

BC Performance Coach Award Pathway

Congratulations on completing your BC Performance Coach Award. You have some choices as a coach.



Options include:

- **Stay as you are** and keep *updated* by attending a Coaching Matters event, Coaching Conference, Coach Education training or assessment course or any of the other options available via the *Coach Update* page of the Scottish Canoe Association - <http://canoescotland.org/courses-training/cpd-coaches> If you are member of another Home Nation please refer to their website.
- **Advanced Leadership Award** in same discipline as moderate leadership award. This will provide you with a remit to lead groups in advanced water environment.
- **BC Advanced DST Coach** Training and Assessment. If you hold the Advanced Leadership Award in the same discipline you could complete AWE to give you the remit and skills to coach in an advanced water environment.
- **Alternative BC Moderate Leadership Award** this will give you the remit to lead groups in a moderate water environment. Disciplines include:
 1. Sea Kayak
 2. Canoe
 3. White Water Kayak
 4. Surf Kayak
- **Alternative BC Moderate Water DST Coach** Training and Assessment in a new discipline. This will extend your remit to allow you to coach groups in the moderate water.
- **BC Performance Coach DST** Training and Assessment towards coaching paddlers for the new discipline.
- **BC Foundation Modules** (alternative to previous one) these support the coach development programme for all coaches. There are no pre-requisites to any of the modules. Foundation Modules are 3 hours in length. These Modules support coaches in the following areas:
 1. Fitness for Paddlesports
 2. Coaching The Mind
 3. Performance Planning
 4. Outdoor Education
 5. Coaching Young Paddlers
 6. Fundamentals
 7. Paddle-ability
 8. Mentoring
- **BC Intermediate Modules** these further enhance your background knowledge as a paddlesport coach and are 6 hours in length. These modules support coaches in the following areas:
 1. Coaching The Mind
 2. Optimising Performance for Paddlesport Part 1
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- **BC Discipline Specific Modules** these support the specialist disciplines and aid you in delivering sessions that specialise in:
 1. Racing
 2. Slalom
 3. Freestyle
 4. SUP