

## Context

To support National Federations and their Coaches the IBU offers the new IBU Academy Coach Education Programme consisting of 4 levels (basic, first, second, and third level). The Pilot Third Level Course consists of 120 hours and will be held online and in-person 4-days camps in October 2024, May 2025, and July 2025.

## Participants

A maximum of 10 motivated candidates with advanced experience in coaching at the elite level and coaches with a university education in sports science nominated by the National Federation.

## Lectures

Theoretical and practical lessons in the fields of skiing, shooting, applied training science, biathlon performance, exercise physiology, coaches' soft skills, nutrition, psychology, recovery & prevention, equipment, the business of sport, and integrity will be provided by well-known experts and coaches in the related fields.

## Place & Date

Week 1: 4 days, planned in October 2024 in Östersund (SWE)

Week 2: 4 days, planned in May 2025 in Antholz (ITA)

Week 3: 4 days, planned in July 2025 in Oslo (NOR)

## Costs & Funding:

€ 7 500 per person, excluding travel and accommodation costs. The NF can apply for financial support from the IBU development support for a maximum of two candidates (1 male, and 1 female) to cover the fee, accommodation, and travel costs.

**Application Deadline:**  
31 March 2024

**Application:**  
via IBU Scope  
[IBU Knowledgebase](https://www.ibu-scope.com)  
([ibu-scope.com](https://www.ibu-scope.com))

**Further information**  
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