Brunei Darussalam



- Association founded 1959
- Affiliated to FIFA in 1969





Football in Brunei Darussalam

Little information about football in this tiny sultanate reaches the outside world. However, the association was founded in 1959 and has an ordered structure. Brunei's national teams have appeared in many Asian and FIFA tournaments. Brunei made their international debut in the preliminary round for the 1986 FIFA World Cup[™] in Mexico, but struggled to make an impression and failed to win any points. A similar story unfolded during the qualifiers for the 2002 event. The domestic game has developed, however, mainly thanks to sponsorship deals with major companies. Originally consisting of 10 teams, the current B-League is now broken down into Premier I (10 teams) and Premier II (14 teams). In March 2005, the Sultan opened the nine-team ASEAN U-21 Championship, which was hosted by Brunei.

Goal Project

The Brunei Darussalam association was included in the list of members to benefit from *Goal* three years ago, when it was suggested that any project would be directed at improving the infrastructure of the organisation's work. On 4 February 2008, the *Goal* Bureau approved a two-storey headquarters including offices and meeting rooms adjacent to a multipurpose hall.

Financing of Goal project

Project

Association headquarters with meeting rooms and multipurpose hall

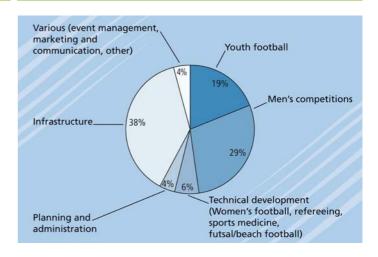
Project approved 4 February 2008

Status

Implementation

Financed by		
Goal	USD	400,000
FAP	USD	1,199,405
Total cost	USD	1,599,405

Use of FAP funds





Football education and courses	No of courses until 1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
FUTURO III regional courses																					
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•: Course host country □: Course participant in another country																					

Women's football

When, in 1995, today's FIFA President said "The future of football is feminine", it was more than mere lip service. It reflected a strong belief in the huge potential that women's football has to develop. Ever since, FIFA has given targeted support for the efforts of associations who offer women the same opportunities to develop as male players. Launched in 1998, FIFA's Financial Assistance Programme (FAP) introduced a requirement in 2004 for the associations and confederations to invest at least 4% of their FAP funding into women's football. This threshold was increased to 10% in 2005. On top of this commitment, FIFA also promotes the women's game in more general ways by directly financing women's matches and organising competitions and symposiums. Thanks to its development programmes, FIFA is also playing an active role in the training of administrators, coaches, referees and sports doctors.

Does an organised women's football set-up exist? If so, since when? From which age on, players are registered? Women's teams (open or over 16 years) Women's teams (below 16 years, youth) National competition (or women's league) Regional competitions University competitions School competitions Futsal competitions National "A" team National youth teams: age categories Brunei's Dragonfly FC

n/a



The women's team from the Berakas International School