

JAMIE SMITH

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PROFILE

Analytics-driven basketball coach with over 23 years of coaching experience at the high school, university, NBA, and FIBA national team levels of basketball. Experienced talent evaluator, selector, and recruiter with connections across all of Europe's national teams. Dedicated to developing players and providing them with the resources they need to reach their potential and perform at their best.

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA GPA: 3.84	M.S., Applied Physiology & Kinesiology Concentration: Human Performance	2011
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA GPA: 3.95	B.A., Exercise & Sport Science with Highest Distinction Second Major: Psychology	2006
COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO GPA: 4.00	A.A., Physical Education with Honors Second Major: Health Promotion	2002

LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES

★ FIBA COACHING LICENSE	Since 2016
★ ISPAS LEVEL 5 APPLIED SPORTS PERFORMANCE ANALYST	Since 2016
★ FIBA EUROPE COACHING CERTIFICATE (FECC)	Expected 2025

SKILLS

★ SPORTSCODE ELITE	★ SYNERGY	★ ADOBE PHOTOSHOP	★ FASTSCOUT
★ FINAL CUT PRO	★ iMOVIE	★ MICROSOFT OFFICE	★ FASTDRAW

GREAT BRITAIN MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM

Assistant Coach

07/2016 – 09/2023

Responsibilities:

- Provided coaching assistance on the floor in practice and from the bench during games
- Led instruction for specific concepts and drills during practice as delegated by the head coach
- Identified potential national team players and submitted recommendations for national team selection
- Prepared for upcoming opponents by producing detailed scouting reports and strategic game plans
- Served as the primary contact for players in-between FIBA competition windows
- Worked with Kappa and Macron to design national team uniforms and off court apparel for the men's national team

Achievements:

- Qualified for FIBA EuroBasket in 2017 and 2022
- Advanced to the second round of FIBA World Cup Qualifying for the first time in program history
- Longest FIBA winning streak (seven games) in GB Men's National Team history
- Marquee wins over world ranked #6 France, #10 Greece, #17 Germany, and #26 Montenegro
- Longest serving assistant coach in GB Men's National Team history (nine seasons)
- 93 International Caps

UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

Head Men's Basketball Coach

06/2020 – 09/2023

Responsibilities:

- Oversaw the men's basketball program at one of the leading academic institutions in the world
- Utilized effective teaching strategies to enhance individual player development and team performance
- Recruited and selected players who would thrive in a high-performance basketball setting while balancing the academic rigor of an Oxford University education
- Devised practice plans and year-long training schedules to optimize performance
- Scheduled a series of progressively more challenging non-conference games to prepare the team for B.U.C.S. league, National Basketball League (NBL), and the annual Inter-Varsity basketball game vs Cambridge University
- Secured a multi-year sponsorship deal with Kappa.

Achievements:

- 56-23 (0.709) overall record over three seasons
- Winningest coach in University of Oxford men's basketball history
- **2022-23**: 26-17 overall record, most wins since 1993-94, first back-to-back 20-win seasons since 1998-99, first win over Cambridge in The Varsity Game since 2017-18, first win over University of Worcester since 2009-10, first ever win vs Derby, only team to beat Loughborough in BUCS Tier 1 competition
- **2021-22**: 23-3 (.885) overall record, perfect 10-0 record in BUCS league play, first 20+ win season since 1998-99, highest winning percentage since 1998-99, BUCS League champions, BUCS Tier 1 Promotion winners, Oxford University's nomination for BUCS National Coach of the Year (all sports)
- **2020-21**: 7-3 (.700) overall record during shortened Covid-19 season, highest winning percentage since 2010-11

WALES U17 MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM

Head Coach

09/2019 – 09/2023

Responsibilities:

- Coached a cohort of players born in 2006 and 2007 from U14s up to U17s over a four-year period
- Directed all aspects of a junior national team program
- Delegated coaching responsibilities to a team of four assistant coaches
- Responsible for the selection of players for the Wales U17 Men's National Team
- Devised and led practice for the Wales U17 Men's National Team
- Scheduled all fixtures including preparation games and selection of European tournaments
- Led fundraising initiatives to subsidise the cost of overseas tournaments

Achievements:

