

# The USSR and Olympism

*"No country applies more intensively the theory of Baron de Coubertin that a national programme of physical training and competitive sport will build stronger and healthier boys and girls and make better citizens."*

*Avery Brundage - 5th June 1962*

## USSR

8,650,000 square miles.

250,000,000 inhabitants.



## USSR OLYMPIC COMMITTEE

Founded in April 1951.

Recognised by the IOC in May 1951.

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## Role of the USSR NOC

The USSR Olympic Committee is an independent public body, which seeks:

- to develop physical education and amateur sport,
- to promote the Olympic ideal,
- to encourage and develop the international relations of Soviet sportsmen in the interest of strengthening international sports co-operation, and friendship and peace among nations,
- to represent Soviet sportsmen in the international sports movement and provide for their participation in the Olympic Games,
- to coordinate the activities of the USSR sports federations within the international organisations,
- to publicise abroad the achievement of USSR physical education and sport.

## Origin

Russia was one of the twelve countries whose representatives initiated the renovation of the Olympic Games and founded the International Olympic Committee at the International Congress in Paris in 1894. Among the 14 IOC members elected at the Congress was Russian representative General A.D. de Boutowsky.

## IOC members for the USSR



1. Constantin Andrianov\*, since 1951.



2. Alexei Romanov\*, elected in 1952, honorary member since 1971.



3. Vitaly Smirnov\*, since 1971.

## Successive Presidents of the USSR NOC

The founder of the USSR Olympic Committee, Mr. Constantin Andrianov\*, has held the presidency without interruption since 1951.



*Tokyo 1964 - The USSR delegation with the weightlifter Yuri Vlassov bearing the flag.*

## THE USSR AND THE OLYMPIC GAMES

*Date of first participation: 1952.*



*1956: the first Soviet delegation appeared in the Winter Games.*

## Organisation of Games

Moscow, the capital of the Soviet Union, was one of the candidates for holding the Games of the XX1st Olympiad. Now it has again submitted its application to stage the Games celebrating the XXIIInd Olympiad in 1980.

## Soviet representation (since 1952) at the Olympic Games<sup>1</sup>

	Athletics	Rowing	Basketball	Boxing	Canoeing	Cycling	Equestrian	Fencing	Football	Gymnastics	Weightlifting
1952	77(20)	26	14	10	13(1)	10	9	16(3)	15	16(8)	7
1956	75(22)	25	12	10	10(1)	12	9	20(3)	18	12(6)	7
1960	81(23)	26	12	10	12(2)	13	10	21(6)	0	12(6)	6
1964	84(23)	27	12	10	13(3)	12	10	20(5)	0	12(6)	7
1968	70(24)	27	12	11	11(2)	15	10(1)	20(5)	0	12(6)	7
1972	75(27)	26	12	11	15(4)	15	11(1)	20(5)	19	12(6)	9

## Soviet representation at the Winter Games from 1956 to 1972<sup>1</sup>

	Biatlon (skiing & shooting)	Bobsleigh	Ice Hockey	Luge	Speed skating	Figure skating	Skiing	Total
1956	●	0	17	●	11	0	27(7)	55(7)
1960	4	●	17	●	16(5)	4(2)	21(6)	62(13)
1964	4	0	17	0	16(7)	4(2)	28(8)	69(17)
1968	4	0	18	0	16(6)	10(5)	26(10)	74(21)
1972	6	0	20	7(3)	9(5)	10(4)	26(8)	78(20)

<sup>1</sup> The figures in brackets represent the number of women included in the first figure.

● Not included on the programme.



	Handball	Hockey	Judo	Wrestling	Swimming	Modern Pentathlon	Shooting	Archery	Volleyball	Yachting	Total
1952	●	0	●	16	38(8)	3	11	●	●	14	295(40)
1956	●	0	●	16	32(7)	3	11	●	●	11	283(39)
1960	●	0	●	16	41(13)	3	10	●	●	11	284(50)
1964	●	0	4	16	44(14)	3	10	●	24(12)	11	319(63)
1968	●	0	●	16	52(17)	3	12	●	24(12)	11	313(67)
1972	16	0	6	20	46(16)	3	14	6	24(12)	13	373(71)

### USSR Olympic champions



1960: *Valeri Brumel*



1956-1960-1964: *Viatcheslav Ivanov*

\* The names in heavy print indicate that the champion in question will be mentioned later on.

\* We would like to thank in advance all readers able to help us complete the following table, and give us news of all the champions.

# Titles obtained at the Olympic Games



Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
<b>Romachkova</b> Zybina	<b>Nina</b> Galina	Athletics W' —	Discus Shot-put
<b>Tloukalov</b>	<b>Yourl</b>	Rowing	Sculls
<b>Tchoukarine</b> <b>Tchoukarine</b> <b>Chagulinan</b> <b>Tchoukarine</b> <b>Tchoukarine</b> Chaguinian <b>Mouratov</b> Beliakov Berdiev Perelman Leonkine <b>Kalintchouk</b> <b>Botcharova</b> <b>Gorokhovskaïa</b> Gorokhovskaïa Botcharova Minaïtcheva Urbanovitch Danilova Chamraï Dchougueli Kalintchouk	<b>Viktor</b> <b>Viktor</b> <b>Grant</b> <b>Viktor</b> <b>Viktor</b> Grant <b>Valentine</b> Evgueni Yosif Mikhail Dimitri <b>Ekatarina</b> <b>Nina</b> <b>Maria</b> Maria Nina Galina Galina Pelageja Galina Medea Ekatarina	Gymnastics — — — — — — — — — — Gymnastics W — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	Horse vault Pommelled horse Rings General Team — — — — — — Horse vault Beam General Team — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —
Oudodov Tchimichkian Lomakine	Ivan Rafael Trofim	Weightlifting — —	Bantam-weight Feather-weight Light heavy-weight
Tsimakouridze Mekokichvili Gourevitch Pounkine Safine Kotkas	David Arsène Boris Yakov Chasame Johannes	Freestyle wrestling — Greco-Roman wrestling — — — —	Middle-weight Heavy-weight Fly-weight Feather-weight Light-weight Heavy-weight
<b>Bogdanov</b>	<b>Anatoll</b>	Shooting	Full-bore rifle
Spirine <b>Kuts</b> Kuts Yaounzeme Tychkevitch	Leonid <b>Vladmir</b> Vladimir Inessa Tamara	Athletics — — Athletics W —	20 km. walk 5000 m. 10,000 m. Javelin Shot-put
<b>Ivanov</b> Berkoutov Tioukalov	<b>Viatcheslav</b> Alexandre Youri	Rowing — —	Sculls Double sculls —
Safronov Enguibarian Châtkov	Vladimir Vladimir Guennadi	Boxing — —	Feather-weight Light welter-weight Middle-weight
Kharine Botev	Pavel Grazian	Canoeing —	C2 1000 m.



