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## Biography Informations

<b>Family Name:</b>	Curtain
<b>Given name(s):</b>	Matthew Francis
<b>Year of birth:</b>	1974
<b>Educational qualification:</b>	Sport Administration, Project Management
<b>Position(s) in the International Federation in the past:</b>	Chair, IWF Sport Commission Member, IWF Sport Programme Commission
<b>Position in the National Federation:</b>	CEO / General Secretary, British Weightlifting
<b>Years of memberships in weightlifting:</b>	35 years. Since 1987
<b>Sport Results:</b>	Oceania Champion, Australian Champion and National Record Holder
<b>Other roles in the sport:</b>	Weightlifting Manager, 2012 Olympic Games, 2014 & 2006 Commonwealth Games. Vice President Commonwealth Federation. Assistant General Secretary Oceania Federation. CEO, Australian Weightlifting Federation. Category 1 Technical Official
<b>Publications:</b>	Tokyo 2020 Olympic Qualification System Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Qualification System. Numerous journals, annual reports, blogs, articles
<b>Others:</b>	Sport Director, Commonwealth Games Federation Chairman, Netball World Cup 2023 Bid Evaluation Committee Sport Director, International Teqball Federation