Tina Bischoff swam the English Channel in 1976 in 9 hours and 3 minutes, setting a new overall (male and female) speed record. She competed in several major international races. In 1977, 1980, 1981 and 1983 she swam the Capri to Naples Marathon where she was the 2nd and 3rd woman twice. In 1976 and 1980 Tina was the fastest woman both times in the International Long Distance Swim in the Nile River. In 1976 she was the first woman to finish in the 50 mile South American International Women's Amateur Championship in 9 hours and 1 minute. In Tina's first major international race in 1976 she was the fastest woman in the 17 miles between Jabila to Latakia in Syria.

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