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# HOCKEY HALL OF FAME ANNOUNCES 2024 INDUCTEES

TORONTO (June 25, 2024) – Mike Gartner, Chair of the Hockey Hall of Fame Selection Committee, announced today that seven individuals have been elected to Hockey Hall of Fame Honoured Membership, in both the Player and Builder Category. The vote took place today at the annual meeting of the Selection Committee in Toronto.

"The Hockey Hall of Fame is proud to welcome these hockey legends as Honoured Members," said Gartner. "Their contributions to the game of hockey are well documented and their election to the Hockey Hall of Fame is richly deserved."

In the Builder Category, two individuals were elected.

Hockey has been Colin Campbell's life for the past 52 years: as a player, coach, and for the last 25 years as Senior Executive Vice President at the NHL's Hockey Operations, Officiating, and Central Scouting departments. Raised in Tillsonburg, ON, Colin has been involved in all facets of the game, including winning a Stanley Cup in 1994 as associate coach of the New York Rangers.

"I've experienced a lot in my hockey career," said Campbell. "And this is one of the best."

After his playing career, David Poile began his journey as an NHL executive with the Atlanta Flames in 1972. He moved with the Flames to Calgary for two seasons before being named the General Manager of the Washington Capitals in 1982, a job he held for 15 seasons. In 1997, David moved to Nashville as GM, a position he held until 2023. A member of the USA Hockey Hall of Fame, he is also the winningest and longest-tenured GM in NHL history.

"I'm happy for my family and for the life I have been able to live through hockey," said Poile. "Thanks to the Selection Committee for this tremendous honour."

In the Player Category, five individuals were elected.

A native of Saint Paul, Minnesota, Natalie Darwitz played for Eagan H.S. before joining the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers in 2002. She led the Gophers to a national championship over Harvard in 2005, scoring the winning goal. Internationally, she played for the United States at the 2002, 2006 and 2010 Olympic Games. Natalie also represented her country in eight world championships, winning Best Forward in 2008.

"This is an unbelievable honour, and I am grateful to be inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame," said Darwitz. "I grew up playing the sport I love and to be included among the greats of the game is beyond my expectations. Thank you to everyone who made an impact on my career, from my family, coaches, teammates and friends."

Pavel Datsyuk was born in Sverdlovsk, Russia on July 20, 1978. After first playing in Russia, he joined the Detroit Red Wings in 2001 and played 14 NHL seasons, scoring 314 goals and 604 assists in 953 games. A four-time Lady Byng Trophy winner, he also won Stanley Cups with Detroit in 2002 and 2008. In international play, Pavel played for Russia at the Olympics in 2002, 2006, 2010, 2014 (where he was team captain) and 2018. He won Olympic gold in 2018 and bronze in 2002.

"I have been lucky in my hockey life to this point," said Datsyuk. "I would like to thank all of the people who have helped me along my way."

Jeremy Roenick was born in Boston, Massachusetts, and went from Thayer Academy to the Hull Olympiques of the QMJHL. In 1988, he made the jump to the NHL with the Chicago Blackhawks, where he played eight seasons before moving to the Phoenix Coyotes. In his 20 NHL seasons he played for five different teams. Internationally, he represented the United States on numerous occasions, earning a silver medal at the 2002 Olympics in Salt Lake City. Jeremy finished his career as the second-highest American born goal scorer in NHL history. By the time he retired in 2008-09, Jeremy was the thirdhighest American born goal scorer in NHL history (behind Mike Modano and Keith Tkachuk).

"I'm so happy, I can't thank everyone who was behind this honour enough," said Roenick. "I'm at a loss for words and I'm never at a loss for words. Getting over this last hockey hurdle means so much to me."

Born in Sicamous, British Columbia, Shea Weber starred for the Kelowna Rockets of the WHL, winning a Memorial Cup in 2004. After his junior career he turned pro with the Nashville Predators in 2006 and was team captain for six seasons. In international play, he won gold with Canada at the Olympics in 2010 and 2014. Overall, Shea is a member of one of hockey's most select clubs winning the Western Hockey League Championship twice, a Memorial Cup, World Juniors, World Championships and the Olympics.

