Amateur Team Championship) in Japan, with Madsen and Jimenez finishing tied, just outside the top ten in the individual ranking.

LEAR Conditions and full results for 2014 can be viewed at <http://www.ega-golf.ch/080000/080100.asp>

The first three ranked players will receive formal recognition for their achievement by being awarded EGA medal prizes.

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The 2015 Ladies' European Amateur Golf Ranking will restart immediately, with results posted on [http://www.ega-golf.ch/080000/LEAR\\_2015.asp](http://www.ega-golf.ch/080000/LEAR_2015.asp)

