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A Scoping Review of Literature on Sport Coach Education Programs: An International Perspective

Ireland

Coach development system

Two systems. The United Kingdom Coaching Certificate (UKCC) is accredited by the Qualifications and Credit Framework. The Coach Development Program for Ireland (CDPI) is in the process of achieving recognized qualification status in the National Framework for Qualifications.

UKCC

- Level 1: Assist more qualified coaches, delivering aspects of coaching sessions, normally under direct supervision.
- Level 2: Prepare for, deliver and review coaching sessions.
- Level 3: Plan, implement, analyse and revise annual coaching programmes.
- Level 4: For 'high performing' coaches; an advanced syllabus of professional education for coaches with considerable experience; it is not exclusive to coaches working in a 'high performance' environment

CDPI

- Introduction level: Fundamental.
- Level 1: Learning to Train.
- Level 2: Training to Train.
- Level 3: Training to Compete.
- Level 4: Training to Win.

Requirements to coach: None. Primarily volunteers. Paid positions are limited to governing bodies of sport and local authorities.

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