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ROLEX SHANGHAI MASTERS TALKING POINTS

- Spanish No. 2 **Rafael Jodar** meets Spanish No. 3 **Alejandro Davidovich Fokina** in **Rolex Shanghai Masters** championship match, first all-Spanish ATP Masters 1000 final since 2017 Monte-Carlo, and first all-Spanish hard-court final in ATP Masters 1000 series history (since 1990). They are meeting for the first time with the winner becoming the 16th different Spanish ATP Masters 1000 champion and first in Shanghai.

All-Spanish ATP Masters 1000 Finals (since the series began in 1990)

1996 Hamburg	Carretero d. Corretja	2010 Monte-Carlo	Nadal d. Verdasco
1998 Hamburg	A. Costa d. Corretja	2010 Rome	Nadal d. Ferrer
2001 Hamburg	Portas d. Ferrero	2011 Monte-Carlo	Nadal d. Ferrer
2002 Monte-Carlo	Ferrero d. Moya	2017 Monte-Carlo	Nadal d. Ramos-Vinolas

Spanish Shanghai Finalists in Tournament History

Rafael Nadal	2009 (l. to Davydenko)	Rafael Nadal	2017 (l. to Federer)
David Ferrer	2011 (l. to Murray)	Alejandro Davidovich Fokina	2026
Roberto Bautista Agut	2016 (l. to Murray)	Rafael Jodar	2026

- 20-year-old **Rafael Jodar** became the youngest finalist in tournament history and first man born in 2006 or later to reach ATP Masters 1000 final. He now bids to become the third-youngest Spaniard to win his 1st ATP Masters 1000 title after Nadal, 18, at 2005 Monte-Carlo and Alcaraz, 18, at 2022 Miami. Current World No. 13 would secure Top 10 debut on Monday with a title win, breaking the record for the quickest ascent from Top 100 to Top 10 debut in PIF ATP Rankings history after first making his Top 100 debut on March 30 this year.
- 27-year-old **Alejandro Davidovich Fokina** seeks his third and biggest ATP Tour title, after 0-5 start in finals, following ATP 250 titles in Mallorca and Chengdu this season. He is on a 9-match winning streak on Chinese soil after Chengdu title win in September and plays in his second ATP Masters 1000 final (2022 Monte-Carlo, l. to Tsitsipas). The No. 25 seed bids to become the fifth man to win 3+ tour-level titles this season.
- If **Davidovich Fokina** defeats **Jodar** on Sunday, World No. 4 **Ben Shelton** will qualify for the Nitto ATP Finals for the second consecutive season and join Zverev and Alcaraz in this year's lineup so far.

PIF ATP LIVE RACE TO TURIN

Race	Player	Points	Scenario
1	Alexander Zverev (GER)	9,150	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Davidovich Fokina in SF</i>
2	~~Jannik Sinner (ITA)~~	~~7,950~~	<i>Out for the rest of 2026 season</i>
3	Carlos Alcaraz (ESP)	4,600	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Bergs in 3R</i>
4	Ben Shelton (USA)	4,480	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Gea in 3R</i>
5	Flavio Cobolli (ITA)	3,540	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Mannarino in 2R</i>
6	Daniil Medvedev	3,420	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Jodar in SF</i>
7	Frances Tiafoe (USA)	3,380	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Davidovich Fokina in 3R</i>
8	Arthur Fils (FRA)	3,325	<i>Shanghai – Lost to van de Zandschulp in 3R</i>
9	Rafael Jodar (ESP)	3,159	<i>Shanghai – +350 for final win vs. Davidovich Fokina</i>
10	Alex de Minaur (AUS)	2,880	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Zverev in QF</i>
11	Novak Djokovic (SRB)	2,840	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Hurkacz in 2R</i>
12	Tommy Paul (USA)	2,585	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Medvedev in QF</i>
13	Taylor Fritz (USA)	2,530	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Tsitsipas in 3R</i>
14	Jakub Mensik (CZE)	2,495	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Gea in 4R</i>
15	Felix Auger-Aliassime (CAN)	2,465	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Ruud in 4R</i>
16	Brandon Nakashima (USA)	2,325	<i>Shanghai – Lost to Bublik in 3R</i>

