

# Celeste Troche

(say-LESS-tay TROH-shay)

**Born:** 2/13/81 Asuncion, Paraguay

**Residence:** Valley, Ala.

**Rookie year:** 2004

**Status:** Non-exempt

**Career-best finish:** T20

**Career-low round:** 69

**Career earnings (rank):** \$41,248 (478)

**Education:** Auburn University (2003, International Business)



## Professional

### 2005

- Recorded a career-best tie for 20<sup>th</sup> at the Sybase Classic presented by Lincoln Mercury.
- Tied her career-low 69 in the second round of the John Q. Hammons Hotel Classic.
- Returned to the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament Presented by American Airlines, where she tied for 47<sup>th</sup> to earn non-exempt for the 2006 season.

### 2005 Stats (rank)

Rds under par: 6/52 (139)	Rds in the 60s: 1/52 (148)	Birdies: 112 (117)
Eagles: 1 (85)	Greens in reg: 61.5% (117)	Driving accuracy: 79.6% (16)
Sand saves: 18.2% (157)	Putts per GIR: 1.86 (106)	Driving avg: 235.1 (147)

### Career

- In 2004, returned to the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament Presented by American Airlines, where she tied for fourth to earn exempt status for the 2005 season.
- In 2003, tied for 49<sup>th</sup> at the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament to earn non-exempt status for the 2004 season; turned professional in June and competed in five Futures Tour events.

## Amateur

Troche was the 2000 Southeastern Conference (SEC) Freshman of the Year while attending Auburn University and won one collegiate tournament, the 2001 SEC ACC Shootout. She was the 2001 U.S. Women's Amateur Championship co-medalist and won the 2001 Trans-National Championship. Troche was the 2001 SEC Player of the Year and a two-time All-American.

## Personal

5'9", brown hair, brown eyes...Started playing golf at the age of 8...Credits her parents Hugo and Stella Troche as the individuals most influencing her career...Enjoys fishing, reading and cooking...Qualified for the Tour on her first attempt.

## Major Championship History

	01	04	05
<b>KNC</b>	DNP	DNP	DNP
<b>LPGA</b>	DNP	DNP	MC
<b>OPEN</b>	MC	DNP	MC
<b>WB</b>	DNP	DNP	DNP

## Troche's LPGA Record

Information above the line indicates record before originally qualifying for the LPGA Tour.

Year	# of events	Cuts made	Wins	2nd	3rd	Top 10s	Best finish	Earnings	Rank	Scoring average
2001	1	0	0	0	0	0	MC	N/A	N/A	78.00
2004	4	2	0	0	0	0	T46	\$ 6,419	171	73.13
2005	22	5	0	0	0	0	T20	34,829	129	74.50