The Australian Women's Register

Entry type: Person **Entry ID:** AWE2493

Livingstone, Nicole

(1971 -)

Born 19710624, Melbourne Victoria Australia

Occupation Commonwealth or Empire Games Gold Medalist, Olympian, Swimmer

Summary

Livingstone retired from competitive swimming in 1996 after representing Australia in three Summer Olympics, moving to a career as a television sports reporter, media presenter and sports administrator, including being elected to the boards of Swimming Australia, the Australian Sports Drugs Agency and the Australian Olympic Committee. She was appointed chief executive officer of the Victorian Institute of Sport in September 2024. Following her mother's death from ovarian cancer in 2001, Livingstone started the organisation Ovarian Cancer Australia.

Livingstone was awarded the Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) in 1997 for service to swimming as a representative at state, national and international levels. She was inducted onto the Victorian Honour Roll of Women in 2006 and appointed an Officer of the Order of Australia (AO) in June 2025 for distinguished service to sports development and administration, to the promotion of women in sport, and to community health.

Events

1988 - 1988

Competed at Seoul

2006 - 2006

Inducted into the Victorian Honour Roll of Women

1994 - 1994

Swimming - 100m and 200m Backstroke; 4 x 200m Freestyle Relay; 4 x 100m Medley Relay

1990 - 1990

Swimming - 100m Backstroke, 4 x 100m Medley Relay

1992 - 1992

Swimming - 200m Backstroke

1996 - 1996

Swimming – 4 x 100m Medley relay

1996 - 1996

Swimming – 4 x 200m Freestyle relay

Published resources

Site Exhibition

She's Game: Women Making Australian Sporting History, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2007, http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/sg/sport-home.html

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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