

Ice Castle International Training Center was founded by former Ice Follies star Carol Probst and her husband Walter, in 2003 Olympic Figure Skater Anthony Liu bought the legendary ice rink, operate and expand the rink till now. Together they created the only true complete training center in the world. The Ice Castle facility is nestled in the forest at an altitude of 5,400 feet in Southern California's San Bernardino Mountains, less than two hours east of Los Angeles.

Almost from conception, Ice Castle International Training Center has attracted the world's finest skaters and coaches since the dedicated figure skating rink was opened in 1988. Olympic Champion Robin Cousins from England began a long line of notables in the skating world to teach and/or train here.

Coaches such as Frank Carroll, Irina Rodrina, Peter Oppegard, and other luminaries made Ice Castle home to skaters such as Lu Chen, Nicole Bobeck, Surya Bonaly, Boume and Kraatz, and Klimova and Ponomarenko. Ice Castle has become a host to many other Olympic World, and International skaters who come to draw on the remarkable talent concentrated at this facility. Michelle Kwan trained here for over ten years with her coach, Rafael Arutyunyan. Three-time World Pair Champions Shen and Zhao, as well as 2008 World Champions Jeffrey Buttle and Mao Asada have made Ice Castle their home.

Desert Ice Castle was the natural offspring of the Ice Castle International Training Center. To complement the mountain-base training facility, the owner founded a second ice rink near the desert resort town of Palm Springs, home of verdant golf courses and movie-star getaways. DIC has been working with the Los Angeles Kings in many hockey events over the years. Because of our reputation and rich history in skating, LA Kings choose to host their camps at the Desert Ice Castle for years.

At end of 2015, we launched our first over-sea branch located in Shen Zhen, China. We build the rink based on the highest standard, all of the materials was imported to China. We hope to bring the best of figure skating and hockey into China.

Well-known skaters who have trained here:

Gracie Gold--2012 World Junior Silver medalist, and two-time US national Champion. 2014 Winter Olympic Gold received a bronze medal in the team event and placed



fourth in the ladies' single

Carolina Kostner-- 2014 Olympic bronze meadalist, 2012 World Champion, five-time European Champion, 2011 Grand Prix Final Champion.

Evan Lysacek--2010 Olympic champion, 2009 World Champion, a two-time Four Continents Champion, 2009 Grand Prix Final Champion, and a two-time US national Champion.

Sasha Cohen--2006 Olympic silver medalist, a three-time World Championship medalist, the 2003 Grand Prix Final Champion, and the 2006 US National Champion.

Dennis Ten--2014 Olympic bronze medalist, the 2013 World silver medalist, the 2015 World bronze medalist, the 2015 Four Continents Champion.
























