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Grassroots Youth Player Development Coach

About Basketball Federation of India:

Basketball Federation of India or BFI is the governing and controlling body of Basketball in India, and is responsible for the development and promotion of the sport at all levels. Towards this end, the BFI undertakes three major initiatives:

(1) Developing and organizing the National Teams (Senior, U18, U16, U14),

(2) Conducting National Championships and Federation Cups as platforms for scouting and talent identification and

(3) Developing the sport from grassroots upwards through, inter alia, the conduct of coaching certification courses in collaboration with the international Basketball association i.e. FIBA and organising the Indian School and College Basketball Leagues & Professional Basketball Leagues.

Job Title: Grassroots Youth Player Development Coach

Location: India

Job Type: Full-Time, Contractual

Reports to: Head Coach, Indian National Men's Basketball Team

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Position Overview:

The Indian National Basketball Teams are seeking a passionate and experienced Grassroots Youth Player Development Coach. This role is vital in identifying and nurturing young talent across the country, organizing coaching clinics, and supporting the development of the National Basketball Academy coaches. The candidate will work closely with the head coaches of both the men's and women's national teams, providing additional support as required.

Key Responsibilities:

1. Talent Identification and Development:

- Identify and nurture young basketball talent from grassroots levels across the country.
- Develop and implement training programs tailored to the needs of youth players to enhance their skills and performance.

2. Coaching Clinics and Workshops:

- Organize and conduct coaching clinics and workshops nationwide to develop grassroots basketball.
 - Provide hands-on training and mentoring to youth players and local coaches.

3. Performance Review:

- Regularly review the performance of National Basketball Academy coaches and provide feedback for improvement.
- Ensure alignment of training methodologies and objectives with the national team's goals.

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4. Collaboration and Support:

- Support both the men's and women's national team coaches as required.
- Work closely with the Head Coach of the Indian National Men's Basketball Team to align grassroots development programs with overall team strategies and goals.

5. Education and Communication:

- Educate young players and local coaches on best practices in basketball training and development.
 - Foster a positive and motivating environment for youth players and coaches.
- Maintain clear and consistent communication with the national team coaches, local coaches, and players.

6. Travel and Outreach:

- Travel extensively across the country to conduct clinics and scouting missions.
- Promote the growth of basketball at the grassroots level through community engagement and outreach programs.

7. Administrative Duties:

- Maintain accurate records of player progress, training programs, and performance evaluations.
- Stay updated on the latest advancements in basketball coaching and youth development.

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- Assist in the organization and execution of national and regional basketball events.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Sports Science, Physical Education, or a related field; Master's degree preferred.
- Proven experience as a basketball coach, preferably with youth or grassroots programs.
- Deep knowledge of basketball coaching techniques, player development, and youth training methodologies.
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work effectively in a team environment and collaborate with various stakeholders.
- High level of integrity, professionalism, and commitment to player development.
- Willingness to travel extensively and work irregular hours, including weekends and holidays.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience working with basketball teams at the national or international level.
- Familiarity with the Indian sports ecosystem and understanding of cultural nuances.

Compensation:



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Compensation will be competitive and commensurate with experience. Additional benefits may include travel allowances, performance bonuses, and accommodation.

Application Process:

Interested candidates should submit a resume, cover letter, and a statement of coaching philosophy to <u>basketballfederationindia@gmail.com</u> by 20th August 2024. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for an interview.

