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# PRESIDENT WORDS

### PRESIDENT WORDS



### **GOVERNANCE**

BPAC AND APC SIGNED A MOU

BPAC y APC firmaron un memorando de entendimiento.



Dear colleagues and friends,

We close a year in which our athletes have won much more than tournaments and, therefore, the Pan Am region has seen greater development of badminton in each country. Proof of this is the generational change that we are seeing in the recent podiums of the Pan Am Circuit 2022, young athletes who are already shining and we have no doubt that they will continue to expose the best of Pan American badminton to the whole world.

Let me congratulate our world champions. Pilar, Giuliana and Rubi, we are proud of you for the gold medals obtained in the recent Para badminton World Championships, as well as those who obtained silver and bronze medals such as Vitor, Miles and Nilton. They and all our representatives in this world championship also showed off their game in our Pan Am Championship in Cali, a party that we have not lived since 2018 and has allowed us to meet again with athletes, coaches, managers, etc., like a family, the family of the Pan American Para badminton.

Also in this 2022 we saw the future of Pan Am badminton shine. The Pan Am Junior 2022 held in Santo Domingo allowed us to meet young stars of our sport, some of whom have already closed the year by participating in various tournaments on the Pan Am Circuit.

In addition, our coaches are not far behind and continue training to take badminton to the next level. Thanks to the Badminton World Federation for your constant support and allowing our region to continue to grow.

I am sure that this 2023 will bring us many joys and Pan Am badminton will continue to grow thanks to the great work that each one of you does.

I wish you happiness and success for this new year.

Vishu Tolan

Estimados colegas y amigos,

Cerramos un año en el que nuestros deportistas han ganado mucho más que torneos y, por ende, la región panamericana ha visto mayor desarrollo del bádminton en cada país. Muestra de ello es el cambio generacional que estamos viendo en los recientes podios del Circuito Panamericano 2022, jóvenes deportistas que ya están brillando y no dudamos en que seguirán exponiendo lo mejor del bádminton panamericano para todo el mundo.

Permítanme felicitar a nuestras campeonas mundiales. Pilar, Giuliana y Rubi, estamos orgullos de ustedes por las medallas de oro conseguidas en el reciente Campeonato Mundial de Para badminton, así como también estamos muy orgullos de quienes obtuvieron medallas de plata y bronce como Vitor, Miles y Nilton. Ellos y todos nuestros representantes en este campeonato mundial también lucieron su juego en nuestro Campeonato Panamericano en Cali, una fiesta que no vivíamos desde el 2018 y ha permitido que nuevamente nos reunamos con deportistas, entrenadores, directivos, etc, como una familia, la familia del Para badminton Panamericano.

También en este 2022 vimos brillar al futuro del bádminton panamericano. El Panamericano Junior realizado en Santo Domingo nos permitió conocer a jóvenes estrellas de nuestro deporte, algunos de los cuales ya cerraron el año participando en diversos torneos del Circuito Panamericano.

Además, nuestros entrenadores no se quedan atrás y continúan capacitándose para poder llevar el badminton a un siguiente nivel. Gracias a la Federación Mundial de Badminton por su constante apoyo y permitir que nuestra región siga creciendo.

Estoy seguro que este 2023 nos traerá muchas alegrías y el bádminton panamericano seguirá creciendo gracias al gran trabajo que cada uno de ustedes realiza.

Les deseo felicidad y éxito para este nuevo año.

Vishu Tolan

Badminton Pan Am and Americas Paralympic Committee established a Memorandum of Understanding expressing mutual interest in the development of Para badminton in the region.

Within the framework of the Pan Am Para badminton Championship 2022, held in Cali, Colombia, the Pan Am Badminton Confederation (BPAC) and the Americas Paralympic Committee (APC) signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) as a means to enhance their mutual interests and agree upon a framework for long-term strategic cooperative support for the benefit of Pan American Para badminton.

The president of BPAC, Mr. Vishu Tolan and the president of APC, Mr. Julio César Avila signed the MoU accompanied by Mr. Pilar Carrillo, Member of the Council of the Badminton World Federation, Mr. Zarko Cukic, Deputy Chair of BPAC Events, Mr. Dario Tigreros, President of the Colombian Badminton Federation and Mr. German Valdez, COO of BPAC.

Working together, Badminton Pan Am and APC will strive to develop a plan to increase the growth, quality and frequency of Para badminton participation through increased coaching quality, more frequent inclusive training and competition opportunities to ensure people with physical impairment realize the positive mental, physical and social benefits of badminton.

Bádminton Pan Am y el Comité Paralímpico de las Américas establecieron un Memorando de Entendimiento expresando interés mutuo en el desarrollo del Para bádminton en la región.

