




RIDER BIOGRAPHY

Name:	Karin Donckers	
Country:	Belgium	
Age:	38	

Notable Recent Results

- 2009 – Burghley CCI**** 13th SS Jett
- 2009 – Fontainebleau (Eu Ch) 6th (Gazelle de la Brasserie)
- 2009 – Strzegom CIC***W 10th (Gazelle de la Brasserie)
- 2008 – Olympic Games 12th (Gazelle de la Brasserie)
- 2008 – 2nd Barroca d’Alva (Gazelle de la Brasserie)
- 2007 – Aachen CIC*** 4th (Palmyra)
- 2007 – Luhmuhlen CCI**** 6th (Gormley)
- 2005 – Blenheim CCI*** 4th (Gormley)
- 2004 3rd at World Cup final and Completed Olympic Games Athens with 'Gormley'
- 2003 6th Punchestown Eur Champs
- 1992 8th Individual at Olympic Games Barcelona

Badminton Record

- 2009 – 7th (Gazelle de la Brasserie)
- 2009 – 13th (SS Jett)
- 2006 – Elim’d (Gormley)
- 2004 – 32nd (Lamicell Chumbawumba)

Personal

Karin’s breakthrough to top level eventing came at Saumur 1992 where she was third (Britt), a result that led to her selection for the Olympic Games in Barcelona where the Belgian team took fourth place and she was eighth. She has since competed in three more Olympic Games (2000, 2004 & 2008) and was ninth in Beijing in 2008 (Gazelle de la Brasserie). Despite several setbacks including breaking a vertebrae in 2000 Karin is now of the World’s leading lady event riders. Much of her early success came with homebred horses, descendants of Britt such as Palmyra and Jenna.

This year will be the third visit to Badminton for SS Jett, part-owned by her partner Carl Bouckaert, while Gazelle de la Brassiere was 7th last year having led the field after dressage.

Pedigree	Notable Results
Gazelle de la Brasserie (Sire) Karacondo (Dam) Oree de la Brasserie bay mare	

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Breed Type: Suis

Owner(s): Michel Pellaux, Jacques Pellaux, Amelia Sterkens

Breeder: Pellaux Michel - Jacques