



## Head of Top Hockey Development @ hockeyclub Indiana

We welcome applications for the high-impact dual role of **Head of Top Hockey Development @ Indiana Hockey Academy** and a **First Team Assistant Coach (T2)**. We look for a passionate and seasoned hockey professional who thrives on inspiring and energizing players and colleagues. You will be part of the Sport Department led by the Director of Sports. This position offers a unique opportunity to shape the technical skills of our youth players, while supporting a First Team competing at the national level.

### Why Indiana?

Indiana is a mature and established Belgian legacy hockey club of 1200 players, boasting a proud tradition of excellence and community engagement. With a history of nurturing talent and promoting sportsmanship, we are a cornerstone of hockey culture in Belgium. We strive to be a leading sports club offering an inclusive and supportive community where members of all ages and abilities can excel and grow. Our core values — Respect, Team Spirit, Personal Development and Excellence — drive us to create a safe, dynamic and empowering space for both competitive and recreational players to thrive. At hockeyclub Indiana, you'll find the perfect balance of challenge, growth and opportunities to make your mark.

### What We're Looking For?

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#### Responsibilities:

- Develop and strengthen the technical skills of our youth players.
- Design and implement comprehensive training plans (HockeyFood alike)
- Collaborate effectively within the Sport Department, led by the Director of Sports, with professional colleagues and trainers, of all ages and experience levels.
- Stay updated on hockey techniques and tactics to enhance player development.
- Coaching 1 youth team (> U12) on Saturday.

#### Requirements:

- Fluent in Dutch, French, or English.
- Minimum 15 hours/week, max 28hours/week commitment, including evening training sessions and weekend matches (morning or afternoon).
- Proven experience in hockey training and youth player development.
- Energetic and inspiring, to fostering growth in a positive environment.

## Assistant Coach (T2) Men's or Woman's first team

### **Responsibilities:**

- Support the Head Coach (T1) in managing a First Team.
- Contribute to communication, leadership, strategy, team management and video analysis.

### **Requirements:**

- Minimum 10 hours/week commitment, including evening training sessions and weekend matches.
- Certified Initiator or higher.
- Ability to motivate and inspire a diverse team of local players, professionals and internationals.
- Foster a collaborative and constructive environment alongside the Head Coach (T1).

### **What We Offer?**

These roles provide unique opportunities to make a lasting impact on two vital pillars of our hockey club:

1. Developing the next generation of hockey talent @ Indiana Hockey Academy
2. Driving national success with our First Team

We are committed to supporting your growth and creating a fulfilling career journey. We offer:

- Attractive salaries within a financially stable hockey club.
- Long-term career opportunities.

If only one of the two functions is possible, we can also consider this (half-time contract). Preference for a full time.

Please note that accommodation is not included in this position.

You must hold the right to work in Belgium through a valid work permit or residence permit. We are unable to sponsor visa or work permit applications for this position.

### **Confidentiality**

We ensure that every application will be treated with the utmost confidentiality, safeguarding the privacy of all candidates.

### **Ready to Lead?**

If you are driven by a passion for hockey, leadership, and personal development, we would love to hear from you. Please send your CV and a motivation letter at earliest convenience, but no later than 17 March 2025, to [president@thc-indiana.be](mailto:president@thc-indiana.be)

