



Kelly Giddes

Soccer Coach | Former Professional Player
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Coaching Profile

Experienced soccer coach and former professional player with a strong background in leadership and high-performance environments across youth, high school, academy, and collegiate levels.

Coaching Experience

Assistant Coach – Lynn University Women’s Soccer (Jan 2024 – Present)

- Assist with planning and delivering high-level training sessions focused on technical development, tactical understanding, and match preparation.
- Support game-day responsibilities including opponent scouting, match analysis, and in-game adjustments.
- Mentor student-athletes on performance, leadership, and time management while fostering a competitive and professional team culture.
- Contribute to recruiting efforts through player evaluation, communication, and campus visits.
- Manage and create content for the Lynn University Women’s Soccer social media platforms, promoting the program, highlighting student-athletes, and supporting recruiting visibility and engagement.

Assistant Coach – Saint Andrew’s Varsity Girls Soccer (Sept 2023 – Present)

- Assist in coaching and managing a varsity-level program emphasizing player development, discipline, and team cohesion.
- Lead position-specific training and technical sessions to improve individual and team performance.
- Support match preparation, tactical planning, and player feedback.
- Mentor student-athletes in balancing academics and athletics.

Head Coach – Sporting City 2010 Girls Academy (Sept 2025 – Present)

- Lead all aspects of a competitive girls academy team, including training design, match strategy, and player development plans.
- Develop age-appropriate training sessions emphasizing technical proficiency, decision-making, and soccer IQ.
- Manage communication with players and parents while fostering a positive, high-standards team environment.
- Track player progress and support long-term development within an academy structure.

Professional Playing Experience

Tormenta FC – USL W League | 2022 National Champion
Albania – UEFA Champions League Round of 16 Qualifiers (2022)
Mitchelton FC – Brisbane, Australia (2023)
Lanchkhuti – Georgia | 2024 National Champion (2024–2025)
Kansas City Current II (2025)

Education

Palm Beach Atlantic University – B.A. Sports Broadcasting (2016–2020)
Varsity Women’s Soccer Team Member (2016–2021)
Master’s Degree – Business Leadership (2021–2022)