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# Simon Gauzy

AGE

31

EU RANKING

11

NATION

FRENCH

PLAYING STYLE

AGGRESSIVE ALL-ROUNDER

PLAYING HAND

RIGHT

CLUB

GV HENNEBONT (GVHTT / PRO A)

DATE OF BIRTH

25 OCTOBER 1994

HEIGHT

182 CM

PLACE OF BIRTH

TOULOUSE, FRANCE

GRIP STYLE

SHAKEHAND

COACH

PATRICK CHILA

WORLD RANKING

17

CLUBS AS THE ACTIVE PLAYER(S)

GV HENNEBONT (GVHTT / PRO A)

## MEDALS AND TITLES

### European Championships

- 2025 Zadar Team, Gold medal - first place
- 2016 Budapest Singles, Silver medal - second place

### World Team Championships / World Championships

- 2024 Busan Team, Silver medal - second place

### Olympic Games

- 2024 Paris Team, Bronze medal - third place
- 2010 Singapore Youth Olympic Games Singles, Bronze medal - third place

### European Games

- 2015 Baku Team, Silver medal - second place
- 2023 Kraków-Małopolska Team, Bronze medal - third place

### Europe Top-16 Cup

- 2017 Antibes Singles, Bronze medal - third place

### National Championships (France)

- 2021 French National Singles, Gold medal - first place
- 2020 French National Singles, Gold medal - first place
- 2013 French National Singles, Gold medal - first place

## PLAYING STYLE AND PERSONALITY

Simon Gauzy is a right-handed shakehand player known for his aggressive all-round attacking style, combining a powerful forehand with a reliable backhand and smart placement.

Off the table, he is seen as a calm leader and steady presence in the French team. In 2025, media highlighted his ability to balance elite competition with family life, earning respect as both a teammate and father.

## BREAKTHROUGH MOMENTS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

2025

### European Team Championships (Zadar)

- Key member of the French team that captured the European team title, confirming France's rise to the top of European table tennis and Gauzy's role as a senior leader.

### World Championships (Doha)

- Produced one of the standout results of the tournament by defeating Lin Gaoyuan, advancing to the Round of 16 and underlining his ability to challenge the world's elite.

### Domestic Titles & Club Transition

- Won both the German Cup and German Championship with TTF Liebherr Ochsenhausen before returning to France to sign with GV Hennebont, marking a major career transition.

### WTT Finals (Hong Kong)

- Qualified for the season-ending WTT Finals, reflecting consistency and strong performances across the 2025 international calendar.

2019

### World Cup (Chengdu)

- Reached the semifinals and won the bronze medal, delivering one of the strongest individual results of his career on the global stage.

2017

### World Ranking Milestone

- Reached a career-high world ranking of No. 8, establishing himself among the world's top players.

2016

### European Championships (Budapest)

- Won the European team title with France, contributing decisively to the country's continental success.

2015

### European Championships (Ekaterinburg)

- Claimed his first European team gold medal, marking his breakthrough as a core member of the French national team.

## CAREER

Simon Gauzy rose through the French youth system to become one of the nation's top players in the 2010s. After establishing himself on the international stage, he spent twelve successful seasons in the German Bundesliga with TTF Liebherr Ochsenhausen, where he developed into a world-class competitor and won multiple domestic titles. He has represented France at several Olympic Games, including the 2024 edition in Paris, and has played a leading role in securing medals for the national team at both World and European level. In 2025, Gauzy delivered strong individual results, including a standout performance at the World Championships in Doha, and helped France win the European Team Championships in Zadar. Later that year, he returned to France to join GV Hennebont, marking a new chapter in his professional journey.

## LEGACY AND FUTURE GOALS

As of December 2025, Simon Gauzy is recognized as a central figure in modern French table tennis – a player who has combined individual talent with consistent contributions to national team success. Known for his big-match temperament and long-standing presence in top-tier European club competitions, his career reflects both stability and high-level achievement. Looking ahead, Gauzy aims to maintain his performance on the WTT circuit while supporting the next generation of French players. His return to the domestic league signals a desire to balance elite-level competition with family life and long-term contribution to the sport in France.

## SOCIAL MEDIA

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