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**What is your role with KYSA?**

I am currently the Director for Discipline.

**How long have you been involved with KYSA?**

I've been on the Board for 6 years now. I've been the Director of our mini programs, youth programs and VP. I have also coached my daughters for the past 7 years through KYSA.

**Why did you become part of KYSA?**

At the start I was asked to coach or told to coach, but it was worth it! Getting to bond with the players and be a part of their lives and development has been a huge joy for me. Through every year of coaching I have had strong parent groups that have helped me grow their children into soccer players. I am very active in the school district through sports and it is great to reconnect with the players I got the pleasure of coaching years ago. I joined the board to understand more about the soccer community and to help create a long-term culture in our City.

**What is your favorite soccer-related memory?**

There have been so many great memories for me thanks to the parents and players of KYSA but thinking back it is every time one of our players has success on or off the field and I get to hear about it; those are my favorite. Recently a young player I coached years ago was telling me about trying out for team BC and another was letting me know what she did in the off season to improve her left foot – to see the excitement in their eyes when they talk about these details is what it is about. Being part of getting the Volunteer Appreciation and Awards going with KYSA was great. Also seeing our teams participate in the B Cup last season on home turf and seeing the parents and fans get so involved was amazing.

**What is your favorite soccer team?**

Canada's National Women's team.

**What do you love about Kamloops?**

The pride Kamloops takes in being called "Tournament Capital of Canada." You see this in our current facilities, soccer fields and baseball fields just to name a few. I would like to see more facilities so Kamloops can keep the title and ensure we are able to host world-class events for all sporting groups and visitors coming to Kamloops.

**Where would you like to go on a dream vacation?**

France 2019 Women's FIFA World Cup.

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