



## Position Description

### Macquarie University Australian Football Club

**TITLE:** Head of Women's Football

**KEY LINKS:** President, Committee, Coaches, Head of Strength and Conditioning, Players

**DIRECT REPORTS:** Assistant Coaches

**EMPLOYMENT TYPE:** Part-time

#### **POSITION SCOPE:**

The role will work to coach and develop the Macquarie University Australian Football Club women's program to perform consistently at their highest level.

#### **POSITION PURPOSE:**

- Ensure ongoing duty of care and football development of all women's players relating to on and off field development
- Drive the delivery of the women's football program and continue to raise standards to be competitive in the Premier Division competition, and strengthen development pathways from junior level right the way through to AFLW
- Training design, set up and review
- Provide leadership and best practices in football program development and coaching

#### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:**

##### **Culture & Leadership**

- Demonstrate leadership of the club's values (Unity, Grit, Community) both within the women's program and across the club

##### **Stakeholder Relationships**

- Maintain a comprehensive knowledge of all AFL Rules and Regulations, including the requirements of AFL Sydney by-laws
- Develop and foster relationships within the women's program, as well as the wider club

##### **Operational Execution**

**Premier Division Head Coach**

- Coach Premier Division team on gameday
- Work closely with AFL Sydney, Swans and Giants to continue strong pathways from Premier Division football up to AFLW level

#### **Training, design, preparation and analysis**

- Drive delivery of club women's program
- Development of women's football pathways in AFL Sydney
- Training drill design and delivery
- Coordinate, set-up and execute training drills
- Video analysis and individual training and game analysis

#### **KEY COMPETENCIES:**

- High energy level, ability to effectively apply knowledge with strong desire to achieve
- Football program planning across 1-3 year timeframe
- Ability to drive positive culture and engagement among the playing group
- Great communication skills with the playing group and football committee
- Ability to implement game plans and structures
- Support and mentor other women's program coaches
- Willingness and ability to develop players of various abilities and experience

All coaches expressing their interest must have at least their Level 1 coaching accreditation, preferably working towards or completed Level 2 accreditation and a valid Working with Children Check. Previous coaching experience at high level of community/state/rep football is preferred.

Applications, as well as any questions or enquiries, should be submitted to Club President Kristian Purdie at [kristian.purdie@gmail.com](mailto:kristian.purdie@gmail.com).