



ICSD WOMEN IN SPORTS COMMISSION

Report
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MEMBERS



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ACTIVITY

- advise the ICSD Executive Board on the development of policies related to promoting deaf women in sport
- co-ordinate efforts to increase participation of women in world sports
- ideas and initiatives to promote the role of women in World Deaf sports
- representation of women within ICSD governance structures
- women involvement in the governance structures of NDSF
- advocacy on gender issues in World Deaf sports
- raising awareness about gender equality

DIVERSITY POLICY

To support and promote equality in Deaf Sports

- diversity and inclusion policy on all organizational levels of ICSD movement
- respect cultural differences
- female and male participants equal per event
- equal adherence to the ICSD Constitution, Audiogram Regulations, Anti-Doping Rules
- equal financial support to male and female competitions

Approved by ICSD

STATISTICS

Survey - ICSD Statistical Information Gender in Deaf Sports Year 2017&2018



ICSD Statistical Information Gender in Deaf Sports Year 2017

Nation: _____

Position	Male	Female	Total
1. Number of deaf athletes participating in the national and international competitions for the year 2017			
2. Number of persons on leadership positions in deaf sports for the year 2017			
3. Number of deaf coaches for the year 2017			
4. Number of deaf athletes participating in the World Deaf Championships for the year 2017			
5. Number of deaf athletes participating in the European / Asian Pacific / American Deaf Championships for the year 2017			
6. Number of deaf athletes participating in the 22nd Summer Deaflympics 2013			

7. Number of sport disciplines in which deaf athletes participated during the 22 nd Summer Deaflympics 2013 (20 disciplines total)			
8. Number of deaf athletes participating in the 23 rd Summer Deaflympics 2017			
9. Number of sport disciplines in which deaf athletes participated during the 23 rd Summer Deaflympics 2017 (21 disciplines total)			

Signature _____ Date _____

We kindly ask you to complete this ICSD Statistical Information Gender in Deaf Sports Form and send it to the ICSD Secretariat e-mail address office@cisr.org with a copy to the ICSD Women in Sports Commission womensport.icisd@gmail.com till **14 April 2019**.

STATISTICS

Total ICSD members - 113

Response - 14 countries

European Region (Belgium, Estonia, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Latvia, Norway, Slovenia, Switzerland, Russia)

Asia Pacific (China)

Pan American Region (USA)

STATISTICS

Results - Percentage of females

	Year 2017	Year 2018
<i>Deaf athletes National and International competitions</i>	22%	30%
<i>Leadership positions in Deaf Sports</i>	31%	31%
<i>Deaf coaches</i>	33%	34%

DEAFLYMPICS

	Percentage of females Among deaf athletes
15th Winter Deaflympics Sundsvall 2003	17%
20th Summer Deaflympics Melbourne 2005	31%
16th Winter Deaflympics Salt Lake City 2007	22%
21st Summer Deaflympics Taipei 2009	31%
22nd Summer Deaflympics Sofia 2013	33%
18th Winter Deaflympics Khanty-Mansiysk 2015	27%
23rd Summer Deaflympics Samsun 2017	33%

ASIA PACIFIC

Summary of Women Participation in Asia Pacific Sport Events from 2015 to 2019

Afghanistan, Australia, Bahrain, Bangladesh, China, Chinese Taipei, Fiji, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Korea, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Lebanon, Macau, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, North Korea, Oman, Pakistan, Palestine, Philippines, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor Leste, Turkmenistan, U.A.E., Uzbekistan, Yemen

ASIA PACIFIC

8th APDG - Taoyuan, Chinese Taipei		4th Football - Changwon, Korea		5th Badminton - Kuala Lumpur (Combined Open and Youth)		3rd Futsal - Bangkok, Thailand		9th APDG - Hong Kong (Cancelled)	
MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN
584	147	181	48	45	38	125	62	835	274
731		229		83		187		1109	

Percentage of females

20%	20%	45%	33%	24%
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AFRICA

CADS Survey

Total number of deaf women athletes 2959

Attended Deaflympics – 30 women - 1%

Deaf coaches – 48 women – 2%

Leadership – 30 women - 1%

AFRICA

Reasons:

- more sport men than women
- perceptions that women cannot lead men
- deaf women not trained on leadership
- lack of policies at NDSF to promote deaf women sports developments
- religious and cultural belief
- lack of funding or government support for women sport development

SEMINAR

2nd Deaf Women and Leadership Seminar
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
25-27 September 2008



SEMINAR

Gender Policy in World Deaf Sports

Date: year 2020 - 3rd quarter

Duration: 2 days

Participants: women – representatives of NDSF
(team leaders, managers, coaches, athletes)

~70 persons

FURTHER WORK

- Gender policy in Europe, Asia, Africa, the Americas, Australia
- Statistical information on all continents
- Increase the composition of the Women in Sports Commission

APPRECIATION

Special thanks for support and materials

Executive Board

International Committee of Sport for the Deaf
(Deaflympics statistics)

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