The Pelham Racquet Club Women’s $25K Pro Circuit Challenger will be held in Pelham for the eighth consecutive year. It kicks off the 2011 USTA Pro Circuit spring clay court season as the first of seven consecutive clay court events ranging from $25,000 to $50,000 in prize money. It is one of two events hosted in Alabama this year, as Dothan hosts a $50,000 clay court event in mid-April.

This year’s main draw is expected to feature: Christina McHale, ranked a career-high No. 98, who has made five Grand Slam main draw appearances (reaching the second round of the 2009 US Open), and who defeated two-time Grand Slam tournament singles champion Svetlana Kuznetsova en route to the third round of the WTA event in Indian Wells two weeks ago; 18-year-old Sloane Stephens, a former world No. 5 junior, who won the girls’ doubles titles at the French Open, Wimbledon and the US Open last year, and who won her first round match at the WTA event in Indian Wells two weeks ago before losing to world No. 1 Caroline Wozniacki in the second round; former world No. 54 Edina Gallovits-Hall of Romania, the defending Pelham singles champion (who also won the title in 2007), who has played in all four Grand Slam singles main draws and holds 12 USTA Pro Circuit singles titles, which is second all-time; and Madison Brengle, who rose to No. 4 in the world junior rankings in 2007 after reaching the girls’ singles final at both the Australian Open and Wimbledon, and who won the singles title at the $25,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Hammond, La., this year and also reached the singles final of the $25,000 event in Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.

Also expected in the main draw are: former world No. 18 Alexandra Stevenson, who became the first female qualifier in Wimbledon history to reach the semifinals (in 1999); Heidi El Tabakh of Canada, a five-time USTA Pro Circuit doubles champion who qualified for the French Open and Olympus US Open Series event in Montreal in 2010, and who finished 2010 as the No. 4 Canadian woman in the world rankings; and Ashley Weinhold, who won the 2007 USTA Girls’ 18s title, earning a wild card into the main draw of the US Open, and who won the $25,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Rancho Mirage, Calif., in early February for her first title since 2006.

Those players receiving main draw wild cards include: 15-year-old Alexandra Kiick, the daughter of former Miami Dolphins running back Jim Kiick and winner of the girls’ 16s title at the 2010 Dunlop Orange Bowl; Alexandra Mueller, who won the
inaugural US Open National Playoffs last year, in addition to three USTA Pro Circuit titles; and 16-year-old Jan Abaza, who won the USTA Florida Sectional Qualifying Tournament of last year’s US Open National Playoffs.

Up-and-coming Americans expected in qualifying include: 19-year-old Julia Boserup, who trains full-time at the USTA Training Center Headquarters in Boca Raton, Fla., and who, as a junior, won the 2008 Dunlop Orange Bowl and, as a professional, advanced to her first career USTA Pro Circuit semifinal in Indian Harbour Beach, Fla., last year; 16-year-old Christie Adams, one of Sports Illustrated’s “Faces in the Crowd” last May, who in April 2010 went 12-0 in junior singles play, winning the USTA International Spring Championships and the Easter Bowl without dropping a set to join Sam Querrey and Melanie Oudin as the only players to win both titles in back-to-back weeks; 17-year-old Jessica Pegula, who reached the final of the USTA Pro Circuit $25,000 event in January for her best USTA Pro Circuit result; and 15-year-old Sachia Vickery, who reached the final at the 2010 International Spring Championships and the round of 16 at the 2010 US Open juniors, and who has worked with Richard Williams, father and coach of sisters Venus and Serena.

Others expected to compete in qualifying include: 32-year-old Julie Ditty, the all-time leader in USTA Pro Circuit titles with 38, who peaked at No. 66 in the WTA doubles rankings in 2009 and who has competed for the U.S. Fed Cup team; former USTA girls’ 16s No. 1 Kimberly Couts, who reached the quarterfinals or better at four events last season and captured her fifth career USTA Pro Circuit doubles title at the $50,000 event in Boston; and Caitlin Whoriskey, the 2010 Intercollegiate Tennis Association’s National Senior Player of the Year for Division I women’s tennis at the University of Kentucky, who won back-to-back doubles titles at $10,000 events in Cleveland and Mount Pleasant, S.C., last year.

Many WTA and USTA Pro Circuit stars have found success in Pelham. Jamie Hampton, last year’s doubles champion, went on to have the best season of her career in 2010, rising an astounding 593 spots in the WTA rankings (from No. 726 to No. 133 at season’s end). She reached the singles final at eight USTA Pro Circuit events, winning a season-best four tournaments, and then received a wild card into the main draw of the 2010 US Open. This year, Hampton qualified for the 2011 Australian Open and is currently ranked a career-high No. 127. 2007 doubles champion Carly Gullickson won the 2009 US Open mixed doubles title with fellow USTA Pro Circuit veteran Travis Parrott. Pelham’s 2008 singles champion Raquel Kops-Jones reached a career-high No. 31 in the WTA doubles rankings in 2009 after capturing three WTA doubles titles in Poland, Portugal and Great Britain.

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USTA Pro Circuit

With 90-plus tournaments hosted annually throughout the country and prize money ranging from $10,000 to $100,000, the USTA Pro Circuit is the pathway to the US Open and tour-level competition for aspiring tennis players and a frequent battleground for established professionals. The USTA launched its Pro Circuit 32 years ago to provide players with the opportunity to gain professional ranking points, and it has since grown to become the largest developmental tennis circuit in the world, offering more than $2.5 million in prize money. Last year, more than 1,000 men and women from more than 70 countries competed in cities nationwide. Maria Sharapova, Andy Roddick, Caroline Wozniacki, James Blake, Justine Henin, Andy Murray and Sam Querrey are among today’s top stars who began their careers on the USTA Pro Circuit.

The USTA Pro Circuit helped launch the careers of two young Americans—Melanie Oudin and John Isner. Oudin began 2009 ranked No. 177, but climbed the rankings by winning back-to-back $50,000 USTA Pro Circuit events. With a boost in confidence, she reached the fourth round of Wimbledon and the quarterfinals of the 2009 US Open. She peaked at world No. 31 in 2010 and has been a crucial player on the U.S. Fed Cup team. Isner joined the USTA Pro Circuit after turning pro in 2007 and jump-started the best season of his career by winning the Tallahassee Challenger in 2009. Subsequently, he reached the semifinals at two Olympus US Open Series events and upset Andy Roddick en route to the fourth round at the 2009 US Open. Last year, Isner captured his first tour title, reached three tour finals, and also won the longest match in history at Wimbledon. He finished 2010 ranked in the Top 20.

30 Million Players

The USTA Pro Circuit serves as an integral part of the USTA’s mission to grow and develop tennis in the United States. In November 2009, the USTA and Tennis Industry Association announced that tennis participation in the United States topped 30 million players for the first time in more than two decades with participation growing in all age groups under the age of 50 and within all ethnicities. Another survey conducted by the Sporting Goods Manufacturers Association that year also showed that tennis is the only traditional sport to enjoy growth in grass-roots participation.

NJTL

Cities across the country participate in the USTA/National Junior Tennis and Learning (NJTL) network, a nationwide network of community tennis organizations seeking to develop the character of young people through both tennis and education. Founded by Arthur Ashe in 1969, more than 550 registered chapters/programs exist throughout the nation with more than 220,000 participants ages 6-18, making NJTL one of the USTA’s largest community-based initiatives.