En el marco del Campeonato Panamericano de Para bádminton 2022, realizado en Cali, Colombia, la Confederación Panamericana de Bádminton (BPAC) y el Comité Paralímpico de las Américas (APC) firmaron un Memorando de Entendimiento (MoU) como un medio para mejorar sus intereses mutuos y acordar un marco para el apoyo cooperativo estratégico a largo plazo en beneficio del Para bádminton Panamericano

El presidente de BPAC, Sr. Vishu Tolan y el presidente de APC, Sr. Julio César Avila firmaron el MoU acompañados por la Sra. Pilar Carrillo, Miembro del Consejo de la Federación Mundial de Bádminton, el Sr. Zarko Cukic, Chair de Eventos BPAC, el Sr. Darío Tigreros, Presidente de la Federación Colombiana de Bádminton y el Sr. German Valdez, COO de BPAC.

Trabajando juntos, Bádminton Pan Am y APC se esforzarán por desarrollar un plan para aumentar el crecimiento, la calidad y la frecuencia de la participación en el parabádminton a través de una mayor calidad de entrenamiento, entrenamiento inclusivo más frecuente y oportunidades de competencia para garantizar que las personas con discapacidades físicas se den cuenta de los beneficios mentales, físicos y sociales positivos del bádminton.



### **CHAMPIONS - PAN AM JUNIOR 2022**

Pan Am Players from Brazil, Canada, Guatemala, Mexico, Peru and United States took the podiums at the 30th edition of the Pan Am Junior Championships 2022, held in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.

Jugadores Panamericanos de Brasil, Canadá, Guatemala, México, Perú y Estados Unidos subieron a los podios en la 30° edición del Campeonato Panamericano Junior 2022, realizado en Santo Domingo, República Dominicana.







Canada's players led the U19 category with 4 golds and an only-canadian-podium in BS U17.

Peru got the third place in the general ranking with 9 bronze medals. While Guatemala won 2 bronze medals in U19, Mexico reached 2 bronzes (U15 and U17) and Brazil got a bronze medal in U19.

The award ceremony was led by Mr. Vishu Tolan, president of Badminton Pan Am, Mr. Generoso Castillo, General Secretary of Dominican Republic Federation, and Mr. Gonzalo Castillo, Vicepresident for South America of Badminton Pan Am.





Los jugadores de USA lograron alcanzar casi cada podio de la competencia, ganando 11 medallas de oro en el evento Individual, además de la medalla de oro obtenida en el Evento por Equipos del Pan Am Junior 2022. El equipo de USA también logró 3 podios compuestos solo por sus jugadores: GS U15, GS U17 and XD U15.

Los jugadores de Canadá lideraron la categoría U19 con 4 oros y un podio de solo canadienses en BS U17.

Perú obtuvo el tercer lugar en el ránking general con 9 medallas de bronce. Mientras que Guatemala ganó 2 medalla de bronce en U19, Mexico alcanzó 2 bronces (U15 y U17) y Brasil consiguió un bronce en U19.

La ceremonia de premiación fue liderada por el Sr. Vishu Tolan, presidente de Badminton Pan Am, el Sr. Generoso Castillo, Secretario General de la Federación de República Dominicana y el Sr. Gonzalo Castillo, Vicepresidente para Sudamerica de Badminton Pan Am.











Umpires who reached continental certification/accreditation were recognized at the beginning of the ceremony, and also the Referee Team and Assesor received a present for their participation at the Pan Am Junior 2022.



recibieron un presente por su participación en Pan Am Junior 2022.



Local federation gave a recognition to Mr. Vishu Tolan and Mr. German Valdez for the trust placed in them for the organization of this championship, while Badminton Pan Am gave a present to the local organization for the effort made during the event.

La federación local entregó un reconocimiento al Sr. Vishu Tolan y al Sr. German Valdez por la confianza depositada en ellos para la organización de este campeonato, mientras que Badminton Pan Am entregó un presente a la organización local por el esfuerzo realizado durante el evento.

### **MEDAL**

				TOTAL
USA	12	13	17	42
CANADA	9	7	10	26
PERU	o	o	9	9
GUATEMALA	0	0	2	2
MEXICO	0	0	2	2
BRAZIL	0	0	1	1

































### CHAMPIONS IN BRAZIL PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022

Pan Am Players from El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico, Peru and host Brazil, took the podiums of the Brazil International Series 2022, Pan Am Circuit 2022 event held in Teresina, Brazil.

Brazil young promise, Juliana Vieira, won the gold in Women's Singles after great matches. She defeated Ines Castillo (seeded 3/4) in Quarter-Finals and olympian Haramara Gaitan (MEX), seeded 1, in the Semifinals, to reach the final where Vieira defeated Vanessa Garcia (MEX). The bronze medals were for Gaitan and Fernanda Saponara (PER).

### CHAMPIONS IN MEXICO PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022

Pan Am players from Costa Rica, Guatemala, Trinidad and Tobago, United States and host Mexico won the medals of the II Mexico Future Series 2022, held in Mexico City, from August 30 to September 4.

Sanchita Pandey (USA) took the gold in Mixed Doubles along with Ryan Zheng, while another USA duo, Kelvin Chong and Katelin Ngo, reached the silver. Nicholas Bonkowsky/Chequeda De Boulet (TTO) and Andres Gonzalez/Rebeca La Torre (MEX) won the bronze medals.



