



## 3rd edition of the unique ascent race on March 16th 2017

### > Random drawing of participants

-- **Paris, France (le 12/12/2016)** - The 118 participants of the Eiffel tower Vertical are announced !

**The Eiffel tower Vertical** - the "vertical kilometer" of the EcoTrail® de Paris - is an ascent race going all the way up the most visited paid-for monument in the world. This high-speed time trial race (new start every 30 seconds or every minute) is a true physical challenge, set in a monument that is the very definition of challenge.

In 2015, for the first edition of the Eiffel tower Vertical, 61 participants from 14 different nationalities, and representing every running discipline, gathered for this first edition. In 2016, there were more than 400 subscriptions to this event, from 23 different nationalities, making it 1/3 more than the previous year for a total of 100 participants.

This year, the number of participants to an even more accessible race is increasing again. 128\* French and international runners will be climbing the steps of the Eiffel tower on March 16th 2017. Find below the names of 78 drawn runners and the names of the 40 runners chosen by the expert committee.

\* The 10 wild-card runners will be announced by the end of January 2017

**Selected by the expert committee**

<b>Gen</b>	<b>Last name</b>	<b>First name</b>	<b>Nationality</b>	<b>Speciality</b>
F	Bauer	Justine	France	Tower Running
F	Blanck	Emmanuelle	France	Tower Running
F	Bonacina	Cristina	Italia	Tower Running
F	Guilbert	Salia	France	KM Vertical
F	Hucko	Stephanie	USA	KM Vertical
F	Klančnik	Jasmina	Slovenia	Trail Running
F	Krčhová	Zuzana	Czech Rep	Tower Running
F	O'Hara	Tricia	USA	Tower Running
F	Reid	Cindy	Australia	KM Vertical
F	Respaud	Maud	France	Trail Running
F	Riccitiello	Oriane	France	Tower Running
F	Stelmach	Dominika	Poland	Tower Running
F	Walsham	Suzy	Australia	Tower Running
F	Windish	Veronika	Austria	KM Vertical
F	Wisniewska-Ulfik	Dominika	Poland	Tower Running
M	Anselmo	Christophe	France	Tower Running
M	Bellamy	Benjamin	France	Tower Running
M	Carreno Hernandez	Frank Nicolas	Colombia	Tower Running
M	Celko	Tomas	Slovakia	Tower Running
M	Juhel	Sylvain	France	KM Vertical
M	Lebrun	Nicolas	France	KM Vertical
M	Lobodzinski	Piotr	Poland	Tower Running
M	Love	Sproule	USA	Tower Running
M	Majcen	Rolf	Austria	Tower Running
M	Manzi	Emanuele	Italia	Tower Running
M	Mayer	Jakob	Austria	Tower Running
M	Mendoza Cruz	Gustavo Isaac	Mexico	Tower Running
M	Mikloša	Matjaz	Slovenia	Trail Running
M	Mozzone	Eddy	France	Road
M	Perret	Adrien	France	KM Vertical
M	Ricard	Stéphane	France	Trail Running

M	Riedl	Christian	Germany	Tower Running
M	Ruga	Fabio	Italia	Tower Running
M	Sluga	Rene	Austria	Tower Running
M	Stefina	Stefan	Slovakia	Tower Running
M	Stephens-Whale	Shaun	Canada	Tower Running
M	Thomas	Quentin	France	Tower Running
M	Tomica	Martin	Czech Rep	Tower Running
M	Vicente	Laurent	France	Trail Running
M	Workman	Alexander	USA	Tower Running

## The Eiffel Tower Vertical® An international event!

**All in all, more than 19 countries are represented in this race.**

<b>Represented countries</b>	
Germany	Italia
Australia	Mexico
Austria	Netherlands
Belgium	Poland
Canada	Czech republic
China	United Kingdom
Colombia	Slovakia
Denmark	Slovenia
Spain	United States
France	

