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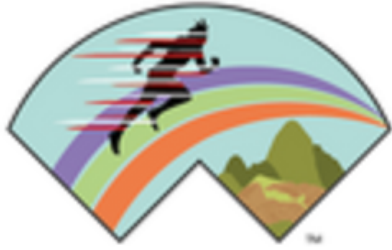
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**Oscar Gadea (Uruguayan) is the current President of the South American Coaches Association (ASEA), Chair of CONSUDATLE Coaches Commission/Atletismo Sudamericano Education Manager.**

**He is a highly experienced lecturer and coach who has been the National Coach at many major Championships, Olympic Games.**

**Oscar has been instrumental in bringing the Coaches Club and Symposium to the World Athletics U20 Championships Lima 24.**



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**Carmyn James works for Athletics Canada and is a member of the High-Performance Leadership Team which oversees athletes on the Canadian Athletics Performance Pathway (CAPP) Program. More specifically, Carmyn is the Athlete Performance Advisor (APA) for the top Canadian Track & Field student-athletes in the NCAA.**

**With a National Teams coaching background from 1987 and 29 years of head coach experience at the University of British Columbia and the University of Hawai'i Carmyn is familiar with the challenges of bridging the gap between U20 athletes and Olympians.**



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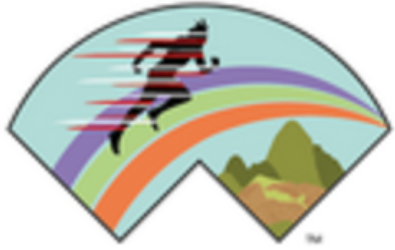
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**Nelio Alfano Moura has been a coach of national teams since 1990, including seven Olympic Games, seven Pan American Games, and twenty World Championships (indoor & out). Since 1988 (Seoul), he has qualified at least one athlete for every Olympic Games including 2 Golds in Beijing and a Silver in Tokyo. He is an athletics coach at the Esporte Clube Pinheiros.**

**He was for five years the Head Coach of Horizontal Jumps for the Chinese Athletics Association. He has published one book and over 30 technical and scientific articles. He holds a Master's degree in Human Performance.**



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**Gennaro Boccia graduated from the University of Turin (Italy) with a Master's degree in Advanced Sciences of Sports Training. His PhD focused on methodological aspects of electromyography to study muscle fatigue and muscle coordination. He is currently an Associate Professor at the University of Turin, where he is studying the determinants of muscle contraction quickness and the effects of muscle fatigue on this physical capacity. In addition to his expertise in the assessment of neuromuscular function, he has been studying the performance trajectories of elite athletes (athletics, swimming, football) for 10 years.**



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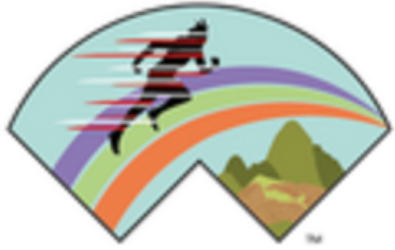
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**Fernando Oliva, (Argentinian), has made significant contributions to the world of athletics. Notably, he is the coach for Noor Vidts, (heptathlete) Vidts has achieved remarkable success, including two World Indoor Championships, European Bronze in Rome 2024, and fourth-place in Tokyo 2021. Fernando is the Head Coach and Quality Manager for combined Events and Jumps in Belgium and since 2020 the Programme Manager for the High Performance Track & Field System in Belgium.**



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**Frank is currently the chair of the World Athletics Global Athletics Coaching Academy (GACA) an organisation dedicated to coaching working to ensure its coaches are competent, regulated, supported and represented to properly exercise their role professionally in all areas of the world.**

**His expertise derives from years of detailed research into individual success and achievement.**

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