Alverno College

Non-Exempt Position Description

Position Title: Head Soccer Coach Date: May 2025

Department: Athletics **Status:** Fulltime/12-month

Reports To: Director of Athletics & Recreation (AD)

Primary Function:

The Head Soccer Coach will be responsible for, but not limited to, the conduct and overall supervision of the soccer program. The position's main responsibility will be to recruit; develop and retain student-athletes; coach and develop a competitive soccer program in compliance with NCAA, conference and Alverno rules and regulations. This position has a secondary duty to be determined in accordance with the qualifications of the candidate and the needs of the Department.

This is an on-campus position, requiring weekend and evening work.

Principal Responsibilities

- 1. Knowledge and adherence to all NCAA, Conference, and Alverno College policies.
- 2. Attend and plan all practices, competitions, and events for assigned sport.
- 3. Ability to develop the athletic skill and conditioning of student-athletes to grow as competitors and increase sport knowledge.
- 4. Successful recruitment and retention of prospective student-athletes to Alverno College, working collaboratively with Admissions to help achieve College enrollment goals.
- 5. Maintain an inventory of equipment, uniforms, and supplies.
- 6. Ability to develop a sports budget, including equipment, uniforms, travel, meals, etc. for approval of the AD.
- 7. Work with Alverno Academic Success to provide support for student-athlete academic efforts and monitor their degree progress.
- 8. Provide leadership and general guidance for student-athletes.
- 9. Attend all Conference and Departmental meetings.
- 10. Cultivate and maintain positive relationships with student-athletes, Department staff, and Alverno College community.
- 11. Under the supervision of the AD, develop positive relationships with alumnae, volunteers, and fans.
- 12. Assign duties and supervise respective assistant coaches (e.g. fulltime, part-time, and/or graduate assistant coaches).
- 13. Coordinate scheduling, travel and meal arrangements, as well as safely transport athletes to and from all off-site practices and competitions.

- 14. Actively support Department and sport promotional and fundraising activities.
- 15. Promote the sport, the Athletics Department and Alverno, on and off campus, in a positive manner.
- 16. Maintain positive professional relationships with other colleges, professional peers and organizations.
- 17. Remain current in teaching sport techniques and skills development trends.
- 18. Attend and actively participate in all department meetings and official College functions when appropriate.
- 19. Meet all required expectations for a primary secondary assigned responsibility within the Athletics Department (to be determined at a later date), in addition to event management duties. These expectations may be reassigned yearly, or as needed by the successful management of the Department.
- 20. This position works on campus (not remotely) and must maintain clean and professional work areas. The coach must comply with Alverno safety procedures.
- 21. Perform other duties as assigned by the AD and deemed necessary to support the mission of the College.

Qualifications

- 1. Bachelor's Degree required.
- 2. Experience organizing and supervising a sports program is preferred.
- 3. Requires previous teaching/coaching and/or playing experience in assigned sport to indicate substantial knowledge of technical aspects of the sport including knowledge of NCAA regulations.
- 4. Strong communication skills with faculty, staff, students, potential student-athletes, parents, coaches, officials and the public.
- 5. Requires strong organizational skills and the ability to multi-task and prioritize.
- 6. Must have demonstrated leadership abilities and an understanding of student development, including the ability to balance student needs and take on an institutional perspective.
- 7. Requires the ability to work in a team setting and work effectively with a variety of audiences and departments.
- 8. Must be able to work evenings and weekends as necessary to attend practices and events.
- 9. Current driver's license, meeting the qualifications to drive an Alverno van.
- 10. Must be able to move freely, including the ability to frequently walk, stand, stoop, bend and lift at least 25lbs.

How to Apply

Apply on-line at https://www.alverno.edu/jobs/apply/login.php
Please attach your cover letter, resume, and list of references to the online application

Alverno College is an Equal Opportunity Employer and committed to workplace diversity.