Player Development

The USTA Player Development program identifies and develops the next generation of American champions by surrounding the top junior players and young pros with the resources, facilities and coaching they need to reach their maximum potential. The Player Development program is based at the USTA Training Center Headquarters in Boca Raton, Fla., and also utilizes Training Centers in Carson, Calif., and Flushing, N.Y., as well as a series of Certified Regional Training Centers located throughout the continental United States.

US Open National Playoffs

The USTA hosted the inaugural US Open National Playoffs last year, making the US Open “open” to anyone age 14+ and of all skill levels. 859 men and 373 women competed in 16 Sectional Qualifying Tournaments nationwide, with the winners squaring off in Atlanta (men) and Stanford, Calif., (women) for 2010 US Open Qualifying Tournament wild cards. Blake Strode, 23, of St. Louis, and Alexandra Mueller, 22, of Abington, Pa., won the men’s and women’s wild cards. Registration for the 2011 US Open National Playoffs opens on March 15 with a mixed doubles tournament added this year.
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Lauren Albanese  
Age: 21 (10/1/89)  Hometown: Coral Springs, Fla.  Ranking: 224

Albanese first established herself as a player to watch in 2006 with a tournament title at the $10,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Wichita, Kan. She followed that victory by winning the USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships to earn an automatic wild card into the US Open, where she advanced to the second round of the women’s singles main draw. Albanese has since been a consistent presence on the USTA Pro Circuit, reaching seven career singles finals and advancing to the quarterfinals or better at four USTA Pro Circuit events in 2010. She also reached the quarters or better at five additional ITF Circuit events, winning the singles and doubles titles at a $25,000 event in Mexico. Also, Albanese competed in the qualifying at three of the four Grand Slam events. As a junior in 2007, she served as a practice partner with the U.S. Fed Cup team.

Julia Boserup  
Age: 19 (9/9/91)  Hometown: Boca Raton, Fla.  Ranking: 324

Boserup had her breakthrough in December 2008, winning the Dunlop Orange Bowl for her first title on the ITF World Junior Circuit. She has built on that success over the past two years, reaching the USTA Pro Circuit doubles final at the $50,000 event in Kansas City, Mo., with partner Laura Granville in 2009 and, in 2010, advancing to her first career USTA Pro Circuit semifinal at the $50,000 event in Indian Harbour Beach, Calif. As a junior, Boserup reached the second round at the 2009 US Open girls’ singles and the singles and doubles semifinals at the 2008 USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships. She is a two-time practice partner for the U.S. Fed Cup team and trains full-time at the USTA Training Center Headquarters in Boca Raton, Fla.

Madison Brengle  

Brengle continued to make steady progress in her professional career in 2010, qualifying for the WTA event in Memphis, advancing to the semifinals at the $50,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Grapevine, Texas, and reaching her fifth career USTA Pro Circuit final at the $50,000 event in Boston. Brengle won her first career USTA Pro Circuit event in 2005 at the age of 15 and went on to an outstanding junior career. She rose to No. 4 in the world junior rankings in 2007, when she reached the girls’ singles final at both the Australian Open and Wimbledon. On the pro level, she has played in the main singles draw at three of the four Grand Slam events, competing in the 2007 US Open and winning wild card playoffs to gain entry into the Australian Open (2007-08) and the French Open (2008).

Beatrice Capra  

Capra had her career breakthrough at the 2010 US Open. She won an eight-player USTA playoff to earn the final wild card into the main draw—her first main draw at a tour event—where she upset No. 18 seed Aravane Rezai en route to the third round. Capra also found success on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010, reaching the semifinals at the $25,000 event in Osprey, Fla., and the round of 16 in four tournaments at the $50,000 level or above, including the $100,000 event in Midland, Mich., as a qualifier. As a junior last year, Capra won two international events, including the prestigious Italian Open, and reached the girls’ singles quarterfinals at the French Open to ascend at a career-best No. 8 in the ITF world junior rankings. In 2009, she reached the girls’ singles quarterfinals at the US Open and the girls’ doubles semifinals at Wimbledon.

Julia Cohen  

Cohen is a veteran of all levels of competitive tennis, excelling as a junior and collegiate player and having competed in USTA adult events and on the USTA Pro Circuit. Cohen is currently a senior at California University in Pennsylvania after earning All-America honors as a sophomore at the University of Miami (Fla.) and taking home ITA Rookie of the Year honors as a freshman at the University of Florida. She played extensively on the USTA Pro Circuit and ITF Circuit in 2010, winning a tournament in Canada and reaching back-to-back finals at the end of the year at $25,000 events in Brazil. She reached a career-best ranking of No. 153 in November 2010. In 2008, she won three USTA adult national championships and added another in 2009, all in doubles events with her parents. Cohen peaked at No. 4 in the ITF World Junior Rankings in 2007, when she reached the Australian Open girls’ doubles final.
Kimberly Couts  
Age: 21 (5/9/89)  
Hometown: Bradenton, Fla.  
Ranking: 311

Demonstrating steady progress up the professional ladder, Couts won her first pro title at the $10,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Evansville, Ind., in 2007, and has since graduated to $25,000 and $50,000 events. She reached the quarterfinals of better of four events in 2010 and captured her fifth career USTA Pro Circuit doubles title, at the $50,000 event in Boston, climbing to a career-best No. 147 in the WTA world doubles rankings last July. In singles, Couts reached the quarterfinals at the $75,000 event in Albuquerque, N.M., and the semifinals at the $25,000 event in El Paso, Texas. As a junior, she won the 2006 Easter Bowl and was a former USTA girls’ 16s No. 1.

Jill Craybas  
Age: 36 (7/4/74)  
Hometown: Huntington Beach, Calif.  
Ranking: 98

A Top 100 player each of the past 10 seasons, Craybas reached a career-high No. 39 in 2006 at age 31. She has competed in all four Grand Slams each year since 2001 and has played in 41 straight Grand Slam singles main draws entering 2011. Her best result came at Wimbledon in 2005, when she knocked off Serena Williams en route to the fourth round. Craybas won the 2002 Japan Open on the WTA tour and has also won four tour-level doubles titles. She has represented the U.S. in the Olympics (2008 Beijing) and the Fed Cup, and captured her third career USTA Pro Circuit singles title at the $75,000 event in Midland, Mich., in 2007. She is the only woman to be a member of a national championship team with two different schools (Texas in 1993, Florida in 1996) and won the NCAA singles championship in 1996.

Lauren Davis  
Age: 17 (10/9/93)  
Hometown: Gates Mills, Ohio  
Ranking: 444

Davis finished 2010 as perhaps the hottest player in tennis. She won six events in the last three months of the year, including two USTA Pro Circuit tournaments and three junior tournaments, as well as the eight-woman USTA playoff to earn a wild card into the main draw of the 2011 Australian Open—her first main draw appearance in a Grand Slam event. In junior events, Davis won the Yucatan Cup in Mexico, the Eddie Herr International and the prestigious Dunlop Orange Bowl to close the junior season; she also reached the final of the Easter Bowl and Grade 1 Italian Open earlier in 2010 and finished the year ranked No. 3 in the world junior rankings. On the USTA Pro Circuit, she won her first professional title at the $10,000 event in Williamsburg, Va., in October and, two weeks later, qualified and won the $25,000 event in Bayamon, Puerto Rico.

