

Hee-Won Han

(Hee-wun Hahn)



Rookie year: 2001

Status: Exempt

Career victories (last): 6 (2006)

Career-low round: 62

Career earnings (rank): \$4,817,142 (27)

LPGA career holes-in-one: 1

Playoff record: 3-3

International victories: 2

Education: Rukoku University

Professional

2007

- Played in just seven events due to the birth of her son, Dale.
- Recorded two top-10 finishes including a season-best seventh at the SBS Open at Turtle Bay and 10th at The Mitchell Company LPGA Tournament of Champions, where she carded a season-low 67 in the final round.
- Also finished 11th at both the Safeway International Presented by Coca-Cola and the Honda LPGA Thailand 2007.

Career

- In 2006, recorded two wins, including a victory at the LPGA Corning Classic, where she defeated Meena Lee in a four-hole, sudden-death playoff; also won the Honda LPGA Thailand 2006, where she carded all rounds in the 60s; posted 10 top-10 finishes and was one of a record 11 players on Tour to earn more than \$1 million in season earnings; finished in the top-five in five consecutive tournaments she played, including two consecutive runner-up finishes at the Michelob ULTRA Open at Kingsmill and at the Sybase Classic presented by Lincoln Mercury, where she crossed the \$4 million mark in career earnings; tied for sixth at the Kraft Nabisco Championship, recording her career-best finish in a major championship.
- In 2005, won her fourth career title at the Office Depot Championship at Trump National Golf Club Los Angeles; followed her win with a runner-up finish at the Longs Drugs Challenge; tied for fourth at the LPGA Corning Classic, where she carded a career-low 62 during the third round to tie the LPGA record for the lowest third round in history; crossed the \$3 million mark in career earnings at the Wegmans Rochester LPGA.
- In 2004, won her third career title at the Safeway Classic Presented by Pepsi, where she defeated Lorie Kane on the first hole of a sudden-death playoff; finished second to Catriona Matthew after a one-hole, sudden-death playoff at the Wendy's Championship for Children; crossed the \$2 million mark in career earnings with a tie for fourth at the Michelob ULTRA Open at Kingsmill; recorded her first LPGA career hole-in-one during the second round of the Chick-fil-A Charity Championship hosted by Nancy Lopez.
- In 2003, became a Rolex First-Time Winner at the Sybase Big Apple Classic presented by Lincoln Mercury, an event in which she finished second the year prior; also avenged a second-place finish from 2002 with a three-hole, sudden-death playoff win over Wendy Ward at the Wendy's Championship for Children at Tartan Fields; finished second to Dorothy Delasin at the Mobile LPGA Tournament of Championship after a one-hole playoff; crossed the \$1 million mark in career earnings after the Wegmans Rochester LPGA; won the State Farm LPGA Series Bonus Pool.
- In 2002, finished second three times: the Longs Drugs Challenge; the Sybase Big Apple Classic Presented by GOLF MAGAZINE, where she lost to fellow South Korean Gloria Park on the first hole of sudden-death; and the Wendy's Championship for Children at Tartan Fields.
- In 2001, won the Louise Suggs Rolex Rookie of the Year award on the strength of four top-20 finishes, becoming the first non-exempt player to win the honor since Lisa Hackney (Hall) in 1997; successfully Monday-qualified in seven of 11 attempts; best finish was a tie for 10th at the Kathy Ireland Championship Honoring Harvey Penick.
- In 2000, tied for 27th at the LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament to earn non-exempt status for the 2001 season.
- In 1999, won two tournaments on the LPGA of Japan (JLPGA)—the NEC Kairuzawa Tournament and Osaka Women's Open—and finished fifth on the money list.
- In 1998, turned professional and was named the JLPGA Rookie of the Year; also competed professionally in Korea.

Amateur

Han recorded 48 victories as an amateur, including the 1991 U.S. Optimist World Junior Tournament, the 1994 Pacific Asia Amateur Championship, the 1995 Orange Bowl World Junior Series, the 1996 World Amateur Golf Championship and the 1999 Osaka Ladies Open. She was a member of the 1992-97 National Conference Team and a silver medalist at the 1994 Hiroshima Asia Games.

Personal

5'7"...Started playing golf at the age of 9...Married Hyuk Son on Dec. 24, 2003...Gave birth to son, Dale, in 2007...Qualified for the Tour on her first attempt.

LPGA Victories, Awards, Etc.

LPGA Victories (6): 2003 Sybase Big Apple Classic presented by Lincoln Mercury, Wendy's Championship for Children at Tartan Fields. 2004 Safeway Classic Presented by Pepsi. 2005 Office Depot Championship at Trump National Golf Club Los Angeles. 2006 LPGA Corning Classic, Honda LPGA Thailand 2006.

LPGA Awards (1): 2001 Louise Suggs Rolex Rookie of the Year.

Major Championship History

	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	
KNC	DNP	T25	20	T13	T17	T6	T49	
LPGA	T37	T57	T11	T49	T25	T25	DNP	
OPEN	DNP	T32	T43	T52	T47	MC	DNP	
WBO	T32	DNP	T19	T13	MC	T10	DNP	

Han'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	2	2	0	0	0	0	T19	\$ 8,070	N/A	72.17
2000	1	1	0	0	0	0	T47	2,102	N/A	71.67
2001	24	18	0	0	0	1	T10	131,669	70	71.91
2002	27	24	0	3	0	7	2	612,747	14	71.45
2003	27	26	2	3	2	11	1	1,111,860	4	70.88
2004	28	24	1	1	1	8	1	840,605	8	70.80
2005	27	25	1	1	2	11	1	856,364	8	71.31
2006	27	26	2	2	0	10	1	1,147,651	9	70.78
2007	7	6	0	0	0	2	7	116,246	81	71.67