

Ryan Smith

Assistant Coach

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Ryan Marie Smith started swimming competitively at the age of 6. Throughout the years, Ryan was a two-time Pennsylvania State Champion, qualified for Junior and Senior Nationals, US Open, and NCAA's. Ryan graduated with a BS in Physiology and Neurobiology from the University of Connecticut and is currently working on her Masters Degree in Public Health at Old Dominion University. Ryan swam for the University of South Carolina her freshmen year, then transferred to the University of Connecticut where she swam on a full scholarship for three years. Ryan began coaching summer league swim teams in Pennsylvania at the age of 16. After moving from Pennsylvania to Virginia, she was the head coach for the Suffolk Family YMCA Gators for two years. Ryan holds records at her high school and college and received awards such as: the UConn Outstanding Senior Athlete Award, Director of Athletics Scholar Athlete Award, All Big East Swim team, Remarkable Individual Award from the UConn Director of Athletics, Honorable Mention Academic All-American, and the Outstanding Athlete Award while at the University of Connecticut. Ryan looks forward to working with your children.