BOLD: Qualified for 2026 Nitto ATP Finals in Turin (15-22 November)

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Most Recent Spanish Champion by ATP Masters 1000 Event

Tournament	Latest Champion	Tournament	Latest Champion
Indian Wells	2024 – Carlos Alcaraz	Canada	2022 – Pablo Carreno Busta
Miami	2022 – Carlos Alcaraz	Cincinnati	2025 – Carlos Alcaraz
Monte-Carlo	2025 – Carlos Alcaraz	Shanghai	?
Madrid	2023 – Carlos Alcaraz	Paris	2012 – David Ferrer
Rome	2025 – Carlos Alcaraz		

Spanish ATP Masters 1000 Champions (since the series began in 1990)*

Player	Titles (Hard)	Player	Titles	Player	Titles
Rafael Nadal	36 (10)	Alex Corretja	2 (1)	David Ferrer	1 (1)
Carlos Alcaraz	8 (4)	Juan Aguilera	1	Felix Mantilla	1
Juan Carlos Ferrero	4 (1)	Pablo Carreno Busta	1 (1)	Albert Portas	1
Carlos Moya	3 (1)	Roberto Carretero	1	Tommy Robredo	1
Sergi Bruguera	2	Albert Costa	1	Emilio Sanchez	1

* The winner of Davidovich Fokina vs Jodar encounter will join the list

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STADIUM COURT

[25] Alejandro Davidovich Fokina (ESP) vs [12] Rafael Jodar (ESP) First Meeting

Insights from their 52-week averages:

Player	In Attack	Conversion Score	Steal Score	Serve Quality	Return Quality	Forehand Quality	Backhand Quality
Davidovich Fokina	27%	68%	36%	7.8	7.0	7.3	7.8
Jodar	28%	68%	35%	7.8	6.7	7.6	7.4
<i>Tour Average</i>	24%	67%	33%	7.9	6.4	7.3	7.0

A. Davidovich Fokina | Age: 27 | World No. 26 | Career-High No. 14 | 2026: 32-16 (2 Titles) | Shanghai: 7-3 ('26 F)

> Made Top 20 debut in July 2025 and achieved career-high No. 14 in November 2025 following his run to 5th ATP Tour final in Basel after previously peaking at No. 21 in 2023.

> Broke Djokovic 9 times in Monte-Carlo 2R win, setting record for most breaks of Djokovic in a best-of-3-set match to defeat then-World No. 1 en route to 1st ATP Tour final of career at 2022 ATP Masters 1000 Monte-Carlo.

> After 0-5 start to ATP Tour finals, captured titles in Mallorca and Chengdu during 2026 season.

> Advanced to 1st Grand Slam QF at 2021 Roland Garros, highlighted by 5-set win over Ruud in 3R, and ATP Masters 1000 SFs at 2022 Monte-Carlo, 2023 Toronto and 2025 Monte-Carlo.

> In 2025, advanced to 4 finals, including Delray Beach, where he held 2 championship points vs. Kecmanovic, and Washington, where he squandered 3 championship points vs. de Minaur.

> Ended junior career as World No. 2 after winning Wimbledon boys' singles title and posting 20-1 record in 2017.

NOTE: Davidovich Fokina saved 1 MP to defeat Tiafoe in 3R and now seeks his 3rd ATP Tour title (2-5 in finals) after Mallorca and Chengdu this season. 27-year-old is 3-5 vs. Top 20 in 2026, including wins over No. 10 Tiafoe and No. 2 Zverev this week and would be lowest-ranked ATP Masters 1000 champion since No. 204 Vacherot at this venue last year. Winner of the match will join Fils (Cincinnati) as only first-time ATP Masters 1000 champions so far this season.