- 3-2 (.600) overall record over two competitive seasons against other national teams
- International win over rival Scotland at the 2023 U16 Four Nations Tournament in Dublin, Ireland
- 5th Place finish at the 2023 United World Games
- Winners of the 2022 International Challenge Series vs Scotland in Dundee, Scotland

GREAT BRITAIN U16 MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM

Assistant Coach

10/2019 – 09/2022

Responsibilities:

- Provided coaching assistance on the floor in practice and from the bench during games
- Led instruction for specific concepts and drills during practice as delegated by the head coach
- Led individual skill development with post players during national team camps
- Analysed performance in games, created post game video edits, and delivered this information to the team
- Delivered individual feedback to players in one-on-one sessions
- Identified potential national team players and submitted recommendations for national team selection
- Prepared for upcoming opponents by producing detailed scouting reports and strategic game plans

Achievements:

- 2021-22: 10th Place finish at European Championships

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

Director of Basketball Operations

09/2012 – 07/2016

Responsibilities:

- Coordinated all aspects of team travel for an NCAA Division I basketball program
- Responsible for all areas of performance enhancement including nutrition and meal planning
- Served as the liaison for the men's basketball booster club
- Delivered all performance analysis needs and managed game film exchange program
- Analyzed video of opponent games to determine the strategy and tendencies of the opposing team and personnel, and produced video scouts to prepare the team for upcoming opponents
- Created post-game edits for self-evaluation and player development
- Led a spirited campaign to revitalize the student fan base. Doubled average student attendance from 207 to 414 in first season. By fourth season set a new student attendance record of 1,101

Achievements:

- Team Achievements: 2016 Big West League Champions, 2016 Big West Tournament Champions, First NCAA Tournament win in program history (2016), Most wins in program history: 28 (2016), 2015 Big West Tournament Runners-Up, 2012 & 2015 Rainbow Classic Champions,
- Individual Achievements: 2016 H-Awards - Biggest Contribution to University of Hawaii Athletics

BOSTON CELTICS

Assistant Video Coordinator

12/2011 – 09/2012

Responsibilities:

- Worked directly with the defensive coordinator to produce opponent scout and self-scout video edits
- Broke down opponent game film into offensive and defensive clips, and labelled play calls, personnel, and results
- Created post-game edits for self-evaluation and player development
- Utilized Fast Draw and Fast Scout software to create paper based scouting reports
- Responsible for the design, content, and publication of highly detailed playoff scouting books
- Assisted with player development and worked out players before games and practices including putting the NBA's all-time leading three-point shooter Ray Allen through his famous pregame routine
- Managed the NBA Draft board in the Boston Celtics war room on Draft Night
- Served as an assistant coach to Tyronn Lue on the Boston Celtics' NBA Summer League team

Achievements:

2012 NBA Atlantic Division League Champions, 2012 NBA Eastern Conference Finalists

CLEVELAND CAVALIERS

Seasonal Assistant Video Coordinator

09/2010 – 04/2011

Responsibilities:

- Broke down opponent film into offense & defense, and labelled play calls, personnel, and results
- Assisted in the production of video scouts for our upcoming opponents
- Produced minute tapes and highlight tapes of international and college prospects in preparation for the #1 and #4 picks of the 2011 NBA Draft
- Assisted with on court player development and worked out players before and after practice
- Created playbooks, scouting schedules, and other publications for the players and coaching staff
- Scheduled the recording of all televised NBA and NCAA basketball games and maintained a comprehensive video library of NBA, NCAA, and international games

Achievements:

- First ever British National to be named to an NBA coaching staff
- Winner of an iPad from Cleveland Cavaliers Owner Dan Gilbert for most innovative use of an iPad in the workplace across his family of companies.