Julie Ditty  
Age: 31 (1/4/79)  
Hometown: Ashland, Ky.  
Ranking: 289

Ditty is the all-time leader in career USTA Pro Circuit titles with 36. In 2010, the Vanderbilt graduate won the doubles titles at the $50,000 events in Charlottesville, Va., and Kansas City, Mo., for her 26th and 27th career USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles. In 2009, she teamed with Liezel Huber to win the deciding doubles match in the U.S.’s 3-2 victory over Argentina in the Fed Cup first round, and advanced to the second round of the doubles at three of the four Grand Slams to achieve a career-best doubles ranking of No. 66. In 2008, she competed in the singles main draw of the Australian Open, French Open and Wimbledon, as well as the doubles main draw of the US Open, where she reached the round of 16 with Carly Gullickson. Ditty broke into the Top 100 in singles in November 2007 after advancing to the semifinals of the tour event in Quebec City, Canada.

Stephanie Dubois (CAN)  
Age: 24 (10/31/86)  
Hometown: Laval, Canada  
Ranking: 156

Dubois has been a steady fixture in and around the Top 100 over the past few years. She has competed in the main draws of three of the four Grand Slam events each of the last three seasons, advancing to the second round of the US Open in 2009. She peaked at No. 95 in the world rankings in 2008. In 2010, Dubois advanced to her 13th USTA Pro Circuit singles final at the $50,000 event in Lexington, Ky., and, in 2009, she reached the second round at the Family Circle Cup in Charleston, S.C., on the WTA tour and qualified for the main draw at Indian Wells. Dubois, the No. 3 Canadian woman, holds an overall 21-8 record in Fed Cup play for Canada and owns five career singles titles and five career doubles titles on the USTA Pro Circuit.
**Irina Falconi**  
Age: 20 (5/4/90)  
Hometown: Jupiter, Fla.  
Ranking: 184  

Falconi turned professional in 2010 following a stellar sophomore campaign at Georgia Tech and, shortly thereafter, became just the 10th qualifying wild card ever to reach the US Open main draw. At Georgia Tech, Falconi earned All-America honors as a freshman and was the No. 1 player in the 2009-10 NCAA season-end Intercollegiate Tennis Association rankings as a sophomore, posting a 40-3 overall record. Following her collegiate career, Falconi moved full-time to the USTA Pro Circuit and wrapped up the 2010 campaign by advancing to the semifinals at the $75,000 event in Phoenix and at the $50,000 events in Kansas City, Mo., and Troy, Ala. She also reached the final at the $25,000 event in Rock Hill, S.C., and won the $10,000 event in Atlanta to rise to No. 184 at year’s end. In doubles, she reached four finals, three at the $50,000 level or better.

**Edina Gallovits (ROU)**  
Age: 26 (12/10/84)  
Hometown: Atlanta  
Ranking: 76  

Gallovits has been a model of consistency throughout her 12-year professional career. She has played in all four Grand Slam singles main draws, advancing to the second round five times, and improved her ranking each year from 2000 to 2008, when she reached a career-high of No. 54. She has finished in the Top 100 each of the last four years and ended 2010 at the highest year-end ranking (No. 75) of her career. After playing primarily on the WTA tour in 2009, Gallovits returned to the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010 with great success, winning three singles titles—including two at the $50,000 level—to improve to second all-time in USTA Pro Circuit singles titles with 12. In Fed Cup play, Gallovits competed for Romania 2001 and 2003 and went 3-3 in singles, 4-8 overall.

**Alexa Glatch**  
Age: 21 (9/10/89)  
Hometown: Newport Beach, Calif.  
Ranking: 296  

Glatch is on the comeback trail after an injury-marred 2010. She enjoyed a career year in 2009, when she propelled the U.S. to the Fed Cup final by winning two of the U.S.’s three points—dropping just six games in four sets against two Top 50 players—in its 3-2 semifinal victory against the Czech Republic. She also defeated No. 14 seed Flavia Pennetta, 6-1, 6-1, in the first round of the 2009 French Open. Last year, Glatch qualified for the main draw of WTA events in Memphis, Copenhagen and Quebec City, where she reached the quarterfinals. As a junior, Glatch reached the final of the girls’ singles and doubles at the 2005 US Open, but suffered career-threatening injuries in a motor scooter accident shortly thereafter. She returned to the USTA Pro Circuit the following year and won her first career pro title at the $10,000 event in Fort Worth, Texas.

**Laura Granville**  
Age: 29 (5/12/81)  
Hometown: Chicago  
Ranking: 449  

A former Top 30 player, Granville has advanced to the third round or better at all four Grand Slams in her career, including the fourth round at Wimbledon in 2002 and 2007, and the third round of the US Open in 2005. She peaked at No. 28 in the world in 2003 and finished in the year-end Top 100 each year from 2002 to 2007. An injury wiped out most of her 2008 season, but she returned to the USTA Pro Circuit in 2009 and won the $25,000 event in Redding, Calif. Overall, Granville has won 15 career USTA Pro Circuit titles (nine singles), including the singles at the $75,000 event in Midland, Mich., in both 2005 and 2008, and she added the doubles title in 2010 in Midland’s first $100,000 event. Granville is the only player to win consecutive USTA Girls’ 18s national titles (1998-99) and NCAA singles titles (2000-01 at Stanford University), and she was a member of the U.S. Fed Cup team in 2008.

**Carly Gullickson**  
Age: 24 (11/26/86)  
Hometown: Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.  
Ranking: 348  

An accomplished doubles player, Gullickson captured the mixed doubles title at the 2009 US Open with Travis Parrott, defeating the top three seeds en route to the title. Fully recovered from an assortment of injuries that slowed her ascent in 2007, Gullickson qualified for both the French Open and the US Open in singles in 2009 and reached the quarterfinals at the 2010 Olympus US Open Series event in Cincinnati with her sister, Chelsey, the 2010 NCAA singles champion. Gullickson’s father, Bill, was a professional pitcher who led the American League with 20 wins for the 1991 Detroit Tigers.
Chelsey Gullickson  
**Age: 20 (8/29/90)  Hometown: Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.  Ranking: 798**

Gullickson won the 2010 NCAA Division I singles title to become the University of Georgia’s first NCAA women’s singles champion since 1994. In turn, she received a wild card into the 2010 US Open, where she faced No. 1 seed Caroline Wozniacki in the first round. In 2009, Gullickson was named the Intercollegiate Tennis Association Rookie of the Year and tied a school record with 69 total wins. She won her first USTA Pro Circuit singles title at the $25,000 event in Raleigh, N.C., in 2008 and, that same year, teamed with sister Carly to reach the doubles final at the $25,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Hammond, La. The sisters also paired to reach the quarterfinals at the Olympus US Open Series event in Cincinnati last year.

Jamie Hampton  

Hampton played the best tennis of her career in 2010, rising an astounding 593 spots in the WTA rankings (from No. 726 to No. 133 at season’s end) by reaching the singles final at eight USTA Pro Circuit events, with victories at a USTA Pro Circuit-best four tournaments, two at the $50,000 level. She also won her second career USTA Pro Circuit doubles title. Hampton was rewarded for her efforts on the USTA Pro Circuit with a wild card into the main draw of the 2010 US Open, where she took a set from No. 22 seed Maria Jose Martinez Sanchez in the first round. As a junior, Hampton twice won the USTA Girls’ 18s doubles title (2007-08) to earn a wild card into the US Open women’s doubles draw, and she competed in the US Open juniors in singles or doubles each year from 2005 to 2008.