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1952-1956  
V. Tchoukarine



1956 - Vladimir Kuts



1952-1960  
Nina Romachkova



1952-1956  
A. Bogdanov

<sup>1</sup> W: woman.

Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
Dementeva	Elizabeta	Canoeing W	K1 500 m
Yachine	Lev	Football	—
Bachachkine	Anatoly	—	—
Ogonikov	Mikhail	—	—
Kouznyetsov	Boris	—	—
Netto	Igor	—	—
Masilyonkin	Anatoly	—	—
Tatouchin	Boris	—	—
Issayev	Anatoly	—	—
Simonyan	Nikita	—	—
Salnikov	Sergei	—	—
Ilyin	Anatoly	—	—
Titschenko	Nikolay	—	—
Paramonov	Aleksey	—	—
Streltsov	Edouard	—	—
Ivanov	Valentin	—	—
Ryjkin	Vladimir	—	—
Betsa	Yosif	—	—
Rasinsky	Boris	—	—
<b>Mouratov</b>	<b>Valentine</b>	Gymnastics	Horse vault
<b>Chahline</b>	<b>Boris</b>	—	Pommel horse
<b>Azarlan</b>	<b>Albert</b>	—	Rings
<b>Tchoukarine</b>	<b>Viktor</b>	—	Parallel bars
<b>Mouratov</b>	<b>Valentine</b>	—	Floor exercises
<b>Tchoukarine</b>	<b>Viktor</b>	—	General
Tchoukarine	Viktor	—	Team
Mouratov	Valentine	—	—
<b>Azarlan</b>	<b>Albert</b>	—	—
Titov	Youri	—	—
Stolbov	Pavel	—	—
<b>Challine</b>	<b>Boris</b>	—	—
<b>Latynina</b>	<b>Larisa</b>	Gymnastics W	Horse vault
<b>Latynina</b>	<b>Larisa</b>	—	Individual
Manina	Tamara	—	Team
<b>Latynina</b>	<b>Larisa</b>	—	—
<b>Mouratova</b>	<b>Sofia</b>	—	—
Kalinina	Lydia	—	—
<b>Astakhova</b>	<b>Polina</b>	—	—
Yegorova	Ludmilla	—	—
Rybak	Igor	Weightlifting	Light-weight
Bogdanovsky	Fyodor	—	Middle-weight
Vorobiev	Arkadi	—	Middle heavy-weight
Tsalkalamanidze	Miriam	Freestyle wrestling	Fly-weight
Soloviev	Nikolai	Greco-Roman wrestling	—
Vyroubaiev	Constantine	—	Bantam-weight
Kartozia	Guivi	—	Middle-weight
Nikolaiev	Valentine	—	Light heavy-weight
Parfenov	Anatoli	—	Heavy-weight
Deriougine	Ivar	Modern pentathlon	Team
<b>Novikov</b>	<b>Igor</b>	—	—
Tarassov	Alexandre	—	—
Borissov	Vassili	Shooting	Full-bore rifle
Bogdanov	Anatoly	—	Small-bore rifle 3 positions
Romanenko	Vitaly	—	Running deer
<b>Goloubnitchy</b>	<b>Vadmlr</b>	Athletics	20 km. walk
Bolotnikov	Piotr	—	10,000 m.
Chavlakadze	Robert	—	High jump
Rudienkov	Vassili	—	Hammer
Cibulenko	Viktor	—	Javelin
Chevtzova-Lisenko	Ludmilla	Athletics W	800 m.
<b>Press</b>	<b>Irina</b>	—	80 m. hurdles
Krepkina	Vera	—	Long jump
Ponomareva Romachkova	Nina	—	Discus
Ozolina	Elvira	—	Javelin
<b>Press</b>	<b>Tamara</b>	—	Shot-put

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*V. Cibulenko*



1956-1960-1964  
*L. Latynina*

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Vice-President of the Fédération Internationale de Gymnastique.

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1956 - *L. Yachine*  
 — *I. Netto*

