



Expression of Intent

SAI- AFI – IAAF

Centre of Excellence, New Delhi

SPEED - POWER - TECHNICAL EVENTS

All Sprints – Jumps – Combined Events

FOCUS

Potential International Youth and Junior Elite (for Short – Medium and long Term)

- IAAF Youth & Junior World Championships
- IAAF World Championships: 2019- 2020-2023
- Youth Olympic Games
- Olympic Games: 2020 Tokyo & 2024

Preamble

The establishment of a High-Performance Academy in Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Complex, New Delhi;

Called by the name The **SAI-AFI-IAAF** High Performance Academy [SAIHPA], it will have a professional environment and approach to Athletics/Track & Field events with the following objectives:

- To provide excellent coaching, an integrated support services, education and great experience for the athletes;
- Create an environment in which youth/ junior potential Elite Athletes can grow with the SAIHPA helping to shape their careers by building them into the best athletes and champion performers;
- Establish an extremely focused and professional atmosphere – which will stay with the athletes 'mind set' and permeate into their future athletic and career life style;
- Build the athletes' mental skills, confidence, focus and determination that will enable these athletes reach their goals and compete at their best every day; and
- Assist the athletes develop their skills to be effective leaders, including leadership qualities, communication skills, character building and accountability.

A. Sports Authority of India (SAI)

Shall contribute to and be responsible for funding and making available the following:

- Academy office
- The outdoor stadium
- The strength training gymnasium
- Medicine & physiotherapist facilities & specialists
- Athletes and coaches hostel facility
- Athletes and coaches Cafeteria
- Accommodation to house visiting foreign specialists
- The salaries of all the Academy administrative staff, coaches, teachers and specialist staff for the Performance Enhancement Centre and Directorate Support department.
- All the essential equipment required for the training of the athletes
- All the essential office equipment that is required to administer the Academy

B. International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF)

Shall contribute as follows:

- Specialists as named to visit twice a year
- First Visit: Pre/During – Athletics conditioning period and Second Visit: Transition to competition period
- To assist in educating Elite Coaches (sustainability and assisting MFs to become independent/autonomous)
- The specialists to work with the Academy event coaches

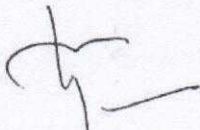
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- Suggest the programme with the IAAF run for 5 years: 2015 through to 2020, Tokyo Olympics
 - To assist in evaluating the process
 - Types of Specialists:
 - Sprints Coach
 - Horizontal Jumps Coach
 - Vertical Jumps Coach
 - Decathlon Coach
 - Heptathlon Coach
 - Sports Medicine
 - Strength Training

During their stay at the Academy, each of the Specialists shall give a seminar on their 'specialty' for a selected number of coaches and using the IAAF President's declared policy and have a link to various centers in India where there will be a selected number of coaches who will follow the seminar in 'real time' being conducted in Delhi and using large screens. This could be the first 'practice' run for the IAAF, as President Lord Coe, hopes to implement this idea of his in all the IAAF RDC's.

C Athletics Federation of India (AFI)

Shall contribute in:

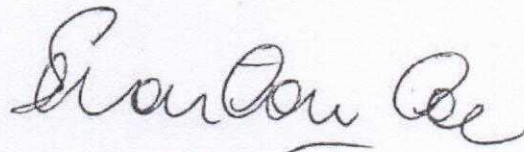
- Selecting through the SAI-run selection process the Head of the Academy
- Selecting through the SAI-run selection process all the Indian coaches administrative staff, education teachers and specialist staff for the Academy
- Provide assistance in the management of the Academy
- Liaise with the IAAF in all matter concerning the Academy
- Joint management of athletes at the CoE by AFI and SAI
- To set an evaluation system (KPI) and to assess regularly the process



(On behalf of SAI/MYAS)

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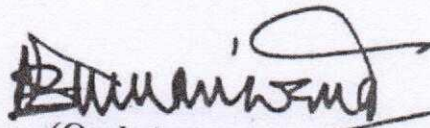
Designation: Director General, SAI



(On behalf of IAAF)

Name: Sebastian Coe

Designation: President, IAAF



(On behalf of AFI)

Name: Adille J. Sumariwalla

Designation: President, AFI

Dated: 6th October, 2015