**The University of Portsmouth Lacrosse Club – Women’s Team Coach**

Purpose of the Role

The University of Portsmouth Lacrosse Club has a Men’s and a Women’s team. The club are recruiting for a coach to lead the Women’s team for the 2025/26 season, they will be competing in the South Eastern Tier 1 league following promotion this year.

The successful candidate will be available to deliver weekly training sessions for the club from September - April and attend and manage fixtures.

Candidates will only need to be available for up to two training sessions per week. Training takes place at Langstone Campus, Furze Lane, Portsmouth, PO4 8LW on:

* **Mondays 8pm - 10pm**
* **Friday 8pm - 10pm**
* **Saturdays 4pm-6pm** (Mixed Session)

Fixtures are scheduled for **Wednesday afternoons** (times & locations vary).

Main Responsibilities:

* Collaborate with the coaching staff to organise and deliver the clubs’ team trials
* Plan, deliver and evaluate weekly training sessions for the Women’s team
* Communicate effectively with the Club Captain and players regarding team selection
* Attend fixtures and manage the match-day squad where possible
* Promote the club’s philosophy to all members
* Adhere to the University’s Code of Conduct and relevant policies
* Be fit to work with adults at risk

Criteria:

* Essential: England Lacrosse ‘Fundamentals of Lacrosse’ coaching qualification
* Desirable: England Lacrosse ‘Coaching Field Lacrosse’ coaching qualifictaion
* Essential: Be a member of England Lacrosse
* Essential: Previous coaching experience
* Desirable: An understanding of Lacrosse within Higher Education

Payment

£20 per hour for training. Match fee TBC.

Application Process:

To apply for this role, please complete the following Google Form: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1d3gsxkfWAfYGcmAjqWK_BbsuSKFu3tKnuR4NE7CH3iw/edit> The deadline for applications is the 20th June 2025.