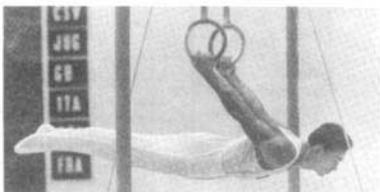


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1956 - *Y. Titov*



Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
<b>Ivanov</b> Boreiko Golovanov	<b>Vlatcheslav</b> Valentin Oleg	Rowing — —	Sculls Uncoxed pairs —
Grigoriev	Oleg	Boxing	Bantam-weight
Makarenko Geistor <b>Seredina</b> Seredina Choubina	Sergei Leonid <b>Antonina</b> Antonina M a r i a	Canoeing — Canoeing W —	C2 1000 m. — K1 500 m. K2 500 m. —
Kapitonov	Viktor	Cycling	Individual road race
Filatov	Sergei	Equestrian	Individual dressage
<b>Jdanovitch</b> <b>Jdanovitch</b> <b>Siskine</b> <b>Svechnikov</b> <b>Midler</b> Roudov <b>Gorokhova</b> <b>Petrenko</b> Proudshkova Chichova <b>Zabellina</b>	<b>Viktor</b> <b>Viktor</b> <b>Youri</b> <b>German</b> Mark Youri <b>Galina</b> <b>Tatiana</b> Valentina Ludmilla <b>Alexandra</b>	Fencing — — — — Fencing W — — — — —	Foil Team foil — — — — — — — — —
<b>Chahlne</b> <b>Chahlne</b> Azarian <b>Chahlne</b> <b>Chahlne</b> <b>Astakhova</b> <b>Nikolaeva</b> <b>Latynina</b> <b>Latynina</b> <b>Latynina</b> <b>Astakhova</b> <b>Lloukhina</b> Mouratova Ivanova Kalinina Nikolaeva	<b>Boris</b> <b>Boris</b> Albert <b>Boris</b> <b>Boris</b> <b>Polina</b> <b>Margarita</b> <b>L a r i s a</b> <b>Larisa</b> <b>Larisa</b> <b>Polina</b> <b>Tamara</b> Sofia L i d i a Margarita	Gymnastics — — — — Gymnastics W — — — — — — — — — — —	Horse vault Pommel horse Rings Parallel bars General Asymmetrical bars Horse vault Floor exercises General Team — — — — —
Minaiev Bouchouev Kourinov Vorobiev Vlassov	Evgueni Viktor Alexandre Arkadi Youri	Weightlifting — — — —	Feather-weight Light-weight Middle-weight Middle heavy-weight Heavy-weight
Karavaev Koridze Bogdan	O l e g Avtandil Yvan	Greco-Roman wrestling — —	Bantam-weight Light-weight Heavy-weight
Gustchin Chambourkin	Aleksei Viktor	Shooting	Free pistol 50 m. Small-bore rifle, 3 positions
Pinguine Choutkov	Timir Fedor	Yachting —	Star —
Brumel Klim <b>Press</b> Press Press	Valeri Romuald <b>Tamara</b> Tamara Irina	Athletics — Athletics W — —	High jump Hammer Discus Shot-put Pentathlon
Ivanov Tiurin Doubrovski	Viatcheslav Oleg Boris	Rowing — —	Sculls Double sculls —

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V. Kapitanov



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1956-1960-1964  
P. Astakhova



1956-1960-1964  
B. Chahline



1964 - R. Klim

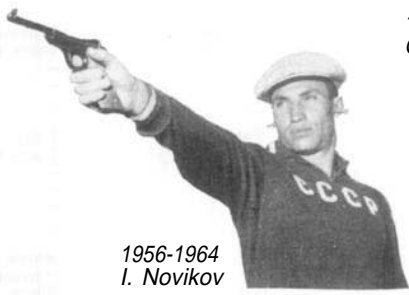
Legendary athletics figure - an accident put an end to his great career.

Cousin of the above mentioned.

His 3rd skulls title.

Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
Stepashkin	Stanislav	Boxing	Feather-weight
<b>Lagutin</b>	<b>Boris</b>	—	Light middle-weight
Popenchenko	Valery	—	Middle-weight
Khimich	Andrej	Canoeing	C2 1000 m.
Oschepkov	Stephan	—	—
Chuzhikov	Nikolai	—	K 4 x 500 m.
Grishin	Anatoli	—	—
Ionov	Viatcheslav	—	—
<b>Morozov</b>	<b>Vladimir</b>	—	—
<b>Khvedosiuk</b>	<b>Ludmila</b>	Canoeing W	K1 500 m.
Svechnikov	German	Fencing	Team foil
Sisikine	Youri	—	—
Midler	Mark	—	—
Jdanovitch	Viktor	—	—
Mavlikhanov	Umar	—	Team sabre
Asatiani	Nugzar	—	—
Rvlsky	Yakov	—	—
<b>Rakita</b>	<b>Mark</b>	—	—
Kriss	Grigori	—	Epee
Chahline	Boris	Gymnastics	Horizontal bar
<b>Astakhova</b>	<b>Polina</b>	Gymnastics W	Asymmetrical bars
<b>Latynina</b>	<b>Larisa</b>	—	Floor exercises
Latynina	Larisa	—	Team
Astakhova	Polina	—	—
Manina	Tamara	—	—
Volchetskaya	Elena	—	—
Zamotailova-Lioukhina	Tamara	—	—
Gromova	Ludmila	—	—
Vakhonine	Alexei	Weightlifting	Bantam-weight
Plyoukfelder	Rudolf	—	Light heavy-weight
Golovanov	Vladimir	—	Middle heavy-weight
<b>Jabotinski</b>	<b>Leonid</b>	—	Heavy-weight
<b>Medved</b>	<b>Alexandre</b>	Wrestling	Light heavy-weight
Ivanitsky	Alexandre	—	Heavy-weight
Kolesov	Anatoli	Greco-Roman wrestling	Weiter-weight
Prozumentchikova	Galina	Swimming W	200 m. breaststroke
Novikov	Igor	Modern pentathlon	Team
Mokeyev	Albert	—	—
Mineyev	Viktor	—	—
<b>Bugayenkov</b>	<b>Yvan</b>	Volleyball	—
Burobin	Nikolay	—	—
Tshesnokov	Yuri	—	—
Katscharava	Vascha	—	—
Kalatschikhin	Valery	—	—
Kovalenko	Vitaly	—	—
Lyugaylo	Stanislav	—	—
<b>Mondzolevsky</b>	<b>Georgy</b>	—	—
<b>Poyarkov</b>	<b>Yury</b>	—	—
<b>Sibirakov</b>	<b>Edouard</b>	—	—
Vengerovsky	Yury	—	—
Voskoboynikov	Dmitry	—	—
<b>Saneev</b>	<b>Viktor</b>	Athletics	Hop step & jump
Lusis	Janis	—	Javelin
Golubnitchyi	Vladimir	—	20 km. walk
Sass	Anatoly	Rowing	Double sculls
<b>Timoshlnln</b>	<b>Alexander</b>	—	—
Sokolov	Valery	Boxing	Bantam-weight
Lagutin	Boris	—	Light middle-weight
Pordniak	Dan	—	Light heavy-weight
<b>Shaparenko</b>	<b>Alexander</b>	Canoeing	K2 1000 m.
<b>Morozov</b>	<b>Vadimir</b>	—	—
<b>Plnaeva Khvedosluk</b>	<b>Ludmila</b>	Canoeing W	K1 500 m.

