



USOC Biography

U.S. OLYMPIC COMMITTEE



SCOTT BLACKMUN
Chief Executive Officer

Scott Blackmun was named Chief Executive Officer of the U.S. Olympic Committee on January 6, 2010.

Blackmun returns to the USOC where he spent three years, including serving as Acting Chief Executive Officer from November 2000-October 2001. During his tenure at the USOC, he was also the organization's General Counsel and Senior Managing Director of Sport, first joining the USOC in 1998. As General Counsel, he was the USOC staff liaison to the Bid Investigation Committee headed by Senator George Mitchell.

Previously, Blackmun was a partner at Holme Roberts & Owen LLP (HRO), an international law firm, where he had offices in both Denver and Colorado Springs. He joined HRO in September 2006. It marked his second stint with the firm, as he started his career with HRO in 1982 and became a partner in 1988.

In February 2002, Blackmun was named Chief Operating Officer of Anschutz Entertainment Group (AEG), one of the world's most respected presenters of sports and entertainment events. While at AEG, Blackmun was responsible for operations. At AEG, Blackmun was based in Los Angeles and served on the Board of Directors of the California Chamber of Commerce and the National Sports Marketing Association's Los Angeles chapter.

Blackmun currently serves on the Boards of the Colorado Springs Regional Economic Development Corporation, the Colorado Springs Sports Corporation, the Goodwill Industries of Colorado Springs, the Cheyenne Mountain Zoo, In the Arena and the Board of Olympic skier Jeremy Bloom's Wish of a Lifetime Foundation. He previously served on the Boards of the Colorado Springs Legal Aid Foundation and the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center. He has served as a guest lecturer at the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs and at the University of Colorado at Denver.

Blackmun graduated summa cum laude from Dartmouth College in 1979 with a degree in philosophy, and received his J.D. from Stanford Law School in 1982. He was a four-year member of the Dartmouth soccer team, and he currently serves on the National Soccer Hall of Fame Board of Directors. He and his wife, Ann, have three children.