



# MEN'S FIRST TEAM HEAD COACH

## JOB DESCRIPTION

### Strathclyde University Men's Football Club

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**Job Title:** Men's First Team Head Coach

**Club:** University of Strathclyde Men's Football Club

**Contract:** Part-time

**Rate of Pay:** £15 per hour

**Closing Date:** Friday 1 July 2022

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Applications are invited for the position of Men's First Team Head Coach at the University of Strathclyde Men's Football Club.

The Coach is required to lead, manage and deliver coaching services to the club at training sessions and on match days. Our Men's First Team will compete in the BUCS Men's Scottish Tier 2 Division on a Wednesday afternoon as well as the The Caledonian League (CALE) on a Saturday afternoon for the 2022/23 season.

Club training sessions take place on Monday and Thursday evenings at Stepps Playing Fields and Glasgow Green Football Centre. Competitive fixtures take place on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons with home games taking place at Stepps Playing Fields.

The successful candidate will create a positive, responsive and productive relationship with the club and support the development of the team in training and matches.

The successful candidate will be expected to be registered/register as Self Employed with HMRC and hold their own coaching insurance policy.

#### Role Responsibilities

- Lead coaching at training sessions on Monday and Thursday evenings.
- Lead coaching on match days on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons.
- Select training and match day squads for the Men's First Team.
- Track progress of players outside of the First Team to foster player progression and development.
- Contribute to the enhancement of the student experience through high quality coaching which engages, sustains and increases participation.
- Regular evaluation of team performance.
- Maintain regular communication with the Club Committee and Sports Union where required.
- Support the development of student leadership skills, particularly with club committee members.
- Make sure all sessions comply with Health & Safety standards and maintain high standards with regards to Equality & Diversity.



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### Person Specifications

#### Essential

- Minimum of Scottish FA C Licence
- Minimum of 1 year experience as a Head Coach of a competitive 11-aside team
- Excellent verbal communication skills

#### Desirable

- UEFA B Licence
- A clean driving licence
- First aid qualification
- An understanding of the university sport landscape

### Rate of Pay

The successful applicant will be:

- Paid £15 per hour (Travel time and costs are negotiable for matches outside of the Glasgow area).
- Required to complete a timesheet at the end of each month to declare the number of hours they wish to claim.

We do not offer a set number of contracted hours due to the varying schedule of the university football calendar. However, the successful applicant can expect to claim hours for:

- Two training sessions per week on a Monday and Thursday evening between the months of August and May.
- Two match days per week on a Wednesday and Saturday afternoon during term time.
- One match day per week on a Saturday afternoon outside of term time.
- Any time taken to travel to training/matches (please note that Wednesday afternoon away matches may be as far as Aberdeen).

### Process

If you wish to apply for the position of First Team Head Coach, then please submit a CV and Cover Letter by email outlining the following:

- Coaching experience
- Why you are interested in this role
- Confirmation of availability to coach on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons

Please submit applications to Nathan Gilmour, Club Captain, before the closing date on 1 July 2022 to [strathclydemensfootball@outlook.com](mailto:strathclydemensfootball@outlook.com)