13-15 National Team Assistant Coach Job Description and Application

Submit your completed application to Lara Teixeira Cianciarulo via email at lara@usaartisticswim.org. All applications must be received by February 15, 2021.

Name: ________________________________________________________________

Current Club Affiliation: ________________________________________________

Job Summary:

USA Artistic Swimming (USAAS) is hiring the 13-15 National Team Assistant Coach to aid in our continued efforts to develop a competitive and enjoyable team environment that will return USAAS to the international power we once were. The position is a temporary contractor position. The position will be a seven-week commitment that will start in early to mid-July and run through the 13-15 World Championship, August 21-29, 2021. It is a mix of part time and full-time requirements. These requirements will be based on the needs of the current coaching staff and the candidate’s availability. The position will be responsible for the growth of the country’s highest-level 13-15 athletes in all areas of artistic swimming. While their physical development and skill enhancement are a vital part of this program you will be responsible for making each of them a better teammate and well-rounded athlete.

This position will work directly with the 13-15 National Team coach and indirectly with the High Performance Manager and Senior National Team coaches in the development of the coaching plan and team strategy. The position will work with the head coach to implement the plan and use their skill set to make a positive impact on athletes. This person will assist with the schedule and adjust according to the needs of the training. The position will represent the United States in an international event setting.

The assistant coach will be expected to work closely with the head coach and USAAS national office for budgeting, lodging, travel, team apparel and any additional items that may be necessary.

The training location is in Las Vegas, Nevada. The position will be required to be in Las Vegas as training requires. The training camp will be approximately seven (7) weeks from early July to late August. The assistant coach will be expected to house with the athletes in a separate and individual room. This will also require coordinating and executing transportation, working with parent volunteers, grocery shopping and other needs that may arise.

Compensation will be based on experience but will range from $6,000 - $8,000.
The 13-15 Assistant Coach reports to the High-Performance Manager and Senior National Team Head Coach.

The 13-15 Team Assistant Coach - responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Collaborate with the Head Coach and High-Performance Manager to prepare the training strategy for the season
- Communicate annual training calendar and weekly/daily training schedule to the staff and athletes by email
- Manage and prepare all training workouts
- Communicate with the 13-15 National Team athletes, club coaches and parents
- Keep track of the athletes’ progress and meet with them individually (once at the beginning of the season and once at the end)
- If applicable, collaborate with support staff (physician, physiotherapist, nutritionist, sport psychologist and any other support staff)
- If applicable, develop suits for 13-15 National Team routines
- If applicable, develop music and choreography for 13-15 National Team routines
- Collaborate with the High-Performance Manager and national office for all training and competition logistics
- If applicable, participate in and coordinate media appearances and/or any promotional activities with the High-Performance Manager or the Media Officer
- Participate in Education seminars and conferences as directed by the 13-15 National Team Coach / High Performance Manager
- Perform other tasks as directed by the 13-15 National Team Coach / High Performance Manager

Certifications:
CCP Level:  
CCP 1  ☐  CCP 2  ☐  CCP 3  ☐

Others: CPR  ☐  First Aid  ☐  SafeSport  ☐  Background Check  ☐

Were you an artistic swimmer?  Yes  ☐  No  ☐

If yes, please list your highest result, competition and year: ____________________________________________
International synchronized swimming qualifications: __________________________________________

Please list your coaching experience:

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Why do you want to be part of the National Team Program?

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What qualifies you as a good candidate for this position?

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What is your coaching philosophy and style?

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What does USAAS need to do to be more successful with its National Team program?

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What would be your greatest personal contribution to USAAS’s National Team program?

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Are you willing to work with the Senior National Team Coaches to apply consistency throughout our pipeline?

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Is there anything else you would like to add?

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The application deadline is February 15th. Please email this application along with your resume and cover letter to: High Performance Manager, Lara Teixeira Cianciarulo lara@usaartisticswim.org