

HEAD COACH, SHOOTING ACADEMY (Ref: 7201/S)

The Singapore Sports School is a specialized independent school dedicated to the optimal sports development and academic rigour of our talented student-athletes. We believe in providing selected student-athletes, who have the ability to excel in sports, with the necessary support to pursue excellence in both sports and academics. With a team of dedicated teachers and experienced sports coaches and sports scientists, we provide a sound education experience, professional coaching expertise as well as various post-secondary pathways to enable them to achieve their sporting dreams and academic excellence.

With the completion of a brand new fully equipped 10m shooting range, the school is setting up a Shooting Academy. We are now seeking a Head Coach, Shooting Academy to set and implement the strategic directions of the Shooting Academy within the school and the pre-sports school programme.

The appointed Head Coach will be responsible to coach a team of elite student-athlete shooters and to develop, organise and coordinate the entire academy's coaching programme to ensure all shooters are given the opportunity to maximise their potential. The Head Coach will conduct regular meetings with shooters and their parents and submit written progress reports. The Head Coach will also effectively lead, develop and mentor a team of coaches of different nationalities, work closely with external organisations such as Singapore Shooting Association, the School Sports Council as well as Singapore Sports Council for the development of shooting in Singapore.

The successful applicant must possess a shooting coaching qualification and have experience in developing both developmental and elite student-athlete shooters. Technical excellence in both 10m Air Pistol and Air Rifle events is mandatory. He/She must display evidence of a thorough understanding of the shooters' pathway, especially in relation to the development of talent and knowledge of Long Term Athletics Development (LTAD). He/She must possess good administrative and organisational skills and preferably be able to communicate in English.

If you are a highly motivated, engaging and enthusiastic individual with an understanding of the needs of elite student-athletes and if you want to work and excel in a challenging environment, we invite you to join us. You should forward a detailed CV with a recent photograph, stating your current and expected salaries, your academic qualifications and working experience to sshr@sportsschool.edu.sg by 30 June 2010. Please indicate the Ref no. and job title on the subject heading of your email. We regret that only shortlisted candidates will be notified.