"What an honour; congratulations to the entire class," said Weber. "It's shocking, and to know of the great names and legends who have been inducted before me, is inspiring."

Krissy Wendell was born in Brooklyn Park, Minnesota and led Park Center High School to a state high school championship in 2000. Our second Golden Gopher Inductee, she became the first Minnesota and WCHA member to win the Patty Kazmaier Award in 2005. Internationally, she played for Team USA from 1999 to 2007 – 147 total games, including 106 goals, six IIHF World Championships, including 2005 where she was MVP in the United States first ever gold medal win. Krissy represented the United States at the 2002 and 2006 Olympics Games, serving as Captain in 2006.

"I'm honoured beyond words," said Wendell. "It never occurred to me that I would be inducted into the Hockey Hall of Fame. I'd like to thank the Selection Committee for this great honour."

The 2024 Hockey Hall of Fame Induction Celebration is scheduled on Monday, November 11, in Toronto (preceded by the traditional slate of "Induction Weekend" events beginning on Friday, November 8, including the annual "Hockey Hall of Fame Game" hosted by the Toronto Maple Leafs and Sunday's "Hyundai Hockey Hall of Fame Legends Classic" featuring Honoured Members Jayna Hefford and Eric Lindros as captains). Stay tuned for further announcements in the upcoming weeks which will media other HHOF social be posted via HHOF.com and platforms. http://www.hhof.com.

#### About the Hockey Hall of Fame

The Hockey Hall of Fame ("HHOF") was established in 1943 to honour and memorialize individuals who have brought special distinction to the game of hockey and those who made outstanding contributions to the development and advancement of hockey anywhere in the world, and to collect, research, preserve, exhibit and promote objects, images and other historical materials connected with the game at all levels. As a not-forprofit corporation and registered charity, HHOF owns and operates a museum and place of entertainment offering state-of-the-art exhibits, theatrical presentations and educational programming from its premises at Brookfield Place, Toronto, Canada.

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# COLIN CAMPBELL

- Born January 28, 1953
- Born in London, Ontario, Canada, but raised in Tillsonburg, Ontario, Canada
- Played with the Tillsonburg Kiwanis Juveniles in 1969-70
- Played three seasons with the Peterborough TPT Petes of the OHA Junior 'A' league in 1970-71 to 1972-73
- Selected by the Pittsburgh Penguins of the National Hockey League (NHL) in Round 2, 27th overall, at the 1973 NHL Amateur Draft and selected by the Vancouver Blazers of the World Hockey Association (WHA) in Round 1, 5<sup>th</sup> overall, at the 1973 WHA Amateur Draft
- Played with the Vancouver Blazers of the WHA in 1973-74 and eleven seasons with various NHL teams including the Pittsburgh Penguins, Colorado Rockies, Edmonton Oilers, Vancouver Canucks and Detroit Red Wings from 1974-75 to 1984-85
- Helped the Vancouver Canucks win the Clarence S. Campbell Bowl as Western Conference Champions in 1981-82
- Played 15 games with the Hershey Bears of the American Hockey League (AHL) in 1974-75 and seven games with the Oklahoma City Blazers of the Central Hockey League (CHL) in 1976-77
- Assistant Coach with the Detroit Red Wings of the NHL in 1985-86 to 1989-90
- Assistant Coach with the New York Rangers of the NHL in 1990-91 and 1992-93
- Re-assigned and named Head Coach of the Binghamton Rangers of the AHL in January 1993
- Associate Coach with the New York Rangers of the NHL in 1993-94 helping the team win the Presidents' Trophy (first-place regular season NHL finish), Prince of Wales Trophy (Eastern Conference championship) and a Stanley Cup championship
- Promoted to Head Coach with the New York Rangers of the NHL on August 9, 1994, and held the position from 1994-95 to February 18, 1998
- Named NHL Senior Vice-President and Director of Hockey Operations including assessing suspensions and fines on behalf of the League
- Daily contact with the NHL Players' Association, the NHL Governors, General Managers, Head Coaches
- Retitled as Executive Vice-President of Hockey Operations
- Relinquished role as Chief NHL disciplinarian while maintaining position as Senior Vice-President and Director of Hockey Operations
- Helped institute changes in the NHL game to make it safer and faster, allow for the more skill while being entertaining and more inclusive for all
- This change has migrated to many levels and leagues worldwide
- Created a centralized video review place called the 'Situation Room' for the NHL's Hockey Operations to follow every NHL game
- The NHL led the way as other sports/leagues have now instituted something similar

