

Katarina Bonnevier, fondly called " Coach Tina " by her students, is a recognized professional figure skater who has coached and choreographed for more than twenty- five years throughout Europe and North America.

A native of Norrkoping, Sweden, Bonnevier achieved gold figures and freestyle at a young age. At seventeen, she was chosen for a coveted professional position performing with Holiday on Ice/Ice Follies, with whom she completed five world tours.

This worldwide exposure and experience, catapulted Bonnevier's career as a notable coach and returned her to her native Sweden where she formed a synchronized skating team whom she led to the Swedish Championships. Subsequently, Bonnevier was recruited to England to coach a synchronized skating team whom she led to the British Championships. Here she also coached figures, freestyle and pairs.

On the heels of the British Championships, Bonnevier was hired by Disney on Ice to tour as a spotlighted performer in "Beauty and the Beast." Her success with Disney on Ice, brought more opportunities, and she continued performing in many prominent shows throughout the United States including Adventures on Ice, Magic on Ice, Snoopy's Magic on Ice, Branson City Lights and Branson City All Star Revue. In Branson, Missouri, Bonnevier also served as head coach and skating director for the Theater's Ice Rink.

Bonnevier's professional skating, coaching and choreographing experiences have led her around the world to perform and direct shows, recitals and showcase programs. From beginners to pre-professional skaters, Bonnevier is an experienced coach for both moves in the field and freestyle, as well as beginner pairs and synchronized skating. For her love of the sport, performance and for her students, Bonnevier is revered. Her students benefit from her global professional experience, and also her love and knowledge of dance and movement. Fourteen years of jazz, and eight years of ballet and ballroom dancing inform her artistic instruction and choreography.

Bonnevier enjoys teaching all ages and aspects of skating. She is currently accepting new students and is a longstanding member of PSA and USFSA.

SKATING AND DANCING HAS BEEN MY LIFE SINCE THE AGE OF THREE, she says with a smile.