



Job Posting - Ski Nova Scotia – Technical Director (Part Time)

Ski Nova Scotia is the governing body for the sport of Alpine Skiing in Nova Scotia and is the recognized Provincial Sport Organization by Alpine Canada Alpin.

Ski NS is committed to the development of high-performance athletes while providing a variety of programs and supports based on established principles of long-term athlete development. Ski Nova Scotia is looking for an enthusiastic and proactive individual to fulfill a part-time contracted role of Technical Director.

The Technical Director of Ski NS will establish a high-performance pathway, coordinate Ski NS teams attending national events, train coaches and advocate for athletes.

A background in the sport of competitive alpine skiing is required. Candidates must hold a minimum Development Level coaching certification. Bilingual in French and English is an asset but not necessarily a requirement.

Resume and cover letters will be accepted until end of day, September 14th, 2020.

While we sincerely appreciate all applications, only those candidates selected for interview will be contacted.

Submission of documents and general inquires can be directed to Andrew Hayes – Ski NS Executive Director – alpinens@sportnovascotia.ca



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Certification Requirements: Eligible candidates must hold a minimum Development Level coaching certification.

Background Requirements: Eligible candidates must be in good standing with the Canadian Ski Coaches Federation (CSCF), must provide a Criminal Background Check, Vulnerable Sector Check and the NS Child Abuse Registry Check.

When: Resume and cover letters to be submitted to Ski NS via alpinens@sportnovascotia.ca by end of day, September 14th, 2020.

Term: Contract term from October 2020 - June 2021.

Compensation: Remuneration commensurate with experience and qualifications and subject to Ski NS funding.

Reporting Structure: The Technical Director will report directly to the Executive Committee of Ski NS and the Ski NS Executive Director. The Technical Director will ultimately be responsible to the Ski NS Board of Directors.

General Roles & Responsibilities:

- Working in conjunction with the Ski NS High Performance Chair and the Ski NS HP Committee to develop the Ski NS High Performance Pathway for a Performance Team (Top U16, U18+ & FIS Athletes) and a Development Team (U14+). This pathway shall provide focus on both near term and long-term goals, objectives and strategies for Ski NS.
- Develop presentation materials and host parent/coach information sessions for Ski NS Members within the High Performance Pathway.
- Support in the administrative planning & logistics for the Ski NS U16 Nationals Team.
- Attend Ski NS High Performance Committee meetings and Alpine Atlantic Alpin Technical Committee meetings.
- Attend Ski NS board meetings with submitted board reports.
- Develop Racer profiles for Top U14/U16/U18+ athletes. Interact with club coaches to understand and develop long terms goals for each athlete.
- Host start of season and end of season interviews with each athlete and their coach to develop racer profiles, set goals and review results.

- Attend races hosted by The Ben Eoin Ski Team (SX/SL), Wentworth Ski Race Club (Roland Brunner) and Martock Ski Race Club (SX/SL) interacting with high performance athletes and coaches.
- Coordinate and lead interclub training when possible for U16 Nationals Team and FIS racers.
- Advocate for Ski NS Racers for the AAA Team Selection at U14 Can Ams, U16 Eastern Finals, Whistler Cup and FIS Nationals.
- Organize and attend fitness testing in for Ski NS athletes in conjunction with the Canadian Sport Centre Atlantic.
- Coordinate applications for any FIS eligible Ski NS racers to attend Alpine Canada National Development Camps (April/May annually).
- Participate in the Canadian Sport Centre Atlantic Coach Mentorship Program.
- Meet with CSCA & Sport Nova Scotia representatives as required on High Performance proposals while attending CSCA workshops for PSO technical leads.
- Prepare an annual report for the Ski NS AGM, to be submitted to the Ski NS HP committee for approval.
- Attend the Ski NS AGM & provide a thorough AGM report with recommendations.