

PLAYER & COACH DEVELOPMENT

TOPIC: AN INTEGRATED PATHWAY TO PLAYER DEVELOPMENT

Emma will be providing an insight into the REX approach with the youth female game in Canada. Working together, back from an end goal of producing “more Sinclairs more often”, and bringing this alive on a daily basis in an all year-round program. With change brings its challenges, but with one clear goal and full alignment we are starting to see the benefits of an integrated approach. The Girls Elite Super REX program in Vancouver maintains a standardized national curriculum for female players U-13 to U-18, feeding into Canada Soccer’s Women’s National EXCEL Program and is operated in partnership with BC Soccer.

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Humphries, a UEFA A License coach, joined the club in January of 2015. Humphries oversees all girls programs at the club, including her duties as head coach of the Girls Elite Regional Excel Centre (REX) program in partnership with BC Soccer, and as Whitecaps FC girls academy centre director.

Prior to joining Whitecaps FC, Humphries previously worked as women’s National development manager in her native New Zealand under current Canadian women’s national team head coach John Herdman and Canada Soccer women’s EXCEL U-14/U-17 director Beverly Priestman.

