SHIMBO HEITOR



General Information	
Country:	BRA
Gender:	Μ
Height:	176
Weight:	71
Handedness:	Right-handed
Date of birth:	1983-04-15
Education:	Universidade de Sao Paulo
Profession:	Student
License:	05031983001

Further Personal Information		
Family	Partner Natasha	
Residence	São Paulo, BRA	
Occupation	Athlete, Public Servant	
Languages	English, Italian, Portuguese, Spanish	
Higher education	Geography - University of Sao Paulo: Brazil	

Sport Specific Information	1
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When and where did you begin this sport?	He began fencing at age 10 in Sao Paulo, Brazil.
Why this sport?	He followed his brother Elton into the sport.
Club / Team	Esporte Clube Pinheiros: São Paulo, BRA
Name of coach	Guillermo Betancourt, CUB
Handedness	Right

General Interest	
Injuries	A heart problem prevented him from taking part in any form of sport as a child until he had surgery to rectify the issue at age nine. He took up fencing a year later. (institutotouche.org.br, 09 Jun 2020; COB, 2007)
Famous relatives	His older brother Elton has represented Brazil in fencing at World Cup level. (ecp.org.br, 18 Jan 2017; cbesgrima.org.br, 17 Mar 2017; SportsDeskOnline, 14 May 2021)
Other information	OTHER ACTIVITIES He and Brazilian fencer Fernando Scavasin run the Touche Institute, which works to promote fencing in Brazil and provides fencing classes for children. (agenciabrasil.ebc.com.br, 13 Apr 2020; institutotouche.org.br, 09 Jun 2020)
	OCCUPATION He works at the Sao Paulo State Secretariat for the Environment in Brazil. (institutotouche.org.br, 09 Jun 2020; Facebook profile, 22 Jan 2020)
	OTHER STUDIES He has also studied physical education at Paulista University in Brazil. (LinkedIn profile, 24 Apr 2021)