Krista Hardebeck  
**Age: 16 (9/20/94)  Hometown: Santa Ana, Calif.  Ranking: 397**

Hardebeck established herself as one of the most promising young players in the U.S. last year, with strong results in the juniors and on the USTA Pro Circuit. In April, she went 12-0 in junior singles play, winning the the USTA International Spring Championships and the Easter Bowl without dropping a set to join Sam Querrey and Melanie Oudin as the only players to win both titles in back-to-back weeks. Hardebeck also posted her best professional result last year, qualifying and advancing to the quarterfinals of the $50,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Carson, Calif. For her successes, Hardebeck was awarded a wild card into the 2010 US Open Qualifying Tournament, where she won her opening match. Hardebeck was also recognized by Sports Illustrated in May in the magazine’s “Faces in the Crowd” section, and, in August, the magazine named her a player to watch in the coming years.

Angela Haynes  
**Age: 26 (9/27/84)  Hometown: Victorville, Calif.  Ranking: 573**

Haynes found success at the Grand Slams in the early stages of her career, advancing to the third round of the 2004 US Open and taking a set from Serena Williams in the first round of Wimbledon in 2005. Injuries have proved troublesome since, but Haynes has remained a steady presence in American tennis. In 2008, she advanced to the semifinals of tour-level Quebec City as a qualifier (falling to then-world No. 11 Nadia Petrova). The following year, she reached the third round at Indian Wells, qualified for two WTA events, won a round in qualifying at the French Open and Wimbledon, and advanced to the final round of qualifying at the US Open. Overall, she holds eight career USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles, including a victory at the $25,000 event in El Paso, Texas, in 2010 with Ahsha Rolle, along with two career singles titles.

Madison Keys  
**Age: 15 (2/17/95)  Hometown: Boca Raton, Fla.  Ranking: 485**

Keys is among the most promising young American players, and already has achieved success on the professional level. In 2009, she became the youngest player (14 years, 48 days) since Martina Hingis in 1994 to win a WTA match, defeating Alla Kudryavtseva in Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., and the youngest ever to compete in World TeamTennis, where she defeated Serena Williams in a singles match. Keys continued her ascent in 2010 on the USTA Pro Circuit, advancing to the semifinals of five events, winning her first professional title at the $10,000 event in Cleveland and reaching the final at the $25,000 event in Bayamon, Puerto Rico. She also received a wild card into the 2010 US Open Qualifying Tournament, where she lost in three sets in the first round. A standout junior, Keys was a girls’ 16s finalist at the 2008 Dunlop Orange Bowl and won the 2010 Pan-American Closed Championships.

* All information as of January 3, 2011
Michaella Krajicek (NED)
Age: 21 (1/9/89)  Hometown: Bradenton, Fla.  Ranking: 145
Krajicek finished in the Top 40 of the WTA rankings in 2006 and 2007, reaching the third round at the 2006 Australian Open and 2007 French Open, as well as the quarterfinals at Wimbledon in 2007. Injuries slowed her progress, but Krajicek has been working her way back into form on the USTA Pro Circuit. She holds three WTA-level singles titles and in 2010 won her fourth tour doubles titles, in Memphis with Vania King. She captured her first USTA Pro Circuit singles title in 2009 at the $50,000 event in Boston and won her second $50,000 event in Charlottesville, Va., in early 2010. In 2004, the former world junior No. 1 won the singles and doubles titles at the US Open juniors and won the junior French Open doubles title as well. Krajicek is the younger sister of 1996 Wimbledon champion Richard Krajicek.

Lindsay Lee-Waters
Lee-Waters, a mother of two, was the leading money winner on the women’s USTA Pro Circuit in 2009 and had another successful year in 2010, winning four USTA Pro Circuit doubles events (all with Megan Moulton-Levy) and advancing to two singles finals, including at the $75,000 event in Albuquerque, N.M. Lee-Waters first broke into the Top 50 in 1995, when she qualified for Wimbledon and upset Pam Shriver in the opening round. Since taking time off in 2000 to give birth to her first child, a daughter, Lee-Waters has played primarily on the USTA Pro Circuit. Overall, she holds 30 USTA Pro Circuit career titles (19 in doubles), tying her for second all-time with Nana Miyagi. She has also competed in 13 US Opens, either in the qualifying or main draw, and reached the second round in 1995 and 2004.

Varvara Lepchenko
Lepchenko, a native of Uzbekistan, has been a consistent presence in the Top 100 for the past two years. After a steady rise on the USTA Pro Circuit—she finished sixth or better on the USTA Pro Circuit prize money list each year from 2005 to 2008—Lepchenko advanced to the second round of both the French Open and Wimbledon in 2010 and qualified for WTA events in Miami; Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.; Rome; and at the Olympus US Open Series event in New Haven, Conn. She also captured three USTA Pro Circuit singles titles, including back-to-back titles at the $50,000 event in Grapevine, Texas, and the $75,000 event in Albuquerque, N.M., to close the year, putting her second on the 2010 USTA Pro Circuit prize money list. Lepchenko has been living in the U.S. since 2001 after receiving political asylum. She changed her nationality in 2007 to play for the U.S., and will officially obtain U.S. citizenship this year.

Mirjana Lucic (CRO)
Lucic was one of the tennis’ rising stars in the late 1990s, peaking at No. 32 in 1998 and advancing to the semifinals of Wimbledon in 1999. She also won the 1998 Australian Open doubles title with Martina Hingis and, in singles, advanced to the third round at the US Open in 1997 and 1998, and at the French Open in 2001. Lucic, however, went into semi-retirement in 2003, playing in just two events between the 2003 US Open and the 2007 WTA event in Memphis, both at the $75,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Dothan, Ala. She officially launched her comeback in 2007 on the USTA Pro Circuit, and won the first two USTA Pro Circuit titles of her comeback in 2010. She also qualified for Wimbledon and the US Open, where she reached the second round, and finished the season ranked in the Top 100 for the first time in 10 years.

Rebecca Marino (CAN)
Age: 20 (12/16/90)  Hometown: Vancouver, Canada  Ranking: 104
Marino had the best season of her young career in 2010, and was named Tennis Canada’s Player of the Year after becoming the country’s top-ranked player and rising to the cusp of the Top 100. She won three events last year, including the back-to-back $50,000 USTA Pro Circuit events in Kansas City, Mo., and Troy, Ala., and reached the semifinals or better at three additional $50,000 events. Also in 2010, Marino reached the second round of the US Open in her Grand Slam tournament main draw debut, falling, 7-6, 6-3, to Venus Williams. She also competed in the qualifying at the Australian Open, French Open and Wimbledon. Marino was top junior player as well, winning four events in 2007, including the Canadian Open Junior Championships.
Christina McHale  
**Age:** 18 (5/11/92)  
**Hometown:** Englewood Cliffs, N.J.  
**Ranking:** 109

One of the rising stars in American tennis, McHale came into her own as a professional in 2010, finishing the season at No. 109 in the world rankings. She won a USTA playoff to earn a main draw wild card into the 2010 French Open and achieved her best pro result by reaching the semifinals of the WTA event in Quebec City. McHale also upset Nadia Petrova en route to the fourth round at the Olympus US Open Series event in Cincinnati and competed in the main draw of the US Open for a second straight year. In 2009, McHale captured the USTA Girls’ 18s singles crown to earn a wild card into the US Open, where she became just the second USTA Girls’ 18s champion this century to win her first round match. She also won the 2009 Easter Bowl title to crack the Top 10 in the world junior rankings.