Women's Doubles seeded 1 duo, Samia Lima and Jaqueline Lima (BRA), defeated Nikte Sotomayor and Diana Corleto (GUA) to won the crown of the event. The 3/4 places were for Monaliza Feitosa/Lorena Vieira and Jeisiane Alves/Juliana Vieira.



Uriel Canjura (ESA) got the crown after defeating 4 brazilian players to reach the final where he faced Bernardo Atilano (POR) winning the match in straight games. Donnians Oliveira and Jonathan Matias won the bronze medals of the event.



Sanchita Pandey from USA won the gold in Singles after defeating locals Haramara Gaitan in Semifinals and Vanessa Garcia in the Final. Katelin Ngo (USA) completed the WS podium.



Mexico's young star Luis Montoya took the MS podium top. Seeded 2, Luis, defeated players from Canada, USA, Mexico and England to reach the final where he defeated seeded 1 Job Castillo in a 3-games-match (21-16, 10-21, 22-20). Armando Gaitan (MEX) and Larry Pong (ENG) reached the 3/4 positions.



The Mixed Doubles title were for Jonathan Solis and Diana Corleto (GUA). The seeded 2 duo managed to defeat brazilian duos to reach the final and face Matheus Voigt and Tamires Santos (BRA). Fabricio Farias/Jaqueline Lima and Davi Silva/Sania Lima reached the 3/4 places.



In Men's Doubles, Fabricio Farias and Francielton Farias won the gold after defeating favourite duo Anibal Marroquin/Jonathan Solis (GUA) by 21-12, 21-17. Waleson Santos/Marcos Sousa and Izak Batalha/Matheus Voigt got the bronze medals



Montoya and Castillo also won a silver medal in Doubles. The mexican duo defeated duos from Mexico and Guatemala to reach the final where they faced Lap Pong/Larry Pong (ENG). Andres Lopex/Gerardo Saavedra (MEX) and Jose Luis Granados/Antonio Ortiz (GUA) won the bronze medals.



In Women's Doubles, the gold medals were for Paula Lozoya/Fatima Rio (MEX), the silver medals were for Sofia Claudio/Cristina Perez, and the bronze for Lauren Villalobos and Cristal Villarreal from Costa Rica.





















**CHAMPIONS IN PERU** 

**PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022** 

Pan Am Players from Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Mexico and Peru won the medals at the Peru International

### **MICHELLE LI:**

Michelle Li won the YONEX Canada Open 2022, BWF Tour Super 100 event held in Calgary, Canada, from September 27 to October 2.

Pan Am Games champion, Michelle, started the event as seeded 2, defeating players from Canada, France and Japan to reach the Final where she defeated Sung Shuo Yun (KOR) in straight games. The 3/4 places were for Carolina Marin (ESP) and Saena Kawakami (JPN). With this title, Li reached her 4 crown at Canada Open (2014, 2015, 2016, and 2022).

### **CANADA OPEN FOUR-TIME CHAMPION**

### Series 2022, held in Lima, Peru, from October 19 to 23. Juliana Viana Vieira won her second title in a row (featured image). After winning the Brazil International Series 2022, she managed to reach the gold at the Peru International Series 2022 defeating players from Colombia, Mexico and Peru. In the Final, Juliana faced olympian Haramara Gaitan (MEX) getting the victory in straigh games by 21-16 and 21-16. The Women's Singles bronze medalas were for local lines Castillo and Miriam Rodriguez (MEX).









In Women's Doubles, seeded 1 duo, Jaqueline Lima and Samia Lima took the podium top after defeating duos from Peru, Dominican Republic and Brazil. Sania Lima/Tamires Santos won the silver while Alisa Acosta/Nairoby Jimenez and Iona Gualdi/Ailen Oliva (ARG) reached the bronze medals.

Brazilians fullfil the Mixed Doubles podium. Fabricio Farias and Jaqueline Lima won the gold, Davi Silva/Sania Lima reached the silver and the bronze medals of the event were for Gabril Cury/Jackeline Luz and Matheus Voigt/Tamires Santos.











gold. They defeated brazilians Jonathan Matias/Davi Silva in the final by 21-17,

Rachel Honderich and Kristen Tsai reached the 3/4 places in Women's Doubles while Kevin Lee & Jaqueline Cheung and Nyl Yakura & Crystal Lai did the same in Mixed Doubles.









Jonathan Matias added another gold medal for Brazil after defeating Uriel Canjura in the Final. Matias reached this stage after defeating players from Dominican Republic, Mexico, United States and the Olympian Lino Muñoz in Semifinals. Muñoz and Job Castillo completed the Men's Singles podium.









### CHAMPIONS IN GUATEMALA PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022

Pan Am Players from Canada, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico and United States won medals at the VIII Guatemala International Series 2022, held in Guatemala City from September 27 to October 2.



In Singles, Uriel Canjura (ESA) won the silver medal after defeating players from Guatemala, USA, Italy and the Olympian Lino Muñoz (MEX) in Semifinals, but losing against Giovanni Toti in the final (22-20, 22-20). Muñoz and Bernardo Atilano (POR) reached the 3/4 places.