- Appointed to the Hockey Hall of Fame Selection Committee on March 29, 2005, and maintained that role from June 2005 to June 2019
- Created and operated the Colin Campbell Hockey School
- Tillsonburg Community Arena was renamed the Colin Campbell Community Arena in July 1994

### DAVID POILE

- Born February 14, 1949, in Toronto, Ontario, Canada
- Son of long-time hockey player and executive Norman 'Bud' Poile
- From 1954-55 until 1961-62, David played minor hockey in Edmonton, Alberta
- Claim to fame in minor hockey was scoring a hat trick for Berkeley, California vs. Spokane, Washington in the Far West Juvenile Hockey Championship
- Joined Northeastern University Huskies as a freshman in 1966-67 and continued with the Huskies from 1967-68 to 1969-70
- Named Captain of the Huskies in 1968-69 and 1969-70, leading the team in scoring and named team MVP both seasons
- Set a University team record of 82 goals and 11 hattricks in three seasons
- Inducted into the Northeastern Varsity Club Hall of Fame in 1987
- During the 1970-71 season, Poile played three games for the American Hockey League (AHL)'s Rochester Americans and finished the season with the Braintree Hawks of the New England Senior Hockey League (NESHL), scoring 44 goals and adding 40 assists for 84 points.
- Began working for the NHL's expansion club Atlanta Flames as the Administrative Assistant in their head office in 1972 and was in that role through 1975-76
- In 1976-77, Poile was elevated to the role of Assistant General Manager of the Atlanta Flames
- That same season, he was briefly the interim coach of the Central Hockey League (CHL)'s Tulsa Oilers, an Atlanta farm team affiliate
- In 1980, the Flames relocated to Calgary, with Poile remaining with the franchise for two more seasons
- In 1982-83, Poile was named General Manager of the Washington Capitals
- Remained GM of the Capitals for 15 seasons, with the team making the playoffs 14 times while Poile was with the team
- In 1982-83 and 2005-06, Poile was named Sporting News' Executive of the Year
- In 1991, his work was instrumental in the formation of the Instant Reply rules
- In 1997, Poile was named General Manager of the Nashville Predators
- In 1998 and 1999, Poile was named General Manager of the USA National Team at the World Championships
- In 2001, Poile received the Lester Patrick Trophy for his contributions to hockey in the United States
- In 2005, he was named as one of four founders of the NHL's Competition Committee
- In 2007, he was promoted to Vice President Hockey Operations/General Manager of the Nashville Predators
- In 2007, he was named as one of the founders of Team USA Advisory Group
- Named Associate General Manager of the 2010 USA Olympic Team
- In 2014, Poile was named General Manager of the USA Olympic Team
- In 2017, he was named the NHL General Manager of the Year, receiving the newly named Jim Gregory Award

- In March 2018, Poile became the NHL's winningest General Manager of all time with 1,320 regular season wins
- First NHL General Manager to register 500 wins with two different franchises
- Elected to the Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame
- Elected to the Washington, D.C. Sports Hall of Fame
- Inducted into the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame in 2018
- David Poile retired from the game on June 30, 2023

