

Girls Academy Director

Overview

The Girls' Academy Director provides leadership and clarity of direction to the Cincinnati United Academy program(s) as well as implements strategy to ensure the Academy meets all goals and Key Performance Indicators set for the Academy Director by the CUP TD and CUP DoS.

Qualifications & Experience

- Minimum of three (3) years of experience in a High-Performance Academy environment.
- Minimum of five (5) years coaching experience at Elite Youth Level
- US Soccer 'B' License
- Experience in leading a program and coaching staff
- Proficient in Microsoft Office Suite, including Outlook, Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Calendar.

Preferred Experience

- Academy Director License
- USSF "A" License
- B.A. in Business Management, Education or Sports Management field.
- Served as an Academy Director or Director of Coaching within an Academy Environment.
- 10+ years coaching across age groups U13-U19 in an Elite Youth environment
- Coach Educator within US Soccer Licensing Pathway

Profile

Experienced technical leader with a deep understanding of player development (U13-U19) and how to implement a player development philosophy, style of play and game model. Situational leader with ability to lead players and staff at various stages of development. Strong organizational, communications and interpersonal skills with the ability to organize work effectively, conceptualize and prioritize objectives and exercise independent judgment based on an understanding of organizational policies and activities. A strategic thinker with the ability to create, monitor and evaluate the implementation of a high-performance soccer environment.

Roles & Responsibilities

- Head of the Girls' Academy
- Leading Academy staff in the areas of Technical, Performance, Medical and Operational execution
- Serve as a Head Coach within Girls Academy
- Collaborate with Technical Team to develop, implement, execute and evaluate an Academy plan aligned with the mission, vision, values and philosophy of the club
- Create a high-performance environment optimal for the development of Key Player Qualities as defined by the club
- Collaborate with CUP Technical Director and Girls Director of Soccer to enhance integration of pathway
- Serve as a member of the club Technical Team
- Keep Senior Leadership informed of the progress of the Academy plan
- Represent Cincinnati United and its partners in a professional manner at all times.
- Perform other related tasks as assigned by Senior Leadership.

Management Lines

Academy Coaching Staff
Academy GK Coach
Academy Performance Coach
Academy Administrator