

Welsh Gymnastics are excited to announce the introduction of a 'Coach Scholarship' programme, starting in April 2020. The Scholarship programme is being launched with the aim to; identify, develop and support coaching expertise across all stages of athlete development, in line with the WG 2022 'Communities and Champions' Strategy.

Individuals currently involved or interested in coaching on a performance pathway, within an Olympic gymnastics discipline will be eligible to apply to become part of the 2020/21 programme.

Applications will be considered on the following;

- Commitment to the relevant discipline's 'Performance Pathway' in Wales
- Current level of personal gymnasts
- Support of the Welsh programme
- Attendance at Welsh/Area squad sessions
- Attendance at Welsh Gymnastics workshops
- Investment in personal CPD (continuing professional development)

Successful applicants will receive;

- A bespoke individual development plan (April 2020 – April 2021)
- Funding to support the above plan
- Insight from Welsh National Coaching Team (where applicable)
- High Performance Opportunities

Successful applicants will be allocated funding to support their individual development plan from the three categories below, based on the above considerations.

Category 1 – £1000 - £1500

Category 2 – £500 - £1000

Category 3 – <£500

Applicants must be;

- Minimum of 16 years old
- Current WG/BG Member
- Coaching within Wales

The deadline for applications is March 13<sup>th</sup> 2020. Successful candidates will be notified via email the week commencing March 30<sup>th</sup>.

If you have any questions regarding the Coach Scholarship, please email;  
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**Coach Scholarship  
Application Form**

**Name:**

**Club:**

**Discipline:**

**Current level of personal gymnasts:**

**Briefly explain how you have demonstrated commitment and shown support of the Welsh Programme in your particular discipline (Attendance at Welsh/Area Squad, attendance at workshops, invested in your personal CPD)**

**What are your aims and aspirations as a coach? What would you like to achieve?**