



## USATF Level 2 School-Youth Specialization Instructors



**Christine Brooks, Ph.D** – Began collegiate coaching of middle distance runners in 1970's after successful tenure as a hurdler and high jumper. Biomechanics consultant to Women's Olympic Development Committee, and awarded by the Smithsonian Institute for innovative use of technology to teach science.



**Charles Clinton** – Coached elite athletes at all levels for many years. Coached at Long Beach Poly for 15 years before stint at UCLA. USATF coaching clinician for over 10 years including USATF Level II Sprints, Hurdles & Relays clinician in addition to the annual Emerging Elite Coaches Clinic.



**Ian Dubé** – Jumps coach at Georgia State for past 7 yrs. prior to serving as head coach at Morris Brown Univ. Ian was recently jumps coach for NACAC under 23 team, and is president of the USATF Georgia Association.



**Russ Ebbets, D.C.** – Over 40 year involvement in the sport, lecturing in at many USATF Level 1, 2, 3 seminars. Editor for USATF Official technical journal *Track Coach* for the past 10 years.



**Larry Judge, Ph.D, CSCS** - Assistant professor and coordinator of graduate coaching program at Ball state. As a collegiate and elite coach, Judge has coached over 100 NCAA-DI All-Americans, 8 Olympians, and 2 world record holders. Extensive researcher and writer concerning many aspects of sport and track & field.



**Steve Portenga, Ph.D** – Director of Sport Psychology for the Univ. of Denver Athletic Department. Steve has also travelled with many USATF international teams, and will serve at the 2012 London Olympics as the USATF Sport Psychologist.



**Matt Lydum, Ph.D candidate** – Assistant Professor at Defiance College, Ohio, after a successful tenure at coaching at San Francisco State. Lydum has served on several USATF international junior staffs, and wrote the Human Kinetics book entitled *Coaching Youth Track and Field*.



**Dave Shrock, Ed.D** – Professor of Health and Physical Education at Modesto JC where he coached over 60 JC All-Americans. Currently coaching at CSU Stanislaus, Dave is also Pacific Association Vice President and Coaching Chair.