

# Deno Merrick

2004 Girls Assistant Coach  
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The 2018 season will be Deno Merrick's 12<sup>th</sup> as Head Coach for the Women's Soccer Program at Missouri Baptist University. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Information Systems with a minor in Business Administration. Deno also holds a Master's Degree in Education with emphasis in Sport Management from Missouri Baptist University. Coach Merrick played one season for Missouri Baptist and also served as a member of the Antigua National Team.

Deno was one of the most influential members of the Spartan men's team during his senior season. He was chosen as an All-Conference selection and an All-Region honorable mention. He also participated in the United Soccer League (USL) for the local St. Louis Lions Premier Development League for the program's first three full seasons. Deno helped the Lions reach the playoffs for the first time in the team's history and helped them to another winning season with a record of 10-6-0. Deno was also named First Team All-Region for the USL in his first year with the Lions.

Deno holds an NSCCA National and Advance National Coaching License along with Level 1, 2, and 3 Goalkeeper License. He also holds a USSF D License.

Deno has been married for 11 years to his wife Allisa. They have two children, Elise (6) and Eli (4).