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OBJECTIVE

To leverage my extensive experience and passion for athletics to excel in a managerial role. As a motivated professional, I am dedicated to consistently increasing the teams' performance and fostering a strong sense of spirit, ultimately contributing to the overall success and growth of the organization.

EXPERIENCE

- 8/2001 - present **OAKLAND CHRISTIAN - DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS & COACH**
- Oversee the day-to-day management and vision casting for the development of the entire athletic department from elementary to high school.
 - Duties include but are not limited to game and facility scheduling, budget planning and implementation, financial tracking, fundraising, volunteers, travel, and hiring, supervising, and evaluating all varsity coaches.
 - Past coaching duties included but were not limited to philosophy development and implementation, practice planning, camp organization, player development, academic monitoring, spiritual development, game bench coaching, and travel.
- 8/2014 - present **BASKETBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION OF MICHIGAN - AST. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**
- As the Assistant Executive Director and Executive Board Member, I help set the direction of the association and serve as the liaison between BCAM and USA Basketball to grow the relationship between the organizations.
 - As Co-Chairman of the Annual Coaches Clinic, I manage the administrative and financial aspects of the clinic and Hall of Fame Banquet.
 - As Region 2 Director, I obtain nominations for coach of the year, all-state, and reaching higher candidates and represent my region at the committee meetings.
 - Serve as a member of the NHSBCA Extended Board as the Director of the Coaches Summit
- 8/2000 - 3/2005 **OAKLAND UNIVERSITY - ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT COACH**
- Performed in-game bench duties and post-game media requests on gamedays.
 - Supervision of student-athletes
 - Completed office projects assigned by the head coach.
- 8/1996 - 8/2001 **SPRINGFIELD CHRISTIAN ACADEMY - AST. ATHLETIC DIRECTOR & COACH**
- Held the positions of Assistant Athletic Director, teacher, and coach.
 - Coaching duties with years of experience: Boys' varsity basketball coach (3), boys' varsity assistant basketball coach (2), boys' varsity assistant soccer coach (2), girls' varsity soccer coach
 - FBAC Conference Commissioner (1), FBAC Division President (2)

EDUCATION

- July 2001 **UNITED STATES SPORTS ACADEMY**
Masters of Sports Science in Coaching
Graduated with Honors
- May 1996 **NORTHLAND INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY**
Bachelors of Science, Elementary Education
4 years - Intercollegiate Soccer; 2 years - Intercollegiate Basketball
(Soccer) All-American, First Team - 1993, 1995; NCCAA Champions - 1993

AWARDS

DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS:

- MIAAA Regional Athletic Director of the Year 2017

COACH:

- MHSCA Distinguished Service Award, 2023
- Rising Coaches Certificate of Recognition, 2021, 2022
- BCAM Thomas Hursey Distinguished Service Award, 2021
- NABC Merit Award, 2017
- MIAC Coach of the Year, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2014, 2019
- North Oakland Sports Coach of the Year, 2011
- Oakland County Dream Team Coach of the Year, 2008

TEAM:

- MHSAA Boys' Basketball Regional Champions, 2008
- MHSAA Boys' Basketball District Champions, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2017, 2018, 2019
- MIAC Girls' Basketball Conference Champions, 2019
- MIAC Boys' Basketball Conference Champions, 2008, 2009, 2011
- MACS State Boys' Basketball Champion, 2000
- FBAC Boys' Basketball Conference Champion, 2000
- Academic All-State, 2007 (1st), 2008 (6th), 2021 (8th), 2022, 2023 (2nd)
- Academic All-State Honorable Mention, 2005, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2020

CERTIFICATES, LICENSES & MEMBERSHIPS

- USA Basketball Gold Certified Coach
- National Association of Basketball Coaches PDS-Certified – 2017-Present
- National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association – Certified Athletic Administrator
- Association of Christian School International – Athletic Director Certification
- MHSAA Coaches Advancement Program – Intermediate Level
- Commercial Driver License: Class B, Endorsements P, S
- FIBA – World Association of Basketball Coaches Member
- National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC)
- Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan (BCAM)
- National High School Basketball Coaches Association (NHSBCA)
- Michigan Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (MIAAA)
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