Matt Perkins - USA

Gender: Male
Athlete Year of Birth: 1974
Athlete Place of Birth: Boise, Idaho
Athlete Weight: 170lbs
Athlete Height: 6'0"
Athlete Lives: Boise Array
Website: http://www.legtostandon.org
Current WTS Ranking: No Ranking

Athlete Biography

I first took up triathlon because I was fat and needed motivation to lose it. The people who have had the most influence on my sporting career are my parents. Per week, I spend three hours swim training, six hours biking, and four hours running. My personal best swim time (750m) is 14 minutes, bike (20km) is 39 minutes, and run (5km) is 25 minutes. My favorite ITU race was Vancouver 2008, because it was a good multi-lap course.My triathlon goal is to win my 5th straight triathlon world championship. Outside of triathlon, I want to continue to grow my company and travel. In 1998, I was part of the paralympic alpine ski team. The biggest obstacle that I have overcome is to find the motivation to suffer hard enough in training to win races. One thing the triathlon world doesn't know about me is that I hold multiple patents for products in the development of prosthetic devices.

Athlete Sponsors: Coyote Design, Rehab Systems, Smith Sport Optics

Athlete Language: English

Athlete Education: Life

Athlete Proudest Moment: Winning 2nd straight triathlon world championship

Athlete Coach: None

Major Games Results

This athlete does not have any Major Games Results

Recent World Triathlon Series Results

Date	Event Name	Position
20/10/2012	2012 Barfoot&Thompson World Triathlon Grand Final Auckland (Paratriathlon Male TRI-2)	3
	2010 Dextro Energy Triathlon - ITU Triathlon World Championship	

08/09/2010	2010 Dextro Energy Triathlon - ITU Triathlon World Championship Grand Final Budapest (Paratriathlon Male TRI-2)	1
24/07/2010	2010 Dextro Energy Triathlon - ITU World Championship Series London (Paratriathlon Male TRI-2)	2
09/09/2009	2009 Dextro Energy Triathlon - ITU World Championship Grand Final Gold Coast (Paratriathlon Male TRI-2)	1

World Championship Medals

Date	Event Name	Position
05/06/2008	2008 Vancouver BG Triathlon World Championships (AWAD Men PC2)	1
02/09/2006	2006 Lausanne ITU Triathlon World Championships (AWAD Men)	1

0 World Cup Wins

This athlete has not any World Cup Podiums