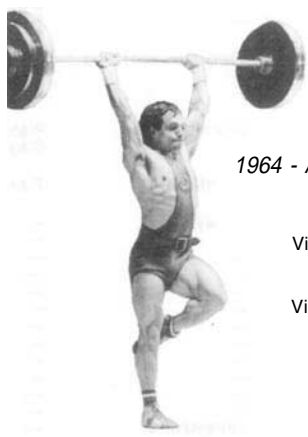
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1956-1964  
I. Novikov



1964  
G. Prozumentchikova



1964 - A. Vakhonine

Vice-President of the USSR Sports Committee,

Vice-President of the U.I.P.M.B.



1964-1968  
B. Lagutin

Vice-President of the USSR Boxing Federation.



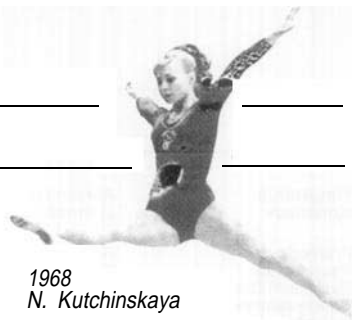
1964-1968-1972  
A. Medved

Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
<b>Kizimov</b>	<b>Ivan</b>	Equestrian	Dressage
Nazlymov	Vladimir	Fencing	Team sabre
<b>Sidiak</b>	<b>Viktor</b>	—	—
Vinokiurov	Edouard	—	—
Rakita	Mark	—	—
<b>Novlkova</b>	<b>Elena</b>	Fencing W	Foil
<b>Novlkova</b>	<b>Elena</b>	—	Team foil
<b>Zabellna</b>	<b>Alexandra</b>	—	—
<b>Samusenko</b> <b>Petrenko</b>	<b>Tatiana</b>	—	—
<b>Gorokhova</b>	<b>Galina</b>	—	—
Chirkova	Suetlana	—	—
<b>Voronine</b>	<b>Mikhail</b>	Gymnastics	Horse vault
Voronine	Mikhail	—	Horizontal bar
<b>Kutchlnskaya</b>	<b>Natalia</b>	Gymnastics W	Beam
<b>Petrik</b>	<b>Larisa</b>	—	Floor exercises
Wozonina	Sinaida	—	Team
Kutchinskaya	Natalia	—	—
Petrik	Larisa	—	—
Karassjova	Olga	—	—
<b>Tourischeva</b>	<b>Ludmila</b>	—	—
Burda	Linbov	—	—
Kurentsov	Viktor	Weightlifting	Middle-weight
Selitsky	Boris	—	Light heavy-weight
Jabotinski	Leonide	—	Heavy-weight
Gurevitch	Boris	Freestyle wrestling	Middle-weight
<b>Medved</b>	<b>Alexandre</b>	—	Heavy-weight
Rurva	Roman	—	Feather-weight
Kosykh	Grigory	Shooting	Pistol
Petrov	Evgeniy	—	Clay pigeon
<b>Mankin</b>	<b>Valentin</b>	Yachting	Finn
Sibiryakov	Edouard	Volleyball	—
Kravtschenko	Valery	—	—
Belyayev	Vladimir	—	—
Lapinsky	Yevgeny	—	—
Antropov	Oleg	—	—
Matuschevas	Vasilius	—	—
Mikhaltshuk	Viktor	—	—
Poyarkov	Yuri	—	—
Tereschtschuk	Boris	—	—
Ivanov	Vladimir	—	—
Bugayenkov	Yvan	—	—
Mondzolevsky	Georgy	—	—
<b>Bouldakova</b>	<b>Ludmila</b>	Volleyball W	—
Mikhailovskava	Ludmila	—	—
Lantrova	Vera	—	—
<b>Galuschka</b>	<b>Vera</b>	—	—
<b>Sarytscheva</b>	Tatiana	—	—
<b>Ponyayeva</b>	<b>Tatiana</b>	—	—
<b>Smolejeva</b>	<b>Nina</b>	—	—
<b>Ryskal</b>	<b>Inna</b>	—	—
<b>Leonjeva</b>	<b>Galina</b>	—	—
Salikhova	Roza	—	—
Vinogradova	Valentina	—	—
<b>Borzov</b>	Valeri	Athletics	100 m.
Borzov	Valeri	—	200 m.
Tarmak	Yuri	—	High jump
Saneev	Viktor	—	Hop step & jump
Bondarchuk	Anatoli	—	Hammer
Avilov	Nikolai	—	Decathlon
Bragina	Liudmila	Athletics W	1500 m.
Chizhova	Nadya	—	Shot-put
Melnik	Faina	—	Discus
Malishev	Yuri	Rowing	Skulls

Year	Birth	Death	Notes
1968	1928		On "Ihor".
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—	1947		<i>N. Kutchinskaya</i>
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—	1938		1968-1972 - <i>V. Mankin</i>
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—	1938		Improved world record again in 1974.
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—	1938		1964-1968
—	1941		<i>L. Jabotinski</i>
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1972	1946		
—	1946		First European to win the 100 m-200 m double.
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—	1947		1972 - <i>N. Avilov</i>



1968-1972  
*E. Novikova*



1968  
*N. Kutchinskaya*



Improved world record again in 1974.



