

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

In partnership with the International Council for Coaching Excellence (ICCE), Nippon Sport Science University (NSSU) is pleased to invite applications for the

2018-2019 NSSU-ICCE Coach Developer Programme

8 -14 July 2018 and 15-22 February 2019 in Tokyo, Japan

“COACH DEVELOPERS develop, support and challenge coaches to improve their knowledge and skills to provide positive and effective sport experiences for all participants.”

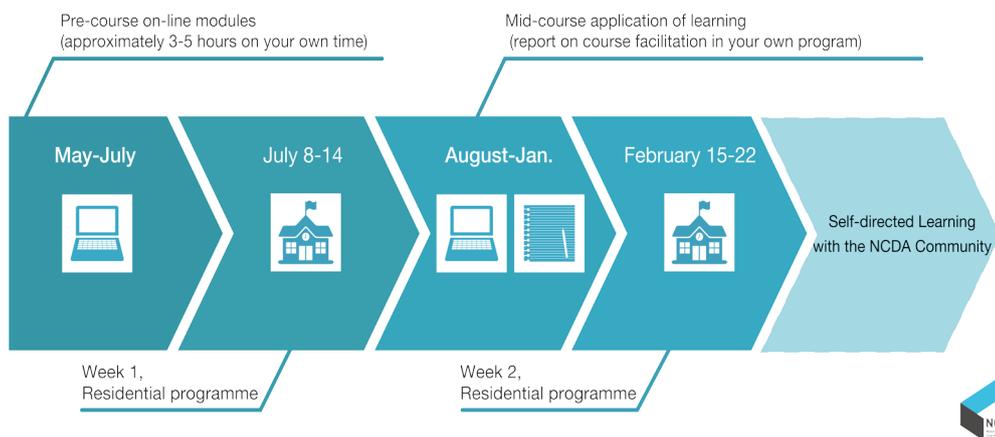
(International Coach Developer Framework, ICCE, 2014)

We invite 12 practitioners working across the sporting contexts (national systems, coaching organizations, national and international sporting federations, and universities) to join our 2018–2019 programme and:

- Become part of a global network of coach developers striving to enhance the quality of coaching at all levels
- Develop your skills in facilitation, supporting coaches in the field, programme design and mentoring
- Improve your coach education programmes, your coaches, and your coaching system

Run by the NSSU Coach Developer Academy (NCSA), the Coach Developer Programme offers a blended learning experience that is divided into two broad parts; the on-campus residential component and the remote component. The on-campus residential component consists of two one-week residencies at NSSU in Tokyo (both are compulsory) and include a mixture of workshops, seminars, discussion groups and practical work. The remote component consists of packages of E-modules and online support aimed at helping coach developers utilise and implement skills gained on and through the programme when working with real coaches back in their organizations.

Programme timeline



Voices from the past cohort

Paula Korsakas: Instituto Reação, Brazil

“Participating in the NSSU Coach Developer Academy was one of the most life changing experiences for me. In the NCSA I had the privilege to “dive into” a friendly and collaborative environment, and learn from brilliant and yet humble professionals from all over the world who have been dedicating their lives and expertise to improve the sport experience for all. Beyond a fantastic professional exchange, taking part in the NCSA means to engage in a lasting international coach developers network, a real collective wisdom community. I am forever grateful for the chance to be part of the NCSA family, for all that I have learned, for the friends am already missing and for the unparalleled hospitality of our Japanese hosts from Nittaidai!”



Glenn Cundari: PGA of Canada, Canada

“This once-in-a-lifetime opportunity has created a momentum that I wasn't expecting. Three overall observations emerged from the NCSA/ICCE Program; 1) How important it is to have a global perspective of sport and coach development 2) The breadth and depth of the content was at a very high level and 3) I have forged international relationships that I know will continue much after the program's completion. It is because of my participation that I believe my skills and competencies as a Coach Developer is significantly better. This program is “a must” if you want to improve as a Coach Developer.”



Subsidy and costs

The programme fee is ¥30,000 (approx. \$270USD). This includes all materials, resources and e-learning for the programme. Thanks to the support of the Japanese government's Sport for Tomorrow programme (www.sport4tomorrow.jp) the programme is heavily subsidised, and economy airfare, transfers and accommodation at NSSU for both residents are funded by the NCDA (For Japanese participants and non-Japanese participants from within Japan, different conditions might be applied. For further detail, please contact us via E-mail).

Application process

1. Applications can be made electronically through our secure application system.
2. The call for applications will close at 5pm GMT on 30th March 2018.
3. Applications will be submitted to the committee for shortlisting. Interviews over skype may be conducted if clarifications are required.
4. Notification to candidates (both successful and unsuccessful) will be made via email by 28th April 2018.

***For a complete application, applicants are required to submit 5 documents:** Cover letter, Resume/CV, written recommendation from their federation/coaching organization/university, copy of their highest university qualification and the photo page of their passport.

Applicant requirements

- You have experience in the education of coaches and are highly motivated to be a leader in this field now and in the future
- You have a written recommendation from your federation, coaching organization or university
- You have completed a Bachelor degree (in any field) or equivalent
- You have sufficient command of English to participate in classes and lead small group discussions and activities
- You can commit to attend both one week courses and the home-study elements of the programme (including conducting and reporting on your coach development practice between week one and week two).
- You are in agreement with the aims and vision of the academy

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<https://form.jotform.me/80088173166459>

More information : Please visit our website at <https://www.ncda.tokyo/>



About us

The Nippon Sport Science University Coach Developer Academy (NCDA) was established in 2014 as part of the Japanese government project, 'Sport for Tomorrow'. Having been selected as the host country for the 2020 Olympic and Paralympic Games, Japan is given the opportunity to create world peace and equal society through sports. 'Sport for Tomorrow' is one Japanese government project that aims to contribute to this by making an international contribution through sports. Proudly partnered with the International Council for Coaching Excellence (ICCE) and driven by a shared vision of creating coaching cultures that lead to positive experiences for everyone, the mission of NCDA is to foster future international coach development talent and a community of coach developers across the world.

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Sport for Tomorrow is a programme which the Government of Japan to contribute to the international community through sport. The programme was announced by Prime Minister Shinzo Abe at the IOC Session on the occasion of Tokyo making a bid for 2020 Summer Olympic and Paralympic Games. The programme aims at sharing the values of sport with more than 10 million people of all generations in over 100 countries, including developing countries, in the course of seven years between 2014 and 2020.

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