#### Florida Water Ski Federation Hall Of Fame

# Nomination

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## Waterski Achievements

5-time US 35 plus team member

5 Team Overall Gold Medals

2004 Individual Jump Gold and Overall – France 35 Plus World Championship

2014 USA Waterski Team of the Year Member

Several time National Medalist- Jump, trick and overall titles

Several time Regional Medalist-Jump, trick and overall titles

12-time State Champion – jump, trick and overall

#### **Show Skiing Career**

Callaway Gardens – 2 years Tommy Bartlett's – 1 year 2 Years in Japan Show Skiing 8 years at Sea World Accomplished bare footer, freestyle jumper and all other miscellaneous show ski acts Competed in the Inaugural World's Best Skier Competition consisting of 10 events and placing 4th

## Barefooting

Feet on Fire Competitor Endurance Contest (Invitation only) – 2 years Finalist

## Coaching

10 years Minnesota Junior Development Coach Presently at Florida Southern College – 4 years - 2nd place in the Collegiate Nationals (also 3rd and two 4ths)

## Judging

Senior 3-Event (appointed nationals, regionals, states, etc) Certified State Safety Director Certified Level 1 Coach Certified/Approved 3-Event tournament driver 20 years volunteering as Collegiate Judge including Chief of All-stars and Collegiate Regionals

## Innovative

Formed my own Show Ski team and has been performing for 8 years and running throughout Central Florida Write articles for Water Ski Magazine as well as sub-contracted for testing and driving various boats for events and photo shoots – 20 years

## **Non-Profit Organization**

President of the Florida Waterski Federation – 2 years Vice President 3 years

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