

Thanks to the great structure of coaches, facilities and technology the Spanish Badminton Federation launches this international project (**SPANISH INTERNATIONAL BADMINTON ACADEMY - SIBA**) which aims to train players and educate coaches from countries affiliated to the Badminton World Federation (BWF), Badminton Europe (BE), Continental Confederations and especially to member associations.

**SIBA** offers a comprehensive sports training for those **PLAYERS** and **COACHES** who want to improve their skills and knowledge in badminton, working with modern methods and technology. Led by a group of recognized professionals from national and international level.

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