1964-1968  
*L. Jabotinski*







1968-1972  
*V. Sidiak*

1968  
*V. Saneev*



1972 - *N. Avilov*

Name	Christian Name	sport	Event
Timoshinin Korshikov	Alexander Gennadi	Rowing —	Double sculls —
Polivoda Paulauskas Sakandelidze Sharmukhamedov Boloshev Edeshko Belov Korkia Dvorni Volnon Belov Kovalenko	Anatoly Modestas Zurab Alsham Aeksander Ivan Sergei Mikhail Ivan Gennadi Aleksander Sergei	Basketball — — — — — — — — — — — —	— — — — — — — — — — — —
Kousnetsov Lemechev	Boris Viatcheslav	Boxing —	Feather-weight Middle-weight
Chessyunas Lobanov Shaparenko Gorbachev Kratassiuk Filatov Stezenko Morozov Didenko Ryabchinskaya Pinayeva Kuryshko	Vladas Yuri Alexander Nikolai Viktor Yuri Yuri Vladimir Valeri Yukia Ludmila Ekaterina	Canoeing — — — — — — — — — Canoeing W — —	C2 — K1 K2 — K4 — — — — K1 K2 —
Semenetz Tselovalnikov Chouhov Iardy Komnatov Likhachev	Vladimir Igor Boris Valery Gennady Valery	Cycling — — — — — —	Tandem — Team 100 km. — — — —
Sidiak Belova Novikova Zabelina Gorokhova Samusenko	Viktor Elena Alexandra Galina Tajana	Fencing Fencing W — — —	Sabre Team foil — — —
Andrianov Klimenko Korbut Korbut Tourischeva Tourischeva Korbut Lazakovitsh Burda Saadi Koshel	Nikolai Viktor Olga Olga Liudmila Liudmila Olga Tamara Liubov Elvira Antonina	Gymnastics — Gymnastics W — — — — — — — — — —	Horse vault Pommel horse Beam Floor exercises Individual Team — — — — — — —
Kirzinov Talts Alexeev	Mukharbi Ivan Vassili	Weightlifting — —	Light-weight Heavy-weight Super heavy-weight
Onachvili	Givi	Judo	Heavy-weight
Kazakov Khisamutdinov Rezantsev Roshin Dmitriev Abdulbekov Tediashvili	Rustem Shamil Valery Anatoly Roman Zagalav Levan	Graco-Roman wrestling — — — Freestyle wrestling — —	57 kg. 68 kg. 90 kg. — Over 110 kg. 48 kg. 62 kg. 82 kg.


Year	Birth	Death	Notes
1972	1949		
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—	1947		First basketball title lost by the United States.
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—	1952	1972 - F. Melnik	
—	1940		 1972 - V. Lemechev
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—	1950		 1972 - L. Burda, E. Saadi, L. Tourischeva, O. Korbut, A. Koshel, T. Lazakovitsh
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—	1943		 1972 A. Paulauskas
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—	1952		 1972 Y. Malishev
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Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
Yarigin Medved	Ivan Alexandr	Freestyle wrestling —	100 kg. Over 110 kg.
Vasin	Vladimir	Diving	Springboard
Gulyaev	Vadim	Waterpolo	—
Akimov	Anatoli	—	—
Dreval	Alexander	—	—
Shmudski	Vladimir	—	—
Kabanov	Alexander	—	—
Barkalov	Alexei	—	—
Shidlovski	Alexander	—	—
Melnikov	Nikolai	—	—
Ossipov	Leonid	—	—
Sobchenko	Vyacheslav	—	—
Onischenko	Boris	Modern pentathlon	Team
Lednev	Pavel	—	—
Shmelev	Vladimir	—	—
Petushkova	Elena	Equestrian	Team dressage
Kizimov	Ivan	—	—
Kalita	Ivan	—	—
Zhelezniak	Lakov	Shooting	Running boar
Mankin	Valentin	Yachting	Tempest
Dyrdyra	Vitalii	—	—
Bouldakova	Ludmila	Volleyball W	—
Turina	Lubou	—	—
Doviounova Galuschka	Vera	—	—
Borzna	Ludmila	—	—
Sarytcheva	Tatiana	—	—
Smoleeva	Nina	—	—
Tretiakova-Ponyaeva	Tatiana	—	—
Salikhova	Roza	—	—
Ryskal	Inna	—	—
Koudreva	Natalia	—	—
Leontieva	Galina	—	—
Gonobobeleva	Tatiana	—	—




## II. Titles obtained at the Winter Games

Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
Babitsch	Jewgenij	Ice hockey	—
Bobrow	Wsewold	—	—
Chlystow	Nikolay	—	—
Guryschew	Aleksej	—	—
Krylow	Junig	—	—
Kusin	Valentin	—	—
Kutschewskij	Alfred	—	—
Mkrtschan	Grigori	—	—
Nikiforow	Viktor	—	—
Pantjuchow	Jurij	—	—
Putschkow	Nikolaj	—	—
Schuwalow	Viktor	—	—
Sidorenkow	Gemich	—	—
Sologubow	Nikolaj	—	—
Tregubow	Iwan	—	—
Ukolow	Dimitrij	—	—
Uwarow	Alexander	—	—