2026 Men's Tour-Level Title Leaders*

Player	Titles	Player	Titles	Player	Titles
Jannik Sinner	6	Daniil Medvedev	3	Alejandro Davidovich Fokina	2
Ben Shelton	4	Ignacio Buse	2	Arthur Fils	2
Carlos Alcaraz	3	Francisco Cerundolo	2	Alexander Zverev	2

* Jodar would join the list with his second title of the season

Lowest-Ranked Shanghai Champions

Rank	Player	Year
No. 204	Valentin Vacherot	2025
No. 17	Hubert Hurkacz	2023
No. 8	Nikolay Davydenko	2009

Lowest-Ranked 2026 ATP Masters 1000 Champions

Rank	Player	Tournament
No. 21	Arthur Fils	Cincinnati
No. 10	Ben Shelton	Montreal
No. 2	Jannik Sinner	Indian Wells, Miami, Monte-Carlo

Match Point(s) Saving ATP Masters 1000 Champions since 2020:

Player	Tournament/Opponent	Round	M.P. Saved
Rafael Nadal	2021 Rome – Denis Shapovalov	3R	2 M.P. Saved
Holger Rune	2022 Paris – Stan Wawrinka	1R	3 M.P. Saved
Novak Djokovic	2023 Cincinnati – Carlos Alcaraz	Final	1 M.P. Saved
Hubert Hurkacz	2023 Shanghai – Andrey Rublev	Final	1 M.P. Saved
Alexei Popyrin	2024 Montreal – Grigor Dimitrov	3R	3 M.P. Saved

Rafael Jodar | Age: 20 | World No. 13 | Career-High No. 11 | 2026: 43-16 (Marrakech Title) | Shanghai: 5-0 ('26 Final)
 > Began 2026 season as No. 168, breaking into Top 100 in March, Top 50 in April and Top 20 in August, achieving career-high No. 11 after becoming first man born in 2006 to reach ATP Masters 1000 SF in Montreal.
 > Captured 1st ATP Tour title at 2026 Marrakech in his first tour-level event on clay followed by run on home soil to Barcelona SF and Madrid QF, joining Nadal and Alcaraz as only Spanish teenagers to reach QFs of both in a season.
 > Qualified for tour-level debut at 2026 Australian Open and entered 2026 Roland Garros as No. 27 seed, advancing to his first Grand Slam quarter-final in tournament debut.
 > Posted 41-13 Challenger record in 2025, highlighted by titles at Hersonissos-3, Lincoln and Charlottesville, winning on home campus to become third Spanish teenager to win 3 Challenger titles after Almagro and Alcaraz.
 > Played for University of Virginia, where he became 2025 ITA National Rookie of the Year and earned ITA All-American honours.
 > Peaked at No. 4 in juniors, winning boys' singles title at 2024 US Open by defeating Budkov Kjaer in final set tiebreak.

NOTE: Jodar aims to capture his 2nd ATP Tour title (1-1 in finals) after winning Marrakech on clay in April and bids to become the youngest Shanghai champion in tournament history (Sinner, 23, in 2024). He is No. 11 on [PIF ATP Live Rankings](#) and would break inside Top 10 with a title win, tying Zverev for 23rd-youngest Top 10 debutant in PIF ATP Rankings history (since 1973). He is on an 11-2 run vs. Top 30 players since July, including 3 wins in Shanghai.

Youngest Men to Debut in Top 10 since 2000 – Jodar would join the list at 20 years and 32 days.