Alexandra Mueller  
**Age:** 22 (2/14/88)  
**Hometown:** Abington, Pa.  
**Ranking:** 417

Mueller won the inaugural US Open National Playoffs in 2010, defeating former world No. 51 Alina Jidkova 6-0, 6-3, in the final, to earn a wild card into the 2010 US Open Qualifying Tournament. In all, Mueller captured three USTA Pro Circuit titles last year, including both the singles and doubles titles at the $10,000 event in Landisville, Pa, and she reached the semifinals at the $50,000 event in Boston. She also reached the doubles final of three $50,000 events: at Charlottesville, Va., and Raleigh, N.C., with Ahsha Rolle, and at Toronto with Brittany Augustine. Mueller first made waves in 2003, when she won the $10,000 ITF event in Mont Tremblant, Canada, at age 15, and played on the U.S. Junior Fed Cup team. She competed in the doubles main draw of the US Open in 2004 and 2007.

Asia Muhammad  
**Age:** 19 (4/4/91)  
**Hometown:** Henderson, Nev.  
**Ranking:** 469

Muhammad learned to play tennis at the Andre Agassi Boys and Girls Club in Las Vegas, where she trained to become a Top 10 junior. In 2009, she won the doubles title at the USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships with partner Christina McHale, earning a wild card into the women’s doubles main draw at the US Open. Also at the Open that year, Muhammad upset the top seed of the girls’ singles en route to the round of 16. Muhammad reached her first $50,000 final on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2008 in Las Vegas and has since become a USTA Pro Circuit regular. Last year, she advanced to the quarterfinals of the $50,000 events in Carson, Calif., and Lexington, Ky., and won the doubles title at the $50,000 event in Troy, Ala. Muhammad’s father, Ronald, played basketball at USC, and her mother, Faye, was an All-American basketball player at Long Beach State.

Lilia Osterloh  
**Age:** 32 (4/7/78)  
**Hometown:** Aliso Viejo, Calif.  
**Ranking:** 237

Osterloh has been competing on the WTA tour for more than a decade, finishing in the year-end Top 100 each year from 1999 to 2001 and again in 2007. She achieved a career-high ranking of No. 41 in April 2001 after reaching the fourth round at Wimbledon and the US Open in 2000. On the WTA tour, Osterloh has advanced to the singles semifinals in three events and has captured two doubles titles. She won USTA Pro Circuit singles titles at the $75,000 event in Pittsburgh in 2005 and the $50,000 event in Waikoloa, Hawaii, in 2006; overall, she has reached nine USTA Pro Circuit singles finals since 1996. Osterloh also owns seven USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles and reached the doubles final of the $100,000 event in Midland, Mich., in 2010. She is one of just four women to have won both the NCAA singles title (at Stanford) and USTA Girls’ 18s Championships.

Shenay Perry  
**Age:** 26 (7/6/84)  
**Hometown:** Coral Springs, Fla.  
**Ranking:** 197

Perry reached the third round at the French Open and the fourth round at Wimbledon in 2006 to peak at No. 40 in the world. Her rise up the rankings was halted, however, when she suffered a knee injury that kept her from playing singles events from mid-2007 to mid-2008. Healthy once again in 2009, Perry won $75,000 USTA Pro Circuit events in Dothan, Ala., and Albuquerque, N.M., and qualified for the US Open, where she advanced to the second round. She played consistently on the WTA tour in 2010, qualifying for the Australian Open and Wimbledon (reaching the second round at the All England Club) and competing in the French Open. For her career, Perry holds 15 USTA Pro Circuit titles (eight singles, seven doubles), and she has reached the quarterfinals or better four times on the WTA tour.

* All information as of January 3, 2011
**Alison Riske**  

Riske enjoyed a breakthrough 2010, highlighted by reaching the semifinals of the Wimbledon tune-up event in Birmingham, England, where she defeated former Top 20 players Ana Chakvetadze and Yanina Wickmayer before falling in three sets to Maria Sharapova; that showing earned Riske a wild card into Wimbledon. After losing in the qualifying of the 2010 US Open, Riske returned to Circuit events and reached four consecutive ITF Circuit finals (all at $50,000 tournaments or better), winning three. Overall, she improved her ranking more than 750 places from the start of 2009 to the end of 2010, finishing the season at a career-best No. 115. As a junior, Riske rose to No. 2 in the USTA Girls’ 18s national standings and was a finalist at the 2007 USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships. She also served as a practice partner for the U.S.’s 2008 Fed Cup semifinal against Russia.

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**Shelby Rogers**  
*Age: 18 (10/13/92) Hometown: Daniel Island, S.C. Ranking: 340*

Rogers burst onto the tennis scene in early 2010, winning a pre-qualifying tournament to earn a qualifying wild card into the Family Circle Cup in Charleston, S.C., on the WTA tour, and qualifying and advancing to her first USTA Pro Circuit final, at the $50,000 event in Indian Harbour Beach, Fla. She also reached the quarterfinals in singles at the $75,000 event in Vancouver and the final in doubles at the $10,000 event in Mount Pleasant, S.C. On the junior circuit, Rogers won the USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships to earn a wild card into the main draw of the 2010 US Open for her first appearance in a Grand Slam (in the either main draw or the juniors). In other junior highlights, she reached the quarterfinals of the Easter Bowl in 2009 and reached the Panama Bowl final in 2008.

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**Ahsha Rolle**  
*Age: 25 (3/21/85) Hometown: Miami Shores, Fla. Ranking: 286*

Rolle broke through at the 2007 US Open, upsetting then-world No. 18 Tatiana Golovin en route to the third round. That same year she qualified for the Australian Open and reached the third round at the WTA event in Indian Wells, defeating No. 29 seed Meghann Shaughnessy in the second round. In 2010, Rolle reached the quarterfinals at eight USTA Pro Circuit events (including the $75,000 event in Albuquerque, N.M.) and won two doubles titles. In 2008, Rolle qualified for the Olympus US Open Series event in Los Angeles and won a singles match as a member of the U.S. Fed Cup team in the World Group semifinals against Russia. She is a 10-time champion on the USTA Pro Circuit (three singles, seven doubles).

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**Abigail Spears**  
*Age: 29 (7/12/81) Hometown: San Diego Ranking: 263*

Spears has played extensively on the WTA tour throughout her career, having advanced to the singles final of Quebec City, Canada, in 2004 and the third round of the Australian Open in 2005, when she reached a career-high singles ranking of No. 66. She has also won five tour-level doubles titles, one each year from 2003 to 2005 and two in 2009, when she climbed to No. 40 in the individual doubles rankings. On the USTA Pro Circuit, Spears holds 16 doubles titles spanning 2001 to 2010, which ranks fifth all-time, with her last title coming at the $50,000 event in Kansas City, Mo., in October 2010. She also captured her first USTA Pro Circuit singles title since 2004 last year, at the $25,000 event in Surprise, Ariz. Spears played one season of college tennis at UCLA (1999-2000) and, as a junior, won USTA Girls’ 18s doubles titles in 1998 and 1999 with different partners.

