

ANNOUNCEMENT:

NYSEF seeks a well-rounded and experienced coach who understands alpine ski racing from an athlete's perspective.

The successful candidate needs to understand the technology, technique, and physical and mental demands required for success at the FIS level. It is critical that this coach understands the development needs of 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 creating 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 offer 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.

NYSEF has a long-standing 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 seasonal, 6-month full-time position, the Women's FIS Assistant Coach will collaborate with the Head Women's Coach in the management of the FIS women's preparation and competition programming for Northwood School and NYSEF at Whiteface including on-snow camps and conditioning programs.
- In this role, the Women's FIS Assistant Coach will help execute a competitive program and work with other coaching staff to support the alpine ski racing operations at Whiteface.
- There is potential for this position to be year-round with additional responsibilities.

Duties include, but are not limited to:

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

EXPERIENCE:

- Experience working with similar age group alpine programs at the regional and national levels and/or international levels
- Experience with governing bodies including US Ski and Snowboard and the FIS
- 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 Head Women's Coach along with the Alpine Program Director and will work in collaboration with staff 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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