



2024 Election Candidate Bio

Name: Lynne Koper

Running for the position of: Director Coaching (2-year term) (acclaimed)

Residence: Edmonton, Alberta

Relevant Education, Career and Volunteer and Skating Experience

Lynne Koper is seeking her first term for the Skate AB | NT | NU Board of Directors.

With a wealth of experience and dedication to the world of figure skating, Lynne is excited to announce her candidacy for the Skate AB | NT | NU Board of Directors. Currently serving on the coaching staff of the Ice Palace Figure Skating Club in Edmonton and holding the position of Ice Dance Director, her career in coaching spans over 4 decades of experience training athletes from CanSkate to International level.

Lynne's credentials include being NCCP Level 5 and Nationally Certified, having led the Alberta Coaching Committee for over six years, and contributing to the Skate Canada National Coaching Committee since 2018. As a Certified Skate Canada Coach Developer and Evaluator, she has played a key role in shaping the development of coaches within our sport.

Experience Relevant to the Skate AB | NT | NU Board of Directors

Over the past four decades, Lynne has been deeply involved in leading CanSkate, Regional, and Provincial Coaching Courses, as well as contributing to the curriculum development for Skate Canada Provincial Ice Dance and Skating Foundations Courses. Her experience extends to various committee work and research for Skate Canada National office, providing her with a solid understanding of Long-Term Development, Skate Canada Policies and Procedures, Safe Sport, Strategic planning, and more.

Lynne's diverse background in the skating community equips her to offer a comprehensive perspective from grassroots to the Podium Pathway. She is committed to supporting the Alberta skating community and is eager to take on this new challenge, collaborating with the exceptional individuals on the Board to further enhance our sport.