

Edward Burke (Los Gatos, CA)

Field Male Born: 3/4/40 Age Group Records: M40, 45, 65 Competed: 1981-2010

He is first Masters Olympian (1984), setting 8 world records in his career.

USATF Champion: HT (5); WT (2); SuperWt (2); Wt Pent (2); UltraWt Pent (1)

Event	AG	Age	Yr	Mark	Rec	%
HT	M40	42	82	73.72	WR	95.13
HT	M40	43	83	74.10	WR	97.41
WT – In	M40	43	84	22.52	WR	99.29
HT	M40	44	84	74.34	(W)A	99.60
HT	M45	45	85	60.48	AR	82.60
WT	M65	65	05	19.92	WR	97.17
HT	M65	65	05	55.52	WR	101.46
HT	M65	66	06	55.74	WR	104.54
WT	M65	66	06	20.18	(W)A	100.60

WMA World Championship Titles: **M65** 2nd HT, WT '09

WMA Regional Championship Titles: **M45** 1st HT 85

USA T&F Championship Titles: **M40** 1st HT, 2nd DT, 3rd SP '81; **M45** 1st HT '85; **M65** 1st HT '05, '08; 1st HT, 2nd WT '09

USA National Throws Championship Titles: **M65** 1st WT, SuperWt '06; **M70** 1st WT, SuperWt '10

USA National Throws Pentathlon Championship: **M65** 1st '07; **M70** 1st '10

USA National Ultra Weight Pentathlon Championship: **M70** 1st '10

World Masters Games **M65** 1st HT '05

Masters Field Age-Group Athlete of the Year: **M40** 1984; **M65** 2005, '06

Masters T&F Age-Group Athlete of the Year: **M60+** 2007

Other Accomplishments: In 1985 he enabled Ladislav Pataki (MHOF'08) and his family to escape from Czechoslovakia to US. Between 1984 and 2000 he served on USOC as chair of the Junior Olympics Committee, chair of the Athlete I.D. and Development Committee and was Assoc. Chef d'Mission for the 2000 Olympic Games. During that period he recruited over 100 high school boys and girls in Northern California to learn the Hammer Throw, two of whom became Olympians. This spring he has surpassed **M70** HT and WT world records.