



Alina Kabaeva

Alina Maratovna Kabaeva is a Russian honored master of sports, a retired gymnast, a model and film star, and a politician. Kabaeva is one of the most decorated gymnasts in gymnastic history, with 2 olympic medals, 14 world championship medals, and 25 European Championship medals. She was born on the 12 May 1983



Kabaeva was born in Tashkent on 12 May 1983. Kabaeva's father, Marat Kabayev, was a professional football player, and the family constantly moved. Kabaeva started gymnastics at age 3. In her young teens, Kabaeva moved to Moscow, where her mother took her to the Russian Head Coach Irina Viner. Kabaeva stayed with Viner and made her international debut in 1996. In 1998, the 15-year-old Kabaeva won the European Championship. In 1999, Kabaeva won the World Title in Osaka, Japan. Kabaeva completed her career after the 2007 Season.



as one who has performed new skills and elements. Since 2005 Kabaeva has been a member of the Public Chamber of Russia. In 2001, Kabaeva appeared in the Japanese movie, Red Shadow, performing her gymnastic routine.

Since February 2008, Kabaeva has been Chairman of the National Media Group Council. In September 2014, Kabaeva resigned from the Duma and accepted the position of Chair of the Board of Directors of

