



WSOP CIRCUIT 2018-19 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	The Rio (Las Vegas, Nev.)	Date:	15-16 February 2019
Event:	No-Limit Hold'em	Entries:	612
Buy-in:	\$250	Prizepool:	\$122,400

ARLYN MALPEZZI WINS FIRST CIRCUIT RING AT THE RIO

The victory is also Malpezzi's first WSOP Circuit cash.

16 February, 2019 (Las Vegas, Nev.) – Arlyn Malpezzi became the latest WSOP Circuit ring winner on Saturday. It was also her first in-the-money finish on the Circuit, and she earned \$24,925 for her victory.

It was a hard-fought battle to the winner's circle. Malpezzi started the final table among the shorter stacks, but went on a run as player after player was eliminated. She eventually ended up heads up with Matthew Paston, and Paston had a lead of roughly 6-1. But Malpezzi won every all-in pot, and slowly clawed her way back. The players then spent about an hour close to even, trading small chip leads. Malpezzi's first substantial lead came after a key hand. She induced a river bluff, then immediately called her opponent's all-in bet with ace high. That pot gave her a sizeable lead, and she collected the rest of the chips a few hands later.

MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER

Name:	Arlyn Malpezzi	WSOP Bracelets:	0
Birthplace:	Philippines	Previous WSOP Circuit Rings:	0
Current Residence:	Las Vegas, Nev.		

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