

General Information

Country:	UKR
Gender:	M
Handedness:	Left-handed
Date of birth:	1993-06-18
License:	18061993001

Further Personal Information

Residence	Kharkiv, UKR
Occupation	Athlete
Languages	Russian, Ukrainian
Higher education	Coaching - Skovoroda Kharkiv National Pedagogical University: Ukraine

Sport Specific Information

When and where did you begin this sport?	He took up the sport at age nine in Kharkiv, Ukraine.
Why this sport?	"My brother began training and when I went to watch him compete I liked it very much."
Club / Team	Armed Forces: Ukraine
Name of coach	Volodymyr Stankevych Sr. [national, personal], UKR; Iryna Odokienko [personal], UKR
Handedness	Left

General Interest

Hobbies	Travelling, wakeboarding, kart racing, water skiing. (noc-ukr.org, 13 Jul 2021; Athlete, 12 Aug 2020)
Memorable sporting achievement	Winning bronze in the individual epee at the 2018 World Championships in Wuxi, People's Republic of China. (SportsDeskOnline, 04 May 2021; Athlete, 09 Jul 2019)
Most influential person in career	Coach Iryna Odokienko, and her family. (Athlete, 20 Jul 2018)
Hero / Idol	Ukrainian boxer Vasyl Lomachenko, Venezuelan fencer Ruben Limardo. (Athlete, 20 Jul 2018)
Awards and honours	He was part of the Ukrainian epee team that was named the 2019 Team of the Year by the National Olympic Committee of Ukraine. (noc-ukr.org, 09 Mar 2020) In 2019 and 2018 he was named Athlete of the Year in Olympic Sports in the Kharkiv region of Ukraine. (shvsm.kharkov.ua, 14 Dec 2019, 28 Jan 2019) He has received the title of Honoured Master of Sport in Ukraine. (mms.gov.ua, 21 Dec 2021)
Famous relatives	His older brother Bogdan Svichkar has competed in epee fencing at national level. (dsmsu.gov.ua, 28 Dec 2019; nffu.org.ua, 25 Dec 2019)
Ambitions	To win medals at the Olympic Games, the European championships and the world championships. (Athlete, 09 Jul 2019)