

# UNITED SOCCER COACHES ANNUAL MEDIA CONTEST

## SUBMISSION FORM



As the game of soccer continues to grow in popularity, United Soccer Coaches annually award those who have chronicled soccer's personalities, problems, games and development.

The United Soccer Coaches Annual Media Contest recognizes writers and reporters with work published in a newspaper (daily or weekly), magazine, website, television broadcast or blog covering soccer. Freelance writers published in newspapers, magazines or as special features can also submit published articles.

Stories and features published from **Dec. 1, 2018 through Nov. 30, 2019** can be entered into this year's contest. Submissions must be **received** on or before **Friday, Dec. 20, 2019** for consideration.

Winners will be notified late December via email and/or phone, and publicly recognized at the United Soccer Coaches Convention in January. Winners unable to attend the Convention will be mailed their award in late January.

### PLEASE NOTE

One individual author is allowed one submission per category, and up to two submissions for the entire contest. If submitting two entries, please use a separate form for each story.

### PLEASE INDICATE UNDER WHICH CATEGORY YOUR SUBMISSION FALLS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Deadline/game stories | <input type="checkbox"/> Video feature*        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Feature stories       | <input type="checkbox"/> College Student**     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Column                | <input type="checkbox"/> High School Student** |

\*Video submissions can be made using a video player link (YouTube, Vimeo, etc.). Be sure the link will be perpetually active.

\*\*Articles written by a college or high school journalist. In this category only, articles can be published in a campus or high school newspaper, or blog.

### AUTHOR INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Full mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

### FOR COLLEGE/HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ONLY

High School/College name (location) \_\_\_\_\_

Year       Freshman       Sophomore       Junior       Senior

Publication/website where story was published \_\_\_\_\_

Link (if still active) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of original publication \_\_\_\_\_

All submissions (completed form and a PDF copy of the published article) can be emailed to [mknipper@UnitedSoccerCoaches.org](mailto:mknipper@UnitedSoccerCoaches.org) or mailed to:

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**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: December 20, 2019**