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Transgender female cyclist places first against biological women in meet: 'I'm a WORLD CHAMPION'

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Transgender cyclist Rachel McKinnon — a biological male — placed first in a female cycling world championship competition Saturday.

McKinnon won the sprint final at the 2018 UCI Masters Track Cycling World Championships in Los Angeles, besting Carolien Van Herrikhuyzen of the Netherlands and Jennifer Wagner of the United States. (The race [results page \(http://mastersworlds2018.veloresults.com/pdf/57F35spfc.pdf\)](http://mastersworlds2018.veloresults.com/pdf/57F35spfc.pdf) shows the age bracket as 35-44, but the previous menu displays 35-39 (<http://mastersworlds2018.veloresults.com/viewEvent.php?event=44>) as the age range.)

An [assistant philosophy professor \(http://philosophy.cofc.edu/faculty-staff-listing/mckinnon-rachel.php\)](http://philosophy.cofc.edu/faculty-staff-listing/mckinnon-rachel.php) at the College of Charleston in South Carolina, McKinnon (center, wearing gold medal) announced the victory on Twitter:



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