

Gion Stalder

Place of residence	Alvaneu Bad, Graubünden
Date of birth	19 July 1999
Squad	Swiss-Ski B squad, biathlon
Career	2006 - 2012 Primary school, Wald ZH 2012 - 2015 Secondary school, Wald ZH 2015 - 2018 Apprenticeship as a commercial employee, Federal VET Diploma, Communal administration, Wald ZH 2019 - 2020 Top-class sport RS Magglingen Since 2022 Training as a specialist in customs and border security
Free time	Playing music, reading
Languages	German, English, French
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Biography

Born into a family of Nordic sports enthusiasts and raised on the sunny side of the Bachtel, I had almost no choice but to give skiing a try as a young boy. It was always important for me to try new things and to combine cross-country skiing with another sport – this is how I first came to Nordic combined. After an adrenaline-filled time spent in the air, I decided to try a ground sport. There was no doubt that cross-country skiing should remain a part of my sporting career. As my brother Sebastian had discovered the fascinating sport of biathlon for himself at that time, it was easy to follow in his footsteps. Our uncle, who had also been an active biathlete in the past, got behind his binoculars and supported us in our journey as a coach from then on. After many hours of training and the occasional sacrifice that you have to make as an athlete, I made it through the candidate group into the junior C squad and am now a member of the Swiss-Ski elite B squad. Thanks to my apprenticeship as a commercial employee, which I completed parallel to my sport, I have also learned how to deal with double workloads. In my first year with the elite, I was able to finish in the top 20 in the IBU Cup, the second-highest level, five times and ranked as best Swiss biathlete several times.



Achievements

Best achievements

IBU Cup

- 3th place single mixed relay (Brezno Osrbliie 2023)
- 15th place sprint (Obertilliach 2023)
- 21th place sprint (Canmore 2023)
- 26th place sprint (Canmore 2023)
- 28th place mass start (Canmore 2023)
- 7th place pursuit (Ridnaun 2022)
- 12th place mass start (Lenzerheide 2022)
- 15th place sprint (Ridnaun 2022)
- 18th place sprint (Brezno Osrbliie 2022)
- 20th place sprint (Lenzerheide 2022)
- 25th place super sprint (Lenzerheide 2022)
- 31st place sprint (Nové Město)
- 38th place sprint (Nové Město)

Junior World Championships/European Championships

- 6th place relay (Obertilliach 2021)
- 27th place sprint (Hochfilzen 2020)
- 43rd place pursuit (Obertilliach 2021)
- 48th place individual (Obertilliach 2021)
- 50th place individual (Otepää 2018)

Alpine Cup

- 2nd place individual (Val di Fiemme 2022)
- 4th place sprint (Val di Fiemme 2022)
- 4th place sprint (Oberhof 2018)
- 4th place sprint (Oberhof 2018)
- 5th place individual (Lenzerheide 2018)

Swiss Championships

- 1st place sprint (Realp 2021)
- 3rd place mass start (Realp 2021)
- 1st place sprint (Lenzerheide 2018)