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**Sloane Stephens**  
*Age: 17 (3/20/93) Hometown: Lauderdale, Fla. Ranking: 204*

Stephens was one of the stars of the world junior circuit in 2010, winning the girls’ doubles titles (with Timea Babos) at the French Open, Wimbledon and the US Open. Stephens also reached the singles quarterfinals or better at the same three junior Slams, including the semifinals in Flushing Meadows. In addition, she won her first professional tour-level match at the WTA event in Indian Wells, Calif., beating Lucie Hradecka. In Circuit play, she reached her first career final at an ITF Circuit event in Italy and advanced to the semifinals at a $50,000 event in Toronto. Her results last year followed a stellar 2009, when Stephens climbed to No. 5 in the ITF junior world rankings. In 2008, she helped lead the U.S. to the Junior Fed Cup title and teamed with Robert Kendrick to upset the No. 1 seeds in mixed doubles at the US Open.
**Alexandra Stevenson**  
**Age:** 30 (12/21/80)  
**Hometown:** San Diego  
**Ranking:** 351  

Stevenson first made waves in professional tennis more than a decade ago, becoming the first female qualifier in Wimbledon history to reach the semifinals. She was ranked in the year-end Top 100 each year from 1999 to 2003, and peaked at No. 18 in the world in 2002 after reaching her second WTA tour final of the year. Injuries drove her rankings into the 600s in 2005, but Stevenson rebounded to climb back into the Top 200 in 2009, advancing to the final at the $50,000 event in Carson, Calif., for her best result on the USTA Pro Circuit since winning the $50,000 event in Midland, Mich., in 1998. In 2010, Stevenson, the daughter of basketball Hall of Famer Julius Erving, reached the semifinals at the $50,000 event in Grapevine, Texas, as well as the quarterfinals at two additional $50,000 events.

**Ajla Tomljanovic (CRO)**  
**Age:** 17 (7/5/93)  
**Hometown:** Zagreb, Croatia  
**Rank:** 164  

Tomljanovic rose more than 150 places in the WTA rankings in 2010, her first full year of solely professional events, largely on the strength of her USTA Pro Circuit results. She opened the season by qualifying and winning the $25,000 event in Plantation, Fla., and in April reached the final at another $25,000 event, in Pelham, Ala. She then captured an ITF Circuit title in Prague and reached the round of 16 at the WTA event in Memphis. Tomljanovic also made her debut in Fed Cup play last year, going 2-1 in singles for Croatia. She peaked at No. 4 in the junior world rankings in 2009, when she reached the semifinals of the Dunlop Orange Bowl and won the doubles title at the Australian Open with American Christina McHale.

**Coco Vandeweghe**  
**Age:** 19 (12/6/91)  
**Hometown:** Rancho Mirage, Calif.  
**Ranking:** 116  

Vandeweghe charged up the rankings in 2010, rising to No. 116 after defeating five Top 100 players to qualify and advance to the quarterfinals of the $2 million event in Tokyo. She also reached the quarterfinals at the 2010 Olympus US Open Series event in San Diego, defeating 2010 year-end No. 2 Vera Zvonareva en route. In addition, Vandeweghe played in the Australian Open and US Open main draws, won her first USTA Pro Circuit title at the $50,000 event in Carson, Calif., and was named to the U.S. Fed Cup team for the final against Italy. As a junior in 2008, Vandeweghe won the US Open girls’ singles title, becoming the first American to do so in 13 years, and also claimed the USTA Girls’ 18s doubles crown. Vandeweghe’s mom, Tauna, was an Olympian in both swimming and volleyball, and her uncle is former NBA star Kiki Vandeweghe.

**Mashona Washington**  
**Age:** 34 (5/31/76)  
**Hometown:** Houston  
**Ranking:** 364  

Washington finished 2004 ranked No. 50 in the world after reaching her first WTA final, in Tokyo, and advancing to the quarterfinals at the Olympic US Open Series events in Stanford, Calif., and New Haven, Conn., where she defeated then-world No. 7 Maria Sharapova. In 2005, Washington achieved her best showing in a Grand Slam by reaching the third round at Wimbledon. Her rise was halted when she suffered a knee injury in July 2006 while playing for the U.S. Fed Cup team in Belgium; due to the injury, she did not compete in singles again for more than a year. Washington returned to the winner’s circle in May 2008, qualifying and taking the title at the $50,000 event in Carson, Calif., for her third career USTA Pro Circuit singles title. She also holds 11 career USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles, including back-to-back $25,000 crowns in Florida in January of last year and a third title, won at the $50,000 event in Grapevine, Texas, in November.