# NATALIE DARWITZ

- Born October 13, 1983, in Saint Paul, Minnesota, USA
- Grew up in Eagan, Minnesota and started skating at age 5
- Played four years of high school hockey while attending Eagan High School (1996-00)
- While playing high school hockey, Darwitz scored 468 points (316 goals and 152 assists)
- She was the Minnesota Player of the Year in both 1997 and 1998
- The Eagan Wildcats retired her number 20 in December 2000
- During high school, she twice represented the United States at the World Championships
- Captured Silver medals while playing for the USA in 1999 and 2000
- Prior to attending college, Darwitz focused on her hockey career
- In 2001 and 2002, she represented the USA at the World Championships and then the Olympics
- Competed in three Olympic Games, leading the 2002 Olympics in goal scoring with 7 goals and adding the game-winning assist in the Bronze Medal Game in the 2006 Olympic Games.
- Was named to Olympic All-Star Team in 2002
- Played three years of college hockey at the University of Minnesota (2002-03 to 2004-05)
- Recorded 114 points on 42 goals and 72 assists in her final year at the University of Minnesota
- Also was an amazing +72 that season
- In 2003, Darwitz was a First Team NCAA Women All-American
- Finalist for the 2003 Top Female Collegiate Player
- In 2004, Darwitz was a member of the Women's NCAA Champion team while playing with the University of Minnesota
- Voted to the NCAA Second Team All-American in 2004
- University of Minnesota won its second consecutive NCAA Championship
- NCAA Top Female Collegiate Player (Patty Kazmaier Award) Finalist in 2003, 2004 and 2005
- Voted to the NCAA 1<sup>st</sup> Team All-American in 2005
- Won the Bob Allen Women's Player of the Year Award presented by USA Hockey in 2005
- In 2004 and 2005, she again represented her country, capturing Gold in 2005
- Darwitz represented her country at the Olympic Games again in 2006, winning Bronze
- From 2006 to 2008, Darwitz played for the Minnesota Whitecaps in the Western Women's Hockey League (WWHL)
- In 2007, she represented the USA again and was named to IIHF All-Star Team
- Won Silver at the 2007 World Championship and was named one of the top three players on Team USA

- In 2008, Darwitz was asked to be an assistant coach with the University of Minnesota
- Darwitz led Team USA to a Gold Medal at the World Championship in 2008 scoring 6 goals, 4 assists and 10 points
- Was voted Best Forward in the tournament and was named to the All-Star team during the World Championship
- In 2009, Darwitz again led USA to a Gold Medal at the World Championship, leading all players with seven assists and was named to the All-Star Team
- Captained Team USA and helped lead the team to a Silver Medal at the 2010 Winter Olympic Games
- After the 2010 Winter Olympics, Natalie Darwitz retired from playing and turned to coaching
- In August 2011, Darwitz was named Head Coach of the Lakeville South High School Girls Hockey Team
- In 2015, she was named Head Coach of the Hamline University Women's Hockey Team, a position she held for six seasons in which the team made two Frozen Four appearances
- 2018 MIAC and USCHO Coach of the Year with Hamline University NCAA Division Three
- Inducted into the Minnesota State High School League Hall of Fame in 2019
- Inducted into the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame in 2018
- Inducted into the Minnesota Sports Hall of Fame in 2021
- Inducted into the International Ice Hockey Federation Hall of Fame in 2024
- Named assistant coach of the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers in 2021
- In the fall of 2023, Natalie Darwitz was named General Manager of the PWHL Minnesota franchise
- Minnesota won the first ever PWHL Walter Cup championship on May 29, 2024
- Darwitz departed the PWHL's Minnesota team on June 8, 2024

