

Michael Lewis | Professional Race Car Driver | FIA Gold Rating / FIA International Grade B | Other Licenses: Permit A Nürburgring Nordschleife | Nationality: American | Age: 34 | Website: www.MJLRacing.com

Racing Career At A Glance

2025: Nürburgring 24 Hours P25 overall finish out of 134 cars with teammates, P2 in-class, Car #831 Hyundai Factory Effort. Competed in **Nürburgring NLS2, and N24 Qualifiers** as well.

2023: Nürburgring 24 Hours Pole Position in-class (Michael set the pole), P2 finish in-class with teammates, P29 overall finish out of 131 cars, Car #831 Hyundai Factory Effort. Competed in **Nürburgring NLS1, NLS2, NLS3, and N24 Qualifiers** as well. IMSA full season as well.

2022: P1 Championship. IMSA Michelin Pilot Challenge TCR. Hyundai Factory Effort for USA. **1 win.**

2021: P1 Championship. IMSA Michelin Pilot Challenge TCR. Hyundai Factory Effort for USA. **1 win.**

2020: P3 Championship. IMSA Michelin Pilot Challenge TCR. Hyundai Factory Effort for USA. **2 wins.**

2019: P1 Championship. IMSA Michelin Pilot Challenge TCR. Hyundai Factory Effort for USA. **3 wins, 3 poles.**

2018: P2 Championship. USA SRO TCR. Hyundai Factory Effort for USA. **4 wins, 6 poles.**

2017: USA SRO GT3 (McLaren 650S GT3), Intercontinental GT Challenge 8HR Laguna Seca GT3 Race (Porsche GT3 R 991), 25 Hours of Thunderhill Race - P2 overall finish (Porsche GT3 Cup 991).

2016: USA SRO GT3 (Porsche GT3 R 991) - 2 wins, 3 poles (single driver format) and 2 wins, 2 poles (two driver format).

2015: USA SRO GT3 (Porsche GT3 R 997).

2014: USA IMSA Porsche GT3 Cup Challenge (Porsche GT3 Cup 991) - 4 wins, 6 poles, P3 Championship, Rookie Champion. GTD Class IMSA for one race as well (**Porsche GT America 991**).

2013: FIA European Formula 3 Championship - 8 Top 10 Finishes. P12 finish at Masters of Formula 3.

2012: Formula 3 Euro Series / FIA European Formula 3 Championship - P8 overall / P9 overall (**1 win in F3 Euro Series Valencia**).

2011: Formula 3 Italia - 3 wins, 2 poles, P2 Championship, Rookie Champion. Tested Ferrari Formula 1. Oval Racing as well.

2010: Formula BMW Europe. Formula BMW Asia (6 races). Ford Focus Midgets (Oval Racing) - Numerous main event wins, heat race wins, & poles.

2009: Formula BMW Americas - Rookie Champion. Formula BMW Asia (2 races). 12HR Endurance Race (BMW Sedan). Oval Racing as well.



2005 - 2008: USA and International Karting (IKF Region 7 TAG Champion) | **2003 - 2006:** USA Oval Quarter Midget Racing (Multi PVQMA Champion).

Michael James Lewis is an American Race Car Driver from Laguna Beach, California. His accomplishments to date include competing twice in the 24 Hours of Nürburgring (setting pole position in-class, finishing P2 in-class twice, and finishing as high as P25 overall out of 134 cars with his teammates), testing a Formula 1 car for *Scuderia Ferrari F1* in the F60 chassis on November 15, 2011, winning Formula 3 races (Formula 3 Italia and Formula 3 Euroseries), winning GT3 races, being a 3X IMSA TCR Champion (2019, 2021, 2022), being with a major OEM manufacturer for many years, being an IKF Region 7 TAG Karting Champion, and being a multi-class Pomona Valley Quarter Midget Champion.

He grew up racing at a high level in Europe and he raced well with those whom are at the top of their game in their respected fields. He puts everything he has into a program and he prioritizes the body of work rather than trying to be famous. Michael has been racing TCR the last few years, but he is always driving big cars and testing in the background. Off track, Michael graduated from California State University, Fullerton with a Bachelor's Degree in American Studies and showed that he can complete a non-racing project.

Michael has won and competed at a high level in a diverse number of racing vehicles, as listed above and including GT Cars, Touring Cars, Formula 3, Formula BMW, Ford Focus Midgets (oval racing), Late Model Stock Cars (oval racing), Quarter Midgets (oval racing), and domestic and international Karting. Michael's passion for racing is paramount and he enjoys every aspect of his racing career. The Laguna Beach, California native is known for his professionalism, work ethic, and he lives every day for motorsport and his family. Thank you for your time.

Additional Info

-Michael won other F3 races, but here is a P5 result at this 2012 British F3/F3 Euroseries crossover Spa race - just showing the other great drivers he grew up with: <https://www.motorsportmagazine.com/database/races/2012-spa-european-f3/>

-Michael lives in North America, but he can be anywhere. He's here to make it happen.

