

#### **PROFILE**

Nikolay Mateev has been involved in fencing for more than 50 years, most of the time at an international level. He started fencing at the age of 11 years, and during his active fencing career Nikolay Mateev achieved a wide range of very high results. He won silver medals in team tournaments at the Senior World Championships in Lausanne in 1987 and at the Universiade in Kobe in 1985.

In 1991 Nikolay Mateev moved to Iceland and took up the challenge of building up his sport in Iceland. There were around 10 fencers in Iceland at that time. Now after 25 years there are 5 clubs and more than 400 fencers.

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# **NIKOLAY MATEEV**

CANDIDATE FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND PCM COMMISSION, A NOMINEE OF THE ICELANDIC FENCING FEDERATION

NIKOLAY MATEEV HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN FENCING FOR MORE THAN 50 YEARS: AS AN ELITE FENCER, TRAINER, REFEREE AND ADMINISTRATOR.

WITH HIS PARTICULAR BACKGROUND, NIKOLAY KNOWS FENCING FROM EVERY CONCEIVABLE ANGLE

# **EDUCATION**

Technical University, Sofia Bulgaria Diplom Engineer - M.Sc. 1980 - 1986

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# **Icelandic Fencing Federation**

2016 - President

1998 - 2016 Secretary General / CEO

2008 – Founder of the "Nordic Sabre Center" 1991 – 1998 National coach and administrator

# European Fencing Confederation, EFC

2020 - 2021 Creator and Project Manager of the EFC's Referee

Training Seminars "GET READY FOR THE NEW SEASON"

2016 – EFC's Vice-President

2016 - Member of the EFC's COMEX and President of the

Competition Commission / Referees Commission

2013 - 2016 Member of the Competition Commission

2009 – 2013 Member of the EFC's COMEX

2007 - 2009 Member of the Training/Fencing Masters Commission

#### International Fencing Federation, FIE

2016 - President of the Promotion, Communication and

Marketing Commission

2008 - Member of the Promotion, Communication and

Marketing Commission

2017 – 2021 Event Manager for the GP Doha, Anaheim, Turin,

Montreal and Orleans

2014 – 2019 Member of the DT for the Senior World Championships in

Kazan, Moscow, Leipzig, Wuxi and Budapest

# **Mannvit Consulting Engineers**

1992 – 2011 Senior Engineer, Geothermal Power Plants