

The University of Manchester Men's Futsal Coach

School/Service	UoM Sport
Location	Sugden Sports Centre, 114 Grosvenor Street, Manchester
Contract Type	Service Level Agreement
Grade	Pay range £2400 - £3600 per Season Sep-May – dependent on attendance at away and cup/ trophy Fixtures
Hours	2 x 1.5-hour training sessions per week (Tuesday 21:00-22:30; Thursday 20:30-22:00) Attendance at all home fixtures minimum – Sundays
Starting Date	September 2026

Job Details

The University of Manchester has over 16,000 students and staff taking part in organised sport and physical activity through the University. The University recognises the importance of an active lifestyle in both the experiences that these opportunities provide our audiences as well as the positive impact that they have on their wellbeing. Delivery of our sport and physical activity strategy is through UoM Sport which is based across our campuses primarily in Fallowfield at the Armitage Sports Centre and in Manchester University Students' Union on Oxford Road. Our activities take place across the city utilising a range of city facilities in supporting our community being active and promoting physical activity opportunities through our facilities and programmes.

The post holder will deliver quality coaching, management, organising, delivering and monitoring performance to the University of Manchester's Futsal Club and increase their performance in British Universities and Colleges Sport (BUCS). This role will be responsible for the coaching and management of the performance level players within the club. The 1st team will be playing in the BUCS 2nd Division and are looking to compete for the division title and promotion back to tier 1.

Main Duties & Responsibilities

- Deliver an effective coaching programme that helps improve the performance and experience of playing members.
- Attend and manage BUCS fixtures of the 1st team and club training sessions on Tuesday and Thursday nights.
- Lead the club with input from team captain (and other coaches where appropriate) to select playing squad and maintain a transparent selection processes and pathways between squads. This will require attendance at trials.
- Analyse match performance and provide feedback and actions as appropriate.
- Mentor student coaches within the club and offer support where appropriate to members who wish to undertake coaching qualifications or opportunities within the Coaching Pathway.
- Provide regular information and status reports, as agreed with the Coach and Club Development Coordinator, on team and club performance and progress.
- Work closely with the Representative Sport Coordinator and committee members to assist with the development of the Futsal at The University of Manchester.
- Ensure all sessions comply with Health and Safety.
- Work within an equal opportunities framework.

Application Process:

Please send a copy of your **CV** and a **cover letter** (stating how you meet the role criteria) to:

kyle.cherry@manchester.ac.uk

Closing date : 17th July 2026

Interviews week beginning : 27th July 2025

For informal any queries regarding this role please contact Kyle Cherry at the email address listed above.

Person Specification

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UoM Sport are looking for people who are outgoing and highly motivated. The person specification below indicates the essential and desirable attributes that an individual must demonstrate to be considered for the post. Please note that covering letters should be written in way that demonstrates how the applicant meets each of the attributes. **Applicants will be shortlisted if they demonstrate how they meet all the essential attributes. The desirable attributes are not necessary to be shortlisted but are considered to be advantageous.**

	Essential	Desirable	Method of Assessment
Qualifications/Education			
Hold a Level 2 Futsal Coaching or a UEFA C Football (Level 2) coaching qualification			
Hold a fitness/S&C related qualification (i.e. SAQ)			
Possess a Safeguarding and Protecting Children in Sport certificate			
Recognised First Aid Qualification			
Hold or are working towards a level 3 coaching qualification			
Experience and Knowledge			
Relevant and demonstrable experience of coaching competitive Futsal at performance level			
Experience of working with young adults			
Relevant and demonstrable experience of mentoring, supporting and encouraging coaches			
Understanding and awareness of modern coaching techniques and practices suited to student athletes			
Skills			
Excellent communication and interpersonal skills			
Excellent motivational skills			
Ability to plan, develop and deliver high quality coaching sessions			
Excellent planning and organisational skills			
Ability to produce reports and use IT software for monitoring and evaluating purposes			
Ability to monitor and evaluate own coaching performance			
Other			
Performance driven with a can do approach			
Must be able to work evenings, and Sundays			
Be available to travel around the country to attend BUCS fixtures/events			

Hold a valid DBS or willing to undertake			
Committed to equal opportunities			
An understanding of Health and Safety and safeguarding procedures			