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Peers wins again One win from main event

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TULSA, Okla. - **John Peers** is one win away from the ITA All-American Main Draw after posting a win on Tuesday.

Peers defeated conference foe Piotr Banas of UL-Lafayette 6-2, 7-5 to put him in the finals of the qualifying round.

"I played well today. He was a tough opponent but I did well enough to get it done. It was a tough match and I really had to work for it," Peers said.

On Wednesday Peers will face Stanford's Gregory Hirshman, who won his match 6-4, 7-6 (8) over Jaime Pulgar of North Carolina State.


"I don't know a lot about Hirshman so I am just going play my game. It will be another long day tomorrow but I am excited to go out and play," Peers said.

With a win on Wednesday, Peers advances to the main draw of the tournament which will begin on Thursday.

Peers along with teammate **Victor Melo** will compete in the main draw doubles tournament which is also slated to begin on Thursday.

Results will be posted on goblueraiders.com when they become available.



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