



## Review Women's 63kg

- Loredana-Elena Toma (ROU) became the first world champion representing Romania in any women's category at the world championships.
- The previous world champion from Romania was Valeriu Calancea (ROU), who won the Clean & Jerk title in the men's 94kg in 2010.
- She was the second athlete from Romania to reach the world championships podium in a women's 63kg event, after Roxana Cocos (ROU) who finished third in the Clean & Jerk in 2011.
- Toma was the first world champion from Europe in a women's 63kg event since Tima Turieva (RUS), who won all three events in this category at the 2013 World Championships.
- For the second world championships in a row, the world title in all three 63kg events was won by the same woman - in 2015, Deng Wei (CHN) won all three categories.
- Lina Rivas (COL) finished on the podium of all three events (second in Total, third in both Snatch and Clean & Jerk). At each of the previous two world championships (2014, 2015), Tima Turieva had finished on the podium of all three women's 63kg events without claiming a world title.
- Rivas and Mercedes Pérez (COL, third in Total) became the second and third woman from Colombia to claim a medal in a women's 63kg event, after Nísida Palomeque (COL) who finished in third place in the Clean & Jerk event in 2010.
- Colombia became the first country to collect two medals in the overall women's 63kg event at a single world championships.
- Colombia's four medals in total in women's 63kg events equalled China's tally of four from the 2003 world championships.
- Maude Charron (CAN), who finished in second place in the Snatch event, was the first woman from Canada to claim a medal at the world championships since Jean Lassen (CAN) in 2006 (second in Clean & Snatch 69kg, third in Total 69kg).
- Rattanawam Wamalun (THA, second in Clean & Jerk) was the second athlete to claim a medal in a women's 63kg event, after Pawina Thongsuk (THA) who won all three events in 2005.