

RAHUL DRAVID ATHLETE MENTORSHIPS WITH GOSports

2. Namita Chandel

Date of Birth: 10th February 1993 Sport: Canoeing Hometown: Seoni, Madhya Pradesh Training Base: Lower Lake, Bhopal

Namita took up to Canoeing in 2010, in the Singles event. Only a year later, she qualified for her first national games and has been performing exceedingly well ever since. Namita's father is a business man, and her mother works for a local political party. She has



two siblings - a younger brother and a sister. Namita has started working with the State of Madhya Pradesh's Sports Ministry as a Grade 3 officer. She is currently preparing for the upcoming Asian Games 2018 and working with the aim to qualify for Olympics 2020.

Athlete Performances

- ▶ Gold medal in C2 500m in the 28th National Canoe Sprint Championship, Bhopal in 2018.
- Finished 9th in C2 200m in Asian Canoe Sprint Championship, Shanghai, China in 2017.
- Finished 31st in C1 100m in I.C.F. Canoe Sprint World Championship, Czech Republic in 2017.
- Silver medal in mixed 200m Asian Canoe Sprint & Dragon Boat Championship, Indonesia in 2015.
- Represented India in the Obstacle Slalom at the 17th Asian Games, Incheon in 2014.