

# Helen Alfredsson

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**Rookie year:** 1992

**Status:** Exempt

**Career victories (last):** 5 (2003)

**Majors won:** 1

**Career-low round:** 63

**Career earnings (rank):** \$3,761,358 (36)

**LPGA career holes-in-one:** 4

**Playoff record:** 0-2

**International victories:** 14

**Education:** United States International University (1988, International Business)

## Professional

### 2007

- Recorded a season-best tie for 17<sup>th</sup> at the Sybase Classic presented by ShopRite.
- Carded a season-low 68 during the second round of the Fields Open in Hawaii.
- Captained the European Solheim Cup Team.
- Only completed in 11 events due to a back injury.

### 2007 Stats (rank)

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Rds under par: 10/33 (62) | Rds in the 60s: 3/33 (89) | Birdies: 98 (124)             |
| Eagles: 0 (N/A)           | Greens in reg: 61.1% (75) | Driving accuracy: 54.7% (143) |
| Sand saves: 24.1% (143)   | Putts per GIR: 1.84 (63)  | Driving avg: 249.8 (66)       |

### Career

- In 2006, recorded a season-best runner-up finish at the MasterCard Classic Honoring Alejo Peralta.
- In 2005, best finish was a tie for fifth at the Evian Masters; named captain of the European Solheim Cup Team for 2007.
- In 2004, best finish was a tie for eighth at the Michelob ULTRA Open at Kingsmill.
- In 2003, won her first tournament since 1998 at the Longs Drugs Challenge, where she crossed the \$3 million mark in career earnings; captained the victorious European Team at the PING Junior Solheim Cup in Sweden.
- In 2002, posted two top-10 finishes, including a tie for fifth at the Wegmans Rochester LPGA and a tie for seventh at the ShopRite LPGA Classic; was a captain's pick for the European Solheim Cup Team.
- In 2001, posted two top-10 finishes, including a tie for ninth at The Office Depot Hosted by Amy Alcott and a ninth-place finish at the McDonald's LPGA Championship Presented by AIG; earned her 14<sup>th</sup> international victory at the WPGA Championship of Europe on the Ladies European Tour.
- In 2000, best finish was a tie for seventh at the Giant Eagle LPGA Classic; as a captain's pick, her 2-1-0 record helped lead the European Team to victory in The Solheim Cup.
- In 1999, best finish was a tie for second at both the Naples LPGA Memorial and City of Hope Myrtle Beach Classic; recorded two holes-in-one; during the first round of the Nabisco Dinah Shore and the third round of the Mercury Titleholders Championship.
- In 1998, after three seasons without an LPGA victory, captured two tournament titles in a span of two months, The Office Depot and the Welch's/Circle K Championship; crossed the \$2 million mark in career earnings at PageNet Tour Championship; recorded her second LPGA career hole-in-one during the first round of the U.S. Women's Open; captured the Evian Masters title on the European Ladies' Professional Golf Association (ELPGA) Tour; was a member of the European Solheim Cup Team.
- In 1997, returned to the LPGA Tour in February after undergoing hip surgery; won two international events, the McDonald's WPGA Championship Europe and the Itoen Tournament in Japan; tied for second at the Samsung World Championship of Women's Golf after losing in a sudden-death playoff to Juli Inkster.
- In 1996, best finish was second place at the Samsung World Championship of Women's Golf; recorded her first LPGA career hole-in-one during the third round of the Chrysler-Plymouth Tournament of Champions; won the Hennessy Cup in Europe for the third time; was a member of the European Solheim Cup Team.
- In 1995, tied for second at the Friendly's Classic and crossed the \$1 million mark in career earnings at the Pinewild Women's Championship.
- In 1994, captured her second LPGA title at the PING Welch's Championship in Boston; fired a career-low 63 (-8) during the first round of the U.S. Women's Open, the lowest round in U.S. Women's Open history; won the Evian Masters in Europe; was a member of the European Solheim Cup Team.
- In 1993, became a Rolex First-Time Winner at the Nabisco Dinah Shore, one of the Tour's four major championships.
- In 1992, best finish during her rookie season was second place at the Mazda Japan Classic, where she lost a four-hole, sudden-death playoff to Betsy King; named Rookie of the Year; won three international events, the Hennessy Cup, the IBM Open and the Itoki Classic in Japan; was a member of the victorious European Solheim Cup Team.
- In 1991, tied for 17<sup>th</sup> at the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament and earned exempt status for the 1992 LPGA Tour season; won four international events: Ellair Open; Queensland Open; Hennessy Cup; and Trophée Coconut Skol.
- Prior to joining the LPGA Tour, was Women Professional Golfers' European Tour (WPGET) Rookie of the Year in 1989; won the 1990 Weetabix Women's British Open and was a member of the 1990 European Solheim Cup Team.

