

SPORT COMMISSION

Tasks: The Sport Commission oversees all aspects of lifesaving sport and coordinates activities among the committees within the Sport Commission to ensure cohesion of thought and effort so that the goals and success measures set out in the ILS Strategic Plan are achieved. The Sport Commission also liaises with other Commissions of the ILS in relations to issues regarding sport. It is represented and serves on the ILS Bid Evaluation Committee and on the Event Management Committee. The Commission supports the Board of Directors in the facilitation of relationships with organisations collaborating in areas within its area of responsibility.

COMMITTEE	POS.	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Sport Commission	Chair	Dave THOMPSON AM	Man	Australia – SLSA	Full
Sport Commission	Secret.	Jelle MEINTSMA	Man	South Africa	Full
Rules & Regulations	Chair	Greg ALLUM AM	Man	Australia – SLSA	Full
	Secret.	Rebecca BOYD *1	Woman	Canada	Full
Equipment Committee	Chair	Carsten SCHLEPPHORST	Man	Germany	Full
	Secret.	Ed ZEBROWSKI	Man	USA	Full
Sport Education Committee	Chair	Wim NUYENS	Man	Belgium	Full
	Secret.	Andrea PENNELL	Woman	Great Britain – SLSGB	Full
Future of Sport Committee	Chair	Giorgio QUINTAVALLE	Man	Italy	Full
	Secret.	Teresa MYATT	Woman	United Kingdom – RLSSUK	Full
Sport Development Committee	Chair	Marta CUETOS	Woman	Spain	Full
	Secret.	Anni GARDINER	Woman	Australia -RLSSA	Full
Sport for All Committee	Chair	Eilkhan NOURI MAZANDARANI	Man	Iran	Full
	Secret.	Nathalie VALLIERES MARTIN *1	Woman	Canada	Full
Sport Administration Committee	Chair	Jelle MEINTSMA*2	Man	South Africa	Full
	Secret.	Sameh EL-SHAZLY	Man	Egypt	Full
Multi-Sport Committee	Chair	Shusaku MIYABE	Man	Japan	Full
	Secret.	Simone SPENCER	Woman	New Zealand	Full
Sport Liaison Committee	Chair	Perry SMITH	Man	Canada	Full
	Secret.	Mark WEATHERALL	Man	New Zealand	Full

*1 Non-Voting Commission Member.

*2 Also Sport Commission Secretary & Committee Chair.

SPORT COMMISSION COMMITTEES

LIFESAVING SPORT REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall be responsible for all technical rules - the drafting thereof, the revision and research. It shall work together with the Event Management Committee on Championships Handbooks. The regulations should be available as public documents, be clearly drafted and identify the process for amendment.

COMMITTEE	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Chairman	Greg ALLUM AM	Man	Australia – SLSA	Full
Secretary	Rebecca BOYD	Woman	Canada	Full
Committee Members	Stephanie ANDREWS	Woman	United Kingdom – RLSSUK	Full
	Jürgen BONNEMANN	Man	Germany	Full
	John COYNE	Man	South Africa	Full
	Kiyohiro (Chris) KURISU	Man	Japan	Full
	Bruce MATHESON	Man	New Zealand	Full
	Clare MCGRATH	Woman	Ireland	Full
	Jerry POLESEL	Man	Italy	Full
	Victor ROSLYAKOV	Man	Russia	Full
	Steve STRANGE OAM) (non-voting)	Man	Australia – SLSA	Full
	Carolyn WILSON	W	Australia – RLSSA/SLSA	Full

LIFESAVING SPORT EQUIPMENT COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall define rules of equipment, setting specifications, develop a scrutinising system, and develop an accreditation system to allow private manufacturer and companies to produce approved and patented lifesaving sport equipment. It shall also research and develop new lifesaving sport equipment.

COMMITTEE	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Chair	Carsten SCHLEPPHORST	Man	Germany	Full
Secretary	Ed ZEBROWSKI	Man	USA	Full
Committee Members	Renata JACIW-ZURAKOWSKY	Woman	Canada	Full
	Paul SCHOTT	Man	Australia - SLSA	Full
	Matthew SUTTON	Man	New Zealand	Full
	Thomas ZACHERT	Man	Germany	Full

LIFESAVING SPORT EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall develop education streams and develop educational criteria and appropriate manuals for Technical Officials, Coaches/Trainers, Team Managers and other competition officials etc. through training and modern technology including e-learning.

COMMITTEE	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Chair	Wim NUYENS	Man	Belgium	Full
Secretary	Andrea PENNELL	Woman	Great Britain - SLSGB	Full
Committee Members	Dave BEAUMONT-VAILLANCOURT	Man	Canada	Full
	Arjen DE BRUIN	Man	Netherlands	Full
	Daniel GRANT	Man	New Zealand	Full
	Irfan GULMEZ	Man	Turkey	Full
	Jennifer MILLER	Woman	Australia - SLSA	Full
	Heather MORRIS-EYTON	Woman	South Africa	Full
	Mohamed RHARBAL	Man	Morocco	Full
	Frederic TORTOSA	Man	Switzerland	Full
	Caitlan TURNER	Woman	Australia - RLSSA	Full

FUTURE OF LIFESAVING SPORT COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall conduct research on the format of lifesaving sport, events, qualification for World Lifesaving Championships, World Games, Multi-Sport Games and other lifesaving competitions, research new events and format of these events and look at innovative events and format of these.

