



Alessandro Pappalardo

Technical Director

Details

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Links

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Skills

Leadership



Communication Skills



Adaptability



Strategic Planning



Ability to Work in a Team



Languages

English

Profile

With over 30 years of playing and coaching experience, I bring a wealth of expertise and a clear vision to the role of Technical Director. My soccer philosophy emphasizes an attractive, offensive style of play and a developmental approach tailored to individual growth at younger ages, seamlessly transitioning to unit and team dynamics for older players. I have a proven track record of mentoring coaches, fostering strong team culture, and implementing structured frameworks that drive player performance and program success. Committed to safety, inclusivity, and a positive environment, I am confident in my ability to lead and elevate your soccer program to new heights.

Employment History

Technical Lead , Chinooks Soccer Club

Apr 2000 – Present Calgary

- Developed the Technical Plan, game model, and club playing philosophy for ages U13 and up to meet CSA application requirements.
- Provided coach support and training for tactical and player management.
- Ensured fidelity to the club's overall Technical Plan.
- Led the video analysis program and authored the club Technology Plan for CSA applications.
- Directed team-building initiatives and made evaluation decisions.
- Collaborated with the Director of Operations for team head coach placements and scheduling team meetings.
- Conducted regular check-ins with team coaches to address issues that arose.
- Acted as the technical lead for the skills center and academy programs.
- Head coach for various Tier 1 teams.

Technical Lead Coach , Calwest Soccer Club

Nov 2017 – Apr 2020 Calgary

- Supervised and led female programming efforts across U9 to U13 age groups.
- Aligned all programs with organizational goals and values.
- Developed structured development pathways for female athletes, ensuring continuous skill progression.
- Designed and implemented best practice training methodologies tailored to each age group.
- Regularly assessed and improved training methods to maximize athlete development.
- Served as Camp Director, overseeing daily operations for camps, clinics, and events.
- Maintained a safe, inclusive, and enjoyable environment for participants.
- Communicated effectively with participants and families, providing program information and updates.

Technical Lead Coach / Director of Camps, Global Premier Soccer USA

May 2016 – Nov 2017 Portland

- Coached and led various programs, including: Centre of Excellence, Fundamental Movement Skills, and Competitive Teams. Small Sided Games, Ball Striking Program, Position-Specific Program. Elite Camps, Team Camps, Start-of-Season Camps. U4-U18 Recreational and Developmental Programs.
- Ensured high-quality coaching, skill development, and player safety during sessions.
- Generated and maintained accurate participant rosters.
- Collaborated on staffing schedules, ensuring clarity in roles and responsibilities.
- Oversaw daily operational management of all camps.

Education

Catholic University of Sacred Heart , Sports Science

Sep 2007 – Jan 2011 Milano

Undergraduate

Courses

Learning Facilitator , Canada Soccer

Jan 2024 – Present

UEFA A, Irish FA

Aug 2023

National B License, Canada Soccer

Jun 2022

Children License , Canada Soccer

May 2024

Youth License, Canada Soccer

Apr 2022

Video Analysis, International School of Video Analysis

Oct 2024

Video Match Course, SICS Video Analysis

Nov 2023

FIFA Diploma in Football Medicine , FIFA

Mar 2021

Futsal Level 1 Diploma , United Soccer Coaches

Aug 2019

USSF D License , NSCCA

Nov 2017

Opposition Analysis, Talent Identification, Technical Scouting in football,
Professional Football Scout Association PFSA

May 2021