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

Graduate Assistant for Men's Basketball

08/2009 – 09/2010

Responsibilities:

- Assisted with the day to day operations of an elite NCAA Division I basketball program
- Maintained recruiting database and contact list for all high schools in Florida and Georgia
- Created team playbook and coaching clinic publication using FastDraw software
- Produced innovative recruiting mail-outs, typed up practice plans, monitored class attendance, and performed other administrative duties
- Conducted individual workouts
- Assisted with operations for the Billy Donovan Basketball Camp and annual coaches' clinic

Achievements:

- 2010 NCAA Tournament Participants, 2009 Legends Classic Champions
- Varsity Letter winner
- Three players from the 2009-10 roster went on to play in the NBA: Chandler Parsons, Vernon Macklin, and Eric Murphy

COLLEGE OF WILLIAM & MARY

Director of Basketball Operations

06/2007 – 07/2008

Responsibilities:

- Managed and directed the operation of an NCAA Division I basketball program
- Responsible for all video and statistical analysis of team performance
- Created the "Toughness Index" - a motivational tool that encouraged and rewarded hustle plays
- Directed film exchange program and produced game edits and highlight tapes using Final Cut Pro
- Coordinated team travel and monitored academic progress of student-athletes
- Produced innovative recruiting mail-outs to attract prospective student-athletes
- Designed, purchased, and distributed team apparel and equipment
- Served as camp director for the William & Mary Basketball Camp

Achievements:

- Ended season with most successful record in ten years and advanced to the CAA Championship Final for the first time in school history
- Implemented an improved marketing strategy directed at student fans midway through the season to increase average home attendance 138%. This included a 15-year record attendance of 5,284
- Increased revenue of annual basketball camp 60% from \$15k to \$24k

MONTREAT COLLEGE

Assistant Basketball Coach

08/2006 – 06/2007

Responsibilities:

- Identified, evaluated, and recruited prospective student athletes
- Devised practice plans and led practice when head coach was on the road recruiting
- Directed strength and conditioning program
- Led player development program
- Designed the men's basketball media guide and summer camp brochure

Achievements:

- 2007 AAC Regular Season Champions, 2007 AAC Champions of Character (awarded for sportsmanship), and a school record NAIA national ranking of #11
- Generated campus spirit by founding the "Montreat Maniacs" student fan club

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

Team Manager

10/2004 – 08/2006

Responsibilities:

- Member of a six-person management team responsible for the day to day operations of the nation's premier NCAA basketball program
- Assisted coaches in drills during practice and conducted individual workouts with players including 2006 ACC Freshman of the Year Tyler Hansbrough
- Maintained recruiting files and performed general administrative duties in the men's basketball office
- Promoted walk-on try-outs with "Roy Needs You!" campaign
- Served as a camp counsellor, coach, and assisted with camp operations at the Roy Williams Basketball Camp

Achievements:

- 2005 NCAA National Champions, 2005 ACC Champions, 2005 #1 National Ranking, 2006 ACC Runners-Up, 2006 NCAA Tournament Participants, 2006 #10 National Ranking
- Nine players on the team roster from 2004 to 2006 went on to play for NBA teams: Marvin Williams, Raymond Felton, Sean May, Rashad McCants, Jawad Williams, David Noel, Reyshawn Terry, Tyler Hansbrough, and Danny Green
- Varsity Letter Winner

COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO

Student Assistant Basketball Coach

10/1999 – 05/2002

Responsibilities:

- Assisted head coach with on-court coaching in practices and conducted individual workouts
- Recorded and analysed practice and game statistics
- Coordinated on-campus recruiting efforts
- Aided coaches with game film breakdown and scouting reports
- Oversaw team of student managers

Achievements:

- 1999-2000 SWAC Regular Season Champions, 2000 SWAC Tournament Champions, 2000 NJCAA Tournament Sweet Sixteen, 2000-2001 SWAC Regular Season Runners-Up, 2001 SWAC Tournament Runners-Up
- From 1999 to 2002, 18 players signed with NCAA Division I Schools, with three of those going on to play in the NBA (Smush Parker, Tony Bobbitt, and Yakhouba Diawara)
- Three other players went on to play in the AND1 Mixtape Tour: Cardell Butler (AKA "Ballaholic"), Kenny Brunner (AKA "Bad Santa"), and Jerry Dupree (AKA "The Assassin")

ANDOVER COLLEGE

Head Basketball Coach / Physical Education Instructor

09/1998 – 05/1999

Responsibilities:

- Directed all aspects of a varsity high school basketball program
- Scheduled team travel, games, facility use, and referees
- Taught a physical education class

REFERENCES

Billy Donovan

Head Coach
Chicago Bulls

Tony Shaver

Retired Head Coach
College of William & Mary

Eran Ganot

Head Coach
University of Hawaii