

## **B**IOGRAPHY



## **DWIGHT HOWARD**

Contestant on ABC's "Dancing with the Stars"

Dwight David Howard II is one of the NBA's most charismatic veteran players. Playing basketball 19 years professionally as one of the greatest players to play in the NBA, he has made a global impact across the lives of people around the world. He is an NBA Champion, eight-time NBA AII-Star, eight-time All-NBA Team member, five-time All-Defensive Team member and a three-time Defensive Player of the Year. He holds the record for having the most dunks in NBA history along with being the only player in NBA history to earn the honor of Defensive Player of the

Year for three consecutive seasons.

With a life and career beyond stadiums and arenas, Howard is also an entrepreneur, filmmaker, community leader, media figure and philanthropist. Expanding his focus over the past few years, he is currently the co-owner of a professional basketball league in Asia with plans to go global. He is an avid traveler, dedicated father and global ambassador of basketball internationally bringing smiles to everyone he encounters around the world.

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

HOMETOWN: Atlanta, Georgia BIRTHDATE: December 8