

Jeffs Dickson Biography

My career.

I studied urban affairs in real estate at Fanshawe in London Ontario. I was credited through the University of British Columbia and the Appraisal Institute of Canada in 2006 while obtaining my real estate license. As a Canadian Residential Appraiser/CRA my work is excepted by all major banks, lawyers and for estate purposes. Since 2006 my focus has been on residential Real Estate Appraisals and continues to this day.

June 26, 1983 was a day that changed my life forever. A motorcycle accident left me with an amputated foot and a paralyzed left arm. Things were very challenging but I excepted this was what life handed me and I was just going to deal with it. Before my accident I was in an avid skier. I started at the age of three and as a young teenager I competed in the NancyGreen/ Inco Cup race program. After a few months of rehabilitation and my newly fitted ski prosthetic I hit the slopes once more. My first exposure to skiers with disabilities was of the Eastern Canadian Championships where I was approached by Paul Dibello to train in Colorado. I then represented Sudbury/Canada in the 1990 world championships and won four gold medals and one bronze. From there I went on to the 1992 Paralympics in Albertville, France and took home one gold and two bronze medals. From 1998 to 2010 I went on to win numerous metals in national and international events then retired from competitions in 2010. A career in skiing taught me that with hard work and determination you can achieve anything and that's how I approach life.

"In the end, the only people who fail are those who do not try". David Viscott.