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Violetta Afanasieva - Coaching Resume

2006 World Extreme Ice Skating Champion

About

Born into a figure skating family in Moscow, Russia, Violetta trained and competed for Moscow's figure skating club 'Lokomotiv'. Over the past 22 years (15 years together with her husband and partner Canadian born Pete Dack) Violetta performed in shows such as Celebration on Ice (Canada), Stars on Ice (Europe), Art on Ice (Europe), have been a part of Eugeni Plushenko's, Philippe Candeloro, Katarina Witt's tours and Holiday on Ice (Europe, Asia, South Africa). For detailed professional career resume please visit www.afanasieva-dack.com/resume. Recently (2014 - 2015) Violetta and Pete headlined 'Blades on Stage', a Mirvish production on the stage of Princess of Wales Theatre in Toronto. In 2010, 2011 and 2013 Violetta was paired up with NHL hockey player for the CBC hit TV show 'Battle of the Blades'.

Currently, they still perform at figure skating shows and galas, while transitioning to be a full time coaching team.

Coaching experience

- Currently consulting at Thornhill Figure Skating Club
- Guest coached with Moscow's club Crystal Skate over the past 6 years.
- Off-ice summer camp class for DRSA (Canada)
- Guest off-ice classes for Granite Club
- Off-ice core and flexibility classes

Accomplishments

- Russian Master of Sport Candidate (equates to nationally ranked skater)
- World Champion at 2006 Extreme Ice Skating World Championship St. Petersburg, Russia with partner Pete Dack
- Silver Medalist at 2001 American Open Professional Figure Skating Championship - Philadelphia, USA with partner Pete Dack

Skate Canada NCCP certification

- Level 1 Phase 3

Education

- 2012 Digital Arts Technology Training Institute, Sydney, NS - Graphic Design Diploma
- 2010 Digital Arts Technology Training Institute, Sydney, NS - Web Design Diploma

Career objective

To share my passion and knowledge of our sport, to help young athletes achieve their best in figure skating and mostly inspire them throughout their journey.

Key Skills

- 30 years of continued involvement in figure skating
- High emphasis on aesthetics of figure skating while concentrating on consistent technique
- Great knowledge and understanding of presentation, skating style, music expression and performance
- Violetta and Pete as a team, provide a rounded spectrum of teaching and joyful environment for students

Languages

- Russian and English

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