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ISU - International Skating Union

The International Skating Union (ISU) is one of the oldest international sports organizations. It was founded on 1892, Jul 23 in Scheveningen (Netherlands). The ISU is the international governing body for figure skating / ice dance, synchronized skating, speed skating and short track.

1930: 28 member federations
2004: 60 member federations
2015: 90 member federations
2020: 98 member federations

Presidents

23.07.1892 - 30.11.1894	Willem H.J. Mulier NED
29.04.1895 - 25.05.1925	Viktor Gustav Balck SWE
25.05.1925 - 02.07.1937	Karl Emil Julius Ulrich Salchow SWE
07.07.1937 - 02.12.1945 ✞	Gerrit W.A. van Laar NED
03.12.1945 - 24.07.1946	Herbert J. Clarke GBR; interim
24.07.1946 - 08.10.1953	Herbert J. Clarke GBR
08.10.1953 - 11.06.1955	James Koch SUI; interim
11.06.1955 - 10.06.1967	James Koch SUI
10.06. - 21.07.1967 ✞	Ernst Labin AUT
21.07.1967 - 06.06.1969	Jacques Favart FRA; interim
06.06.1969 - 27.09.1980 ✞	Jacques Favart FRA
27.09.1980 - 19.06.1994	Olaf Poulsen NOR
19.06.1994 - 10.06.2016	Ottavio Cinquanta ITA
10.06.2016 - 10.06.2022	Jan Dijkema NED
10.06.2022 -	Kim Jae-Youl KOR

Secretaries General

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23.07.1892 - 01.11.1894	Ary Prins GER/ AUT
01.11.1894 - 29.04.1895	August Eduard Barnaart NED
29.04.1895 - 07.06.1899	Alfons Bernhardh SWE
07.06.1899 - 22.10.1921	Alex Lindman SWE
22.10.1921 - 25.05.1925	August Anderberg SWE
25.05.1925 - 02.07.1937	Sven Sandstedt SWE
02.07.1937 - 24.07.1946	Willem M. van Haaften NED

Honorary Secretary

24.07.1946 - 14.06.1947	August Anderberg SWE
14.06.1947 - 13.06.1975	Georg Häsler SUI

Honorary Secretary of the Council

24.06.1939 - 22.06.1951	Gustavus F.C. Witt NED

Executive Secretary

06.06.1963 - 31.12.1964	D. van Engelenburg NED
01.01.1965 - 13.06.1975	Georg Häsler SUI

Secretary General / Director General

13.06.1975 - 19.06.1994	Beat Häsler SUI
19.06.1994 - 31.12.2023	Fredi Schmid SUI
01.01.2024 -	Colin Smith GBR

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