

PFA Coaching Department - Job Applications

To speed your application, please do just 2 things:

1: Send us your CV

2: Complete this sheet in full, which will help us process your application more efficiently.

Both documents should be sent to Julian Hayes via e-mail at ighayes@thepfa.co.uk

Name:

I am a member of the PFA? Yes/No

I can confirm that I have the following qualifications/awards:

I am a current holder of the UEFA A Licence: Yes/No

I am an FA Licensed Tutor for the Level 2 Coaching Award: Yes/No

I hold an up-to-date Disclosure & Barring Service (DBS) check in football certificate: Yes/No

I hold a Full UK driving licence: Yes/No

PFA Regional Coach Educator

Personal Specifications for a member of the PFA Coaching Department

Qualifications and Training:

- Current UEFA A Licence holder (minimum)
- Hold an up to date Disclosure & Barring Service (DBS) check in football
- Preferably hold a current FA Licenced Tutor Status to Level 2 (minimum)

Knowledge and Experience:

- Of working within the professional game
- Of the Elite Player Performance Plan (EPPP)
- Of working with elite players, particularly within an academy setting, both practically and within the classroom
- Of current coach education methods, in particular the multi-disciplinary approach

Skills:

- High level communication skills, ranging from 1:1 situations through to presenting to large groups
- Demonstrate a patient and considered approach to all candidates attending our courses
- Capable of using IT equipment and software
- Creating and presenting information to groups
- Capable of working alone, with discipline, and managing your time effectively
- Actively contributing to a dynamic and experienced PFA team ethic when required
- Being able to hold and defend an opinion in a controlled and intelligent manner
- Capable of producing written reports on your work to senior PFA staff members upon request
- Over time develop a thorough working understanding of the PFA principles, and the role played by other departments
- A full, clean driving licence

Minimum requirements:

The successful candidate must be able to:

- Deliver the FA Level 2 award or equivalent to your allocated group of professional clubs (both scholar groups and current players within that club), or be prepared to accept training and work towards this Level 2 tutor status
- Deliver the FA Level 2 regionally to former PFA members (ex-professional players)
- Mentor/support all candidates you have on courses
- Maintain all relevant CPD for both your coaching awards and FA Licenced tutor status
- Participate in the PFA Coaching Department's Internal Verification and sampling process, on an ongoing basis, to help maintain standards and consistency
- Attend PFA Coaching Department staff development meetings as requested
- Maintain accurate and detailed electronic records of all courses you run
- Maintain a working knowledge of current issues/trends within professional football, through active study
- Work evenings and weekends to support course candidates

Preferably the successful candidate should also be able to:

- Hold UEFA B Licence tutor status and deliver the UEFA B Licence award regionally to both current and former PFA members (ex-professional players), and fully support all candidates
- Hold UEFA A Licence tutor status and deliver national A Licence award alongside FA staff
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