Sharon Au and Jeslyn Chow (CAN) won the gold in Women's Doubles after defeating players from Guatemala and El Salvador, including seeded 1 duo, Mariana and Alejandra Paiz, in Semifinals, and seeded 2 duo, Nikte Sotomayor and Diana Corleto, in the final. Bronze medals were for Rafaela Munar/ Fernanda Munar (PER) and Mariana Paiz/Alejandra Paiz (GUA).



Vanessa Gacia (MEX) got the silver after defeating Guatemala, Canada, and Olympian Nikte Sotomayor (GUA) but lost in the final against Hristomira Popovska (BUL). Locals Sotomayor and Alejandra Paiz won the bronze medals of the event.



Solis also took the podium top in Men's Doubles along with Anibal Marroquin. In the final, they defeated Ruben Castellanos/Christopher Martinez (GUA) in a tough 3-games-match. Jose Luis Granados/Antonio Ortiz (GUA) and William Hu/Jacon Zhang (USA) completed the podium.

### CHAMPIONS IN MEXICO PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022

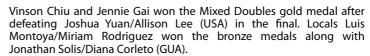
Pan Am Players from Brazil, Canada, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico and United States won medals at the XIII Mexican International 2022, held in Guadalajara, Mexico, from November 22 to 27.



Lauren Lam (USA) won the gold in Women's Singles after defeating Ksenia Polikarpova (ISR) in the final. Jennie Gai and Ishika Jaiswal (USA) won the bronze medals of the event.

Olympian Kevin Cordon won the Men's Singles title after defeating Jonathan Matias (BRA) in the final. Uriel Canjura (ESA) reached the semifinals but lost against Matias. The other bronze medal was for Alvaro Leal (SPA) who started the tournament from the Qualy stage.





In Men's Doubles Vinson Chiu and Joshua Yuan got the silver medal after losing against Král/Mendrel (CZE) in the final. Spanish duos Fernandez/Garcia and Piris/Monroy took the 3/4 places of the event.





















### CHAMPIONS IN PERU PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022

Pan Am players from Brazil, Canada, Guatemala and United States won medals at the Peru Challenge 2022, Pan Am Circuit event held in Lima, Peru, from November 16 to 20.

In Mixed Doubles USA players won the gold medal. Seeded 2 duo, Vinson Chiu and Jennie Gai defeated players from Canada and Peru to reached the final and defeated seeded 1 duo Ty Lindeman/Josephine Wu (CAN) in a 3-games-match (22-20, 13-21, 23-21). Kevin Lee/Eliana Zhang (CAN) and Davi Silva/Sania Lima (BRA) took the 3/4 places of the event.

### CHAMPIONS IN GUATEMALA PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022

Pan Am Players from Canada, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala and United States won medals at the III Guatemala Future Series 2022, Pan Am Circuit event held in Guatemala city from November 8 to 13.



Olympian Paula Lynn Cao Hok along with Lauren Lam (USA) won the crown in Women's Doubles after defeating duos from Brazil and Spain to reach the final where they defeated Annie and Kerry Xu (USA) in straight games (21-19, 21-18). Seeded 1 duo, Catherine Choi/Josephine Wu (CAN) and Srivedya Gurazada/Ishika Jaiswal (USA) wonthe bronze medals.



Jason Ho-Shue won the Men's Singles title defeating other olympians along the way as Ygor Coelho (BRA) in semifinals and Luis Enrique Peñalver (ESP) in the finals. The bronze medals were for Kevin Cordon and Coelho.



Alejandra and Mariana Paiz won the gold in Women's Doubles (featured image). They started as seeded 1 duo and defeated Fatima Centeno/Daniela Hernandez in the final to get the podium top. Margareth Revelo/Gabriela Barrios (ESA) and Adriana Barrios (GUA)/Lauren Villalobos (CRC) won the bronze medals.



In Mixed Doubles, seeded 2 duo, Christopher Martinez and Mariana Paiz (GUA) won the silver medal after defeating duos from Canada and Colombia to reach the final where they lost against Daoudal/Hoareau (FRA). The bronze medals were for Javier Alas/Fatima Centeno (ESA) and Miguel Quirama/Juliana Giraldo (COI)



Ho-Shue also won the gold in Men's Doubles along with Joshua Hurlburt-Yu. The canadian duo defeating pairs from Algerian, United States, Mexico and Canada to reach the final. Adam Dong and Nyl Yakura (CAN) won the silver medal while Kevin Lee/Ty Lindeman (CAN) and Král/Mendrek (CZE) reached the bronze



Lauren Lam (USA) was the only pan am athlete in the Women's Singles podium. She reached semifinals after defeating players from Germany, Spain and France but lost against Kaoru Sugiyama (JPN) who won the gold. Clara Arzumendi (ESP) won the silver medal while Polina Buhrova (UKR) and Lam reached the 3/4 places of the event.



Juliana Giraldo won the silver medal in Singles. She defeated players from El Salvador and Guatemala to reach the final where she lost against Malya Hoareau (FRA). Mariana Palacios (GUA) and Johnna Rymes got the bronze medals.



