



## Today in History

*July 22, 2016*

▲ **U.S. hurdler Kendra Harrison broke a 28-year old world record when she ran 12.20 seconds in the women's 100 metre hurdles at the Olympic Stadium in London**

**1987:** The Soviet Union offered to dismantle all of its short and medium range missiles

**1992:** Colombian drug lord Pablo Escobar escaped from custody

**1999:** Chinese authorities outlawed the spiritual sect Falun Gong and detained thousands of its members

**2007:** The still unfinished Burj Dubai (now Burj Khalifa) became the world's tallest building, overtaking Taipei 101 in Taiwan