### PAVEL DATSYUK

- Born July 20, 1978, in Sverdlovsk, Russia, USSR
- He was accepted into the Youth Sports School Yunost in Yekaterinburg in March 1985 and he attended and played with the school from 1985-86 to 1993-94
- Played with Yekaterinburg teams from 1994-95 through 1999-2000 including Dynamo-Energiya Yekaterinburg of the Russian Superleague (RSL) the latter three seasons
- Selected by the Detroit Red Wings at the 1998 NHL Entry Draft in the 7<sup>th</sup> round, 171<sup>st</sup> overall
- Played with AK Bars Kazan of the Russian Superleague (RSL) in 2000-01
- Played fourteen seasons with the Detroit Red Wings from 2001-02 to 2015-16
- Selected for the NHL YoungStars Game at the 2002 NHL All-Star Game Weekend
- Played in the NHL All-Star Game in 2004
- Played one season with Moscow Dynamo in the RSL in 2004-05 during the NHL lock-out
- Helped Moscow Dynamo win the Continental Cup and the Russian Superleague championship while being named the RSL's Most Valuable Player
- Helped the Detroit Red Wings win the Stanley Cup championship in 2001-02 and 2007-08
- Helped the Detroit Red Wings win the Clarence S. Campbell Bowl as the NHL's Western Conference champions in 2001-02, 2007-08 and 2008-09
- Helped the Detroit Red Wings win the Presidents' Trophy as the NHL's regular season champions in 2001-02, 2003-04, 2005-06 and 2007-08
- Awarded the Lady Byng Memorial Trophy four times as the NHL's top defensive forward from 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2008-09 and was runner-up in 2014-15
- Awarded the Frank J. Selke Trophy three times as the NHL's top defensive forward in 2007-08, 2008-09 and 2009-10
- NHL regular season totals are 953 games played, 314 goals and 604 assists for 918 points
- NHL playoff totals 157 games played, 42 goals and 71 assists for 113 points
- Announced his retirement from the NHL on June 18, 2016
- Returned to the KHL to play three seasons with SKA St. Petersburg from 2016-17 to 2018-19
- Helped SKA St. Petersburg win the Gagarin Cup championship in 2016-17
- Played two seasons with Avtomobilist Yekaterinburg from 2019-20 to 2020-21
- KHL regular season totals 260 games played, 60 goals, 144 assists, 204 points
- KHL playoff totals 43 games played, 11 goals, 18 assists, 29 points
- Announced his retirement from hockey July 2, 2022
- Represented Russia at the 2002 Olympics winning a Bronze medal and finishing the tournament with the best Plus/Minus (+8)

- Represented Russia at seven IIHF Men's World Championships winning five medals (2001, 2003, 2005 Bronze, 2010 Silver, 2012 Gold, 2016 Bronze, 2017, 2018 Bronze)
- IIHF Directorate Award Forward at 2010 IIHF Men's World Championship and a member of the Media All-Star Team
- A member of the IIHF Triple Gold Club by winning Olympic Gold (2018), World Championship (2012) and Stanley Cup (2002, 2008)
- Named to the 100 NHL Greatest Players of All Time list during the NHL's centennial season
- Nicknamed the 'Magic Man' who was famous for his 'Datsyukian Dekes'

## JEREMY "J.R." ROENICK

- Born January 17, 1970, in Boston, Massachusetts, USA.
- Started playing hockey at age four in and around the north-eastern United States
- In 1982, played in the Quebec PeeWee tournament for Middlesex County, Connecticut
- Returned to the Quebec PeeWee tournament for the Hartford Jr. Whalers and a year later returned and played with the Washington Jr. Capitals' PeeWee team
- Won back-to-back New England Prep School championships with the New Jersey Rockets in 1984 and 1985
- Scored 300 points in 75 games in his final season with the New Jersey Rockets
- In 1985-86, he joined the Thayer Academy High School team as a freshman
- In the following two seasons, he collected a cumulative total of 149 points and in 1987-88, he was named to the USA's Team East U17 team and the U20 National Team
- In 1988, he was drafted by the Hull Olympiques of the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League (QMJHL) as well as in the 1<sup>st</sup> round, 8<sup>th</sup> overall by the Chicago Blackhawks of the National Hockey League (NHL)
- He started the 1988-89 season with the Chicago Blackhawks but was sent back to Hull Olympiques and went on to collect 70 points in 28 regular season games as well as 19 points in nine playoff games during the season
- Was a 2<sup>nd</sup> team All-Star in the QMJHL in 1988-89
- Represented Team USA for the third time in two seasons at the U20 Tournament in 1989 and was named to the U20 All-Star Team
- In 1989, Roenick returned to Chicago for the playoffs from the Hull Olympiques and remained with the NHL throughout the rest of his career
- Spent 8 seasons as a member of the Chicago Blackhawks and collected 596 points
- In 1991, played for Team USA at the IIHF World Championship
- In the Fall 1991, played for Team USA at the 1991 Canada Cup Tournament and was named to the Canada Cup All-Star Team
- Due to the work stoppage, during the 1995 season, Roenick started the season in Germany with Kolner Haie
- Traded to the NHL's Phoenix Coyotes in the summer of 1996
- Spent five seasons with the Coyotes, collecting 286 points
- The only player in NHL history to lead his team in goals, assists, points and penalty minutes in back-to-back seasons, doing so in 1999-2000 and 2000-01
- Represented Team USA during the 1998 Winter Olympic Games
- In the summer of 2001, he signed as a free agent with the NHL's Philadelphia Flyers and collected 173 points in three seasons with the Philadelphia Flyers
- Represented Team USA at the 2002 Winter Olympic Games
- Following the lock-out season, Roenick spent the 2005-06 season with the NHL's Los Angeles Kings
- He spent the 2006-07 NHL season back in Phoenix with the Coyotes
- In 2007, he signed with the NHL's San Jose Sharks and played two seasons in San Jose

