



Utah Surf Coach Scholarship Application

The Utah Surf Coach Scholarship Application outlines our ambition and aim to develop coaches who can provide relevant and specific coaching that will develop our players within a fun, safe and high-performing environment. Utah Surf's aim is to support an in-house club coach development process as well as encourage progression through various governing associations licensing.

The aim of this application process is to support coaches in their pursuit of professional excellence by funding mutually beneficial coaching license opportunities through US Soccer Federation or United Soccer Coaches. Utah Surf coaches interested in advancing their coaching certification through the completion of a USSF or USC coaching course should submit the following scholarship application to Utah Surf Executive Director, Blaine Hale - blaine@utahsurfsoccer.com PRIOR to registering for the course.

Who can apply:

To apply for a Utah Surf Coach Scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

- Have been a head coach with Utah Surf for a minimum of 12 months.

Guidelines:

- Scholarships are ONLY for the course named on this application.
- Utah Surf Executive Director and board approval are required to receive a scholarship.
- Candidates will pay for the course up front and will receive scholarship amount upon *successful completion* of the course - 50% after successful completion of the course and remaining balance after specified increments (depending on level of course).
- Candidates who apply for a Utah Surf Coach Scholarship, must accept the following incrementally-structured commitment periods.

- **USSF Grassroots** - Utah Surf will reimburse 100% of the course registration fee upon successful completion of the course. Candidate must submit receipt and certificates to payments@utahsurfsoccer.com
- **USSF D license** - Utah Surf will reimburse 50% of the course registration fees upon the successful completion of the course. Candidate will be reimbursed the remaining 50% of the scholarship after 12 months. Candidate must submit receipt and certificate to payments@utahsurfsoccer.com
- **USSF C license** - Utah Surf will reimburse 50% upon the successful completion of the course. Candidate will be reimbursed the remaining 50% of the scholarship after 24 months. Candidate must submit receipt and certificate to payments@utahsurfsoccer.com
- **USSF B license** - Utah Surf will reimburse 50% upon the successful completion of the course. Candidate will be reimbursed the remaining 50% of the scholarship after 36 months. Candidate must submit receipt and certificate to payments@utahsurfsoccer.com
- **USSF A license** - Utah Surf will reimburse 50% upon the successful completion of the course. Candidate will be reimbursed the remaining 50% of the scholarship after 48 months. Candidate must submit receipt and certificate to payments@utahsurfsoccer.com

If the coach does not remain coaching with Utah Surf for the complete aforementioned time commitment periods following the successful course completion, the scholarship shall be revoked and remaining installments will be forfeited.

A candidate shall be considered for payment advancement at the time of course registration (for up to the \$2000) as long as he/she has been coaching with Utah Surf for at least two full seasonal years and has board approval for upfront reimbursement.

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Please read the Utah Surf Coach Scholarship Application policy above before completing this application.

Coach Name:	Length of Time Coaching with Utah Surf:
License/Course Title:	Dates of course:
Course Location:	Registration cost of License/Course: <small>*travel expenses are not included</small>
Home Address:	Phone Number:
City:	State/Zip Code:
Email:	Current Highest License:

Have you been accepted into the course? YES/NO	Amount of Scholarship Requested:
Reason for Scholarship:	

By signing below, the person/coach agrees to the terms noted in this document.

Coach Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Utah Surf Executive Director Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Please send completed form to blaine@utahsurfsoccer for approval.

Note: Tax consequences (if any) as a result of Utah Surf's reimbursement under this agreement are the sole responsibility of the receiver.