

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

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

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	Federation
Chair	Carsten SCHLEPPHORST	Germany
Secretary	Ed ZEBROWSKI	USA
Committee Members	Renata JACIW-ZURAKOWSKY	Canada
	Paul SCHOTT	Australia - SLSA
	Matthew SUTTON	New Zealand
	Thomas ZACHERT	Germany

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

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

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

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	Federation
Chair	Eilkhan NOURI MAZANDARANI	Iran
Secretary	Nathalie VALLIERES MARTIN	Canada
Committee Members	Rawh ALARFAJ	Saudi Arabia
	Dave BEAUMONT-VAILLANCOURT	Canada
	Denise BLAIR	USA
	Tanya HAMILTON	New Zealand
	Masami IZUMIDA	Japan
	Wanda VARGAS	Venezuela

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

MULTI-SPORT GAMES COMMITTEE

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

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

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