



German Badminton Association is one of the largest European Badminton federations with approx. 170,000 members. For the national elite training center in Saarbrücken, we are looking as soon as possible, latest from 1st of September 2025 for a

National Coach doubles/mixed

The full-time position is currently planned until 31.12.2028, with the aim of long-term employment. The salary will be agreed on the basis of the respective qualifications and the available financial resources of the association. The place of employment is Saarbrücken.

Objectives

At the federal base in Saarbrücken, the best German doubles/mixed players (Olympic squad, perspective squad) are centrally located in an elite training group, whose athletes train with the aim of reaching and being the best in the world, i.e. training for success at the Olympic Games, World/European Championships and world ranking tournaments.

The main objective for the coach is to work with the coaching team to develop the base culture in a recognizable way towards the above-mentioned goals. In doing so, the coach should contribute to the continuous development of elite sport personalities and world-class training standards at the base and act as a role model and team player.

Main tasks and responsibilities

- Coordination of all coaching tasks of the elite doubles squad (plus sparring) in collaboration with the other national coach doubles/mixed
- Responsible for the planning, implementation and management of training and competition measures for this group around the world
- Responsible for implementing the framework training plans into discipline-specific and individual training plans for men's doubles, women's doubles and mixed doubles
- Creation of discipline concepts
- Collaboration with the junior pathway area (doubles discipline pipeline)
- Guidance for the formation of doubles/mixed pairings
- Close cooperation with external experts for e.g. video, science, medicine, physiotherapy

Qualifications/requirements

- BWF Level 3 or a comparable (foreign) coaching qualification or Diplomtrainer or A-license for German applicants
- Several years of successful coaching experience at international level as a leading coach
- Leadership qualities not only in his/her field of expertise, but also in managing the working environment in the group with athletes and other coaches and supporting staff
- Role model and team player, experience and willingness to work closely and constructively with the coaching team
- German language skills desired (if not we have possible support options for learning German)
- Very good written and spoken English language skills

Our offer

- A responsible, varied area of responsibility with many creative opportunities in a motivated working environment
- 30 days vacation plus public holiday and weekend compensation
- Appropriate remuneration on a negotiated basis within the framework of the association's financial resources
- Opportunities for mobile working

If you are interested in this position, please send your informative application documents including salary expectations in one document (pdf) by e-mail to the national head coach, Hannes Käsbauer, and the national training center manager/Saarbrücken, Martin Kranitz, by 31.05.2025 at the latest.

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