

● SKIPPER:

THIMOTÉ POLET

25 YEARS OLD - STUDENT - LE HAVRE



TRACK RECORD IN BRIEF

- 5th Trin40
- 7th Spi Ouest France BPGO 2026
- 14th Transat Café L'Or 2025
- 3rd 40 Malouine La Trinquette 2025
- 4th Rolex Fastnet Race 2025
- 6th Les Sables - Horta
- 6th CIC Normandy Channel Race 2025
- 6th Spi Ouest France 2025
- 21st Transat Jacques Vabre 2023
- Winner of the 2021 youth european match racing championship

3rd participation in the CIC Normandy Channel Race

● CO-SKIPPER:

ALEXANDRE DEMANGE

27 YEARS OLD - ENGINEER/SKIPPER - LORIENT



TRACK RECORD IN BRIEF

- 7th Spi Ouest France BPGO 2026
- 3rd Mini Transat 2025
- 2nd Tour Voile 2023
- Winner of the 2018 470 National Championship
- Winner of the 2016 420 National Championship

1st participation in the CIC Normandy Channel Race

● SKIPPER'S MOTIVATION

Thimoté Polet: "In a year dominated by the Route du Rhum solo race, having the chance to take part in a double-handed race with an experienced and trusted partner is a real bonus in the sporting calendar. Alexandre and I are determined to push the ZEISS rocket even harder. The CIC Normandy Channel Race is a demanding race, full of surprises and challenges. A race that starts and finishes in the most beautiful region in the world, Normandy, passing through legendary spots such as Fastnet Rock in Ireland. Team ZEISS is ready – let's go!"

Alexandre Demange: "Thimoté, whom I've been sailing with for a long time, is starting to perform well on his boat. We know each other well and understand how the other works. Our ambition is to do well, to do everything we can to secure at least a top-five finish and to give it our all. I'll also try to bring added value, given that I sail in other series besides the Class40."

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TYPE: MACH 40.6
NAVAL ARCHITECT : SAM MANUARD
SHIPYARD: JPS PRODUCTION
YEAR: 2024

