Game Day Streaming Internship - Almaden FC

Position Summary:

Almaden FC is seeking a passionate and tech-savvy Game Day Streaming Intern to oversee the live broadcasting of our USL League Two home games. This role offers a unique opportunity to gain hands-on experience in sports media production, live streaming, and content creation. The intern will play a key role in ensuring a high-quality viewing experience for fans by managing video equipment, streaming platforms, and live commentary coordination.

Responsibilities:

- Set up, operate, and troubleshoot streaming equipment, including HUDL cameras, microphones, and encoding software.
- Manage live broadcasts on designated streaming platforms (e.g., Sportsengine play).
- Ensure high-quality video and audio output, adjusting settings as needed for optimal performance.
- Work with the Media & Communications team to integrate graphics, overlays, and realtime updates.
- Coordinate with announcers and commentators to ensure smooth audio transmission.
- Monitor live streams for technical issues and resolve them promptly.
- Capture highlight clips and assist in post-game content creation for social media and promotional use.
- Assist in testing and improving the streaming process throughout the season.

Education and Experience:

- Interested/Currently pursuing or recent graduate in Broadcasting, Media Production, Film, Communications, or a related field.
- Experience with live streaming platforms (YouTube Live, Facebook Live, OBS, Wirecast, or similar software) preferred.

Skills and Competencies:

- Familiarity with video cameras, audio equipment, and production workflows.
- Strong problem-solving skills and ability to troubleshoot technical issues under pressure.
- Passion for soccer and interest in sports media production.
- Availability to work evenings and weekends for home games.

Benefits:

- Gain hands-on experience in live sports broadcasting.
- Build a strong portfolio in media production and digital content creation.
- Network with professionals in the soccer and sports media industry.
- Receive college credit (if applicable) and a letter of recommendation upon successful completion.

To Apply:

Please email your resume and relevant work samples to the AFC USL 2 Operations Manager - Gavin Carvalho at gavincarvalho@almadenfc.org

About Almaden FC:

Almaden Soccer was founded as a non-profit organization in 1967 and has since then continuously provided soccer opportunities for local players of all abilities. In 2007 the club added "Almaden FC" as a competitive program to provide playing opportunities for those Almaden Soccer players who desired a higher level of playing opportunity than that afforded by Almaden's long-standing recreational program.

Today Almaden Soccer continues to support the growth and holistic development for players of all abilities, providing our players with unique learning and playing opportunities within our various programs, including: recreational; juniors; competitive; and elite player programs.

Our increasing stature in youth soccer has allowed us to establish and maintain impressive regional, national and international affiliations including <u>US Club Soccer</u>, <u>NorCal Premier</u> Soccer League, Girls Academy League, <u>California Youth Soccer Association (CYSA)</u> District II