**Judge 4**

**Billy Lane - Judges’ Coordinator at International Mister Leather**

Billy Lane cut his leather/BDSM teeth in San Francisco 30 years ago, working behind the scenes at Mr. SF Leather, Drummer, Ms SF Leather, and IMsL, and other community events, all the while attending as many BDSM parties as he could find!

After moving to the Pacific Northwest, he won Seattle Mr. Leather 1998 and competed at IML XX at the first out FTM (female-to-male) contestant, placing in the top ten.

For the past 20 years he has been working for inclusion of gay FTM leathermen in gay male BDSM spaces, clubs, and contests.

Billy is currently IML Judges’ Coordinator, a very active Chairman Emeritus of Delta Brotherhood International, a member of the 15 Association, and a Gold Level Supporter of the Leather Archives and Museum.

He is happy to be joining this distinguished panel of judges at Leather and Fetish Pride Belgium and is looking forward to the entire weekend event!

Billy lives in Yardley, Pennsylvania with his husband, John. When he’s not playing, he enjoys traveling, trail running, snowboarding, hiking, and bicycling.