



ANNOUNCEMENT:

NYSEF seeks a well-rounded, experienced coach who understands ski racing from an athlete's perspective as well as from a program management perspective.

This coach needs to understand the technology, technique, physical and mental demands required for success at the FIS level. It is critical that this coach understands the development needs for high performing athletes from the development ages through the collegiate and national team levels.

This coach will work directly with NYSEF and Northwood School athletes at the FIS level and contribute to the overall development of the NYSEF alpine program - which oversees athletes from U10 to Post-Graduate and beyond.

The ideal candidate will be able to connect with each athlete and bring together all athletes and their families to create a positive team culture that inspires each athlete to make their dreams a reality. The candidate will contribute to create a healthy environment by working closely with all coaches, staff members, parents and supporters within the greater NYSEF community.

OVERVIEW:

The New York Ski Educational Foundation (NYSEF) is one of the leading snowsport programs in the United States. Founded in 1973, the organization has evolved from a dream to offering athletes of all ages a centralized training program providing a multi-discipline operation that supports athletes in alpine, biathlon, cross country, freestyle skiing, nordic combined, ski jumping and snowboarding. NYSEF has developed athletes at the national and Olympic level across many winter sports including: alpine, freestyle, skiercross, ski jumping, cross-country, biathlon and nordic combined since its inception.

NYSEF also has a partnership with Northwood School, a coeducational, independent boarding school in Lake Placid, New York. It is the mission of the NYSEF to provide opportunities for athletes of all ages to reach their potential in snowsports- alpine, freestyle skiing, snowboarding, ski jumping, cross country skiing, nordic combined and biathlon through professional guidance and financial support.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Responsibilities include:

- In this full-time year-round position, the Head Men's FIS Coach will manage all the FIS Men's preparation and competition programming for Northwood School and NYSEF at Whiteface including on-snow camps and conditioning programs.
- In this role, the Head Men's FIS Coach will deliver a competitive program and work with other coaching staff to support the alpine ski racing operations at Whiteface.

Duties include, but not limited to:

- Preparation and competition season planning and execution of training, camp, competition and travel
- Supporting athlete development on and off the snow leveraging performance data analysis
- Coordination of program logistics including overseeing project revenues and expenses
- Clear communication strategy with all stakeholders
- Ongoing equipment guidance and support

EXPERIENCE:

- Experience working with similar age group alpine programs at the regional and national levels and/or international levels
- Performance data analysis
- Experience with governing bodies including US Ski and Snowboard and the FIS
- Deep understanding of and expertise in the personalization of alpine equipment
- Extensive knowledge of competition venues
- Knowledge of FIS regulations and protocols
- Excellent organizational and logistical skills
- Strong leadership and communication skills

FOLLOW UP:

The position will report to the Alpine Program Director and will work in collaboration with all venue managers, staff, the board of directors and local community partners. This position is located at Whiteface in Wilmington, N.Y. Interested candidates should send a letter of interest and resume to johnn@nysef.org.

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