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Dubai Marathon
2016

Megertu Ifa Geletu (Ethiopia)

Date of Birth: 1991

PB Marathon (2014): 2:32:31

PB Half Marathon (2011): 1:11:25

Biography

Megertu Ifa Geletu's personal best remains her time of 2:32:31 when finishing in a creditable fourth place at the Amsterdam Marathon in the Netherlands in 2014.



Last year, she competed in the 2015 Seoul International Marathon in South Korea but had to settle for eighth place in 2:34:52, while in 2013 she secured a podium place finishing second at the Bucharest Marathon in Romania.

In 2013, Geletu took part in the inaugural Haikou International Beach Marathon 10K, held on the 2.5km long Holiday Beach in Haikou, on southern China's Hainan Island.

While Kenyan Rodah Jepkorir Tanui took first in 42:50, Geletu was second in 44:01 in what was the largest beach race of its kind in Asia, attracting 402 professional runners and amateurs from 21 countries and regions.

The 24 year-old Ethiopian also has a Half Marathon personal best of 1:11:25 set in Verbania, Italy in 2011.

Significant Results

2015	Seoul Marathon	8th	2:34:52
2014	Amsterdam Marathon	4th	2:32:31
2013	Bucharest Marathon	2nd	2:39:53