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Great Britain pick up six medals at US Open Championships

Great Britain picked up four gold and two bronze medals at the 2003 US Open Championships, which took place at the Rivera Hotel and Casino in Las Vegas from 11-12 October.

Britain finished third in the medals table behind the US and Canada. 334 competitors from 22 countries participated in the tournament.

British medals:

Women

- 57kg Natalie Barry, BACUP (Bronze)
- 63kg Sarah Clark, KODOKWAI JUDO CLUB (Gold)
- 78kg Rachel Wilding, CAMBERLEY (Gold)
- +78kg Michelle Rogers, SKK JUDO CLUB (Gold)

Men

- 81kg Luke Preston, CAMBERLEY (Bronze)
- 90kg Steven Vidler, SCOTLAND (Gold)

Samantha Lowe from Camberley Judo Club made a return from injury to gain a notable 5th place in the –70kg category.

Player's biogs are available at <http://www.britishjudo.org.uk/media/profiles.php>

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