

IVO FERRIANI
SHORT BIO

#### PERSONAL PROFILE

Ivo Ferriani was born in Grugliasco (Turin), on 5th March 1960. His son Riccardo was born in 1991. Ivo Ferriani has a Bachelor's degree in "Scienze Motorie" (Sports Science) from the Universitá degli Studi di Roma Foro Italico as well as numerous sports coaching and training qualifications. He speaks English, French and German. Italian is his mother tongue.

## INTERNATIONAL SPORT EXPERIENCE

### Member of the Italian National Bobsleigh team, since 1982

From 1985 to 1990 he competed in the Bobsleigh World Cup Tour as a 2 Man and 4 Man Bob Pilot and participated in the 1988 Winter Olympics in Calgary as a 2 Man Pilot. He was Vice European 2 Man Bob Junior Champion in 1986 in Igls Innsbruck, Austria and took 4th place in 4 Man Bob at the 1987 European Championship in Cervinia, Italy.

## Italian Bobsleigh Team Coach, from 1990 to 1994

Participation at the Winter Olympics at Albertville 1992 and Lillehammer 1994.

## French Bobsleigh Head Coach, from 1994 to 1999

France won the Bronze Medal in 4 Man Bob at the Winter Olympics at Nagano 1998

### Canadian Bobsleigh Head Coach, from 1999 to 2002

Including the Winter Olympics at Salt Lake City 2002 when Canada took 5<sup>th</sup> place in 2 Man Bob.

# Italian Bobsleigh and Skeleton Team Director, from 2006 to 2010

Created the Coach Certification for Bobsleigh and Skeleton for the Italian Winter Sport Federation (FISI).

# Torino 2006 TOROC Bob, Skeleton and Luge Competition Manger, from 2002 to 2006

Responsible for the design, construction and sports operations of the track in Cesana Torinese. These responsibilities continued until 2010 as Track Manager at the Torino Post-Olympic Foundation.

### INTERNATIONAL SPORT POSITIONS

### President of the IBSF (International Bobsleigh & Skeleton Federation) since 2010.

(Formerly Fédération Internationale de de Bobsleigh et de Tobogganing.)

The IBSF is the World Governing Body for all Bobsleigh and Skeleton activities, fully recognised by the International Olympic Committee, with 74 affiliated National Authorities.

**President of AlOWF (Association of International Olympic Winter Sports Federations)** since 2020 AlOWF is the association of seven winter sports federations recognized by the International Olympic Committee that compete in the Olympic Winter Games.

Member of the International Olympic Committee, since 2016

**IOC Executive Board Member**, since 2018

Member of the Coordination Commission for the Winter Olympic Games Beijing 2022

### Member of the IOC Sustainability and Legacy Commission

The Commission plays an important role in enabling the IOC to make informed, balanced decisions to foster positive change and legacies in the social, economic and environmental spheres.

## Member of the IOC Athlete's Entourage Commission

Reflecting the Olympic Agenda 2020 recommendation to support the athlete on and off the field of play, the Commission advises on matters concerning the relationship between all stakeholders that support and work directly with athletes.

#### Member of the IOC Women in Sport Commission

The Commission is instrumental in the development and implementation of the IOC women and sport policy, promoting equal opportunities for girls and women to participate in, and benefit from sport and physical activity.

**HONOURS AND AWARDS** 

Commendatore della Repubblica by the President of the Italian Republic in 2011