

Meet Maryland Swimming's Disability Chair

Andrew Barranco

Andrew is the Head Coach and founder of Merritt Athletic Swimming as well as the Regional Aquatics Director for Merritt Athletic Clubs.

Coaching highlights include:

- Head Coach of the USA Paralympic Swim Team at the 2010 Greek Open Championships
- Named Team Leader of the 2011 Para Pan-Pac Swim Team
- Selected Head Coach of the 2011 Parapan American Games, Paralympic Swim Team
- Awarded 2010 Paralympic Coach of the year by the <u>United States Olympic Committee</u>
- He has coached internationally for the United States Olympic Committee in England, Belgium, Germany, Canada, Brazil, Japan, China, Greece, and the Netherlands
- He has been the coach of Jessica Long (2004,2008 Paralympian), winner of the 77th Annual Sullivan Award-Top Amateur Athlete in the Country,2006 Paralympian of the Year and ESPY Award winner.