



Job Opportunity: Director of Netball



London Pulse is looking for an exciting, dynamic, experienced and passionate Director of Netball to lead our VNSL team (Senior Team) for the first time in 2019.

An effective, visionary and innovative leader is needed to work with our new VNSL team for the 2018/2019 season. This individual will lead a successful high performance VNSL squad, with our goal and ambition to be one of the top netball franchises in the UK. Nurturing and developing high performance athletes and teams are an integral part of our strategy to create a franchise which has consistent and sustainable success.



You will need to have proven experience of effective leadership, overview of performance, and provide strategic direction for a VNSL league squad, and support the Performance Pathway Head Coach.

Planning, implementing, and managing the coaching programme, and implementing the strategic plan to drive high performance netball forward within the London Pulse's sport environment, is integral. This is a very exciting time to become a Director of Netball at London Pulse, taking performance netball to another level.

The ideal candidate will be working within an innovative framework and building a culture of high expectation and excellence, to achieve team success, and shaping the performance and development of the individual athlete.

You will need to have proven experience for leading and managing a coaching programme for a VNSL squad or equivalent, creating a strategic plan to motivate and develop the high-performance squad, and to also oversee the Performance Pathway, working alongside the Performance Pathway Head Coach.

Our vision is to create and maintain success and a legacy of excellence, and the development of talented netballers. You will require excellent and effective communication skills, athlete management skills, and be proficient in the use of performance analysis software. You will prepare, manage and monitor budgets for the performance squad as requested and appropriate, and to be abreast of the latest trends and developments within netball, for incorporation into the performance strategy for London Pulse. The role will liaison with England Netball or other external partners. CPD programme available.

You will need to create and develop the annual pre- season and competitive season training programmes, and ensuring outlined, prescribed and defined competitive success.

To ensure that the strategic plan objectives, values, mission and goals are met, and an effective evaluative monitoring framework is maintained to measure and monitor progress, in ensuring that an effective coaching programme for the London Pulse's Super League high performance squad is provided. The role will also have responsibility for overseeing the development of the Head Performance Pathway Coach, and managing the cascading of information and effective delegation within the structure as appropriate



To work in partnership with England Netball or other external partners where appropriate and possible, in placing London Pulse's programme within a national player pathway, and liaising with the National coaching team in relation to player recruitment, training and development programmes. To be effectively pro-active in the recruitment of high level players, to London Pulse.

Driving the delivery of support services, such as (sports science, sports medicine, and strength and conditioning), to the performance squad. Working within a multi-disciplinary framework to provide pastoral support to the performance squad members such as lifestyle mentors, being involved in the Talented Athlete Scholarship Scheme etc.



Company:

London Pulse Ltd

Salary

£45,000 + relocation package

Location

London

Contract type

Minimum 1 season (September 2018 – May 2019)

Start Date: Successful candidates are expected to start in September 2018

How to apply

Please submit CV and for informal enquiries please contact: Natalie Seaton:
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We will also contact you if we will not be taking your application further.