

## Greater Lowell United Football Club Names Jason Moore Head Coach

MLS veteran and former No. 1 draft pick will take the reins for GLUFC's first season in the National Premier Soccer League

LOWELL, Mass., December 9, 2013—Greater Lowell United Football Club, a new entry into the National Premier Soccer League for 2014, announced today that it has named MLS veteran and former No. 1 overall draft pick Jason Moore as head coach of its NPSL team.

“We recognize the importance of having someone with professional experience develop our players, and we're thrilled that Jason has accepted this position,” said Tim Melican, co-founder of GLUFC and the club's director of operations. “We feel confident that Jason's expertise and rapport with players will catapult us to a successful debut season in the NPSL.”

Moore was the No. 1 pick in the MLS college draft in 1999 and won the MLS Cup with DC United in his rookie season. He spent five seasons in Major League Soccer, also playing for Colorado Rapids, Chicago Fire and New England Revolution. Moore was also a member of the United States men's national under-17 soccer team, which went to the quarterfinals of the 1993 FIFA under-17 World Championship. Moore attended the University of Virginia, where he played two seasons on the men's soccer team.

In 2012, he founded Moore Soccer Academy. MSA's programs are designed for individuals, teams and small groups to help develop players' technical skills. The academy also offers specialized training with current MLS professionals, such as New England Revolution goalie Matt Reis.

“I believe that we are on the cusp of something special with Greater Lowell United,” Moore said. “I'm excited to be able to use my skills in player development and leverage my experience as a professional player to help GLUFC win on the pitch and place players in college programs and with professional clubs. I'm also looking forward to experiencing the fantastic soccer atmosphere I know the people in the Lowell area will provide.”

Greater Lowell United Football Club is based in Lowell, Mass., and will begin play in the National Premier Soccer League in 2014. The club will also offer reserve, women's and youth squads. GLUFC's mission is to bring top-notch soccer to the people of Lowell and surrounding areas and to both excite fans and win games. GLUFC plans to bring professional soccer to the Lowell area in the future.

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