

Rowing – Lipa's record under threat

While Briton Steve Redgrave's record of five golds is not under threat in Beijing, the same record for his female counterpart, Elisabeta Lipa of Romania, could be equalled by three women – fellow Romanians Doina Ignat and Georgeta Damian-Andrunache, and Germany's Kathrin Boron

MOST SUCCESSFUL OLYMPIC ROWERS

Rank	Name / Gender	Nation	G	S	B	Total	First/last gold
1	Elisabeta Lipa <i>F</i>	ROM	5	2	1	8	1984 2004
2	Steve Redgrave <i>M</i>	GBR	5	0	1	6	1984 2000
3	Doina Ignat <i>F</i>	ROM	4	1	0	5	1996 2004
4	Matthew Pinsent <i>M</i>	GBR	4	0	0	4	1992 2004
4	Kathrin Boron <i>F</i>	GER	4	0	0	4	1992 2004
4	Georgeta Andrunache <i>F</i>	ROM	4	0	0	4	2000 2004
7	Jack Beresford <i>M</i>	GBR	3	2	0	5	1924 1936
8	Constanta Burcica <i>F</i>	ROM	3	1	0	4	1996 2004
8	Elena Georgescu <i>F</i>	ROM	3	1	0	4	1996 2004
10	Kathleen Heddle <i>F</i>	CAN	3	0	1	4	1992 1996
10	Marnie McBean <i>F</i>	CAN	3	0	1	4	1992 1996
10	James Tomkins <i>M</i>	AUS	3	0	1	4	1992 2004

Elisabeta Lipa

Kathrin Boron



Romania's victorious Women's Eight at Athens 2004, where **Lipa** (4th left) won her fifth gold, and **Ignat** (2nd left) and **Andrunache** (3rd left) won their fourth

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① Medal events

② To be determined

AUG	9	10	11	12	
					
	13	14	15	16	17
					