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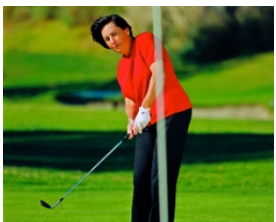
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## Biography snapshot

- Born: February 22, 1956 in Kansas City, Missouri
- Residence: Santa Monica, California
- Started playing golf: age 7
- Turned professional in 1975
- 32 professional victories worldwide, including 5 majors titles
  - 1979 Peter Jackson Classic
  - 1980 U.S. Women's Open
  - 1983, 1988 and 1991 Nabisco Dinah Shore championships
- World Golf and LPGA Halls of Fame – Inducted March 1999
- Goodwill Ambassador, City of Hope



*A hall of fame champion golfer, entertaining speaker and a highly networked businesswoman.* Amy Alcott competed worldwide at the highest level and currently travels the globe to promote the game, lead corporate outings for global brands, and serve as keynote speaker and storyteller to countless audiences. Amy also harnessed her entrepreneurial spirit and passion for business to launch her own company, Amy Alcott GOLF. Throughout her career, Amy has gained invaluable business acumen by working with entry-level associates to C-suite executives, serving on numerous boards of directors, supporting philanthropic initiatives such as City of Hope, working with the media locally and globally, and also authoring several books. Her on-course skills and strategy combined with her vibrant, inquisitive personality and her spirit to learn and lead, provides Amy with a unique perspective, knowledge and insight to share with business leaders across a spectrum of industries.

## *Performance on the global stage – player, leader, speaker*

Amy is a member of the LPGA Tour and World Golf Halls of Fame. During Amy's 27-year Tour career she was most recognized as the LPGA's most creative shot-maker and her go-for-the-pin style of play was the bedrock for her 32 worldwide professional tournaments, including five major championships: 1979 Peter Jackson Classic; 1980 U.S. Women's Open; and the 1983, 1988 and 1991 Nabisco Dinah Shore championships. Amy also is credited with starting one of golf's greatest traditions: jumping into the 18th-greenside lake at Mission Hills Country Club, host site of the Nabisco Dinah Shore (now the ANA Inspiration).

Amy has traveled worldwide to compete in tournaments, perform in corporate golf events and clinics. Her success and colorful personality set the course early on for her role as spokesperson for a distinctive list of bluechip companies and charity organizations such as Elizabeth Arden, Sunkist, Ralph Lauren, Quaker Oats, Countrywide, Arthur Andersen & Co., and Mohawk Industries. Armed with astute observations and innum stories about golf's personalities, the transition to TV commentator, speaker and writer was a natural. A partial list of companies that have retained her for speaking engagements are Wells Fargo Private Wealth, Brown-Forman, and Northern Trust. Her most recent book is *"The Leaderboard: Conversations on Golf and Life"*, with a foreword by Jim Nantz. Amy continues her partnership with the City of Hope as its goodwill ambassador and performs numerous charity outings and appearances for the world leader in research and the treatment of cancer.

## *Golf course design portfolio*

Amy leads her own Santa Monica, California-based event consulting and course design company, Amy Alcott GOLF. LLC. She partnered with renowned architect Gil Hanse on the legacy plans and design of the golf course for the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. She also consulted with Hanse on the new master plan for the Ridgewood Country Club in Moultonborough, NJ. Two other co-design projects also carry her name – Indian Canyons CG in Palm Springs, CA and Brick Landing Plantation in Ocean Isle, NC. *In 2023 She will lead the redesign of the Desert Island Golf Club in Rancho Mirage, CA*

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## Career Highlights

### BOARD & PHILANTHROPIC WORK

- Endowed \$50,000 to UCLA Women's Golf Program, 1998
- Endowed \$50,000 to UCLA Children's Hospital to enhance Neonatal Intensive Care, 1998
- Served as host of the Office Depot Championship Hosted by Amy Alcott, 2001-2004.
- Member of the Los Angeles Advisory Committee for the Jackie Robinson Foundation, 2007
- LPGA Rookie of the Year, 1975
- GOLF Magazine Player of the Year and Vare Trophy (for lowest scoring average), 1980
- Seagrams Seven Crowns of Sports Award, 1980
- YWCA Silver National Achievement, 1984
- National MS Achievement Award, 1984
- LPGA Good Samaritan Award, 1984
- LPGA Founders Cup, 1985
- Female Golfer of the Year, California Golf Writers Association, 1987
- Credited with starting one of golf's greatest traditions: jumping into the 18th-greenside lake at Mission Hills Country Club, host site of the Nabisco Dinah Shore (*now the ANA Inspiration*), an LPGA major (1991).
- Sports and Law Award along with Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, 1997
- Nick Buoniconti / Great Sports Legends – Golf, 1998
- Established the initial introduction that resulted in the Evian Masters being added to the LPGA Tour (2000).
- Honoree of the Bank of Hope LPGA Founders Cup, 2018

### GOLF COMPANY & GOLF COURSE DESIGN

- Founder of Amy Alcott Golf, LLC - a consultancy business that focuses on course design and special event conceptualization,
- Member of Hanse Golf Course Design Team that designed the Rio de Janeiro course used in the 2016 Olympic Games.

- In 2008, was appointed to the Southern California PGA (SCPGA) Foundation Advisory Board
- Co-created the Fresh & Easy Dinah Shore Charity Pro-Am in 2011, which has evolved into the ANA LPGA Junior Inspiration.
- Named City of Hope's first-ever golf ambassador, 2013

### AWARDS & CREDITS (partial list)

- Consulted with Gil Hanse on the new master plan for the Ridgewood Country Club in Moultonborough, New Jersey.
- Co-designed Indian Canyons Golf Club in Palm Springs, Calif., with architect Casey O'Callaghan.
- Co-designed Brick landing Golf Club in North Carolina with architect Dan Maples.
- Design Consultant, Back Nine Greens

### TELEVISION/MOTION PICTURE APPEARANCES/MEDIA

- *"Playing Lessons with the Pros,"* – The Golf Channel, 2008
- *Tin Cup*, starring Kevin Costner & Rene Russo – cameo role, Paramount Studios, 1997
- *Tracey Takes on "The Supernatural,"* The Tracey Ullman Show – cameo role, HBO TV 1998
- *ARLI\$\$, The Art of the Sports SuperAgent, "Creatures of Habit,"* – cameo role, HBO TV, 2000
- Author, *"The LEADERBOARD: Conversations on Golf and Life"* by Amy Alcott, 2009 featuring interviews with long-time friends Bill Clinton, Jack Nicholson, Kenny G and Annika Sorenstam among others
- Authored *A Woman's Guide to Golf* and is featured in the instruction video *Winning at Golf with Amy Alcott*