

## MAY 24th - TOP EUROS FOR THE 2016 NBA DRAFT

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1. Dragan Bender

2. Georgios Papagiannis

3. Furkan Korkmaz

4. Timothe Luwawu

5. Ante Zizic

6. Juan Hernangomez

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**7. Ivica Zubac**

**8. Rade Zagorac**

**9. Petr Cornelie**

**10. Paul Zipser**

**11. Guerschon Yabusele**

**12. Isaia Cordinier**

**13, Dario Brizuela**

**14. Dejan Todorovic**

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- [EJBB WATCHED DRAGAN BENDER PLAY LIVE IN NEW YORK AT MSG](#)

EJBB was very high on two Euro players in last years 2015 NBA Draft, as Mario Hezonja and

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[Kristaps Porzingis](#)

were on top of the list of 12.

[Mario Hezonja](#)

was in the

[Scott Skiles DOG HOUSE](#)

all season and NBA fans never saw the true potential of the Croatian Wing player, but with a new coach Frank Vogel this year they could see why EJBB had him the top Euro last year in the draft,

[Kristaps Porzingis](#)

got more minutes in New York and showed he can play to all the Euro Bust haters out there. The Top Euros for the 2016 NBA draft might not have the athletic explosive offensive skills of Hezonja and Porzingis, but EJBB thinks Croatian PF

[Dragan Bender](#)

will be a very good NBA player and saw him play

[LIVE at MSG in the preseason](#)

and thinks he has elite wing defender potential, sort of like

[Andrei Kirilenko used to show in his Utah Jazz days guarding wings like Kobe Bryant](#)

EJBB also thinks Turkish SG [Furkan Korkmaz](#) , French SG [Timothe Luwawu](#) , Croatian Center [Ante Zizic](#) ,

Croatian Center

[Ivica Zubac](#)

and Spanish stretch PF

[Juan Hernangomez](#)

all have the potential of being picked in the 1st Round, but other NBA Mock drafts are sleeping on the potential of Big Greek Center

[Georios Papagiannis](#)

as a first round pick. Papagiannis could be a late 1st round pick but the eye test to EJBB has him ahead of Zizic and Zubac which EJBB also likes, but the pure size of Papagiannis along with ability to block shots, while also having the

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is why he should be higher on Mock drafts. Korkmaz and Hernangomez will fit in well to today's NBA of shoot the 3 and Timothe Luwawu reminds EJBB of a young Gerald Green at the SG spot. Sleeper pick is Serbian SF

[Rade Zagorac](#)

who reminds of an athletic

[Dejan Bodiroga](#)

with

[his ability](#)

to

[take guys off the dribble](#)

from the

[top of the key](#)

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and set other teammates up.

### - □ □ □ □ □ MAY -24th □ EJBB TOP 25 LIST OF EARLY EURO ENTRY & 1994 ELIGIBLE

1. [Dragan Bender](#) - PF - C - Croatia 97 - 7' 0" - Mac. Tel Aviv Israel - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
2. [Georgios Papagiannis](#) - C - Greece 97 - 7' 2" - Panathinaikos Greece - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
3. [Furkan Korkmaz](#) - SG - Turkey 97 - 6' 7" - Anadolu Efes Turkey - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
4. [Timothe Luwawu](#) - SG - France 95 - 6' 6" - Mega Leks Serbia - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
5. [Ante Zizic](#) - C - Croatia 97 - 6' 11" - Cibona Croatia - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
6. [Ivica Zubac](#) - C - Croatia 97 - 7' 1" - Mega Leks Serbia - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
7. [Alexander Vezenkov](#) PF SF - Bulgaria 95 - 6' 9" - FC Barcelona Spain - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
8. [Juan Henangomez](#) - PF - Spain 95 - 6' 9" - Estudiantes Spain - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)

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9. [Nik Slavica](#) - SF SG - Croatia 97 - 6' 7" - Cibona Croatia - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
  
10. [Marko Arapovic](#) - PF - Croatia 96 - 6' 9" - Cedevita Croatia - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
  
11. [Rade Zagorac](#) - SF - Serbia 95 - 6' 9" - Mega Leks Serbia - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
  
12. [Petr Corneliu](#) - PF - France 95 - 6' 11" - Le Mans France - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
  
13. [Paul Zipser](#) - SF - Germany 94 - 6' 8" - Bayern Munich Germany - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
  
14. [Guerschon Yabusele](#) - PF - France 95 - 6' 8" - Rouen France - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
  
15. [Dario Brizuela](#) - PG - Spain 94 - 6' 2" - Estudiantes Spain - [VID](#) - [VID](#) - [VID](#)
  
16. [Ludvig Hakanson](#) - SG - Sweden 96 - 6' 4" - Sevilla Spain
  
17. [Dejan Todorovic](#) - SG - Serbian 94 - 6' 7" - Bilbao Spain
  
18. [Nikola Ivanovic](#) - PG - Montenegro 94 - 6' 3" - Mega Leks Serbia
  
19. [Marko Guduric](#) - SG - Serbia 95 - 6' 6" - Crvena Zvezda Serbia
  
20. [Kenan Sipahi](#) - PG - Turkey 95 - 6' 6" - Fenerbahce Turkey

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21. [Isaia Cordinier](#) - SG - France 96 - 6' 5" - Denain France
  
22. [Rolands Smits](#) - SF PF - Latvia 95 - 6' 10" - Fuenlabrada Spain
  
23. [Edin Atic](#) - SG - Bosnia 97 - 6' 7" - AEK Greece
  
24. [Ognjen Jaramaz](#) - PG - Serbia 95 - 6' 4" - Mega Leks Serbia
  
25. [Egemen Guven](#) - C - Turkey 96 - 6' 11" - Karsiyaka Turkey