

Sanjuan Jones

2001 Sr. Pan American Championships - Alternate

Hometown: Tallahassee, Fla.
Residence: Colorado Springs, Colo.

Birth Date/Place: December 21, 1976 / Tallahassee, Fla.

Club: U.S. Olympic Training Center

Coaches: Vitaly Marinitch

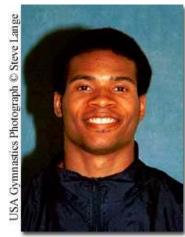
School: Florida Agricultural & Mechanical University

Year in School: Bachelor Degree in Fine (Visual) Arts

Previous Club/Coach: Gym Force Athletic Training Center/Jim Hisey

Favorite Event: All Began Gymnastics: 1986

Years on Sr. National Team 2 (1997-98, Fall 2001, Fall 2002) Years on Jr. National Team 3 (1993-1994, 1994-1995, 1996-1997)



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Personal Info

Jones is the son of Jimmy and Gloria Jones. His younger sister, Jian (8/20/84) participates in track and field. Jones's favorite subject in school was visual arts and his favorite book is the *Autobiography of Malcolm X*. He enjoys listening to music by Outkast and watching the "Bernie Mac Show" and "Sportscenter". Jones says that his role model is Muhammed Ali because he was a great athlete and stood for what he believed in. His gymnastics goals include becoming a World Championships team member as well as making the 2004 Olympic Team. After 2004, Jones plans to attend a graduate art school and he would like to become a computer artist dealing with special effects.

International Competition

• 2001 Sr. Pan American Championships, Cancun, MEX; Alternate, 2nd-Team

National Competition

- 2002 U.S. National Championships, Cleveland, Ohio; 6th-V
- 2002 U.S. National Qualifier, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- 2002 Winter Cup Challenge, Las Vegas, Nevada
- 2001 U.S. Championships, Philadelphia, Pa.; T2nd-PH
- 2001 GymJam National Qualifier, Santa Barbara, Calif.: 2nd-AA, 2nd-PH
- 1999 Winter Cup Challenge, Las Vegas, Nev.; AA Finalist