#### **Candidate Statement for Victor Chia**

I am passionate about archery and would like to see its continued growth as a sport in USA. I like to contribute ideas to USAA to purposefully improve JOAD archers' experience. If we are successful we will create a strong JOAD talent pool that will service our JDT program. JDT archers will then have the opportunity to become our next generation Olympians. So it is important USAA has a cohesive and comprehensive JOAD National direction.

An immediate thought that comes to my mind is consider USAA develop a JOAD Symposium similar to the Coach Symposium. As the Head Coach of a JOAD club I would greatly benefit from such a meeting forum to learn from other coaches and professional speakers about how they run their programs and tournaments. It would not just be a forum to share archery experiences but also different aspects for running a successful JOAD business. Any networking opportunities for JOAD coaches are good.

In my continued pursuit to become an elite coach I realize that I enjoy teaching kids very much. My reward is the gratification to see them learn from not ever holding a bow to become an accomplished archer. I started my coaching career at U.C. Berkeley in 2006. I formed my own high performance club for private coaching, Chia Archery, after Sharon and I receiving our Level 4-NTS certification. While I was coaching the archery team at U.C. Berkeley I worked as the lead archery instructor at their summer camp, Blue Camp. As the lead instructor I was responsible for the safety of the kids, to develop the archery lesson plan, hire instructors, train the instructors, repair equipment, order targets, etc.. In 2009 I was awarded Cal Staff position of Director of U.C. Berkeley Camps and Youth Programs for Archery. Our archery youth program is for kids ages 9 to 16. In 2014 I successfully convinced U.C. Berkeley to allow me to start an all year Cal Archery Academy JOAD. The JOAD program has been very successful because of the high archery interest in the Bay Area, CA. Please view a typical session on https://flic.kr/s/aHsk9zomdD. As a USAA Coach Trainer I have certified many Level 3 coaches who are coaches at JOAD clubs or are starting a JOAD program. For example, all the Level 3 coaches at Wilderness Archery JOAD in Rocklin, CA are certified by me. I have certified Level 3 coaches who came to my home from as far as Alaska and Brazil (to my surprise). The Alaska Level 2 instructor wanted to be certified because she wanted to start a JOAD program as there was nothing available in her area. Listening to the people attending my Level 3 classes has given me ideas to improve our own Cal JOAD program.



# CHIA ARCHERY JOAD High Performance Coaching

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### **Personal Profile**

Archery Division Recurve and compound

Membership USA Archery, National Archery Association Member Coaching proficiency USA Archery Level 4-NTS Coach and Coach Trainer

Personal coaches - Sheri Rhodes, USA Women Olympic Team coach, 2002

- Dr. Kim (Korea) - 2004 Olympic Medallist and 2002 World Champion,

U.C. Berkeley Cal Archery Head coach, 2006-2008

- Keaton Chia, USA Archery Junior Dream Team coach, Level 4-NTS

(Level 5 candidate), Coach Trainer

Personal archer development

First Aid, CPR-AED certified

SafeSport Training for Coaches

**ASEP Coaching Principles** 

Judge candidate

Korean National Sport University in Seoul, Korea, May 25 - June 4, 2006

American Red Cross, U.C. Berkeley, Sports Club Department, current

July 24, 2013; developed by US Olympic Committee (USOC)

August 17, 2013; developed by American Sport Education Program

Judged at California championship tournaments, 2013 and 2014

### Coaching Experience

2015, January USAA Coach Symposium, Colorado Springs Olympic Training Center

(OTC)

2015, January International Team Staff (ITS) training, Colorado Springs Olympic Training Center

(OTC)

2014 - present Head Coach and Founder, U.C. Berkeley, Cal Archery Academy JOAD

http://camps.berkeley.edu/year-round/archery

https://flic.kr/s/aHsk9zomdD

2014, January USAA Coach Symposium, Colorado Springs Olympic Training Center (OTC)

2013, September Coach Mentoring Program with coaches Kisik Lee (US National Head Coach)

and Guy Kruger (US National Assistant Head Coach) by invitation only,

Chula Vista Olympic Training Center

2012 - present Head Coach, Chia Archery JOAD

http://www.chiaarchery.com

2012, May Coach at USA Archery Level 2 course at Hume Lake Christian Camp

2011 - 2012 Cupid's Gate Archery and JOAD, NTS Coach



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2011, February
 2011, November
 USAA Coach Symposium, Colorado Springs Olympic Training Center (OTC)
 2011, November
 Observer Coach at USA JDT (Junior Dream Team) camp, San Diego OTC

2009 – 2013 Head Coach for U.C. Berkeley Summer Blue Camp for archery
 2009 - present Director, U.C. Berkeley Camps and Youth Programs for Archery

http://camps.berkeley.edu/people/meet-the-staff

2006 - 2014 U.C. Berkeley Collegiate Archery Team Coach

### Personal U.S. Tournament Experience (select)

2014	California State Indoor Championship, 7 <sup>th</sup> , Master 50+, Recurve
2012	California State Games, 3 <sup>rd</sup> , Senior, Compound
2011	California State Games, 3 <sup>rd</sup> , Senior, Compound
2011	California Cotton Boll, 1st, Senior, Compound
2009	National Senior Games, 4 <sup>th</sup> , Senior, Compound
2009	California State Outdoor Championship, 2 <sup>nd</sup> , Senior, Compound
2009	California State Indoor Championships, 3 <sup>rd</sup> , Senior, Compound
2008	California State Outdoor Championship, 3 <sup>rd</sup> , Senior, Compound
2008	California State Senior Games, 2 <sup>nd</sup> , Senior, Compound
2006	California State Outdoor Championship, 1st, Senior, Compound

### **Personal International Tournament Experience**

2008 Singapore Sembawang Open, 1<sup>st</sup>, Adult Compound

2006 Singapore Pesta Sukan Championship, 1<sup>st</sup>, Veteran, Compound

### Personal State Ranking - State Archers of California

State ranking points are the total of the best three of four finishes in the four ranking tournaments (State Indoor, Cotton Boll, State Outdoor and Pacific Coast)

2011 #1, Master Compound, Men
2008 #1, Master Compound, Men
2006 #1, Master Compound, Men