A sixth round draft choice of the Rangers in 2018, Simon Kjellberg is in his first season skating collegiately for RPI. Kjellberg appeared in 58 games for the Dubuque Fighting Saints of the USHL in 2018-19, and recorded two goals and three assists for five points. His father, Patric, works as a scout for the Rangers.

Nickname: Chelly
What he’d be doing if not playing hockey: Police officer or in the military
Superpower he’d most like to have: Ability to fly
On his bucket list: Climb Mount Everest
Most listened to band: Linkin Park
Favorite meal: A good steak and fries
Movie: American Sniper
Place to visit: The Alps

Parents are Patric and Asa. Asa is a teacher. Patric works as a scout with the Rangers and also played parts of six NHL seasons with Montreal, Nashville and Anaheim. “I’ve always looked up to my dad,” said Simon. “He’s taught me everything I know, how to behave and how to be a professional.”

Has a brother, Joel
Has played the drums since he was eight years old
Grew up rooting for Djurgardens IF Hockey