

## **Position: Academy Director – Peterborough City Soccer Association**

**Application Deadline:** June 28th, 2017

Peterborough City Soccer Association is seeking to hire a suitable candidate for the position of Academy Director. Ideally, this candidate will bring experience from a proven, "state of the art" environment to assist our club in raising the overall talent level our membership and teams.

### **About the Role**

Our club is focused on raising the standard of coaching and player performance within our club. As such, our club is seeking a candidate that brings advanced coaching accreditation and extensive experience in youth development. We are also looking for a coach with the ability to infuse best practices and a love of the game throughout our programs. Working under the Director of Coaching, the Academy Director is responsible for the overall implementation and quality of the Academy program. The Academy Director also participates in program planning and administration and will work closely with our Technical Leads for both our Development and Competitive teams.

### **Coaching Credentials**

The ideal candidate should possess a minimum of either a UEFA B license, CSA B National or equivalent coach certification.

### **Term**

The position is initially being appointed on a two-year contract. Salary is negotiable.

### **Candidate Profile**

A successful candidate will, at a minimum, have the following experience and general experience and attributes:

- Written and spoken English language fluency is required.
- At least five (5) years experience coaching in Club-based youth soccer programs
- Demonstrate the ability to communicate with young players of various levels and abilities
- Possess strong practical playing ability at the professional, semi-professional, or college level
- Possess strong interpersonal skills with solid written and oral communication skills
- Possess computer literacy, including the ability to work with standard word-processing (Word, Excel, and PowerPoint) tools
- Possess proven ability to influence adults and articulate concepts to large audiences
- Demonstrate leadership qualities
- Experience in instructing coaching courses to adults
- Possess integrity and follow morally and ethically sound standards
- Possess good organizational skills and administrative skills with good time management
- Have a dynamic personality with innovative ideas and strong motivational skills
- Be responsible with a mature personality
- Committed to working non traditional hours, nights and weekends
- Possess a valid drivers license and access to an insured vehicle

Interested candidates should email resumes to Vic Waselenko, Director of Coaching at [clubcoach@pcsasoccer.com](mailto:clubcoach@pcsasoccer.com). All applications will be reviewed. Only candidates who are selected for an interview will be contacted.