

Poland Rugby League – Head Coach Vacancy

The board of Poland Rugby League (Polska Rugby XIII) are inviting applications for the role of Head Coach for the national team.

Established in 2015, Polska Rugby XIII has made great progress introducing the sport to the country. With three registered clubs, the focus for 2022 is to establish a fourth club and complete a full 13-a-side domestic competition.

The International programme is scheduled to take place during the autumn and in 2022 Poland has ambitions of playing a minimum of two international fixtures.

The ideal candidate will have experience in planning and delivering performance programmes but most importantly will have a good understanding of Rugby League development and player development at a grass roots level.

This is not a typical performance coaching role, the majority of players in Poland have very little experience playing Rugby League. This is a development role and the board are looking for someone who is passionate about Rugby League development and understands the challenges involved in coaching a developing nation.

This is a voluntary position and applicants should assume that they may have to cover their own expenses. These will be covered when possible.

The ideal candidate will;

- Be a qualified Rugby League Coach (Minimum Level 2)
- Have experience coaching teams in performance environments
- Have designed and implemented development plans in a Rugby League context
- Have experience coaching players new to the sport.
- Has a good understanding of European Rugby League.
- Be based in Europe
- Have flexibility to travel to Poland and other European countries when required.
- Have experience coaching a developing nation (Not essential)
- Be a Polish speaker (Not essential)

To apply for the role please email a cover letter and brief coaching CV to James Szymik Jamesszymik@hotmail.com

Applications will close on **Monday January 31st.**