



NORTHAMPTON SAINTS RFC

ANALYSIS STUDENTSHIP OR INTERNSHIP

JOB DESCRIPTION

Working within
Analysis Department

BACKGROUND:

We are looking for an additional member of the Analysis department at Northampton Saints. This is an exciting opportunity, ideal for a Masters level student or keen analyst looking for a paid placement in Rugby Union. The successful candidate will be required to work predominantly on Mondays and Tuesdays but also including weekends and evenings in line with the fixture schedule. Working as part of the Analysis department, the successful candidate will be expected to contribute to the development of new strategies and resources.

MAIN OPPORTUNITIES:

- Obtain financial assistance in the completion a post-graduate qualification
- Opportunity to learn alongside an established Analysis Team committed to developing skills
- Exposure to workflows throughout the analysis process
- Practical experience with industry leading analysis software and technology
- Access to resources to assist with research projects
- First hand exposure to the high-performance environment

PERSON SPECIFICATIONS:

- Long term commitment to establishing a career in performance analysis
- Excellent communicator and engaging personality, the post holder will enjoy networking with other people
- Driven, with the capacity to approach problems creatively
- Excellent personal time management skills, able to focus on priorities in the face of tight deadlines
- A good team player, willing to take on other team roles when required
- Enthusiastic approach to learning in a practical setting whilst demonstrating confidence in own professional ability
- Strong organizational skills
- Valid driving license is required

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE:

- A minimum 2:1 qualification at degree level (or equivalent) with evidence of Performance Analysis Study
- Experience in using Digital Video cameras for team sports
- Competence in the use of software and analysis packages to present information
- Prior analysis experience within a team environment
- Experience of working with Apple Mac computers is desirable

SPORTSMANSHIP - PRIDE - INNOVATIVE - RESPECT - INTEGRITY - TEAM WORK

- Knowledge of Rugby Union is an advantage

OTHER:

The role description, person specification, role grade and role title may be subject to change at the discretion of Northampton Saints and in accordance with business developments. Any changes will be communicated to the role holder as appropriate.

Northampton Saints is an equal opportunities employer and would welcome applications from a fully diverse range of candidates, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, sexual orientation, faith or disability.

All role holders must maintain an appropriate standard of confidentiality. Any disclosures of confidential information (including personal information kept on computer or other media) made unlawfully outside the proper course of duty will be treated as a serious disciplinary offence.

This role is subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure check.

APPLICATION:

Please submit a CV and covering letter to RossAppleton@northamptonsaints.co.uk. Closing date 21st June. Please note that only successful applicants will be contacted. Interviews to be held in July 2019.

Applicants can also apply by post to:

Ross Appleton
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Salary: £6,000-£8,000 depending upon experience and start date.