

# Robi Chalmers

#### **MEMBERSHIPS:**

- APSA (Australia Professional Skaters Association)
- PSA (Professional Skaters Association U.S.)
- SAISA (South Australia Ice Skating Association)
- Broadmoor Skating Club (member since 1980)
- Silver Blades Figure Skating Club

### **COACH ACCREDITATION:**

- Level 3 Australia Professional Skaters Association (APSA) Accreditation
- Ranking Level III Professional Skaters Association (PSA U.S. 2004)
- Master Moves in the Field Professional Skaters Association (PSA 2004)
- Certified Team (Synchro) Professional Skaters Association (PSA 2002)
- Certified Dance Professional Skaters Association (PSA U.S. 2002)
- Certified Free Dance Professional Skaters Association (PSA U.S. 2002)

## **TEST LEVEL PASSED:**

- International Ice Dance Tests (USFSA)
- Gold Free Dance (United States Figure Skating Association USFSA)
- Gold Dances (United Figure Skating Association USFSA)
- Silver Medallist in Freestyle/Figures (USFSA)

### YEARS OF COACHING:

- Australia (June 2003 current)
- 15 years coaching U.S.

### **COACHING EDUCATION:**

- International Skating Union (ISU) International Technical Specialist (Ice Dance/Synchronized Ice Skating)
- Ice Skating Australia (ISA) National Technical Specialist (Singles)
- Master Sports Science Exam U.S.
- Essentials for Coaching Children (South Australia Office for Rec and Sport) –
  2012

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#### **COACHING CLEARANCE:**

Working with Children Clearance Certificate

# **PROFESSIONAL SKATING ACHIEVEMENTS:**

- U.S. National and International Ice Dance Medallist
- 1979 U.S. National Bronze Medallist Silver Dance
- 4-time International Ice Dance Competitor
- Ennia Challenge Cup Netherlands
- Golden Spin Zagreb, Yugoslavia
- Grand Prix St. Gervais, France
- Nebelhorn Trophy Oberstdorf, Germany
- Professional Ice Show Skater (Ice Capades 1983 1985)

#### **INSURANCE:**

• Australia Professional Skaters Association (APSA)

# **COACHING EXPERIENCE:**

- NZ National World Synchronized Skating Team Head Coach (2009 & 2010)
- Director of Synchronized Skating Program (Colorado, U.S. 2002-2005)
- Synchronized Skating Head Coach (Colorado, U.S. 2000-2003)
- Director of Ice Dance (Colorado, U.S. 2000-2003)

# **COACHING RELATED ACHIEVEMENTS:**

- ISU World Synchronized Skating Championships (NZ Synchro Team 2009 & 2010)
- U.S. National and Junior National Competitive Skaters (Singles and Ice Dance)
- U.S. Sectional Synchronized Skating Team Medallists

# **POSITIONS HELD:**

- Ice Skating Australia Operational Director for Sport Development
- Ice Skating Australia (ISA) Technical Pattern Skills Committee Chair
- South Australia APSA Accreditation Course Administrator
- South Australia APSA State Representative
- International Technical Specialist (Ice Dance/Synchronized Ice Skating)
- National Technical Specialist (Singles) Australia

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Private Lessons (Singles, Technical Pattern Skills, Ice Dance, Synchro)

## **COACHING PHILIOSOPHY:**

Can never go wrong with good technique. It will stay with you for life!