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Talent

The National Academy will provide the foundation for fencers with talent and desire to develop and prepare for senior international success

Workforce

The National Academy will develop and prepare a skilled and active workforce to support a world leading fencing family

Clubs

The National Academy will support clubs in their ambition to provide the best experience for fencers

National Academy, Coach Development Weapon Tutors

ROLE SPECIFICATION

SUMMARY:

Title:	National Academy Coach Development weapon tutor August 2011
Salary range:	Short-term consultancy + agreed expenses
Hours of work:	Project as required, at least 9 days, 26 June, 31 July, 6-13 August & some preparation days
Department:	National Academy
Location:	British Fencing
Responsible to:	Lead Coach Tutor
Contractual status:	Consultant
Closing date for application:	28 th May 2011
Selection date:	By 10 th June 2011
Start Date:	On appointment

Background:

British Fencing has now launched the National Academy with the residential training camp in Nottingham during August 2010 & 2 regions from November & December 2010. The timetable of these sessions is available on the British Fencing web site at http://www.britishfencing.com/academy/national_academy_calendar/. We are now looking for weapon tutors (epee, foil & sabre specialists) to deliver the coach development programme at National residential training camp, 6-13 August 2011

The Academy is the delivery mechanism for future programmes of training for young fencers. It will operate at a national level & also at a regional level using principles of Long Term Athlete Development. The academy will focus on the important training to train & training to compete stages of development and will have a holistic approach for the development of fencers as athletes.

It will also be used as a mechanism for training coaches, referees, armourers, team managers & other officials who support the development of the successful British Fencing family.

British Fencing is seeking applications from registered Level 3 and 4 Coach Tutors (or Home Country equivalents) to form the teaching team for the coach development programme of the National Academy.

Successful applicants will work with the National Academy Coach Development Lead Tutor to help recruit suitable and talented candidates for the coach development programme and then work with him to deliver the syllabus and training according to the published programmes, taking responsibility for assisting the candidates to achieve their learning outcomes, making fair assessments and reasoned judgements on candidates' general and technical coaching skills.

Responsibilities:

- Work with British Fencing and the Lead Coach Tutor as a specialist weapon coach for the coach development course on the academy training camp in August
- Work with all other staff members involved with the academy training sessions in planning, delivery & review of the training activities
- Be a positive ambassador for British Fencing

Competencies:

- Behaves at all times in a professional manner and displays the Nolan Principles: selflessness, integrity, objectivity, accountability, openness, honesty and leadership.
<http://publicappointmentscommissioner.independent.gov.uk/codeofpractice/e0908a66106.html>
- Drive and commitment and the ability to demonstrate this to others
- Willingness to devote the necessary time and effort
- Demonstrates a sound understanding of the technical requirements of the coach education syllabus and methods of training that can lead to high-quality performance and elite coaching
- Has a sound knowledge of the LTAD model as it relates to individual growth & development in sport
- Possesses extensive coach education experience.

Requirements:

Applicants must be a minimum of a Level 3 coach tutor on the Coach Tutor register (<http://www.britishfencing.com/academy/academyskilldevelopment/coach/>) and be or have at least one of:-

- both a Level 4 coach and Level 4 tutor in all weapons
- a Lead Tutor
- a formal qualification in teaching (preferably Phys Ed), leadership or instructing

In addition, applicants must:-

- have current experience of successfully delivering the Coach Education Scheme
- be prepared to work flexibly, across all weapons and deliver all aspects of the syllabus
- be prepared to work on the National Academy training periods (26 June, 31 July, and the residential phase 6-13 Aug)

For further information please contact: Jes Smith on 07905 953358 or jes@globalnet.co.uk

For applications please complete the forms below & send to Charlie Miller at British Fencing, charlie.miller@britishfencing.com by the 28th May 2011. Please include a current CV.

British Fencing is committed to providing equal opportunities for all and is committed to following best practice in the welfare of young people and vulnerable adults. For further information please consult: www.britishfencing.com

If you would like this form in an alternative format please contact HQ to discuss your requirements.

Application form

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Please complete this form clearly and in BLACK INK if written

PERSONAL DETAILS

Surname:

Title:

Forename(s):

Address:

Post code:

E-mail(s):

Telephone number(s):

Mobile telephone number:

Professional and other relevant qualifications

Please detail any qualifications including membership of professional societies or associations. Please add any further comments

Information in support of your application

Please give details of any additional information in support of your application and reasons for applying (continue on a separate sheet if necessary). Please include the following information:-

- Whether you can work as a tutor at all weapons
- As a coach tutor which weapon do you specialise
- As a coach, what is your specialisation
- In which weapon(s) do you compete

What have been your best successes in your coaching & coach education?

What CPD have you done in the past 2 years?

Additional Information

References

Please give two referees to whom application for references may be made. At least one should be a previous employer. References from friends and relatives will not be accepted. References may be taken up only in respect of candidates invited for interview.

Name:

Name:

Position:

Position:

Address:

Address:

Post code:

Post code:

Telephone number:

Telephone number:

Fax number

Fax number

E-mail

E-mail

DATA PROTECTION STATEMENT

The information that you provide on this form and that obtained from other relevant sources will be used to process your application. The personal information that you give us will also be used in a confidential manner to help us monitor our recruitment process. If you succeed in your application and take up the voluntary opportunity with us, the information will be used in the administration of your role with us. We may check the information collected, with third parties or with other information held by us. We may also use or pass on to certain third parties information as permitted by law.

By signing the application form we will be assuming that you agree to the processing of sensitive personal data (as described above), in accordance with our registration with the Data Protection Commissioner

Declaration

I confirm that all information given in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge, that all the questions related to me have been accurately and fully answered and that I am in possession of the qualifications I claim to hold. I give my consent to British Fencing to record, process and validate my personal information and sensitive personal data in line with the Data Protection Act 1998 and all other legislative provisions.

SIGNED:

DATE:

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You can also post the form to: British Fencing, 1 Baron's Gate, 33-35 Rothschild Road, London, W4 5HT to arrive by the 27th May 11