



BIRMINGHAM FIGURE
SKATING CLUB

Job Opportunity | Birmingham Figure Skating Club | Competitive Figure Skating Coach

The Birmingham Figure Skating Club (BFSC) (<https://bhamsk8s.org/>) and Pelham Skate School (<https://www.pelhamciviccomplex.com/1021/Figure-Skating>) are seeking an advanced level figure skating coach to join our staff of professionals and ambitious skaters and families. Hit the ground (or ice that is) running with a full lesson schedule paired with substantial professional growth, leadership, and advancement opportunities.

Our Need

- An established and credentialed professional coach with a passion for developing skaters at all levels and disciplines to meet demand that currently exceeds coaching availability and capacity.
- This coach will immediately join the Learn-to-Skate and group lesson schedule as well as take on approximately 10 to 15 full-time competitive skaters at the Preliminary, Juvenile, and Intermediate levels.
- A coach that embraces and contributes to a collaborative model with an ambition to grow the skating program in Birmingham and their own group of skaters and students as they:
 - Instruct Learn-to-Skate classes, group lessons, camps, private lessons, and competitions.
 - Work to evolve skaters from Learn-to-Skate to Aspire to full competitive levels via skater development and education on and off the ice.
 - Align skaters and families to their skating pathway and pace of development and engagement.
 - Create and execute long-term and skater-specific development and competitive plans.

Why Birmingham Figure Skating Club?

- **History and Stability** - Established in 1961, and since its founding, the Birmingham Figure Skating Club has provided a place for kids and adults alike to find a path in skating and coaching at all levels and disciplines. We're steeped in tradition and history, and have produced thousands of skaters, ranging from lifelong recreational skating to professional show skating, to competitive disciplines at the national and even international level.
- **High quality team** - Our current coaching staff is home to a former Olympian and other former U.S. National Championship competitors. <https://bhamsk8s.org/coaches/>
- **Engaged club membership** - BFSC currently holds over 150 members and over 50 competitive skaters at levels ranging from basic skills to National Qualifying Series.
- **Events capacity and expertise** - BFSC hosts the annual Magic City Ice Classic, attracting over 200 skaters at all levels, as well as periodic national events such as Theater-on-Ice Nationals and Blades-in-Bama basic skills competitions.
- **Top-class facility** - Pelham Civic Complex (<https://www.pelhamciviccomplex.com/1018/Pelham-Civic-Complex-Ice-Arena>) includes a 4000-seat main arena and a full practice arena offering ample ice availability and off-ice space to train.
- **Large and growing market** - Current Learn-to-Skate enrollments exceed 950 annually across 400 individual skaters and are growing year over year.
- **Quality of life** - 1.15 million people reside in the Birmingham metro area, the 50th most populous in the U.S. Cost of living is 6% lower than the national average and housing specifically is 16% lower. Enjoy endless outdoor activities, a booming food and music scene, college and professional sports, and a full calendar of other unique events throughout the year. <https://www.birminghamal.org/>

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