



Great Britain BCP Squad Assistant Coach

Role description

The role of the GB BCP squad assistant coach is to assist the BCP squad coach in selecting, preparing and coaching the BCP squad.

The term of office spans the World Championships in 2027.

Note that it is not a requirement to have an assistant coach, and it is possible to have more than one assistant coach.

Responsible to: GB BCP squad coach; Team GB Manager; BDA Executive Committee

Duties and responsibilities

- Assist with planning and running training sessions
- Attend regular training sessions throughout the campaign
- Assist with running an appropriate selection procedure and selecting the most competitive squad to represent Team GB at the World Championships
- Work closely with the Team GB Manager and support the BCP squad coach to provide updates and reports on the team as required
- Monitor, evaluate and feed back on athlete performance to the BCP squad coach
- Attend the World Championships in 2027
- Keep the BCP squad coach informed of any issues
- Assist with maintaining high ethical standards in coaching

Skills and experience required

Applicants for the GB BCP squad assistant coach roles should:

- Hold an appropriate coach qualification (BDA Level 2 or above)
- Have good knowledge and understanding of dragon boat racing
- Have great organisational skills
- Be confident, with good leadership skills
- Be able to communicate with groups of individuals
- Be a full member of the BDA (to ensure adequate insurance cover)

Note that successful applicants will be asked to provide a DBS check dated within the last three months before taking up the position.