



2015 ISAF Development Symposium

New Orleans, USA
19th – 21st January



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2015 ISAF Development Symposium

- Welcome:

ISAF Vice-president Nazli Imre (TUR)



Areas of responsibility:

Training and Development

ISAF Youth World Sailing Championships

ISAF Member Nations in the African Continent



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2015 ISAF Development Symposium

- Overview of the 2015 Schedule

Hosted by US Sailing, the ISAF MNA for the USA
16 discussion sessions (8 full group / 8 breakaway)

2.5 days of formal activity

1/2 day for informal discussions

Dinner provided on Monday / Tuesday evening

Precedes 3 day US Sailing NSPS national event



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- Introduction to ISAF team:

Cathy Armstrong, ISAF Training and Development Administrator

ISAF Nominated Experts - Richard Percy (GBR), Rob Holden (RSA),
Tim Cross (GBR), Andrew Clouston (NZL), Eduardo Sylvestre (BRA)

ISAF Development and Youth Committee members – Olivier Bovyn (FRA), Sheila McCurdy (USA), Nadine Stegenwalner (GER), Anne Tierney (COK),



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- Introduction to ISAF Connect to Sailing partners:

Riki Hooker – Sales Director, RS Sailing

Brian Halloway – US representative, Magic Marine

- Introduction to invited speakers:

Richard Gowers (GBR), IKA Training Manager

Betsy Alison (USA), Disabled Sailing Representative

Jessica Servis (USA), REACH Program Manager



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US Sailing Training Committee Chairman
Rich Jepsen (USA)



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ISAF Development and Youth Committee - Summary of objectives

Olivier Bovyn (FRA)
Committee Chairman



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An overview of US Sailing:

Stu Gilfillen (USA)

Training Director, US Sailing



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ISAF Training and Development - Overview



Dan Jaspers (GER)

Training and Development Manager



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- Department commissioned in 2009
- Cathy Armstrong, Training and Development Administrator joined in 2012



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- Responsibilities include:
 - Youth Worlds Emerging Nations Programme (YW ENP)
 - IOC Olympic Solidarity programmes (Coaches / Athletes)
 - Technical Courses for Coaches (TCCs)
 - Sport-specific Training Scholarships for Coaches
 - Development of National Sports Structure (DNSS)
 - ISAF Coaching Framework
 - Connect to Sailing Initiative (C2S)
 - ISAF Recognized Training / Approved Training Centres
 - Development Symposium / T+D Seminar (annual)



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- IOC Olympic Solidarity funding

1. ISAF Technical Courses for Coaches (1-3)

7 day practical training courses

\$ 8,000 USD (min) - \$12,000 USD (MAX)

2. ISAF Training Scholarship

7 week sport-specific training

£9,000 GBP



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3. Development of National Sports Structure

3-6 month national programme

\$30,000 USD (Max)



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Inclusivity in Sailing - The 'Gender Balance'

Cristen Schifino (USA) – US Sailing

- Delegate led discussion



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- Closing comments:

Tom Hubbell (USA) – President, US Sailing



Jack Gierhart (USA) – Executive Director, US Sailing

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