

Position Description Head E-Sports Coach/Coordinator

DEPARTMENT: Athletics

CLASSIFICATION: Part-Time

SALARY: \$8,000 (Academic Year)

FUNCTION: The Head E-Sports Coach/Coordinator is responsible for developing, managing, and promoting the college's E-Sports program. This position involves recruiting and training student-athletes, organizing competitions, and fostering a positive team culture while ensuring student success academically and competitively.

REPORTS TO: Athletic Director

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

Program Development & Management:

- Establish and oversee the structure and competitive play of the college's E-Sports program.
- Develop training schedules and practice routines to enhance player performance.
- Identify and implement strategies to improve team competitiveness.

Recruitment & Player Development:

- Recruit and maintain eligible student-athletes.
- Scout and recruit prospective student-athletes to join the program.
- Mentor players in both game strategy and teamwork.
- Monitor student-athletes' academic progress and provide guidance for maintaining eligibility.

Competition & Event Coordination:

- Register and coordinate participation in collegiate E-Sports leagues and tournaments.
- Schedule and organize matches, scrimmages, and team-building activities.
- Manage live-streaming and social media presence to enhance program visibility.

Administrative Duties:

- Maintain compliance with college policies and E-Sports governing bodies.
- Prepare and manage the team's budget, equipment, and gaming facilities.
- Collaborate with IT staff to maintain gaming hardware, software, and network stability.
- Appropriately manage the overall program budgets: scholarship, travel and equipment
- Manage aspects of the program including handling of all equipment and transportation to and from contests.

- Schedule and attend all contests as approved by the Director of Athletics. Must travel
 with the team unless alternate arrangements have been approved, in advance, by the
 Director of Athletics.
- Work with Facilities Management, and Director of Athletics to secure facility rentals when appropriate.
- Promote the academic success of student-athletes
- Attend all scheduled coaching staff meetings unless excused by the Director of Athletics in advance.

Work Environment & Expectations:

- Ability to work flexible hours, including evenings and weekends for practices and competitions.
- Travel may be required for tournaments and recruitment efforts.
- Ability to engage and inspire students while fostering a culture of sportsmanship and inclusivity.
- Demonstrate excellent/strong organizational and communication skills
- Demonstrate strong teaching/coaching skills
- Strong interpersonal skills with students
- Ability to provide feedback, support and encouragement to students
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in a related field (preferred) or equivalent experience in E-Sports coaching/management.
- Strong knowledge of competitive E-Sports titles (e.g., League of Legends, Overwatch, Valorant, Rocket League, etc.).
- Previous coaching or playing experience at a collegiate or professional level preferred.
- Strong leadership, communication, and organizational skills.
- Understanding of NCCAA, NJCAA, NACE, or other collegiate E-Sports regulatory requirements is a plus.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships.

Additional Information:

Employment at Clinton College is contingent upon a background check that is satisfactory to the College. Failure to provide written authorization for a background check will nullify the offer of employment.

Application Instructions:

Applications should include a cover letter and resume and must be sent, preferably in PDF format, to humanresources@clintoncollege.edu. The subject line of the email should read "Head E-Sports Coach/Coordinator". The process will continue until the position is filled.

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