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## Larry Matthews

I was recruited to standing volleyball in 1992 by Wayne Epp and started with Team Canada Standing Volleyball in 1994.

Events in which I was involved as a player included:

6th Place - 1995 European Championship Open – Olsztyn, Poland

4th Place - 1996 Pre-Paralympic – Canada

SILVER - 1997 Canada Cup

5th Place - 1998 World Championships – Olsztyn, Poland

BRONZE - 1999 Pan Am Open/ World Cup – Laval, Canada

BRONZE - 2000 European Invitational

SILVER – 2000 Paralympics – Sydney, Australia

GOLD - 2002 World Championships - Wisla, Poland

SILVER - 2003 World Cup – Rhodes, Greece

GOLD - 2004 World Championships – Mettmann, Germany

GOLD - 2005 World Cup – Regina, Canada

GOLD – 2006 World Championships – Roermond, The Netherlands

5th place – 2007 World Cup – Phnom Penh, Cambodia

Awards received:

Best Setter, 2005 World Cup, Regina Canada

In 2005, I travelled to Cambodia with five other Canadian team members to compete in the Asia-Oceania Developmental Cup – a tournament that Canada could not win, as they were an out of zone team. The purpose of my participation was to provide volleyball instruction to the players and coaches of the Cambodian National Volleyball League for Disabled, a league in which 75 per cent of the athletes on the 14 teams are landmine survivors.

