



## **USTA Player Development 2015 Excellence Grants Criteria – Boys**

***In order to encourage the development of U.S. Junior players we have designed USTA Player Development Excellence Grant criteria to award players for their development to become a professional player. Any U.S. players achieving the requirements listed below (based on a player's birth year) will receive a grant. Players that meet one (1) of the criteria boxes below will receive \$1000, once the player has met two (2) boxes the player will receive \$2000 more and once a player meet three (3) boxes a player will receive \$3000. Thus a player could earn \$6000 during a year based on his/her performance. Player will need to submit this form each time he/she meets one of the requirements listed below.***

Player's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Players Born 1997**

- Top 1000 ATP year end singles ranking
- Singles Winner or Finalist of USTA 18's Nationals in Kalamazoo
- Singles Semi-finalist of a Junior Grand Slam (This bullet may be used three times)
- Singles Winner or Finalist of the Orange Bowl 18's
- Singles Winner or Finalist of ITF \$10,000 or higher event (This bullet may be used two times)
- Singles Quarter-finalist of an ATP \$50,000 event or higher (This bullet may be used three times)
- Two singles wins over ATP Top 350 players

### **Players Born 1998**

- Top 1200 ATP year end singles ranking
- Singles Semi-Finalist of USTA 18's Nationals in Kalamazoo
- Singles Quarter-finalist of a Junior Grand Slam (This bullet may be used three times)
- Singles Finalist of an ITF 18's Grade 1 , B1 or A event
- Three singles wins over ATP Top 600 players in pro events (This bullet may be used two times)
- Singles Round of 16 in ATP \$50,000 event or higher (This bullet may be used three times)
- Singles Winner or Finalist of ITF \$10,000 or higher event (This bullet may be used three times)

### **Players Born 1999**

- Top 1300 ATP year end singles Ranking
- Singles Top 6 finisher in the USTA 18's Nationals in Kalamazoo
- Singles Semi-finalist at an ITF 18's Group 1 or higher (This bullet may be used two times)
- Singles Finalist in the USTA National 18's Clay Courts
- Singles Winner or finalist USTA Nationals 16's
- Singles Main Draw participant in Junior Grand Slam based on ranking
- Singles Quarter-finalist of 18's Orange Bowl or 18's Eddie Herr
- Three singles wins over ATP Top 1000 players in pro events (This bullet may be used two times)
- Singles Quarter-finalist of an ITF \$10,000 event or higher (This bullet may be used two times)
- Participant on the Jr Davis Cup Competition Finals with team finishing Top 4 in the world

### **Players Born 2000**

- Singles Semi-finalist of the USTA 16's Nationals in Kalamazoo
- Singles Semi-finalist of the USTA 16's Nationals Clay Courts or 16's Easter Bowl
- Singles Winner in one ITF 18's Group 5 event or higher in USA
- Singles Quarterfinalist in Orange Bowl 16s
- Singles Semi-finalist in Eddie Herr 16's
- Participant on Jr Davis Cup Competition Finals
- Winner of a singles main draw match of an ITF \$10,000 event or higher (This bullet may be used two times)

### **Players Born 2001 or later**

- Singles Winner of a USTA 14 's USTA National Championships (TX)
- Singles Finalist of the 14's USTA Clay courts
- Singles Finalist of the 14's Easter Bowl
- Singles Quarter-Finalist of 16's USTA National Championships or 16's USTA National Clay Courts or 16's Easter Bowl
- Singles Quarter-Finalist of one ITF 18's Group 5 event or higher held in the United States (This bullet may be used two times)
- Singles Semi-finalist of the 14's Junior Orange Bowl
- Singles Finalist in 14's Eddie Herr
- Singles Round of 16 of the 16's Orange Bowl
- Singles Semi-Finalist in Le Petit As or singles finalist in Bolton (Teen Tennis) event
- Participant on World Junior Tennis Competition Finals with team finishing Top 4 in the world

Note: All players must be US citizens and eligible to represent the United States in International Team Competitions. Player must submit a W-9 and other supporting documentation to Herlinda Lombardi ([Herlinda@usta.com](mailto:Herlinda@usta.com)) 561-962-6428 or John Lansville ([Lansville@usta.com](mailto:Lansville@usta.com)) 310-630-4520. All grant requests must be submitted by December 31, 2015.