In Men's Singles, Justin Ma and Saketh Upadhya from USA won the bronze medals after lost against Yuta Kikuchi (JPN) and Tino Daoudal (FRA) respectively in Semifinals. Kikuchi won the gold after defeating Daoudal in the final by 21-13, 21-16.



















### CHAMPIONS IN EL SALVADOR PAN AM CIRCUIT 2022

Pan Am Players from Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico, Peru and United States won the medals of the IV El Salvador International, International Series event part of the Pan Am Circuit 2022, held in San Salvador from November 29 to December 4.



Local star Uriel Canjura, won the crown in Singles after defeating players from Guatemala, Mexico, Spain and India to reach the Final where he faced olympian Kevin Cordon winning in a 3-games-match (21-18, 21-23, 21-19). Jonathan Matias (BRA) reached the bronze medal along with Harshit Aggarwal (IND).



Lauren Lam (USA) continues to shine on the Pan Am Circuit. She defeated players from Bulgary, Peru, Mexico and Spain to won the Women's Singles gold medal. Ania Setien (ESP) got the silver medal while Mexicans Haramara Gaitan and Vanessa Garcia reached the 3/4 places of the event.



Canadians Kevin Lee and Ty Lindeman won the gold in Men's Doubles after defeating duos from Croatia, Spain, Guatemala and Cezch Republic. Anibal Marroquin and Jonathan Solis (GUA) won the bronze medals along with Monroy/Piris (ESP).



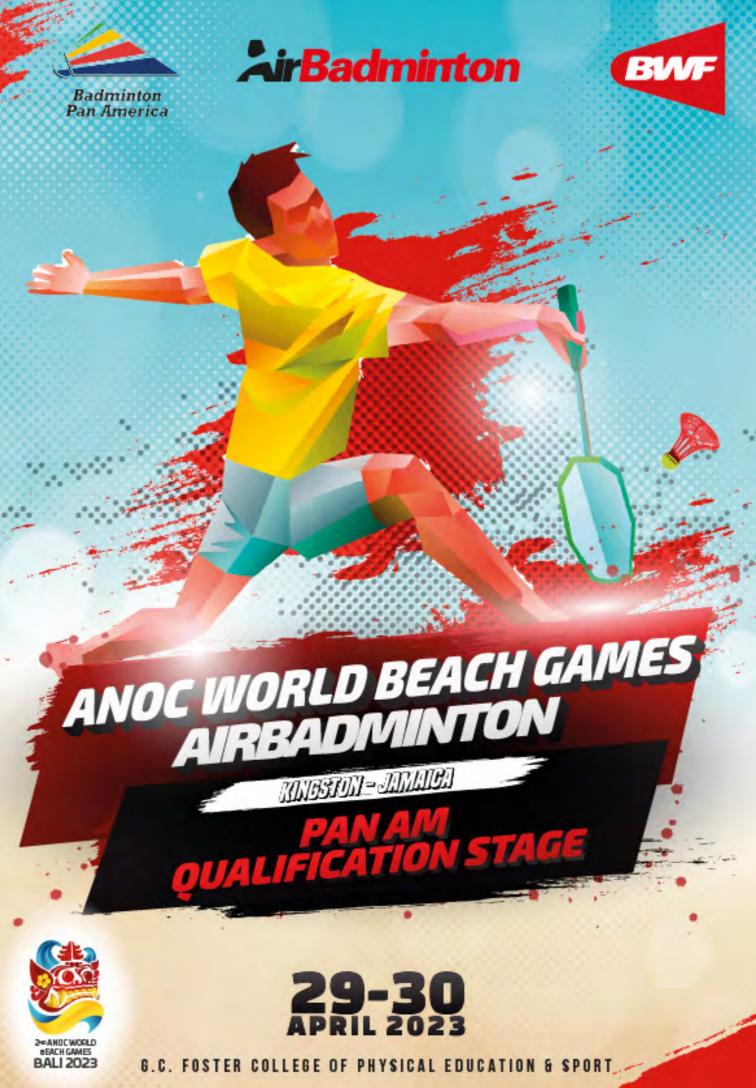
Olympian Paula Lynn Cao Hok and Lauren Lam won the gold medal in Women's Doubles. They defeated duos from Guatemala, Cezch Republic and Peru to reach the final where they defeated Annie Xu and Kerry Zu (USA) in straight games (21-18, 21-17). The bronze medals were for Paula La Torre/Ines Castillo (PER) and Maria Delia Zambrano (ECU) /Juliana Giraldo (COL).















Pan Am Para badminton players from Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Cuba, Mexico, Peru and United States won medals at the Pan Am Para badminton Championships held in Cali, Colombia from November 22 to 26.

World medalists showed off their best game and climbed to the top of the Pan Am podiums.



World Champion, Pilar Jauregui (PER), won the gold medal in Singles WH2, Women's Doubles WH1-WH2 with Jaqueline Burgos (PER) and in Mixed Doubles WH1-W2 along with Rodolfo Cano (BRA).



