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Kate Simonds

Kate has been involved in field trials for 41 years during which time she, along with her husband Pete, handled and placed 13 Labradors to their FC and AFCs.

Kate has served as an officer and on the Board of Directors of several Field Trial Clubs as well as having been field Trial Chairman innumerable times over the years. She has participated at both the Open and the Amateur Nationals, having run the amateur several times and has been a finalist twice. She has been judging trials since the '70s and judged for the National Retriever Club in 1987.

From 1981 to 1984 she served as a Vice President of the NARC, and 1985, as President, she took the National Amateur to Vermont for the first time. From 1988 to 1996 she served as NARC's Secretary/Treasurer.

Currently she is participating in field trials, serving on the Labrador Retriever Club Board, as an AKC delegate, and as Chairman of the AKC Rules Advisory Subcommittee.