

Sport Science / Strength and Conditioning Interns (3 positions)

Organisation: University of Birmingham SPORT

Salary: Unpaid although part-time casual work may be available depending on candidate suitability

Location: University of Birmingham

Type of contract: Fulltime; 3-12 months

Job Description

University of Birmingham SPORT is expanding its work experience programme to undergraduate students who wish to take a sandwich year or in exceptional circumstances graduates.

Placements are offered on a 3-12 month contract in the areas of strength and conditioning and sports physiology. Full training and support will be provided including developing you towards accreditation with the UKSCA or BASES.

Due to the anticipated high numbers of applications you should be able to demonstrate experience of developing the performance of sports people. Supplementary qualifications (such as UKSCA or BASES workshops) would also be beneficial.

The successful applicants will work alongside professionals delivering support to elite student athletes in their chosen specialist area. As skills develop, they will be able to work unsupervised on mini-research projects and with their own squad or athlete. They will also work closely in an interdisciplinary support environment; observing and working alongside physiotherapists, nutritionists and psychologists.

How to apply

Email CV and letter of application to Eleanor Jones, Senior Sport Scientist (e.jones.2@bham.ac.uk).

Closing date: 30/06/2009

Interview dates: 14 July 2009