Giuliana Poveda and Nilton Quispe, runners-up at World Championships Tokyo 2022, won the gold in Mixed Doubles SH6. Poveda Also won the gold in Single SH6 while Nilton won the silver in Singles SH6 and in Doubles SH6 along with Jesus Salva. Giuliana Poveda and Rubi Fernandez, champions in Tokyo 2022 won the bronze in Doubles SH6 and Ruby also won a bronze medal in Singles and Doubles with Jesus Salva.



Rogerio De Oliveira (BRA) also defeated a defending champion to win the gold. In Quarter final, Rogerio defeated Raul Anguiano (GUA) and them Renzo Bances in Semifinals and Max Avila in the Final to become the SL4 Champion. Rogerio also won the gold in Mixed Doubles along with Edwarda Dias (BRA).



Brazilians Marcelo Alves (WH1), Daniele Souza (WH1), Ana Reis (SL4), Adriane Avila (SL3), Eduardo Oliveira/Yuki Rodrigues (SU5), Marcelo Alves/Julio Cesar Godoy (WH1-WH2), Ana Reis/Abinaecia Da Silva (SL3-SU5) and peruvians Renzo Bances/Pedro Pablo De Vinatea (SL3-SL4) and Diana Roias (SU5) also won the gold in their modalities.



Miles Krajewski (USA) is the new Pan Am Para badminton Champion in SH6 (featured image). He won the gold in Singles SH6 after defeating the defending champion, Vitor Tavares (BRA). Both won the gold in Doubles SH6 showing a great game like in Tokyo where they won the silver medal. Krajewski also won a silver medal in Mixed Doubles SH6 along with Jayci Simon (USA).

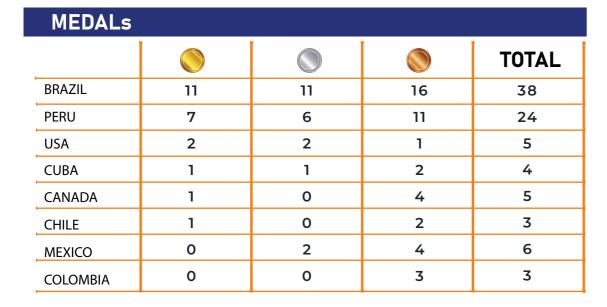


Jaime Aranguiz (CHI) won the gold in Singles WH2 and is the new Pan Am Para badminton Champion. He defeated Julio Cesar Godoy (BRA), defending champion, in straigh games (21-14, 21-14). Aranguiz also won 2 bronze medals. One in Doubles along with Victor Aragon (COL) and the other in Mixed Doubles along with Ana Gomes (BRA).



The Medals Ceremony was led by Mr. Vishu Tolan, president of Badminton Pan Am, Mr. Zarko Cukic, Deputy Chair of Events, Mrs. Pila Carrillo, BWF Council Member and a representative of the local Sports Secretariat.

The Pan Am Para badminton Championships 2022 had 21 events from 22 that will be included in the next Parapan Am Games 2023. Good luck to all athletes in their Road to Santiago 2023.





Manuel Del Rosario (CUB) is the new Pan Am Para badminton Champion in SU5. He defeated the defending champion, Eduardo Oliveira (BRA) in Semifinals, and Yuki Rodrigues (BRA) in the final to reach the podium top. Del Rosario also won a bronze medal in Doubles SU5 along with Ricardo Cavalli (BRA).



In SL 3 William Roussy (CAN) defeated the defending champion, Pedro Pablo De Vinatea (PER), in the final and is the new Pan Am Para badminton Champion. Roussy also won a bronze medal in Doubles with Pascal Lapointe (CAN).





























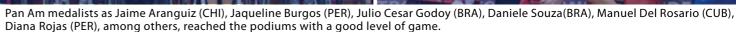












Also, Yoelvis Rodriguez from Cuba, Davis Talibah from Barbados, Amy Burnett from USA, Jonathan Mattos from Argentina and Raul Anguiano from Guatemala showed good performance and reached bronze medals in this event.

Pan Am Para badminton athletes will continue competing and will seek to score points to qualify for the next Parapan American Games Santiago 2023.









### **SHINING IN PERU - PARA BADMINTON**

Pan Am Para badminton players from Argentina, Barbados, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Cuba, Guatemala, United States and host Peru shined at the Peru Para badminton International 2022, BWF Para badminton International Level 2 event held from November 29 to December 4 in Lima, Peru.

World medalists showed a great performance reaching one more podium. Nilton Quispe and Giuliana Poveda (PER) won the gold in Mixed Doubles, Poveda and Rubi Fernandez did the same in Women's Doubles while Pilar Jauregui won another gold in Women's Singles WH2 and Vitor Tavares reached the podium top in Singles SH6.







### **BADMINTON AT BIRMINGHAM 2022**

Michelle Li won the silver medal at Commonwealth Games 2022, held in Birmingham, England.

Pan Am Players from Barbados, Canada, Falkland Island, Guyana and Jamaica also competed at this event, showing a great performance in each match.