Year	Birth	Death	Notes
1972	1948		 <p>Olympic champion three times.</p> <p>1972 - I. Yerigin</p> <p>1972 - I. Kisimov, E. Petushkova, I. Kalita</p> <p>On "Pepel". On "Ihor". On "Tarif".</p> <p>1972 V. Vasin</p> <p>1968-1972 - N. Smoleeva</p> <p>1972 - N. Melnikov</p>
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Year	Birth	Death	Notes
1956	1921	1972	 <p>1956 - V. Bobrow</p>
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Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
<b>Grishin</b> <b>Grishin</b> Schilkov	<b>Evgeny</b> <b>Evgeny</b> Boris	Speed skating — —	500 m. 1500 m. 5000 m.
Terentiev Koltshin Anlkin Kusin	Fjodor Pawel Nikolaj Wladimir	Nordic skiing — — —	4 x 10 km. — —
Kozyreva Baranowa	Ljubov	Nordic skiing W	10 km.
<b>Grishin</b> Grishin Kositchkin	<b>Evgeny</b> Evgeny ViKtor	Speed skating — —	500 m. 1000 m. 5000 m.
Gusewa <b>Skoblikowa</b> <b>Skoblikowa</b>	Clara <b>Lydia</b> <b>Lydia</b>	Speed skating W — —	1000 m. 1500 m. 3000 m.
Gusakova	Maria	Nordic skiing W	10 km.
<b>Alexandrov</b> Aljmetov Dawydof <b>Firsov</b> Iwanow Jakuschew <b>Konowalenko</b> Kuzkine Loktew <b>Maiorow</b> Maiorow Petuchow <b>Ragoulln</b> Saitsew <b>saitsew</b> <b>Starshinow</b> Wolkow	<b>Veniamine</b> Alexandre Vitalij <b>Anatolij</b> Eduard Wiktor <b>Viktor</b> Wiktor Constantin <b>Boris</b> Evgeny Stanislas <b>Alexander</b> Boris <b>Oleg</b> <b>Viateslav</b> Leonid	Ice hockey —	— —
Melanjin	Vladimir	Biathlon	—
<b>Protopopov</b> <b>Belousova</b>	<b>Oleg</b> <b>Ludmila</b>	Figure skating —	Pairs —
<b>Skobllkowa</b> <b>Skobllkowa</b> <b>Skobllkova</b> Skobllkova Antson	<b>Lydia</b> <b>Lydia</b> <b>Lydia</b> Lydia Ants	Speed skating W — — — —	500 m. 1000 m. 1500 m. 3000 m. 1500 m.
<b>Boyarkich</b> <b>Boyarkich</b> Boyarkich Koltschina Mekschilo	<b>Claudia</b> <b>Claudia</b> Claudia Alevtyma Jevdokija	Nordic skiing W — — — —	5 km. 10 km. 3 x 5 km. —
Alexandrov Blinov <b>Davydov</b> <b>Firsov</b> Ionov Konowalenko	Vienamine Wiktor <b>Vitalii</b> <b>Anatoll</b> Anatoll Wiktor	Ice hockey — — — — —	— — — — — —

Year	Birth	Death	Notes	
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—	1938		<p>1956-1960 - E. Grishin</p>	
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—	1938		<p>1960-1964 - L. Skoblikowa</p>	
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Name	Christian Name	Sport	Event
<b>Kouzkline</b>	<b>Viktor</b>	Ice hockey	—
Maïorov	Boris	—	—
<b>Michakov</b>	<b>Evguenll</b>	—	—
Moïssev	Jurii	—	—
Poloupanov	Viktor	—	—
<b>Ragouline</b>	<b>Alexander</b>	—	—
<b>Romichevski</b>	<b>Igor</b>	—	—
Starshinov	Viatches	—	—
<b>Vikoulov</b>	<b>Vladimir</b>	—	—
Zaitzev	Oleg	—	—
<b>Zimine</b>	Evgenii	—	—
Zinguer	Viktor	—	—
Protopopov	Oleg	Figure skating	Pairs
Belousova	Ludmila	—	—
Titova	Ludmila	Speed skating W	500 m.
<b>Tikhonov</b>	<b>Alexander</b>	Biathlon	Relay
Pousanov	Nikolai	—	—
Mamatov	Viktor	—	—
Goundartsev	Vladimir	—	—
Beloussov	Vladimir	Nordic skiing	Giant jump
Tretiak	Wladislav	Ice hockey	—
Pachkov	Alexander	—	—
Kouzkine	Viktor	—	—
Davydov	Vitali	—	—
Loutchenko	Vladimir	—	—
Tsygankov	Germady	—	—
Ragouline	Alexander	—	—
Vassiliev	Vladimir	—	—
Petrov	Vladimir	—	—
Kharlamov	Valery	—	—
Mikhailov	Boris	—	—
Firsov	Anatoli	—	—
Vikoulov	Vladimir	—	—
Maltsev	Alexander	—	—
Iakouchey	Alexander	—	—
Chadrine	Vladimir	—	—
Blinov	Youri	—	—
Romichevskii	Igor	—	—
Michakov	Evgenii	—	—
Zimine	Evgenii	—	—
Ulanov	Alexei	Figureskating	Pairs
Rodnina	Irina	—	—
<b>Vedenine</b>	<b>Viatcheslav</b>	Nordic skiing	30 km.
Voronkov	Vadimir	—	4 x 10 km.
Skobov	Youri	—	—
Simachov	Fedor	—	—
Vededine	Viatcheslav	—	—
Tikhonov	Alexander	Biathlon	Relay
Safine	Rimate	—	—
Biakov	Ivan	—	—
Mamatov	Viktor	—	—
<b>Koulocava</b>	<b>Galina</b>	Nordic skiing W	5 km.
<b>Koulocava</b>	<b>Galina</b>	—	10 km.
Koulocava	Galina	—	3x5 km.
Olunina	A.	—	—
Moukkateva	L.	—	—

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			<i>1964-1968-1972</i> <i>A. Firsov</i>
			<i>1964-1968</i> <i>V. Konowalenko</i>
			<i>1964-1968</i> <i>V. Starshinov</i>
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			<i>1972</i> <i>A. Maltsev</i>
			<i>1964-1968-1972</i> <i>A. Ragouline</i>
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			<i>1972 - G. Koulocava</i>
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			<i>1972 - I. Rodnina — A. Ulanov</i>
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			<i>1972 - V. Vedenine</i>

## Organisation of the USSR NOC

### ● *Composition*

In addition to the IOC members for the USSR, the NOC comprises the Presidents of the national sports federations, the Soviet representatives of the International Sports Federations, delegates of sports organisations of all Soviet Republics and the City of Leningrad, specialists in physical education and sport, scientists and journalists. Outstanding sportsmen such as Vassili Alexeiev, Valery Borzov, Michel Voronin, Boris Lagutin, Lev Yachin, etc. are among the members of the USSR NOC.

The NOC comprises 122 members.

