



Call for Long Term Player Development (LTPD) Champions

As we continue to make exciting new strides in the implementation of the CSA's LTPD philosophy and structure at the OSA, more new opportunities are sprouting for people to get involved.

On the heels of the addition of our Learning Facilitators to the OSA family, we are now in search for personable and enthusiastic people with experience in presenting and facilitating to be trained as **LTPD Champions**. These ambassadors will need to be passionate and eager to promote the new direction in technical development and be a part of the ongoing education and consultation of LTPD in Ontario.

This new team will have the ability to address, relate and consult key audiences within the OSA's membership. This appointment will appeal to those who relish being involved in a collaborative setting and want to see first-hand the implementation of the technical side of the game. All members across Ontario from the field to the boardroom will need to be well-informed in this ever changing environment.

OSA will be looking for the following skill set and experience from interested candidates:-

- Strong facilitation skills
- Proficiency in delivering presentations
- High level of professionalism and integrity
- Ability to quickly grasp key LTPD concepts and messages
- Relate to a range of different audiences

There will be the opportunity to participate in other potential projects related to LTPD with external partners. In addition, geographic representation will be a consideration in this process to provide the best service to our customers.

OSA's expectation of LTPD Champions will be commitment to annual development and training and a minimum of 4 presentation or facilitations sessions per year.

We are excited about offering this new opportunity to add to the OSA 'lineup'. Our Champions will be a vital line of communication for the OSA Technical Department to the communities across Ontario.

These Champion positions are open to anyone new or currently a part of the LTPD project. An equal opportunity will be given to all candidates.

Individuals who are interested in expressing their interest in becoming a LTPD Champion are asked to forward their name together with an updated resume to:

jobs@soccer.on.ca no later than Wednesday, Feb 8th, 2012 at 5:00 pm

The OSA was founded in 1901 and is the largest provincial sports organization in Canada with over 650 Clubs servicing some 24,000 teams with 380,000 registered players, 70,000 coaches and managers, 10,000 referees and countless volunteers, parents and supporters comprising a direct, multi-cultural community of over 1,000,000 Ontarians. The Association develops, supports and delivers programs and services throughout Ontario in partnership with grassroots communities, district associations, municipal, provincial and national governments, university, college, school and provincial soccer organizations. An overall goal of The OSA is to assist with the development of soccer as a healthy lifestyle choice which encourages community involvement at all levels.