COMMITTEE	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Chair	Giorgio QUINTAVALLE	Man	Italy	Full
Secretary	Teresa MYATT	Woman	United Kingdom - RLSSUK	Full
Committee Members	Abdulaziz ALZAID	Man	Saudi Arabia	Full
	Masanobu AOKI	Man	Japan	Full
	John BRYANT	Man	New Zealand	Full
	Elena PRELLE	Woman	Germany	Full
	Mohamed RHARBAL	Man	Morocco	Full
	Hayrettin Hayri TOKMAKCI	Man	Turkey	Full
	Kurt WILSON	Man	Australia - SLSA	Full

LIFESAVING SPORT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall develop and expand the sport of lifesaving in emerging nations and nations that have not yet developed the sport of lifesaving. It shall develop and promote lifesaving sport at all levels in nations and develop new events, techniques, officiating and officiating equipment. It shall also monitor the development of Technical Officials – positions held at LWC, level gained and attendance at LWC.

COMMITTEE	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Chair	Marta CUETOS	Woman	Spain	Full
Secretary	Anni GARDINER	Woman	Australia - RLSSA	Full
Committee Members	Haylie BURTON	Woman	Canada	Full
	Nicaise KARNOU-SAMEDI	Man	Central African Republic	Full
	Genti LAKSU	Man	Albania	Full
	Kin-Leung (William) LEE	Man	Hong Kong	Full
	Ross MERRETT	Man	New Zealand	Full
	Jonnine ROWE	Man	Australia - RLSSA	Full
	Samy SMOUNI	Woman	Morocco	Full
	Alexandre TADEIA	Man	Portugal (FEPONS)	Associate
Jorge Valerio VALVERDE	Man	Costa Rica	Full	

LIFESAVING SPORT FOR ALL COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall encourage and support the efforts and developments disseminating the health and social benefits to be gained by all members of society through regular practice of lifesaving sport and develop the inclusion of minority groups into lifesaving sport – such as disability, diversity, trans-gender and developing nations.

COMMITTEE	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Chair	Eil Khan NOURI MAZANDARANI	Man	Iran	Full
Secretary	Nathalie VALLIERES MARTIN	Woman	Canada	Full
Committee Members	Rawh ALARFAJ	Woman	Saudi Arabia	Full
	Dave BEAUMONT-VAILLANCOURT	Man	Canada	Full
	Denise BLAIR	Woman	USA	Full
	Tanya HAMILTON	Woman	New Zealand	Full
	Masami IZUMIDA	Woman	Japan	Full
	Wanda VARGAS	Woman	Venezuela	Full

LIFESAVING SPORT ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall set up a system to stimulate people to become lifesaving sport administrators, registration specialists, result handling specialists, software specialists, etc. It shall collect and develop the fields of lifesaving sport research, organise sport symposia and lifesaving sport research conferences, create databases of all functions detailed above and oversee the Anti-Doping and World Records.

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Chair	Jelle MEINTSMA	Man	South Africa	Full
Secretary	Sameh EL-SHAZLY	Man	Egypt	Full
Committee Members	Mohamed ALASARHANI	Man	Saudi Arabia	Full
	Anas BAALAYAN	Man	Saudi Arabia	Full
	Adnan BUYUK	Man	Turkey	Full
	Val CONNELL	Woman	Australia - SLSA	Full
	Arno EBERLE	Man	Germany	Full
	Ian FULLAGAR	Man	Australia - SLSA	Full
	Mike LORD	Man	New Zealand	Full
	John MARTIN MBE (ex officio)	Man	Great Britain	Full
	Philip MCGIBBON	Man	Australia - SLSA	Full
	Detlev MOHR	Man	Germany	Full
	Allen PEMBROKE	Man	South Africa	Full

MULTI-SPORT GAMES COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall Advocate the lifesaving sport for inclusion into the various multi-sport games and monitor.

COMMITTEE	Name	Gender	Federation	Member
Chair	Shusaku (Shu) MIYABE	Man	Japan	Full
Secretary	Simone SPENCER	Woman	New Zealand	Full
Committee Members	John BRENNAN OAM	Man	Australia - SLSA	Full
	Adnan BUYUK	Man	Turkey	Full
	Lucia Eguiluz DE CELIS	Woman	Spain	Full
	Tomomi KIMURA	Woman	Japan	Full

SPORT LIAISON COMMITTEE

Tasks: The Committee shall Develop, monitor and maintain liaison between the various interest groups in lifesaving sport – such as Referees, Athletes, Coaches and Team Managers through regular updates of the Sport Commission's work through social media, bulletins, circulars and other means. Establish contact and liaise with the Regional Sport Commissions. The committee will also liaise with other Commission of ILS to monitor their work that possibly could impact on sport.

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Chair	Perry SMITH	Man	Canada	Full
Secretary	Mark WEATHERALL	Man	New Zealand	Full
Committee Members	Roberto ABURTO	Man	Canada	Full
	Abdulnassar ALSHAMMARI	Man	Saudi Arabia	Full
	John BRENNAN OAM	Man	Australia - SLSA	Full
	Wim DE KLERK	Man	Netherlands	Full
	Frederic TORTOSA	Man	Switzerland	Full