● *The Plenary Session* constitutes the supreme authority of the NOC. It is convened at least once a year. It lays down the general guidelines for the activity of the USSR Olympic Committee, and ratifies changes in the NOC's composition and charter.

● *The Executive Committee*, responsible for managing the NOC between plenary sessions, is made up of a President, two Vice-Presidents, a Secretary General and 21 members, all of whom are elected for four years by the Plenary Session. It meets at least once a month. Its duties consists of:

- keeping in touch with the IOC, National Olympic Committees and other national and international sports organisations;
- working out recommendations for Soviet sports organisations on different problems of the Olympic movement in accordance with decisions of the Olympic Congresses, Sessions and meetings of the IOC;
- nominating the USSR Olympic Committee's representatives to the Organising Committees for the Olympic Games;



*Michel Voronine*

*Valery Borzov*



*Vassili Alexeiev*



*Lev Yachine*

- resolving problems with regard to the preparation for the Olympic Games, deciding on the composition of Olympic delegations and sending the entry forms for the participation of Soviet sportsmen to the Organising Committees for the Olympic Games;
- studying problems connected with the activities of the USSR sports federations and of their representa-



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tives within the International Sports Federations, and organising conferences with the representatives of USSR sports federations with regard to their work within the international organisations;

- setting up commissions from among the USSR Olympic Committee members and voluntary personalities, to work out different problems of the Olympic movement.

● *Members of the Executive Committee*, elected at the plenary assembly on 15th December 1971 (with corrections approved by the Plenary Session on 19th December 1973):

*PT:* Mr. Constantin Andrianov\*, IOC member; *VPTs:* Mr. Vitaly Smirnov\*, IOC member, and Mr. Nikolai Riachen-tsev; *SG:* Mr. Nikolai Kurdiukov; *Ms:* Messrs. Valentin Alekhin, Gleb Bakla-nov, Viktor Burov, Aidar Valiakhmetov, Boris Gontcharov, Mrs. Nina Graevs-kaya, Messrs. Valentin Granatkin, Constantin Jarov, Nikolai Kisselev, Vladimir Koval, Alexei Kouprianov, Niko-lai Lubomirov, Nikolai Nikiforov-Denis-ov, Sergei Pavlov, Nikolai Sychev, Vladimir Sawine, Nikolai Semachko, Alexander Sereda, Zakhariy Firsov, Leonid Khomenkov, Yuri Matayev.

Members of the Committee are mainly representatives of the national Olympic federations.

● *Financing of the USSR NOC*

Financing of the USSR NOC is ensured by Soviet public organisations and a sports lottery.

**Federations affiliated to the USSR NOC**

At the present time, the NOC comprises all Olympic federations, as well as the Soviet federations of moun-taineering, tennis, chess, sports medi-cine, sports cinema and television, sports press and radio.

Leaders of the following federations take part in the work of the USSR NOC's Plenary Sessions:

1. Mountaineering
2. Basketball
3. Boxing
4. Wrestling
5. Judo and sambo
6. Cycling
7. Water-polo
8. Volleyball
9. Gymnastics
10. Alpine skiing
11. Speed skating
12. Rowing
13. Canoeing
14. Equestrian events
15. Athletics
16. Skiing
17. Yachting
18. Swimming
19. Diving
20. Handball
21. Luge
22. Modern pentathlon
23. Shooting
24. Tennis
25. Weightlifting
26. Table tennis
27. Fencing
28. Figure skating
29. Football
30. Ice hockey
31. Field hockey
32. Chess
33. Sports medicine
34. Sports press and radio
35. Sports cinema and television



## THE USSR NOC AND OLYMPISM

- *IOC Session held in the USSR*

1962. 59th IOC Session in Moscow. The IOC Executive Board also met in Moscow, in 1971.

- *Olympic Awards obtained*

*Olympic Diploma*

— By Mr. Nikolai Romanov\*, 37th recipient in 1962, chief of USSR physical education and sport at that time.

*Bonacossa Trophy*

— In 1955, attributed to the USSR Olympic Committee for its magnificent demonstration of physical education at the Moscow Sports Parade in 1954. It was the first time that this cup was donated.

- *Olympic Day*

The All-Union Day of Sportsmen has been celebrated annually since 1939, on the second Saturday of August. During the holiday and its preparation, considerable attention is paid to propagating Olympic ideas.

- *Protection of the Olympic emblems*

The Soviet economic system excludes any possibility of using the Olympic emblems for commercial purposes. The Olympic emblems can be used in the Soviet Union with the permission of the USSR NOC solely for spreading the Olympic movement and its ideas.

- *International Olympic Academy*

Delegations of the USSR NOC have taken part in the Academy's work since 1973.

- *Publications of the USSR NOC*

Olympic information takes up a large part of Soviet press space. More than 30 sports publications are produced at present in the Soviet Union. Their total circulation exceeds 8,000,000 copies, the most important being the "Sovietski Sport" newspaper. The monthly magazine "Sport in the USSR" is published in six editions: French, English, German, Hungarian, Russian and Spanish.

Articles on the results of the Sessions and Executive Board meetings, on the preparation for the Olympic Games and on the activities of the USSR NOC's Praesidium appear regularly in the publications mentioned above.

- *USSR Olympic Bibliography*

More than 700 books on sport are published annually in the USSR. The entire circulation of all the works exceeds 14,000,000 copies. Of course, many of them have an Olympic theme. Among the authors we would mention the Olympic champions Vladimir Kuts, Yevgeni Grishin, Leonid Jabotinski, Vsevolod Bobrov and others.

The most recent are:

1964: V. Novoskoltsev. Interlaced Rainbow. Sketches on Coubertin.

1967: N. Liubomirov. Soviet Sport and the Olympic Movement (96 p.).

1967: M. Chichiguin. Road to Olympus (480 p.).

1968: R. Alexeiev. International Olympic Movement.

1968: S. Pavlov. XIX Olympiad: Hopes, Results, Problems (64 p.).



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1970: V. Sawine. Modern Olympic Movement.