Player	Age	Rank Date	Player	Age	Rank Date
Rafael Nadal	18Y 326D	25 April 2005	Andy Murray	19Y 336D	16 April 2007
Carlos Alcaraz	18Y 355D	25 April 2022	Andy Roddick	19Y 340D	5 August 2002
Lleyton Hewitt	19Y 81D	15 May 2000	Juan Martin del Potro	20Y 13D	6 October 2008
Holger Rune	19Y 192D	7 November 2022	Alexander Zverev	20Y 32D	22 May 2017
Novak Djokovic	19Y 301D	19 March 2007	Jannik Sinner	20Y 77D	1 November 2021

First Man to Reach ATP Masters 1000 Final and Win the Title by Birth Year (since 2000):

Year of Birth	First Finalist	First Champion
2006	Rafael Jodar (2026 Shanghai)	?
2005	Jakub Mensik (2025 Miami)	Jakub Mensik (2025 Miami)
2004	Arthur Fils (2026 Cincinnati)	Arthur Fils (2026 Cincinnati)
2003	Carlos Alcaraz (2022 Miami)	Carlos Alcaraz (2022 Miami)
2002	Lorenzo Musetti (2025 Monte-Carlo)	Ben Shelton (2025 Toronto)
2001	Jannik Sinner (2021 Miami)	Jannik Sinner (2023 Toronto)
2000	Felix Auger-Aliassime (2024 Madrid)	--

Shortest Time Between Top 100 and Top 10 Debut in PIF ATP Rankings History* - Jodar (203 days) would join the list if he defeats Davidovich Fokina after making Top 100 debut on 30 March this year.

Player	Top 100 Debut	Top 10 Debut	Days
Boris Becker	10 December 1984	8 July 1985	210 days
Mikael Pernfors	10 February 1986	22 September 1986	224 days
Mats Wilander	23 November 1981	12 July 1982	231 days
Carlos Costa	9 September 1991	18 May 1992	252 days
Holger Rune	17 January 2022	7 November 2022	294 days

* does not include players that debuted in Top 100 in first edition of PIF ATP Rankings on 23 August 1973

Shortest Time Between Tour-Level Debut and Top 10 Debut in PIF ATP Rankings History - Jodar would debut in Top 10 on 19 November if he defeats Davidovich Fokina, 273 days after tour-level debut at 2026 Australian Open.

Player	Tour-Level Debut*	Top 10 Debut	Days
Gustavo Kuerten	1 April 1996	4 August 1997	490 days
Aaron Krickstein	31 January 1983	13 August 1984	560 days
Carlos Moya	12 June 1995	27 January 1997	595 days
Boris Becker	24 October 1983	8 July 1985	623 days
Michael Chang	24 August 1987	12 June 1989	658 days

* date at the start of the tournament

Active Players – ATP Masters 1000 Champions Before Turning 21 Years of Age

Player	Titles
Carlos Alcaraz	5 (2022 Miami, 2022 Madrid, 2023 Indian Wells, 2023 Madrid, 2024 Indian Wells)
Novak Djokovic	4 (2007 Miami, 2007 Montreal, 2008 Indian Wells, 2008 Rome)
Alexander Zverev	2 (2017 Rome, 2017 Montreal)
Holger Rune	1 (2022 Paris)
Jakub Mensik	1 (2025 Miami)

Champions in One of First Seven ATP Masters 1000 Main Draw Appearances*

Player	Appearance	Tournament	Final
Roberto Carretero	4th of 8	1996 Hamburg	d. Corretja
Valentin Vacherot	4th of 12	2025 Shanghai	d. Rinderknech
Jakub Mensik	6th of 18	2025 Miami	d. Djokovic
Chris Woodruff	7th of 29	1997 Montreal	d. Kuerten
Carlos Alcaraz	7th of 36	2022 Miami	d. Ruud
Holger Rune	7th of 34	2022 Paris	d. Djokovic

* does not include players that debuted prior to start of ATP Masters 1000 series in 1990

