

The Regional Center of Gymnastic Excellence in Eastern Switzerland (in Wil, Canton St.Gallen) is one of the Swiss Gymnastics Association's six regional centers of excellence. Our goal is the targeted training and support of talented young gymnasts to prepare them for admission in the Swiss athletic gymnastics cadre and eventually for their transfer to the National Center of Gymnastics Excellence.

„We empassion people for Gymnastics and produce future Olympians“

Our modern and holistic training approach aims to bring our athletes into the Swiss national elite and prepare them for a path into international top-level gymnastics.

We are currently recruiting for the position of

Women's Gymnastics Head Coach (f/m/d)

Main tasks and responsibilities are:

- Technical leadership of the women's gymnastics training program in accordance with the specifications of the Swiss Gymnastics Association
- Contribute state-of-the-art knowledge from top sports research and incorporate into training
- Lead and train the coaching team (assistant coach, ballet coach, junior coach) including detailed alignment on training content
- Actively participate in national and international competitions
- Optimally prepare the gymnasts for the annual Swiss national selection test
- Develop, implement and continuously improve the targeted and strongly individual training programs (short, mid and long term) for the gymnasts aged 8 - 13
- Closely cooperate with the Swiss National Head Coach and the National Center of Gymnastics Excellence in Magglingen
- Proactively collaborate with the local satellite gymnastics clubs and the local gymnastics associations to identify and create a large regional pool of young potential talent
- Organise regional events to spot and select new young talent as well as to exchange knowhow with the local satellite clubs' coaches
- Conduct regular meetings with parents to align on progress and expectations
- Provide support on adjacent topics including injury prevention, nutrition and recreation

Requirements:

- Successfully completed Gymnastics Coaching Diploma (focus on women) at the highest level (in Switzerland this is the Diploma STV3)
- Numerous years successful international experience as Coach in Women's Athletic Gymnastics
- Strong communication abilities, motivational skills and respectful treatment of the athletes
- Enthusiastic for innovative and creative training approaches
- Language skills: German (ideally) or English

Our offer:

- One of the most modern and best equipped gymnastic centers in Switzerland
- A new and competent leadership team with much experience in top level gymnastics with the clear and defined goal of becoming the most attractive and successful regional center of excellence in Switzerland

- Possibility to define, create and implement new innovative training structures for elite women's gymnastics in Eastern Switzerland (St. Gallen, Thurgau, Graubünden, Appenzell)
- Close collaboration with the local Swiss Olympic sports school
- Modern terms of employment
- Assistance in gaining Swiss work permit and relocation support

If this profile sounds like you and the challenge sounds like something for you, then please reach out to us under +41 79 636 73 83 or send your application documents (CV, diplomas, references) to alex.brochier@rlzo.ch

We look forward to hearing from you!

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