**Caitlin Whoriskey**  
**Age:** 22 (4/19/88)  
**Hometown:** East Sandwich, Mass.  
**Ranking:** 692  

Whoriskey was named the 2010 Intercollegiate Tennis Association’s National Senior Player of the Year for Division I women’s tennis after leading the University of Tennessee to the quarterfinals of the NCAA Tournament for the first time in eight seasons. Whoriskey was named to the USTA Summer Collegiate Team last year and in 2009, posting promising results. In 2010, she won back-to-back doubles titles at $10,000 events in Cleveland and Mount Pleasant, S.C., and also reached the doubles final of the $25,000 event in Rock Hill, S.C. In singles, she advanced to the quarterfinals of three $10,000 events last summer, and in 2009 advanced to her first career USTA Pro Circuit singles final at the $10,000 event in St. Joseph, Mo., where she lost to fellow collegiate All-American Irina Falconi.
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<td>Kristie Ahn</td>
<td>18 (6/15/92) Upper Saddle River, N.J</td>
<td>514</td>
<td>Reached the singles final of the $50,000 event in Carson, Calif., on USTA Pro Circuit in 2010 and captured the doubles title at the $50,000 event in Raleigh, N.C. … Enrolled at Stanford in the fall. … Became the youngest player to ever qualify for main draw at US Open, in 2008. … As a junior, won the 2008 USTA Girls’ 18s National Spring Championships.</td>
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<td>Robin Anderson</td>
<td>17 (4/12/93) Matawan, N.J.</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>Reached the quarterfinals of the 2010 US Open juniors, and advanced to the semifinals of the Easter Bowl and the quarterfinals of the Orange Bowl. … Reached the singles and doubles semifinals at the $10,000 event in Landisville, Pa., on USTA Pro Circuit in 2010, her best pro result.</td>
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<td>Brittany Augustine</td>
<td>19 (9/19/91) El Segundo, Calif.</td>
<td>530</td>
<td>Reached the semifinals of the $10,000 event in Brownsville, Texas, in 2009, her best USTA Pro Circuit showing. … Practiced with the Williams sisters and Lindsay Davenport while on the 2003 Junior U.S. Fed Cup Team. … Father was a pro soccer player in Trinidad and Tobago.</td>
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<td>Hilary Barte</td>
<td>22 (11/17/88) Chatsworth, Calif.</td>
<td>913</td>
<td>All-American at Stanford was the 2009 Pac-10 Player of the Year. … Won the 2009-10 NCAA women’s doubles title, earning a wild card into US Open with Lindsay Burdette. … Finished season with a national collegiate singles ranking of No. 3. … Reached the singles quarters and the doubles semis at the $10,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Atlanta in 2010.</td>
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<td>Gail Brodsky</td>
<td>19 (6/5/91) Brooklyn, N.Y.</td>
<td>383</td>
<td>Won the doubles title at the $10,000 event in Landisville, Pa., on USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. … Also won the singles title at a $10,000 event in Portugal on clay. … Earned a wild card into the 2008 US Open after winning the USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships; also played in the US Open main draw in 2009. … Mother was a gymnast and father was a professional rower in Ukraine, where Gail was born.</td>
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<td>Mallory Burdette</td>
<td>19 (1/28/91) Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>Reached the girls’ doubles final at the 2008 US Open with Sloane Stephens. … Currently attends Stanford, where she was named Pac-10 Freshman of the Year and finished with a national singles ranking of No. 32 in 2009-10. … Won the deciding match in Stanford’s 4-3 victory over Florida in the 2010 NCAA women’s team final; won the MVP of the NCAA Championships All-Tournament team.</td>
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<td>Jacqueline Cako</td>
<td>19 (8/30/91) Brier, Wash.</td>
<td>431</td>
<td>Owns two career USTA Pro Circuit singles titles. … Won the doubles title at the $10,000 event in Hilton Head, S.C., and qualified for $75,000 Phoenix in 2010. … As a junior, reached the final at the 2008 International Spring Championships. … Formerly competed in gymnastics, but stopped competition after growing to 5-foot-10.</td>
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<td>Mallory Cecil</td>
<td>20 (7/18/90) Spartanburg, S.C.</td>
<td>601</td>
<td>Won the 2009 NCAA Division I singles title as a freshman and led the Duke women’s squad to its first-ever NCAA team title. … Named the 2009 ITA National Player of the Year and earned a wild card into 2009 US Open. … Won the doubles title at $25,000 event in Pelham, Ala., in 2010 on USTA Pro Circuit and also reached the singles final at $25,000 ITF event in Great Britain.</td>
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<td>Courtney Dolehide</td>
<td>18 (3/25/92) Hinsdale, Ill.</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>Currently competing as a freshman for UCLA. … Won the 2010 US Open National Playoffs Northern Sectional Qualifying Tournament. … Reached her first pro final at $10,000 event in Wichita, Kan., on USTA Pro Circuit in 2009. … Took third place in singles and doubles at the 2008 USTA Girls’ 18s National Winter Championships. … Featured on ESPNRise.com, which celebrates high school athletics.</td>
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<td>Jennifer Elie</td>
<td>24 (9/22/86) New York</td>
<td>405</td>
<td>Reached the semifinals of the $50,000 event in Boston on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. … Holds two USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles. … Has competed in international ITF Circuit events in Mexico, Sweden, Korea, Australia and New Zealand. … Coached by her father.</td>
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<td>Heidi El Tabakh</td>
<td>24 (9/25/86) Toronto, Canada</td>
<td>199</td>
<td>Qualified for the French Open and Olympus US Open Series event in Montreal in 2010. … Won the doubles title at $75,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Vancouver. … Finished 2010 as the No. 4 Canadian woman in the world rankings. … Holds five career USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles.</td>
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<td>Lauren Embree</td>
<td>19 (1/10/91) Naples, Fla.</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>Made her Grand Slam debut in 2009 after winning USTA wild card playoff to gain entry into French Open. … Led the University of Florida to the SEC tournament title as the team’s No. 1 singles player during her freshman year (2009-10). … Reached the singles and doubles finals at 2009 USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships and 2009 Easter Bowl (where she won the doubles title).</td>
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<td>Amanda Fink</td>
<td>24 (12/4/86) Calabasas, Calif.</td>
<td>415</td>
<td>Four-year letter winner at USC. … Named the ITA Rookie of the Year in 2006. … Won the Pac-10 singles and doubles championships her senior year. … Won her first pro title at $10,000 event in Atlanta on USTA Pro Circuit in 2008. … Reached the doubles final of the $75,000 event in Vancouver in 2010.</td>
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<td>Kristy Frilling</td>
<td>20 (1/8/90) Sidney, Ohio</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>Competes for Notre Dame and has appeared in both the NCAA singles and doubles championships, earning All-America honors in 2009. … Won doubles title at $10,000 event in Atlanta on USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. … Reached the doubles semifinals at 2008 Olympus US Open Series event in Cincinnati with Madison Brengle.</td>
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<td>Daria Gavrilova</td>
<td>16 (3/5/94) Moscow, Russia</td>
<td>539</td>
<td>Won the 2010 US Open girls’ title and advanced to the semifinals in doubles. … Finished 2010 as the No. 1-ranked junior in the ITF World Junior Rankings. … Also in 2010, reached the quarterfinals of the $25,000 event in Redding, Calif., on USTA Pro Circuit and won the singles title at the Youth Olympic Games in Singapore.</td>
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<td>Nicole Gibbs</td>
<td>17 (3/3/93) Manhattan Beach, Calif.</td>
<td>426</td>
<td>Top American junior is a freshman at Stanford. … Reached the final of the USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships and competed in the US Open juniors in 2010. … Won the doubles title at the $50,000 event in Raleigh, N.C., on the USTA Pro Circuit … Reached the quarterfinals at the $50,000 event in Carson, Calif., in 2009.</td>
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<td>Ester Goldfeld</td>
<td>17 (7/4/93) Brooklyn, N.Y.</td>
<td>628</td>
<td>Won her first pro tournament in doubles in Wichita, Kan., and reached her first singles final in Brownsville, Texas, both $10,000 events on the USTA Pro Circuit, in 2009. … As a junior, reached the singles and doubles quarterfinals at the 2010 Australian Open, and won the singles title at the 2009 International Hard Court Championships.</td>
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<td>Sacha Jones</td>
<td>20 (11/8/90) New Zealand</td>
<td>253</td>
<td>No. 1 player in New Zealand. … Broke her shoulder while mountain biking in 2009, but returned and won four consecutive $25,000 titles (three in Australia and one in Rock Hill, S.C., on the USTA Pro Circuit) starting in September 2009. … Also won a $25,000 ITF event in Australia in September 2010 … Went 4-4 in singles and doubles for New Zealand’s Fed Cup team in 2010.</td>