2026 Shanghai Statistics	Alejandro Davidovich Fokina	Rafael Jodar
Aces	21	23
Winners	149	136
Unforced Errors	106	143
Net Points Won	74% (29 of 39)	76% (35 of 46)
Fastest Serve	216 km/h (134 mph)	217 km/h (134 mph)
1st-Serve Percentage	72% (264 of 365)	66% (312 of 472)
1st-Serve Points Won	73% (194 of 264)	70% (217 of 312)
2nd-Serve Points Won	58.4% (59 of 101)	58.1% (93 of 160)
Service Games Won	89% (51 of 57)	88% (61 of 69)
Break Points Saved	75% (18 of 24)	74% (23 of 31)
1st-Serve Return Points Won	28% (74 of 261)	30% (75 of 248)
2nd-Serve Return Points Won	55% (58 of 106)	51% (89 of 175)
Return Games Won	19% (11 of 57)	25% (17 of 68)
Break Points Converted	50% (11 of 22)	41% (17 of 41)
Time on Court	8:28	11:20

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**Lucas Miedler (AUT) / Neil Oberleitner (AUT) vs
Francisco Cabral (POR) / JJ Tracy (USA)**

First Meeting

Miedler/Oberleitner Notes

- > Austrian pair is 6-1 on tour-level as a team, making his debut in 2020 by reaching 3 M15 finals in as many events, winning M15 Heraklion, before tour-level debut in 2026 Davis Cup vs. Belgium (d. Gille/Vliegen).
- > Did not drop a set en route to 1st ATP Tour final, defeating Cash/Erler in 1R, Krajicek/Mektic in 2R, Polmans/Zielinski in QF and Schnaitter/Wallner in SF.
- > They became the 1st all-Austrian pair to reach ATP Masters 1000 final in series history (since 1990).
- > Attempting to join J. Melzer at 2010 Shanghai w/Paes and Peya at 2013 Montreal, 2014 Toronto w/Soares and 2018 Madrid w/Mektic as only Austrian ATP Masters 1000 champions since the series began in 1990.
- > Team is ranked No. 42 on [PIF ATP Doubles Teams Rankings](#). Miedler is ranked No. 26 (career-high No. 19 in July 2026), while Oberleitner is ranked No. 39 (career-high No. 38 in September 2026).
- > Miedler, 30, is 13-5 in ATP Tour finals, seeking fourth title of the season after Brisbane w/Cabral and Gstaad and Kitzbuhel w/Polmans and biggest title of career. Previous best M1000 result was SF at 2025 Paris w/Cabral.
- > Oberleitner, 27, is 1-1 in tour-level doubles finals, winning 2026 Winston-Salem w/Nouza for first title after losing in 2025 Kitzbuhel final w/Schwaerzler. He is playing in his second M1000 event of career (2026 Miami 2R w/Krawietz).

Cabral/Tracy Notes

- > Portuguese/American pair is 12-6 as a team, first teaming up in Washington in July earlier this year.
- > Playing in their second ATP Tour final together after winning Hangzhou without dropping a set in September.
- > Saved 3 MPs to defeat No. 7 seeds Luz/Matos and end 10-match ATP Masters 1000 winning streak by Montreal and Cincinnati champions in 1R, ousted Arends/Johnson in 2R and Galloway/Goransson in QF, before rallying from a set down to defeat No. 8 seeds Arribage/Olivetti in SF.
- > Cabral is the second Portuguese man to reach ATP Masters 1000 final after J. Sousa at 2018 Rome w/Carreno Busta (l. to Cabal/Farah) and bids to become the first champion representing Portugal at this level in series history.
- > Tracy bids to become the fifth American doubles champion in Shanghai tournament history after Bob and Mike Bryan in 2014 and Sock and Isner in 2016.
- > Team is ranked No. 20 on PIF ATP Doubles Teams Rankings. Cabral is ranked No. 30 (career-high No. 19 in January 2026), while Tracy is ranked No. 42 (career-high No. 25 in June 2026).
- > Cabral, 29, is 7-6 in ATP Tour finals, winning all 7 titles at ATP 250 level and seeks third title of the season after winning Brisbane w/Miedler and Hangzhou w/Tracy.
- > Tracy, 24, is 3-1 in ATP Tour finals, previously winning 2025 Los Cabos and 2026 Marrakech, both w/R. Cash. American's previous best ATP Masters 1000 result was run to quarter-finals at 2025 Paris w/Peers.