

Biographical notes for Eddie Oyakhilome

Eddie Oyakhilome is the Director of Coaching for Wesley Chapel Soccer Club. He has responsibility for all aspects of the club's management and operations, with an emphasis on developing the competitive teams program. He joined the club in 2014 as Assistant Director of Coaching/Senior teams and was promoted to his current role in March 2018.

He currently holds the US Soccer "D" License, Brazilian level 2 & 3 Coaching Licenses, as well as the United Soccer Coaches Club Director diploma. Eddie is conducting coursework to complete his US Soccer "C" License in May 2018. He has also earned Bachelors of science in Computer Information Systems and MBA from Southern New Hampshire University as well as an MS in Justice and Security from University of Phoenix.

Eddie has nearly 15 year's club management and coaching director experience with Central Pasco United/Greater Tampa Bay FC (2009-2014), RSL Florida, and Tampa Knights (2003-2009). While at Greater Tampa Bay he was head coach for the club's first ever boys team State Final Four appearance.

Since coming to Wesley Chapel FC, Eddie has coached numerous teams to FYSA State Cup success, most recently including appearances in 2017 Round of 16 for the 99 Girls Red. This team is currently representing Wesley Chapel in the elite Southern Regional Premier League. Eddie is also coaching the 02 Girls Red, who are playing in the Florida State Premier League, where they stand in 5th place.

Eddie represented Nigeria as a youth international, where his team won the U17 FIFA World Cup.

He played collegiately at New Hampshire College, and subsequently played at the professional level in Europe with West Ham United (UK), Colchester United FC (UK), Leyton Orient FC (UK), Barnet FC (UK), Barkingside FC (UK), and SS Lazio (Italy).