

FIS Coach

The National Alpine Training Center (NATC) is a member club of the Nakiska Alpine Ski Association (NASA) located in Calgary, AB. NASA consists of 6 independent ski clubs comprising 300+ athletes and 40+ coaches. Working in conjunction with our member clubs, NATC is committed to delivering an athletic program to Canada's most promising and dedicated FIS alpine skiers who wish to attain their maximum individual athletic potential. Our goal is to raise the bar in the standard of athlete, ski racer and athletic development.

NASA is seeking a FIS Coach for the 2024-25 season.

Reporting directly to the NATC Head FIS Coach, NATC FIS Coach plays a key role in developing our young talent.

Responsibilities:

Under the direction of the FIS Head Coach, support the implementation of a nation-leading, FIS program as follows:

- Implement a full-season schedule that includes dryland, on-snow training, and competition.
- Work with HC in designing daily goals for training sessions based on the focus of each block of training.
- Ensure a safe training and race environment for all athletes.
- Provide challenging on-snow training environments appropriate for athletic development.
- Set courses as needed to meet the daily objectives.
- Take ownership of the athletes' development.
- Submit expenses to HC in a concise, complete, and timely manner.
- Keep up to date training statistics, attendance records and complete report cards for all athletes.
- Ensure all athletes are abiding by the NASA Code of Conduct.
- As needed, assist in the expense reporting post competition or training camps.
- As needed, assist in the planning and organizing of training camps and/or competitions.
- Ensure all NASA equipment is maintained and in good working order.
- Work NASA Transportation Safety Officer (TSO) to ensure all FIS vehicles are operating in compliance with the NASA Driver Safety and Vehicle Maintenance Program.
- Communicate with HC and NASA PD in a timely and effective manner.
- Understand the NASA structure and actively promote the Club within the ski race community.

Qualifications

- 5+ years' general ski coaching experience or 2+ years' experience coaching at U16 or higher.
- Prefer ACA Performance Level (PL) Certified (or willing to obtain).
- Personal high-level competition experiences an asset.
- Valid Alberta Class 4 driver's license (or willing to obtain).
- Strong understanding and knowledge of the Alpine Canada Long Term Athlete Development (ACA LTAD) plan, and the skills pathway.
- Team player, able to work well and communicate with other members of a larger coaching team and with coaches from other clubs and programs as required.
- Experience working effectively with parents, officials, athletes, coaches, and other stakeholders.
- Results oriented, highly motivated and holds self and others to a high standard.
- Physical ability to carry heavy loads, ski with heavy loads, and in general have a high level of physical ability, energy, and stamina.
- Professional and dedicated.
- Ability to travel significantly in Canada and internationally.

Interested candidates please submit your cover letter, resume and professional certification/education details to info@skinasa.org We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only candidates under consideration will be contacted.