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Hartpury Netball Academy

Postgraduate Studentship Coaching Opportunity

The Hartpury Netball Academy are looking for an enthusiastic and highly motivated coach to work within the netball programme for the upcoming 2025-26 and 2026-27 academic years.

The Postgraduate Studentship offers a fully funded or part funded place on the any one of the following degrees: MSc Sports Coaching, MSc Applied Performance Analysis in Sport, MSc Strength & Conditioning or MSc in Sports Management. The chosen degree will be studied over two years to enable the candidate to combine coaching with postgraduate study.

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Studentship responsibilities will include the following:

- Assisting with coaching provision, including training, performance analysis and fixtures
- Working with junior and senior netball athletes
- Supporting with recruitment and the promotion and awareness of the netball programmes both internally and externally
- Consult with senior netball management on a weekly basis outlining training, match day requirements and squad selection
- Completing any administrative duties required to support programme activities
- Completing your postgraduate research project alongside our university strategic direction with the aim of actively contributing to our evolving postgraduate research and knowledge exchange community and impacting our applied Sports Academy provision.



Person Specification

- Preferably a 2.1 undergraduate degree in a sports degree or related field (although this is open to discussion based on application)
- Preferably a Level 2 netball coaching qualification (although this is open to discussion based on experience)
- Previous netball coaching experience and/or playing experience
- Excellent inter-personal and communication skills and ability to deliver training sessions



Studentship benefits

- Fully funded tuition on one of our Postgraduate degrees (i.e., MSc Sports Coaching, MSc Applied Performance Analysis in Sport, MSc Strength & Conditioning or MA in Sports Management)
- Involved with coaching in one of the most successful educational netball programmes in the UK.
- Access to world-class coaching and sports science facilities to aid in your development as a coaching practitioner
- Opportunity to network with VNSL franchises Premier League Clubs, players and coaches both nationally and internationally
- Access to HUDL's online video analysis platform
- Gym membership for the Sports Academy, staff kit and free parking
- Membership to our PG Studentship Group who meet regularly for CPD, sharing of good practice and reflection sessions



At Hartpury, we firmly believe you can achieve academically whilst performing within our sports academies. In ensuring that all MSc Studentship recipients achieve their academic potential, all students are required to adhere to academic regulations and meet the expectations set out in our Hartpury University Academy Scholarship document. Such expectations include attendance, engagement, application, values, behaviour (on and off campus) and athletic performance.

To apply for the Postgraduate Studentship:

Please scan the QR Code and complete the application form

To inquire further into this Studentship:

Please contact, Dr Martin Longworth, Senior Lecturer in Sports Coaching,
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Closing date: Monday 28th April 2025

