

Lizette Salas

Birthdate: July 17, 1989
Hometown: Azusa, Calif.
Resides: Azusa, Calif.
Education: University of Southern California
(2011, Sociology)
Rookie Year: 2012
Career-best finish: T9 (2012 Sime Darby
LPGA Malaysia)
Career Earnings: \$242,035



2012 in a Nutshell

- 18 events, 16 cuts made, \$242,035 (51)
- Recorded season-best tie for ninth at the Sime Darby LPGA Malaysia
- Finished third in the Louise Suggs Rolex Rookie of the Year race
- Carded a career-low 65 in the first round of the 2012 Navistar LPGA Classic

Career Highlights

- Qualified for the LPGA Tour on her first attempt at the 2011 LPGA Final Qualifying Tournament where she carded three straight birdies in a playoff to earn exempt status for the 2012 season
- Turned professional in 2011 and played on the Symetra Tour where she recorded a career-best tie for fourth at the Island Resort Championship
- Became the first four-time All-American in the University of Southern California (USC) golf history
- Twice named Pac-10 Player of the Year (2009, 2011) and was a three-time First-Team All Pac-10 selection (2009-2011)
- Recorded three victories while on the USC golf team

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Get to know Lizette...

- Lizette is the first person in her immediate family to earn a degree and graduate from college
- Most admires her college golf coach Andrea Gaston because of her dedication to guide and instruct young women. She says "without her I wouldn't be living my dream."
- Her father was the head mechanic at Azusa Greens Golf Course and did favors for the head pro in exchange for Lizette's golf lessons. He also made her first set of clubs, which included drilling holes in the side of a 7-iron to make it lighter



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