



# Jonathan Edwards CBE.

**Current World Record Holder, Olympic Gold Medallist & Renowned Sports Broadcaster**

**Birth date:** 10/05/1966

**Born:** London, UK

**Lives:** Newcastle, UK

## Records / Achievements

- 1995 BBC Sports Personality of the Year
- 1995 Broke the World Record at the World Championships in Gothenburg with a jump of 18.29m
- 2000 Gold Medallist - Sydney Olympic Games in Triple Jump
- 2004 Commentator for BBC at Athens Olympic Games
- 2012 Joined Channel 4 to present the morning show at London 2012 Paralympic Games
- 2014 Commentator for BBC at Sochi Winter Olympic Games
- 2016 Signed an exclusive deal with Discovery Eurosport to be lead presenter fronting flagship sports programming including the Olympic Games
- Announced as lead presenter for Giro d'Italia and Tour de France



Unbelievably still the world record holder in triple jump, since setting it in 1995. BBC Sports Personality of the Year in 1995, Jonathan went on to win every title possible in his field, culminating with an Olympic Gold medal at Sydney in 2000, cementing his legacy as one of Great Britain's greatest ever athletes.

Now recognised as one of the most accomplished lead broadcasters, presenters and corporate hosts. Jonathan has taken the stage countless times at important media events, being commissioned for the last four years by the International Olympic Committee to front their live major launches and announcements. Jonathan signed a significant deal with Discovery Eurosport in 2016 to be lead presenter fronting flagship sports programming including both the Summer and Winter Olympics. Jonathan is an accomplished, eloquent speaker and particularly relishes facilitator and hosting roles.

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