

# DRAKE A DONOVAN

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*Available for Relocation*

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## ATHLETIC DIRECTOR/LECTURER/COACH

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### ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

*Indiana University*, Master of Science June 1998  
Kinesiology

*Bowling Green State University*, Bachelors of Science May 1994  
Education, Sport Management  
Fitness Specialist

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### PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- ◇ Inspirational Motivator
- ◇ Clear Communicator
- ◇ Win-win Recruiter
- ◇ Compelling Teacher
- ◇ Technically Knowledgeable
- ◇ Adaptable to Change

Responsible for \$200,000+ in scholarships and \$40,000 - 45,000 operating budget, Excellent Organizer with regard to staffing, supervision, scheduling, public relations, academic standards and travel planning.

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### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

*Deucy University*, Springfield, MO 2000 - 2006

#### **Instructor**

Responsible for preparation and instruction of 200 and 400 level courses in the Exercise and Sport Science Department during academic year, as well as Head Women's Soccer Coach.

Courses Taught:

- Senior Seminar in Sport Management (3 cr.) - To provide an in-depth study into specific areas of sport management that will help students meet the demands of post-graduate requirements.
- Fitness for Life (2 cr.) - Emphasis on the basic knowledge, understanding, and value of physical activity. The course is based on the belief that college graduates need to be intelligent consumers and able to make intelligent decisions about physical fitness and wellness throughout their lives.

*2000 Federal International Football Assoc., FIFA, Women's World Cup*, Foxboro, MA Summer - 2000

#### **Supervisor**

Coordinated eight individuals to provide light security, training ground preparation, and liaison communications. Also, FIFA Technical Study Group Statistician - primarily responsible to record statistical data for the USA, Norway, and North Korea to be presented in the final World Cup Technical Report.

*The Fitness Factory*, Indianapolis, IN 1995 - 1999

#### **Owner**

Initiated and operated all aspects of a personal fitness and sport specific training business catering to those desiring in-home training services for sport and leisure.

*Indiana University*, Indianapolis, IN 1994 - 1999

#### **Associate Instructor**

Responsible for preparation and instruction of the following 100 and 200 level courses in the School of HPER

- Coaching of Soccer (1.5 cr) - Theory and methods of coaching soccer; covering technical, administrative, and organizational aspects involved in the process.
- Weight Loss and Exercise (2 cr) - Designed for overweight students, this class stressed the importance of diet and exercise in permanent weight control.
- Principles and Applications of Lifestyle Wellness (3 cr) - This course increased an awareness of and provided instruction pertaining to wellness, and assisted the students with making healthy lifestyle choices.
- Conditioning and Weight Training (1 cr) - Instruction in basic principles of conditioning and weight training.
- Badminton (1 cr) - Instruction in basic skills and techniques of badminton for singles and doubles.
- Basketball (1 cr) - Instruction in fundamental skills of basketball.
- Volleyball (1 cr) - Instruction in fundamental skills of power volleyball.
- Weight Training (1 cr) - Instruction in basic principles and techniques of conditioning using free weights.

*Redvale University, Indianapolis, IN*

1992 - 1994

**Director Athletic Conditioning and University Wellness**

Developed and coordinated university wide wellness program for faculty and staff. Developed and directed athletic conditioning for NCAA Division I athletic program. Responsible for budget, staff supervision, and facility management of 2 fitness facilities.

*National Institute for Fitness and Sport, Indianapolis, IN*

1991 - 1992

**Program Manager/Exercise Specialist**

Developed and coordinated health and fitness activities for the National Wine and Spirits Corporation of Indianapolis. Programs included fitness testing and prescription, educational seminars, health fairs, incentive programs, and assessment.

**PROFESSIONAL COACHING EXPERIENCE**

*Deucy University, Springfield, MO*

2001 - 2006

**Head Women's Soccer Coach**

Academically, teams were excellent, earning NSCAA/Adidas Team Academic Awards in each of five seasons with no less than a cumulative GPA of 3.3. In addition, 18 of the 23 members of the 2005 squad earned All-Great Lakes Valley Conference Academic Awards.

- NCAA Division I, Missouri Valley Conference
- 2003 Recruiting class Ranked 23rd in the Central Region by Soccerbuzz.com
- 2 Missouri Valley Conference Tournament appearances
- 5 NSCAA/Adidas College Team Academic Award
- 16 Missouri Valley Conference All-Conference Selections

*Wentwell College, Boston, MA*

1997 - 2001

**Head Women's Soccer Coach**

Teams won three conference regular season championships and were awarded four NSCAA/Adidas Team Academic Awards.

- 2 Great Northeast Athletic Conference Regular Season Championships
- 1998 Great Northeast Athletic Conference Tournament Champions
- 1998 Great Northeast Athletic Conference Coach of the Year
- 4 NSCAA/Adidas College Team Academic Award
- 28 All-Great Northeast Athletic Conference Selections

*Indiana Crash, Indianapolis, IN*

1997

**Assistant Coach**

United Soccer Leagues, W-League Central Division

*Butler University, Indianapolis, IN*

1995-1996

**Assistant Coach**

NCAA Division I, Midwest Collegiate Conference, Top 25 program

- Coached goalkeepers
- Supervised interns

## COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

United States Olympic Development Programs

### Staff Coach

Duties included talent identification, training, and coaching ODP state teams at regional competitions.

- Staff Coach for the Massachusetts Youth Soccer Association in 1997
- Staff Coach for Indiana Youth Soccer Association from 1993 to 1997
- Staff Coach for Ohio North Youth Soccer Association from 1986 to 1989.

Community and Youth Soccer Programs

### Instructor and Coach

Provided instruction and coaching to youth players ranging in age from 11 to 18 including

- College preparation seminars
- Development and direction of camp programs
- Team training and competitions
- Individual and small group lessons.

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## PLAYING EXPERIENCE

*United States Olympic Festival, Houston, TX* July, 1988

**Goalkeeper**, North Region Team

*Cleveland Force, Moreland Hills, OH* 1986 - 1988

**Goalkeeper**

In addition to the competitive athletic responsibilities, other activities included anti-substance abuse presentations at local schools and soccer clinics.

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## PROFESSIONAL LICENSES

United States Soccer Federation National "A" License June, 1999

NSCAA Advanced National Diploma with Distinction June, 1999

NSCAA - Associate Staff Instructor

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## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS & AWARDS

National Soccer Coaches Association of America

Great Northeast Athletic Conference Women's Soccer Coach of the Year 1999

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## PRESENTATIONS

"Building a Successful Program," Lake of the Ozarks Coaching Seminar 2002

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## COMMITTEES AND OFFICES

**Regional Director/Advisory Board** - *United Soccer Academy, Delray Beach, FL* 1998 - Present

NCAA DIII Women's Soccer Selection Advisory Committee (New England) 2000 - 2001

**Treasurer** - *New England Women's Intercollegiate Soccer Association* 2000 - 2002

**Chair, Women's Soccer** - *Great Northeast Athletic Conference* 1998 - 2000

**Championship's Committee** - *Great Northeast Athletic Conference* 1999 - 2001

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Microsoft Office - Word, Access, Excel, Publisher, Power Point, Outlook