

2016 WSOP OFFICIAL REPORT

LAWRENCE BERG WINS SIX-<5B898'895@9FB67<C=79

Local poker pro collects \$125,466 top prize in Event #5

19-game mix draws some tough competition. 389 entrants

Yueqi Zhu, from China, finishes as runner up

MEET THE LATEST WSOP GOLD BRACELET CHAMPION

Name: Lawrence Berg Birthplace: Pittsburgh, PA

Age: 38

Current Residence: Irvine, CA Profession: Poker Player Number of WSOP Cashes: 4

Number of WSOP Final Table Appearances: 1

Number of WSOP Gold Bracelet Victories (with this tournament): 1

Best Previous WSOP Finish: 30th (2014)

Total WSOP Earnings: \$142,551 Personal Facts: Has two puppies

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The former casino dealer-turned-poker pro who bounces back and forth between homes in Irvine, CA and Las Vegas, NV won the \$1,500 buy-in Dealers Choice Six-Handed tournament, which was played at the Rio in Las Vegas over three consecutive days and nights June 7-9. Berg collected \$125,466 in prize money, making this the biggest win of his career. Prior to playing poker full-time, concentrating mostly on cash games, Berg worked as a poker dealer at the Bellagio.