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You could say I was born with a dog at my side because I have never been without one my entire life. At the age of 16, my mom and I decided we wanted to have a kennel so off she went looking at Golden Retrievers and came home with a Siberian Husky. That was the birth of Snowmist Siberians and the rest is history.

Over the years I have been involved in many different aspects of dogs including competitive sled dog racing, a short stint as a professional handler and several years as a director for the Canadian Kennel Club.

I have had the pleasure of handling quite a few different breeds including Siberians, Samoyeds, Alaskan Malamutes, Standard Poodles, Great Pyrenees, Newfoundlands, Borzoi, and Salukis.

Siberians have been my main focus throughout my canine career. Snowmist Siberians can be found around the world and they have experienced considerable success. Perhaps the greatest moment for my Siberians was when Fizzy won the group at the 2012 WDS in Austria.

Judging was a natural progression for me as a breeder. The opportunity to meet new people, visit interesting places and to judge beautiful dogs around the world has exceeded all my dreams. I have had the honour of judging in my own country (Canada), Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, China, Columbia, Czech Republic, England, Estonia, France, Finland, Germany, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Lithuania, Macedonia, Malaysia, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Spain, South Africa, South Korea, Sweden, Switzerland, the Philippines, Thailand and the United States of America. My most treasured judging assignment has to be judging my breed at the 2018 World Dog Show in Amsterdam.

I am a graduate of the canine course "Dogs, A Hobby or Profession" created by the late Casey Gardiner. Included in this educational program was a course on structure that taught structure based on a measuring process. I have used this process to improve my own knowledge, to help others understand what they see and to evaluate litters of puppies and grown dogs. I have conducted all breed measuring clinics as well as seminars on this topic.