Canadian star Michelle Li took the podium of the Commonwealth Games with a silver medal. During her journey, Li defeated players from England, Singapore, Northern Ireland and Scotland to reach the final where she faced Pusarla Sindhu, runner-up in the last edition.

Rachel Honderich /Kristen Tsai (CAN) and Tahlia Richardson and Katherine Wynter (JAM) reached Quarter-Finals in Women's Doubles, while Tamisha Williams (BAR), Nyl Yakura / Dong Adam (CAN) and Joel Angus/Samuel Ricketts (JAM) reached Round of 16 in their events.

Michelle Li ganó la medalla de plata en los Juegos de la Mancomunidad 2022, celebrados en Birmingham, Inglaterra.

Jugadores Panamericanos de Barbados, Canadá, Falkland Island, Guyana y Jamaica también compitieron en este evento, mostrando un gran desempeño en cada partido.

La estrella canadiense Michelle Li subió al podio de los Juegos de la Mancomunidad con una medalla de plata. Durante su recorrido, Li derrotó a jugadoras de Inglaterra, Singapur, Irlanda del Norte y Escocia para llegar a la final donde se enfrentó a Pusarla Sindhu (IND), subcampeona de la última edición.

Rachel Honderich/Kristen Tsai (CAN) y Tahlia Richardson y Katherine Wynter (JAM) alcanzaron cuartos de final en dobles femeninos, mientras que Tamisha Williams (BAR), Nyl Yakura/Dong Adam (CAN) y Joel Angus/Samuel Ricketts (JAM) alcanzaron Octavos de Final en sus eventos.



Brazilian Para badminton star, Vitor Tavares , reached the bronze medal at the Thailand Para badminton International 2022, held in Pattaya, Thailand, from August 16 to 20.

Pan Am Champion, Vitor, started the competition as seeded 2 in SH6 Group B where he defeated athletes from England and France lo led the group. In Quarter-Finals, Tavares defeated Sivarajan Solaimalai from India to reach the semifinals where he lost against Charles Noakes from France. Vitor won the bronze medal and was the only pan am player to reach the podium in this tournament.

Raul Anguiano (GUA), Marcelo Alves (BRA) and Jesus Salva (PER) also competed in this Thailand Para badminton International.

Congratulations to all!!







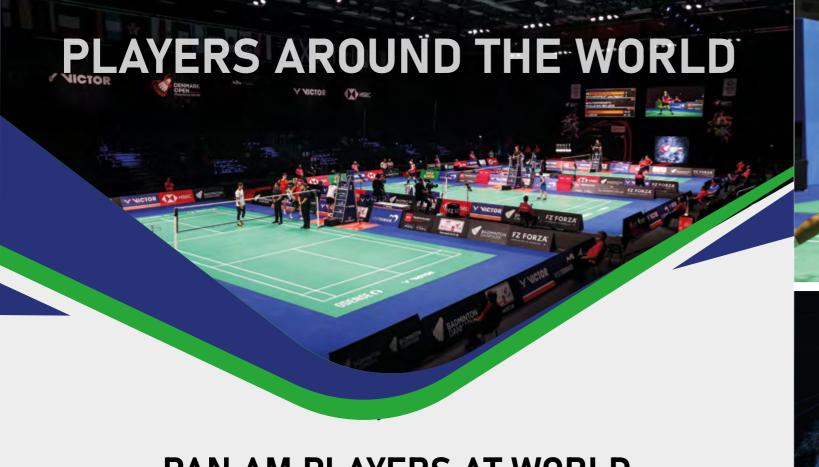






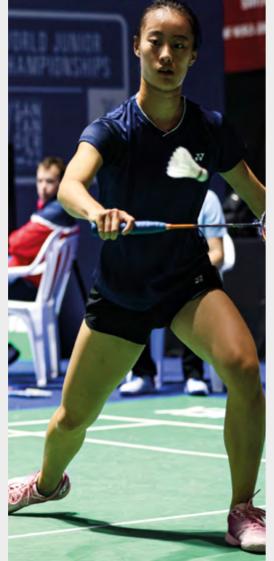






PAN AM PLAYERS AT WORLD JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022









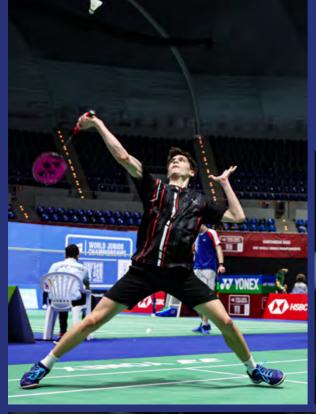






















## BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022

### **WORLD CHAMPIONS - TOKYO 2022**

Pan Am Players won medals at the HULIC DAIHATSU BWF Para Badminton World Championships 2022 held in Tokyo, Japan.

Giuliana Poveda and Rubi Fernandez are the World Champions in Women's Doubles SH6. Pilar Jauregui is the new World Champion in Women's Singles WH2. Vitor Tavares, Miles Krajewski, Nilton Quispe, Poveda and Jauregui also won silver medals.

