**Expression of Interest: Rowing Sport Scientist**

Are you dedicated to developing the next generation of rowing champions? We invite passionate and committed individuals to express their interest in the position of Rowing Sport Scientist at Rowing Australia’s Reinhold Batschi National Training Centre in Canberra.

**Position Overview:**

This is an excellent opportunity for an aspiring sport scientist to enhance our high-performance rowing programs in Canberra. Under the guidance of the Senior Rowing Scientist, you will work closely with athletes and support coaches to provide cutting-edge, science-based support. Your responsibilities will include:

* Monitoring athlete health, availability, and daily readiness through direct interactions, data review, and collaboration with coaches, physiotherapists and rowing science teams
* Deploying and managing training equipment (e.g., GPS, telemetry, HR monitors) to ensure precise data collection during training sessions.
* Facilitating training sessions by updating attendance, crew lists, and equipment usage, and working with injured athletes on modified programs.
* Managing databases and ensuring correct tagging and upload of performance data to central systems.
* Analysing physiological and biomechanical data, assisting in performance reviews, and communicating findings to coaches in partnership with the Senior Rowing Scientist.
* Supporting a multidisciplinary performance team which includes strength and conditioning sessions, injury prevention strategies, and comprehensive athlete record maintenance.

**Ideal Candidate:**

* Recent graduate with a degree in Sports Science, Exercise Physiology, Biomechanics, or a related field.
* Demonstrated interest in rowing and athlete development.
* Experience with high-performance teams in a collaborative environment.
* Strong skills in data management and analytics.
* Residency in Canberra or willingness to relocate on short notice.
* Excellent communication and teamwork abilities.
* A commitment to learning and developing within an Olympic sport setting.
* Motivation and drive to support our team in achieving excellence on the world stage.

**Detailed Responsibilities:**

* Meet with coaches, physiotherapists, and doctors to discuss athlete availability and check-ins.
* Conduct face-to-face morning monitoring and complete HR data review.
* Prepare necessary equipment, including GPS and telemetry, for training sessions.
* Ensure accurate data collection and update training sessions in relevant systems.
* Collaborate with injured athletes and participate in data collection activities on and off the water.
* Manage and analyse diverse data sources to provide insights for performance improvement.
* Maintain accurate athlete data across platforms and contribute to comprehensive performance documentation.
* Engage in collaborative performance improvement initiatives with the wider Performance Team.
* Assist with injury management and prevention strategies.
* Provide detailed performance reports and insights alongside the Senior Rowing Scientist.
* Participate in performance meetings focused on athlete progress and program evolution.

**Job Requirements:**

* Bachelor’s degree (or better) in exercise science or related field.
* Willingness to accommodate early mornings and high-performance training schedules.
* Ability to travel domestically and internationally as required, up to four months per year.
* Australian citizenship and a valid driver’s license.
* Current and valid Working with Vulnerable People certification.
* ESSA certification.

**Remuneration**: Approximately $75,000 – $79,000 per annum plus industry standard superannuation, computer and phone allowance.

**How to Express Your Interest**: To apply, please send your expression of interest, including a brief CV and cover letter that outlines your enthusiasm for rowing and sports science, to Dr. Tony Rice, Senior Rowing Scientist, Rowing Australia at [trice@rowingaustralia.com.au](mailto:trice@rowingaustralia.com.au) by Friday 13 June.