

# Young Kim



**Rookie year:** 2003  
**Status:** Exempt  
**Career-best finish:** T3  
**Career-low round:** 63  
**Career earnings (rank):** \$1,357,648 (110)  
**LPGA career holes-in-one:** 1  
**Education:** Kyung Hee University  
**International victories:** 2

## Professional

### 2006

- Recorded five top-10 finishes, including a tie for eighth at both the Franklin American Mortgage Championship benefiting the Monroe Carell, Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt, where she shot a season-low 65 during the final round, and at the CN Canadian Women's Open.
- Also carded a 65 in the second round of the Wendy's Championship for Children.
- Recorded a tie for ninth at the McDonald's LPGA Championship Presented by Coca-Cola, and a tie for 10<sup>th</sup> at both the U.S. Women's Open and the Honda LPGA Thailand 2006.
- Crossed the \$1 million mark in career earnings with a tie for 24<sup>th</sup> at the LPGA Takefuji Classic.

### 2006 Stats (rank)

Rds under par: 38/82 (29)	Rds in the 60s: 22/82 (19)	Birdies: 288 (18)
Eagles: 3 (51)	Greens in reg: 65.3% (73)	Driving accuracy: 70.3% (83)
Sand saves: 43.4% (34)	Putts per GIR: 1.77 (11)	Driving avg: 252.1 (77)

### Career

- In 2005, recorded six top-10 finishes, including a career-best tie for third at the Weetabix Women's British Open and the Mizuno Classic, where she tied her career-low 63 in the final round.
- In 2004, recorded three top-10 finishes, including a season-best tie for fifth at the Sybase Classic Presented by Lincoln Mercury; ended the season with back-to-back ties for seventh at the CJ Nine Bridges Classic Presented by Sports Today and the Mizuno Classic.
- In 2003, best finish was a tie for sixth at the McDonald's LPGA Championship Presented by AIG; carded a career-low 63 in the first round of the Welch's/Fry's Championship, which included a 28 (-7) on the back nine and her first LPGA career hole-in-one.
- In 2002, tied for fourth at the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament to earn exempt status for the 2003 LPGA season.
- In 2001, won the Barona Creek Women's Golf Classic on the Futures Tour.
- From 1998-2001, played on the Korea LPGA (KLPGA) Tour, where she was a two-time tournament champion.
- In March 1998, turned professional.

## Amateur

Kim is a four-time winner of the Korea Golf Association Junior Championship and in 1997, won the Japan Golf Association Junior Championship.

## Personal

5'7"...Started playing golf at the age of 11...Credits her father as the individual most influencing her career... Hobbies include listening to music...Qualified for the Tour on her first attempt.

## Major Championship History

	03	04	05	06
<b>KNC</b>	DNP	T16	T19	T19
<b>LPGA</b>	T6	T30	T7	T9
<b>OPEN</b>	DNP	T20	T38	T10
<b>WB</b>	9	MC	T3	MC

## Kim'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
1999	1	1	0	0	0	0	T38	\$ 4,091	N/A	71.75
2000	2	2	0	0	0	0	T20	9,696	N/A	75.88
2002	1	1	0	0	0	0	T27	12,113	N/A	77.67
2003	22	17	0	0	0	4	T6	223,866	44	71.91
2004	21	15	0	0	0	3	T5	264,072	44	71.91
2005	23	22	0	0	2	6	T3	470,926	29	71.70
2006	24	23	0	0	0	5	T8	398,784	28	71.48