

Vacant temporary position as Head coach of Norway's National Judo Team

We are looking for a person who will take part in the development and implementation of the elite sport strategy of the Norwegian Judo Federation, and who will lead the development of our national team athletes.

The Norwegian Judo Federation (NJF) is a part of the Norwegian Olympic and Paralympic Committee and Confederation of Sports (NIF). The federation is a service organization for all clubs connected to NJF and has member 65 clubs and approximately 4,500 active members. NJF's administration is situated at Ullevål Stadium in Oslo.

Do you want to bring Norwegian judo to the next level?

We seek a person who will be responsible for the development of our U21 and senior team. The Head Coach must work in alignment with NJF's overall strategy for elite sports and NJF's development plan, as well as contribute to further development of these plans. The Head Coach is responsible for establishing professional networks and ensuring good communication internally and externally.

Main tasks:

- Day trainings and camps with the national team.
- Travel manager and coach at international tournaments.
- Select athletes to championships and national teams.
- Follow-up of the development of the athletes in national team.
- Making development plans, competition plans and budgets in collaboration with the Sports Manager.
- Collaborate with the Sports Manager about strategic development of talent and top sports.
- Participate in the Performance Committee with representatives from high performance clubs in Norwegian judo.
- Establish a good collaboration with clubs and coaches

Qualifications:

- Relevant sports and pedagogical education.
- Top-level experience, either as an athlete or coach.
- Very good insight and knowledge of judo.
- Understanding of budgeting and planning.
- Good oral and written Norwegian and/or English skills.

Personal characteristics:

- A clear and honest leadership approach.
- Good cooperation and communication skills.
- Motivational skills and an enthusiastic approach during coaching.
- Motivated by building a top sports culture.
- Flexible.
- Structured.
- Independent and forward thinking.

The right person must expect frequent travel activity both in Norway and internationally and must be flexible in terms of normal working hours and workplace. The person reports to the Sports Manager, who is subject to the Secretary General.

We primarily look for a coach who is resident or wants to settle in the Oslo area, but this does not prevent the possibility of other solutions, for the right candidate.

Job scope: 80-100% position, depending on qualifications and what is the best solution for the candidate and NJF.

Duration: One year

Application deadline: November 15th, 2023.

Startup: January 1st or by agreement.

Salary: By agreement.

Application with CV is sent to the Norwegian Judo Federation, 0840 OSLO or through email to judo@nif.idrett.no

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