

## Irish Hockey HIALL OF FAME

## JIMMY KIRKWOOD

INTERNATIONAL CAREER: 1981 - 1995

INTERNATIONAL CAPS: 130

POSITION: FORWARD

Jimmy Kirkwood (Friends' School Old Boys / Queens / Belfast YMCA / Lisnagarvey) is one of the most exciting forwards to have played for Ireland winning 130 caps and scoring 36 goals. He also had a very successful international career with Great Britain, for whom he won 40 caps and a Gold Medal at the Seoul Olympics in 1988. His International career was most distinguished having represented Ireland in European Cups in 1987 (Moscow); 1991 (Paris); and 1995 (Dublin) as well as Intercontinental Cups in 1981 (Malaysia); 1985 (Barcelona); 1989 (USA) and 1993 (Poland) as well as the World Cup in Pakistan in 1990. The highlights of his illustrious career were the Seoul Olympics, the World Cup in Pakistan and the European Cup in Dublin where he helped Ireland to reach an unprecedented fifth place.

HALL OF FAME INDUCTION: 2014

