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Ron Davis has over 30 years' experience in Adapted Physical Activity and Disability Sports for Veterans.

Ron Davis is a Professor of Adapted Physical Education/Activity at Texas Woman's University in Denton. Davis is renowned in the field of adapted physical activity with an extensive background in disability sport, from grass roots to elite competition. In addition to his appointment at AAASP, he has served as President Elect, National Consortium for Individuals with Disabilities in PE (NCPERID) 2007-10; JOPERD review board 1998-present; and US Department of Education Grant Reviewer 1994-present.

Davis has written two textbooks on teaching disability and adapted sport in 2002 and 2011 entitled Inclusion Through Sports: A Guide to Enhancing Sport Experiences, and Teaching Disability Sport: A Guide for Physical Educators, respectively published by Human Kinetics, and has penned numerous articles for professional journals. Recently, Davis served as Feature Editor in JOPERD on the topic of the Office of Civil Rights, Dear Colleague Guide for interscholastic sports for students with disabilities. His honors include the Adapted Physical Activity Council Professional Award 2011, Alumni Excellence Award 2002 - University of Wisconsin - LaCrosse; APE Program of the Year Award, Presented by AAHPERD, 2001; and the Hollis Fait Scholarly Contribution Award, Presented by the NCPERID 1997. Davis was also the Director of Athlete Classification, 1996 Atlanta Paralympics.

Education/Learning, Research

Kinesiology, Adapted Physical Education, Physical Activity, Sport and Exercise Science, Bone Density Changes for Individuals With Spinal Cord Injury, Disability Sport

Texas Woman's University

Ph.D. Kinesiology with specialization in Adapted Physical Education

University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse

Masters Degree Adapted Physical Education

University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh

B.S. Physical Education

Director of Athlete Classification

1996 Atlanta Paralympics

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