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<td>Sesil Karatantcheva</td>
<td>21 (8/8/89) Bulgaria</td>
<td>140</td>
<td>Peaked at a career-high No. 35 in 2005. … Advanced to quarterfinals of 2005 French Open, upsetting Venus Williams in the third round. … Received a wild card into 2010 Australian Open. … Three-time singles champion on the USTA Pro Circuit, including two titles in 2008. … Suspended from play, 2006-07, after testing positive for the steroid nandrolone.</td>
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<td>Raquel Kops-Jones</td>
<td>28 (12/8/82) Fresno, Calif.</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>Won two WTA doubles titles in 2009. ... Holds 13 career USTA Pro Circuit titles, 12 in doubles. ... Was a five-time All-American at the University of California-Berkeley and became the first Cal player named ITA National Senior Player of the Year (2004).</td>
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<td>Regina Kulikova (RUS)</td>
<td>21 (1/30/89) Switzerland</td>
<td>114</td>
<td>Born in Kazakhstan. ... Reached the third round at Wimbledon in 2010 and in 2009 as a qualifier, defeating No. 27 seed Alisa Kleybanova in 2009. ... Qualified for the 2010 Australian Open. ... Reached the quarterfinals of the WTA event in Dubai in 2010. ... Won two $50,000 events on USTA Pro Circuit in 2009 (Kansas City, Mo., Las Vegas).</td>
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<td>Lena Litvak</td>
<td>22 (11/15/88) Bronx, N.Y.</td>
<td>395</td>
<td>Born in the Ukraine. ... Played at Harvard for one year before turning pro. ... Qualified for two $75,000 USTA Pro Circuit events in 2009 (Ottawa, Ala., Vancouver). ... Reached the second round at the $25,000 event in Bayamon, Puerto Rico, in 2010. ... Has competed in ITF Circuit events in Korea, Greece, Israel and Portugal.</td>
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<td>Elizabeth Lumpkin</td>
<td>24 (5/24/86) Naperville, N.M.</td>
<td>549</td>
<td>Won the doubles title at the $10,000 event in Amelia Island, Fla., on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. ... Won her first pro title at a $10,000 event in Evansville, Ind., in 2009. ... Helped lead UCLA to the NCAA team title in 2008. ... Served on the Bruin Athletic Council for three years and earned the West Region Arthur Ashe Leadership Award.</td>
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<td>Tetiana Luzhanska</td>
<td>26 (9/4/84) Ukraine</td>
<td>264</td>
<td>Won the doubles title at the $75,000 event in Phoenix and the $50,000 event in Boston on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. ... In singles, reached the quarterfinals or better at four events. ... Broke into Top 100 in doubles in 2007 and peaked at No. 159 in singles in 2008.</td>
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<td>Kyle McPhillips</td>
<td>16 (4/5/94) Cleveland</td>
<td>836</td>
<td>Won the doubles title at 2010 USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships to earn a doubles main draw wild card into US Open. ... Reached the singles final at Dunlop Orange Bowl in December 2010. ... Won her first international junior title in February 2010 at event in Chile. ... On the USTA Pro Circuit, reached the quarterfinals of $25,000 event in Rock Hill, S.C.</td>
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<td>Grace Min</td>
<td>16 (6/5/94) Lawrenceville, Ga.</td>
<td>606</td>
<td>Won the doubles title at 2010 USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships to earn a doubles main draw wild card into US Open. ... Reached the singles final at Dunlop Orange Bowl in December 2010. ... Won her first international junior title in February 2010 at event in Chile. ... On the USTA Pro Circuit, reached the quarterfinals of $25,000 event in Rock Hill, S.C.</td>
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<td>Petra Rampre</td>
<td>30 (1/20/80) Slovenia</td>
<td>374</td>
<td>Won the singles title at the $10,000 USTA Pro Circuit event in Mount Pleasant, S.C., in 2010, and reached the semifinals at the $50,000 event in Carson, Calif. ... Reached the third round in doubles at the French Open in 2000. ... Also competed in main draw doubles at the Australian Open and Wimbledon. ... Has competed for Slovenia’s Fed Cup team, going 1-4 overall.</td>
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<td>Katherine Ruckert</td>
<td>27 (5/3/83) Madison, Va.</td>
<td>581</td>
<td>Played for three years at the University of Texas, earning All-America honors. ... Named the ITA Southwest Region Rookie of the Year as a freshman in 2002. ... Won back-to-back $10,000 ITF Circuit events in Venezuela in both 2007 and 2008. ... In 2010, qualified for the main draw at $50,000 ITF event in Toronto and reached quarters or better at five tournaments worldwide.</td>
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<td>Maria Sanchez</td>
<td>21 (11/26/89) Modesto, Calif.</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>USC senior enters 2010-11 season at No. 3 in the collegiate rankings. … Won 2010 USTA/ITA National Indoor Intercollegiate Championships women’s singles title. … Named to the 2010 USTA Summer Collegiate Team. … Has won two career USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles. … Advanced to the semifinals at $10,000 event in St. Joseph, Mo., in 2009.</td>
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<td>Laura Siegemund</td>
<td>22 (3/4/88) Germany</td>
<td>220</td>
<td>Reached the singles final at the $50,000 event in Charlottesville, Va., and won the doubles title at the $25,000 event in Laguna Niguel, Calif., on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. … Also won $25,000 doubles events in Germany and France last year.</td>
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<td>Anna Tatishvili</td>
<td>20 (2/3/90) Boca Raton, Fla.</td>
<td>134</td>
<td>Advanced to the semifinals in singles and doubles at the $75,000 event in Albuquerque, N.M., on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. … Won the singles title at the $50,000 events in Boston and Troy, Ala., in 2008. … Won her first WTA match in 2006 in Miami. … Competed on the 2009 Georgian Fed Cup team.</td>
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<td>Ellen Tsay</td>
<td>17 (10/8/93) Pleasanton, Calif.</td>
<td>588</td>
<td>Won the singles title at the 2009 Girls’ 18s Winter National Championships and the doubles title at the 2010 International Spring Championships. … Won the doubles title at $10,000 event in St. Joseph, Mo., on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. … Swept the girls’ 16s singles and doubles titles at the 2008 Easter Bowl. … Has won prize money in piano and writing competitions.</td>
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<td>Story Tweedie-Yates</td>
<td>27 (5/2/83) Redmond, Wash.</td>
<td>824</td>
<td>Won NCAA team national championships at Stanford in 2002 and 2004 (earning All-America honors) before transferring to Texas Christian for her senior year. … Owns three career USTA Pro Circuit doubles titles, including at the $10,000 event in Amelia Island, Fla., in 2010. … Also reached the doubles final at $50,000 event in Lexington, Ky.</td>
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<td>Chanelle Van Nguyen</td>
<td>16 (1/19/94) Miami</td>
<td>749</td>
<td>Won the girls’ 16s title at the 2008 Dunlop Orange Bowl. … Reached the final at both the 2009 USTA Girls’ 16s National Championships and the 2008 USTA Girls’ 14s National Clay Court Championships. … Advanced to the semifinals at $10,000 event in Evansville, Ind., on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010.</td>
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<td>Sachia Vickery</td>
<td>15 (5/11/95) Miramar, Fla.</td>
<td>No ranking</td>
<td>Reached the final at the 2010 International Spring Championships and the round of 16 at the 2010 US Open juniors. … Reached the semifinals at the $10,000 event in Evansville, Ind., on USTA Pro Circuit in 2009. … Won the girls’ 14s title at the 2008 Easter Bowl. … Helped lead U.S. to consecutive titles at World Junior Tennis Championships (14 and under), 2008-09. … Has worked with father of Williams’ sisters, Richard.</td>
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<td>Heather Watson (GBR)</td>
<td>18 (5/19/92) Great Britain</td>
<td>176</td>
<td>Won the singles title at $50,000 ITF event in Toronto in 2010. … Was the world No. 3 junior player at the end of 2009, having won the girls’ singles title at the 2009 US Open and the girls’ doubles title at the 2009 French Open. … Won her first pro title in 2009 at a $10,000 ITF event in Great Britain. … Trains in Florida.</td>
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<td>Ashley Weinhold</td>
<td>21 (6/20/89) Austin, Texas</td>
<td>327</td>
<td>Reached the final of the $50,000 event in Troy, Ala., on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2010. … Holds one career USTA Pro Circuit singles title and five career doubles titles. … Won the 2007 USTA Girls’ 18s title, earning a wildcard into main draw of the US Open. … Played for the World TeamTennis St. Louis Aces in 2009.</td>
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<td>Allie Will</td>
<td>19 (4/20/91) Boca Raton, Fla.</td>
<td>734</td>
<td>Sophomore at University of Florida is ranked No. 5 entering the college season. … Won the doubles title at the $10,000 event in Sunmer, S.C., on the USTA Pro Circuit in 2009. … Reached her first singles final at the $10,000 event in Atlanta in 2010. … Advanced to the doubles final at the 2009 USTA Girls’ 18s National Championships. … Once attempted to return Andy Roddick’s serve.</td>
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