## Participants

<b>Origins of the runners selected by the expert committee</b>	
Road running	1
Tower running	27

Trail-running	5
Vertical KM	7

<b>Gender</b>	
Female	35
Male	83

Random Drawing			
Gen	Last Name	First Name	Nationality
F	Aleman	Christiane	USA
F	Beauvais	Leslie	France
F	Bockel	Anna Lena	Germany
F	Canac	Laurie	France
F	Ducheno	Layla	France
F	Fayon	Adeline	France
F	Grossman	Maike	Germany
F	Henriques	Nathalie	France
F	Jin	Lan	China
F	Jones	Spencer	USA
F	Kalksma	Sally	USA
F	Ko	Michelle	Canada
F	Laxague	Mayden	France
F	Mercier	Armelle	France
F	Olivier Triomphe	Gaelle	France
F	Porst Chevalier	Elodie	France
F	Robertson	Megan	United Kingdom
F	Soskins	Christine	USA
F	Whitaker	Salina	USA
M	Arsac-England	Michel	France
M	Arvis	Sébastien	France
M	Balaguette	Christophe	France
M	Berke	Julien	France
M	Blain	Guillaume	France
M	Blameble	Pierre	France
M	Boisbrun	Quentin	France
M	Braga	Eddy	France
M	Buzetti	Marco	Italia
M	Crapart	Laurent	France
M	Curdy	Maxence	France
M	Degobert	Guillaume	France
M	Delahaye	Christophe	France
M	Demoustier	Jean-François	France
M	Denis	Jonathan	France
M	Ferrandon	François	France
M	Ferrari	Franck	France
M	Floor	Gerko	Netherlands
M	Flor	Siegfried	Germany
M	Fortineau	Nicolas	France

(next) Random Drawing			
Gen	Last Name	First Name	Nationality
M	Freville	Matthieu	France
M	Garcia Vivancos	Emilio José	Spain
M	Gaudin	Christophe	France
M	Genet	Matthieu	France
M	Giraud	Alban	France
M	Groues	Thierry	France
M	Guille	François	France
M	Hudyma	Stéphane	France
M	Kaiser	Manfred	Germany
M	Kudlinski	James	USA
M	Lajournade	Julien	Fance
M	Leblond	Vincent	France
M	Lissajoux	Kevin	France
M	Liu	Edan	France
M	Martin	Christopher	France
M	Michaud	Bernard	France
M	Ollivier	Jacques	France
M	Omer-Decugis	Vincent	France
M	Panorias	Sylvain	France
M	Pedersen	Martin	Denmark
M	Pelle	Jérôme	France
M	Penard	Yohann	France
M	Peycker	Stéphane	Belgium
M	Pitel	Camille	France
M	Plassais	Arnaud	France
M	Pudal	Eric	France
M	Raynal	Fabien	France
M	Ronk	Stéphane	USA
M	Sevilla	Fabien	France
M	Sims	Mark	United Kingdom
M	Soto Conde	Jose Antonio	Spain
M	Teissedre	Franck	France
M	Tournant	Loic	France
M	Touroude	Anthony	France
M	Vaidie	Arnaud	France
M	Vatin	Xavier	France
M	Vergne	Nicolas	France
M	Ward	Alex	United Kingdom

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**About the Eiffel tower Operating Company (SETE)**

On January 1st 2006, the City of Paris assigned the operations and management of the Eiffel Tower to the SETE within the frame of a public service delegation over a period of 10 years. The SETE is a semi-public company of which 60% of the capital is held by the City of Paris. It is chaired by Bernard Gaudillère, Counselor of Paris, and managed by Anne Yannic. The SETE employs more than 300 people. Its turnover for the year 2015 amounts to €81.8 million.

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*EcoTrail is a concept of trail running events organized in close proximity to major cities and their suburbs and whose ambition is to offer to many as possible to (re) discover the natural and cultural heritage of their territory while participating to outdoor sports activities.*

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