



Board of Directors Application

Part 1 – Mandatory Information

The information identified and captured in Part 1 of the Overlander Ski Club Board of Directors Application, **MUST** be completed in its entirety. Failure to complete this section of the application will result in an immediate disqualification of your application.

This form must be completed and provided to: chelseaoverlanderski@gmail.com no later than 23:59 pm PST February 1 2025.

Name (Please print): Alan Richards

Desired board position:

Director at Large X

President

Vice President

Treasurer

Secretary

Per the Societies Act of BC Part 5 – Management Division1, Section 44. Please circle your response.

1. Are you 18 years of age or older? **Yes** / No
2. Have you in any court in Canada or elsewhere been found or elsewhere, to be incapable of managing the individual's own affairs, unless a court, in Canada or elsewhere, subsequently finds otherwise? Yes / **No**
3. Have you an undischarged bankruptcy? Yes / **No**
4. Have you been convicted in or out of British Columbia of an offence in connection with the promotion, formation or management of a corporation or unincorporated entity, or of an offence involving fraud?
Yes / **No**

By signing this application, you are confirming that the responses provided to questions 1-4 are truthful.

Applicants Signature: Alan Richards



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Part 2 – Tell Us about Yourself

Bio – (100 word or less)

I grew up in Kamloops skiing at Overlander and raced up to the National level until university. After a number of years in Vancouver skiing at Cypress, my family and I moved back to Kamloops in 2023. As a remote WFH DevOps engineer I am enjoying being able to bike and ski much more easily here. My three children are all now skiing and loving it and have just started to race this year as well. Having experienced the club's positive impact firsthand as both a youth racer and now as a parent, I'm eager to help shape its future while honoring its traditions.

Why do you want to be on the board? (75 words or less)

I'd like to give back to the club that shaped my skiing career, has done so much for me over the years, and is now nurturing my children's love for the sport. With my technical background and ski experience, I hope to contribute to the club's strategic growth while preserving its community-focused atmosphere. I'm particularly interested in strengthening the pathway from recreational skiing to competitive racing, and helping create memorable experiences for the next generation of skiers.

What Skills and Experience do you bring to the board? (75 words or less)

My career in software has equipped me with both technical expertise and leadership skills developed across engineering and management roles. I have history and experience with this club and the ski race programs in the province. I've also volunteered for ski races for 10+ years, primarily with Hollyburn at Whistler but other events around the province as well. I'd like to strengthen our developmental pipeline and increase the number of club members who travel to nearby regional or provincial races, move on to the race team, and ultimately become skiers for life.