

Information Sheet and Nomination Process European Coach Developer Academy Training Course 2022

Course dates:

In person 5-day course from 9am Monday, 28 November to 1pm Friday, 2 December 2022 with online work in October/November 2022.

Location: Warsaw, Poland

THE ROLE OF THE COACH DEVELOPER

Coach Developers are working to become experts in coach learning who educate and support coaches and are leaders in the delivery of coach education for their sport, coaching organization, or higher education institution. Coach Developers have been trained in key skills such as learner-centred teaching, group facilitation skills, coach observation and mentoring.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COURSE

The course will bring together up to 25 participants from across Europe who have considerable coaching knowledge and expertise and are committed to developing coaches within their sport delivery system in able-bodied and/or para-sport. Building on their specific coaching knowledge and experience, candidates will learn key coach developer skills:

- Skills and strategies for supporting coaches in practice
- How to observe and to provide feedback to coaches
- How coaches learn: teaching and learning principles
- Facilitation skills
- How to design learner-centred activities
- Reflection skills and strategies
- Coach assessment skills
- Mentoring skills

Candidates for the European Coach Developer Course should have the following background:

1. A minimum of 5 years coaching experience.
2. A strong interest in developing coaches (as distinct from coaching athletes).
3. Endorsement of their organization (sport federation, club, coaching organization, university etc.)

They are expected to have as part of their background considerable content knowledge in the sport or discipline they teach to coaches, and this course will help them enhance their effectiveness as teachers and increase the impact of their coaching program in developing excellent coaches.

The language of instruction will be English.

Course fee: This course is subsidized as part of the Erasmus+ European Coach Developer Academy project. The registration fee for participants is €200; this includes the five-day in-person course, pre-course e-modules and webinars, all materials and accommodation at the conference hotel in Warsaw, arriving Sunday 27 November and departing Friday 2 December. Successful applicants will be invoiced following their selection.

Those wishing to apply for the course should complete and submit the registration form in [Application Form | ECDA \(e-cda.eu\)](https://www.e-cda.eu). Applicants are responsible for securing a letter of endorsement from their nominating organization (e.g. club, national or international federation, university etc); these letters should be forwarded to ICCE, c/o Karen Livingstone k.livingstone@icce.ws prior to the closing date.

Closing date for nominations is June 20th, 2022. Successful candidates will be informed of their selection by July 15th, 2022.

**Individuals applying to attend the European Coach Developer Academy
Training Course
Warsaw, Poland, 28 November – 2 December 2022**

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**Endorsement Letter from Nominating Organizations
for applicants to the European Coach Developer Academy Training Course
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Please provide a letter of endorsement on your organization's letterhead for your nomination to the European Coach Developer Academy Training Course 2022.

Letters should provide details on the roles the applicant plays in developing and supporting coaches in your organization, and your assessment of the applicant's potential future contribution in this area.

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