- In 2007, Roenick was an analyst for Canadian television network TSN during the playoffs
- In 2009, Jeremy Roenick announced his retirement from his playing career
- During his NHL career he scored 1,216 points with 513 goals and 703 assists in 1,363 regular season games
- Also added 53 goals and 69 assists for 122 points in 153 NHL playoff games.
- He played in nine NHL All-Star Games.
- From 2010 to 2020, he was involved with NBC Sports television broadcasts
- Has written two books about his life: 'Jeremy Roenick: Shoot First, Pass Later' and 'J.R.: My Life as the Most Outspoken, Fearless and Hard-Hitting Man in Hockey'
- Inducted into the United States Hockey Hall of Fame in 2010

#### SHEA WEBER

- Born August 14, 1985, and raised in Sicamous, British Columbia, Canada
- Played his minor hockey with Sicamous and District Minor Hockey Association
- Joined the Sicamous Eagles Junior 'B' in KIJHL from Bantam for five games 2000-01 and then played the full season in 2001-02
- Won KIJHL title and Western Keystone Cup Junior 'B' title in 2001-02
- Played five games in 2001-02 and then spent three full seasons with the Kelowna Rockets of the Western Hockey League (WHL) from 2002-03 to 2004-05
- Drafted by Nashville Predators, 2<sup>nd</sup> round, 49<sup>th</sup> overall, at the 2003 NHL Entry Draft
- Won two WHL Championships (2003, 2005) and was the Playoff Most Valuable Player in 2005
- Appeared in three Memorial Cup tournaments, winning as host in 2004
- Played in the Canada-Russia Challenge in 2004
- Was a WHL West 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All-Star in 2004
- Weber was a WHL West 1<sup>st</sup> Team All-Star and Canadian Hockey League (CHL) 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All-Star in 2005
- Started the 2005-06 season with the American Hockey League (AHL)'s Milwaukee Admirals
- Made his National Hockey League (NHL) debut with Nashville Predators on January 6, 2006
- Weber was the first defenceman to record a hat trick for the Nashville Predators
- Finished as runner-up for the AHL Calder Cup with Milwaukee in 2005-06
- Played 11 seasons with Nashville Predators from 2005-2016
- Served as Nashville Predators captain for six seasons, from 2010-11 to 2015-16
- Scored a career-high 23 goals during the 2008-09 and 2013-14 seasons
- Recorded a career-high 33 assists and 56 points during the 2013-14 season
- Scored 20+ goals during three different seasons with Nashville
- Played in the 2007 YoungStars Game as part of NHL All-Star Weekend
- Runner-up for the James Norris Memorial Trophy as the League's best defenceman in 2011 and 2012
- Named an NHL 1<sup>st</sup> Team All-Star twice and 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All-Star twice
- Recipient of the Mark Messier Leadership Award in 2015-16
- Traded to the Montreal Canadiens on June 29, 2016, for P.K. Subban
- Played five seasons with the Montreal Canadiens from 2016-17 to 2020-21
- Served as the Montreal Canadiens captain for three seasons, 2018-19 to 2020-21
- Led the Montreal Canadiens to the Stanley Cup Final in 2020-21, finishing as runner-up
- Forced to miss entire 2021-22 NHL season due to injury
- Contract was traded to Vegas Golden Knights in 2022 and to the Arizona Coyotes in 2023
- Unofficially retired from the NHL, but has remaining contract term with the NHL Utah franchise
- Played in seven NHL All-Star Games (2009, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020)

