

`WWE Universal title

Date	Champion	City	Arena	Event
8/21/16	Finn Balor	Brooklyn, NY	Barclays Arena	SummerSlam

-referee: Chad Patton

-Balor defeated Seth Rollins in a singles match to win the new title.

-The Universal title is created in the wake of the WWE Draft and brand split of 2016. After WWE champion Dean Ambrose was selected by the Smackdown brand, the Raw brand created their own top championship. Rollins was granted an automatic shot at the title. His opponent would be determined by the winner of two Fatal-Four Way matches facing each other on the July 25, 2016 Raw.

-Finn Balor defeated Ceazo, Rusev and Kevin Owens. Reigns defeated Chris Jericho, Sami Zayn and Chris Jericho. Balor then defeated Reigns later that night to earn a shot at the new title.

-Balor won cleanly with a double stomp off the top rope and cover for the pin.

-real name: Fergal Devitt

-title reign: one day

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- Balor vacates the title the following day because of a shoulder injury that would put him out for an expected six months.

-The title would be decided in a Fatal-4 way match on the 8/29/16 Raw. The participants would qualify in matches on the 8/22/16 Raw.

-Seth Rollins d. Sami Zayn; Kevin Owens d. Neville; Big Cass d. Rusev by CO; Roman Reigns d. Chris Jericho

8/29/16	Kevin Owens	Houston, TX	Toyota Center	Raw- live
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-referee: Chad Patton

-This was a Fatal-4 Way elimination match for the vacant Universal title involving Roman Reigns vs. Kevin Owens vs. Big Cass.

-Enzo Amore accompanied Cass to the ring. However, all seconds were banned from ringside.

-During the match, Owens pinned Cass following a frog splash, after Cass was nailed by a Reigns Superman punch and Rollins side kick to the head. Later, with three remaining men on the outside, Reigns hit a Superman punch on Owens and spear to Rollins. Out of nowhere, Triple H appeared and Pedigreed Reigns on the floor. He tossed him back in the ring, followed by Rollins who made the pin. Triple H then tossed Owens back in the ring. Triple H returned to the ring and stood both men up. Just when it appeared he would attack Owens, Triple H turned around and Pedigreed Rollins. Owens scurried to make the cover for the victory.