Giuliana Poveda and Rubi Fernandez reached the podium top in WD SH6 (featured image) after defeating duos from Hong Kong China, Argentina/Peru, Thailand/India, India and the seeded one duo Bujnicka/Zsmigiel (POL) in the final.



Pilar Jauregui won the gold medal at the World Championships 2022 after showing great level of game. Jauregui started the tournament as seeded 3/4 being one of the favourites and leading the WH2 Group D after defeating players from India and England. Pilar defeated Jung Gyeoul (KOR) in Quarter-Finals , the seeded 2, Yuma Yamazaki (JPN) in Semifinals and Emine Seckin (TUR) in the final to reach the crown



Poveda also was the defeding champion of the Singles title and started the championships with victories against players from Argentina, Thailand, England and Poland but despite a great performance she lost in the final against Rina Marlina (INA) reaching the silver medal in WS WH6.



Miles Krajewski and Vitor Tavares reached the silver medal in Men's Doubles SH6. The Pan Am duo led the Group C after defeating duos from Peru, India and England/Ireland to reach the Quarter-Finals. There, Krajewski and Tavares defeated an Indian duo to reach the Semifinales where they defeated seeded 2 duo Morat/Noakes from France. In the Final, the Pan Am duo lost against Daesung (KOR) and Meechai (THA) in a 3-games-match.



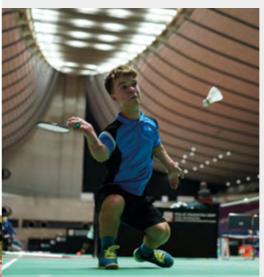
Brazilian Para badminton Star, Tavares, also won a bronze medal in Singles. He started the competition as seeded 3/4 leading the Group C after defeating players from India and USA. Vitor defeated Wyatt Lightfoot (CAN) and Charles Noakes (FRA) to reach Semifinals where he lost against seeded 1, Jack Shephard (ENG).





The HULIC DAIHATSU BWF Para Badminton World Championships 2022 also had a great participation of Pan Am players from Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Mexico, Peru, United States and Venezuela.





















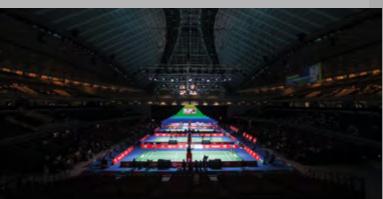






Michelle Li reached the Quarter Final of a World championships for the very first time. Li defeated Ratchanok Intanon (THA) in a 3-games-match to reach QF where she lost against Chen Yu Fei (CHN).

Outstanding performance were showed by our Pan Am players at this Total Energies BWF World Championships 2022. like Fabricio Farias & Jaqueline Lima, Kevin Cordon, Jason Ho-Shue, Wen Yu Zhang, Jonathan Solis & Anibal Marroquin and Catherine Choi & Josephine Wu who started the competition with victories, while Beiwen Zhang managed to get into the R16 in Women's Singles.









LAYERS AROUND THE WORLD







### **TUTOR REFRESHER & UPSKILLING WORKSHOP - TRU**

BWF and BPAC developed a Tutor Refresher & Upskilling Workshop in BPAC headquarters with participations of current and future BWF Coach Education Tutors from Aruba, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Jamaica, Mexico and United States.

This workshop, led by Sharon Springer, BWF Head of Educational Programmes, was held in two times due the languages. The Spanish group from september 27 to 29, and the English group from september

Special Olympics Latin America shared how they develop the sport between their athletes and the different methods that could be used by tutors to promote badminton.

During this workshop, participants deepened their understanding of their role within the BWF Coach Education programme, as well as share their successes and challenges as tutors thus far.

- This workshop allowed participants to:
   learned about new developments in the Coach Education
- explored their roles in course preparation, delivery, reporting and
- boradened their range of tools for delivery assessment standardised assessment criteria and policies improved awareness of diversity and its implications within Coach
- committed to taking up an active and consistent role in talent
- shared best practices for course delivery and management shared typical challenges and brainstormed solutions









### PAN AM **CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023 HOSTS**

Continuing with the organization of high level competitions, the contribution that each host association can give to our events and the success of our athletes, the Executive Committee of Badminton Pan America Confederation, after reviewing the proposals, designated the host countries for our next Continental Championships 2023.

BPAC hopes to have the participation of all of you in these events that will be great sporting celebrations for our continental badminton.

Continuando con la organización de competencias de alto nivel, el aporte que cada asociación anfitriona puede dar a nuestros eventos y al éxito de nuestros atletas, el Comité Ejecutivo de la Confederación Panamericana de Bádminton, luego de revisar las propuestas, designó los países anfitriones de nuestros próximos Campeonatos Continentales 2023.

**PAN AM CC 2023** 

BPAC espera contar con la participación de todos ustedes en estos eventos que serán grandes celebraciones deportivas para nuestro bádminton continental.

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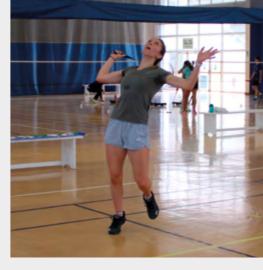
























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