1971: B. Hawine. 500 Questions and Answers about Olympic Games (176 p.).

1971: M. Chichiguin. Heroes of White Olympiads (156 p.).

1973: Olympic Odyssey (an anthology) (184 p.).

1973: A. Romanov. International Sports Movement (255 p.).

1973: International Sports and Tourist Organisations (an anthology) (328 p.).

1973: S. Pavlov: Olympic Year: Results, Experience, Prospects (64 p.).

1973: V. Sawine. Results of the 1972 Winter Olympiad (48 p.).

1974: Olympic Constellation (an anthology) (270 P.).

1974: B. Hawine. All About the Olympic Games (575 p.).

A special Olympic Encyclopaedia was edited in 1970, with 352 pages, written to give the readers all the necessary information about the modern Olympic movement. Besides, a series of articles on the Olympic movement was included in the 3rd edition of the Big Soviet Encyclopaedia. Its total circulation is about 650 thousand copies.

As a part of its functions, the USSR Olympic Committee collaborates with other organisations which are concerned with the problems of physical culture and sport.

### Other sports governing bodies

- The USSR State Committee for physical culture and sport under the Council of Ministers of, the USSR;
- Committees for physical culture and sport of Union Republics and Moscow and Leningrad;
- The all-union council of trades-union voluntary sports societies;
- The sports committee of the USSR Ministry of Defence;
- Voluntary sports societies: "Bourestnik", "Vodnik", "Dinamo", "Zenit", "Lokomotiv", "Spartak", "Troudovye Rezervy", "Trud";
- The all-union scientific research institute of physical culture;
- "Fizkultura i Sport" publishing house;
- The newspaper "Sovietski Sport", etc.

Delegates of these organisations are members of the USSR NOC's Plenary Sessions.

### The formation of sports leaders

247,875 coaches or sports teachers can be accounted for in the USSR. Every year about 20,000 newly qualified specialists come to work in USSR sports organisations. 23 institutes of physical



*The Lenin Stadium in Moscow.*

education, 3 institutes of scientific research, 84 physical education faculties, 10 coaches' schools, 4 physical education teaching schools and 74 departments of physical education in teaching schools were established for their preparation. Sports competitions are served by 3,484,000 judges or referees.

### **Sport at school**

Teaching programmes in schools envisage 2 hours a week for lessons of physical culture and sport, and in the institutes and universities—4 hours a week. While learning theory of physical culture and sport students acquire knowledge on the history and development of the modern Olympic movement.

### **Sports which draw the biggest crowds**

Football and ice hockey.

### **Sports Installations in the USSR**

According to the most recent figures, we enumerate the following:

3,126 stadia for more than 1,500 spectators.

55,596 gymnasia.

1,179 swimming pools, including 596 indoor (61 of 50 m.).

8,691 ski centres.

124,986 sports grounds.

### **Sports experiencing the greatest developments**

Athletics, volleyball, skiing, football and basketball. 45,967,000 sportsmen practise a sport of one sort or another in 214,405 sports clubs in the country.

## THE USSR AND THE IFs

The Soviet delegates take an active part in the functions of the IFs and thus many of them are elected to the executive bodies. The following hold at present the office of Vice-President: A. Medvedev (weightlifting), I. Novikov (modern pentathlon), Y. Titov (gymnastics), Z. Firsov (swimming), V. Krivtsov (handball), N. Semashko (basketball), V. Granatkin (football), V. Sawine (volleyball), Y. Kabanov (rowing), A. Golianitski (fencing), A. Kouprianov (cycling), N. Nikiforov-Denisov (boxing), V. Andreyev (skiing), N. Kisselev (sports press).

**Stop press:** Mr. Nikiforov — Denisov was elected President of the AIBA on 25th September 1974.

## BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

### Constantin Andrianov

IOC member for the USSR since 1951, since when he has also presided over the USSR NOC. Born on 16th February 1910 in Moscow. Graduated from the University of Moscow (History Faculty). He headed various youth organisations, and was elected several times as Deputy of the Moscow City Soviet. He took an active part in the sports movement as leader of the Moscow City Committee for physical culture and sport and President of the USSR Football Federation. From 1941 to 1958 he worked as Deputy Chairman of the USSR Sports Committee. In 1951 he was one of the creators of the USSR NOC and was elected to the IOC after the recognition of the NOC which he presided. He has been a member of the Executive Board since 1962 and assumed the duties of Vice-President between 1966 and 1970. He has published a considerable number of articles on the problems of the Olympic movement. He has 8 awards of the USSR Government and 4 awards of foreign States.

### Alexei Romanov

IOC member for the USSR from 1952 to 1971 and since then honorary member.

Born on 16th October 1904 in Kabarda (Caucasus). From 1920 onwards, he constantly practised sport, physical education, riding, luge and all sorts of sports. For a long time he was classed among the best athletes of his country. Professor of physical education, he headed towards teaching and naturally towards the leadership of clubs of which he was a member. His career after that time became exceptional in several fields. Mr. Romanov was the holder of a professorship in physical education in several of the Soviet Union's Institutes, President of the State Committee of Soviet Russia, Deputy Minister for Russian Health, Vice-President of the Council for the Sports Union's duties, editor-in-chief of a magazine on the practical theory of physical culture.

### Vitaly Smirnov

IOC member for the USSR since 1971. Born on 14th February 1935 in Khabarovsk. Graduated with honours from the Central Institute of Physical Culture as a teacher of physical education and from the University of Social Sciences in Moscow. He headed various youth and sports organisations, and was repeatedly elected Deputy of the Moscow City Soviet. Since 1970 he has been Deputy Chairman of the USSR Sports Committee. Practised swimming, water polo, tennis, and was USSR water polo champion. He was elected member of the national swimming federation and President of the water polo federation. Since 1969 he has been Vice-President of the USSR NOC. Member of the IOC Commission on the Olympic programme. Has 3 awards of the USSR Government. Has published a number of articles on the problems of physical education, sport and the Olympic movement.