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General Assembly of European National Rowing Federations – Application for Management Board

Dear Matt,
dear colleagues and friends in European Rowing,

it is an honour for me, to be nominated by the German Rowing Federation (DRV) as a member of the European Rowing Management Board (ERMB).

I'm a passionate rower almost since 1975 and I have been coaching Junior rowers for more than 25 years from 1982 to 2009 with many medalists at national and international championships.

Between 1997 and 2012 I have been President of the Münster regatta course for about 15 years with altogether 25 events up to National Championships on the beautiful lake Aasee.

In 2009 I have been founding partner of Ruder-Bundesliga, our national sprint league over 350m for men's and women's eight. The first event of this new series has been conducted in Münster under my leadership.

As a national Umpire since 1986 and with FISA umpiring license since 2014, I have been Jury Member or Jury President at innumerable events, including national, international as well as indoor.

I'm currently member of the Executive Board of DRV, Chair of Competitive Commission and member of the organizing committee of the European Juniors Championships 2017 in Krefeld, Germany.



Rolf Warnke, July, 11th 1964
Head of Railway Operations
married, two children
Münster, Germany

In the course of my career I have been able to gain experience in many different areas of competitive rowing. As an athlete, coach, umpire and event manager, I oversaw events from many different angles. Some of the new event formats over the past years I have even been co-founding and establishing in Germany.

Competitive rowing events have been a focus in my honorary work in the rowing movement since the beginning. I would highly appreciate your support, to have the opportunity to work with the European Rowing Management Board to further develop European Championships and to establish new event formats across Europe.

With kind regards,
Yours



Rolf Warnke