

# Split-T Management's Chris Pearson Scores Unanimous Decision Win over Previously Undefeated Olympic Bronze Medal Winner Yamaguchi Falcao in Las Vegas

NEW YORK (May 3, 2019) –Middleweight contender Chris Pearson scored a major victory over previously undefeated Olympic Bronze Medal winner Yamaguchi Falcao in a 10-round bout at The Joint at The Hard Rock in Las Vegas.

The win netted Pearson the WBO Latino Middleweight title.

Pearson boxed very well as he befuddled Falcao, and consistently beat the former amateur star to the punch throughout the contest.

Pearson, who already held a win over Falcao in the World Series of Boxing, repeated the verdict of 2011 by using good head-speed that saw the judges scorecards read 97-93 and 96-94 twice.

The win will gain Pearson a high-ranking in the WBO, and improves the Trotwood, Ohio native's record to 17-2.

This was the 3rd consecutive win for Pearson, who is managed by Split-T Management.

"My plan was to be patient and control the pace. I was able to capitalize on him being a bit slower than me," said Pearson. "This win gets me back to where I need to be."

"I'm blessed with this victory," continued Pearson. "Nobody

knows the trials I've gone through. If I can be someone that inspires, then I'll be happy. I'm going to rest for a couple days and then get right back to the gym."

The fight was the main event of a Golden Boy Promotions card on Golden Boy Fight Night on Facebook watch.

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