- Won the NHL's Hardest Shot competition four times (2015, 2016, 2017, 2020)
- Recorded career NHL regular season totals of 1,038 games played, 224 goals, 365 assists and 589 points
- Recorded career NHL playoff totals of 97 games played with 18 goals, 24 assists and 42 points
- Member of Team Canada at the 2005 IIHF World Junior Championship, winning the Gold Medal
- Member of Team Canada at two IIHF Winter Olympic Games, winning two Gold Medals
- Named Tournament All-Star at the 2010 IIHF Winter Olympic Games
- Member of Team Canada at two IIHF World Championships, winning one Gold Medal
- Named Tournament All-Star and Best Defenceman at the 2009 IIHF World Championship
- Member of Canada at the 2016 IIHF World Cup of Hockey, winning Gold Medal
- Inducted into the B.C. Sports Hall of Fame in 2011 (along with the 2010 Olympic players)
- Inducted into the B.C. Hockey Hall of Fame in 2024

# KRISSY WENDELL

- Born September 12, 1981
- Born and raised in Brooklyn Park, Minnesota, USA
- Played boys' minor hockey
- Played part of sophomore season with the Park Center High School Pirate Boys team in 1997-98, but season was cut short by injury
- Played two seasons with the Girls' team for Park Center High School Pirates in 1998-99 and 1999-2000
- Led Park Center High School to a Minnesota state championship in 1999-2000
- Remains the school's all-time leading scorer and is among the top 10 in Minnesota State Hockey School league history
- 165 points scored in 1999-2000 and 149 points scored in 1998-99; 314 in total
- 110 goals scored in 1999-2000 and 109 goal scored in 1998-99; 219 in total
- Recorded two 8-goal games, one 6-goal game and one 11-point game
- Recipient of the Ms. Hockey Award as the best Female Senior High School hockey player in the State of Minnesota for 1999-2000
- Named the Minneapolis All-Metro Girls Player of the Year in 1998-99 and 1999-2000
- Inducted into Minnesota State High School League Hall of Fame in 2017
- Named the top player for the first 25 years of Minnesota Girls High School hockey by a media outlet
- Played three seasons with the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers from 2002-03 to 2004-05
- Named to the (NCAA) Western Collegiate Hockey Association's Top 25 Team
- Recorded 104 points (43 goals, 61 assists) during the 2004-05 WCHA season
- Recorded 33 powerplay goals and 16 assists in three-year career totals
- Won two NCAA national championships -- 2003-04 and 2004-05
- Two-time winner as the WCHA Player of the Year in 2003-04 and 2004-05
- First Team Forward Women's Division 1 All-American in 2003-04 and 2004-05
- Second Team Forward Women's Division 1 All-American in 2002-03
- Patty Kazmaier Award Winner recipient as the top female player in U.S. college hockey in 2005
- Played with the Etobicoke Dolphins of the National Women's Hockey League (NWHL) in 2006-07
- Represented the United States in 147 games and recorded 106 goals and 247 points
- Played in six IIHF Women's World Championships winning Gold in 2005
- Named Most Valuable Player and All-Star Team for the 2005 tournament recording nine points (four goals, five assists) while also scoring a shootout goal in the Gold medal game
- Won Silver with the USA at the IIHF Women's World Championship in 1999, 2000, 2001, 2004 and 2007

- Won Silver with the USA at the 2002 Olympic Winter Games and Bronze at the 2006 Olympic Winter Games
- Served as captain of the 2006 USA Olympic team
- Awarded USA Hockey's Bob Allen Women's Player of the Year in 2001
- Awarded USA Hockey's Bob Johnson Award for international excellence in 2000 and 2005
- Hired on November 6, 2021, as an amateur scout by the Pittsburgh Penguins to primarily scout players in the Minnesota area
- Inducted into the United States Hockey Hall of Fame in 2019