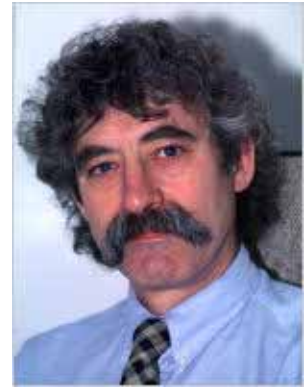


David BEDFORD

GBR



Position sought:

IAAF Cross Country Committee – Member

DATE OF BIRTH: 30 December 1949

PROFESSION: Race Director, London Marathon

LANGUAGES: English

David was a GB International, World record holder at 10,000m and World Cross Country Champion. His other major achievements include:

Captain of the World Cross Country Team from 1969 to 1976.

From 1976 to 1989 he was Secretary of the International Athletes Club.

From 1984 to 1990 David served in various roles including Assistant Honorary Secretary for Southern Counties Amateur Athletics Association, Council Member for British Amateur Athletic Board, Head of Delegation for World Cross Country Championships and Director of London Marathon and Trustee of the London Marathon Charitable Trust.

David served as Honorary Secretary of the British Athletics Federation. He was also a member of the BAF Medical Commission and involved in BAF Anti Doping.

From 1985 until 1995 he served as Shaftesbury Barnet Chairman and at the same time, was Middlesex Cross Country Team Manager.

From 1989 until present, David has been a London Marathon employee in various roles including International Race Director, Head of Marketing and Publications and, for several years now, Race Director, heading a professional team of 20.

David has served on the IAAF Cross Country and Road Running Commission since 2003 and hopes that the combination of his experience and international athletics career as well as his contributions during the last 4 years will make it possible for him to be re-elected onto the IAAF Cross Country and Road Running Commission.