

TEAM USPA

2019 Application for Team USPA Program

Players applying to the Team USPA program must demonstrate their commitment to polo and have clear and specific goals related to their career. Selection criteria will include playing ability, horsemanship, improvement potential, attitude and work ethic. **This program identifies talented American polo players who are committed to pursuing a career as a polo professional.** If the applicant is selected, he/she will be required to participate in an immersion clinic. Newly admitted players must be willing to play with other members of their Team USPA class in specific tournaments. Opportunities to apply for training in Argentina and grants designed for unique playing opportunities will be available to help advance players' level of play.

All materials and applications for 2019 will be accepted until March 31, 2019.

All applications are to be submitted online only.

<https://form.jotform.com/polodevelopment/teamuspa>

The following information is requested;

1. Players with a DOB between 1/1/1995 and 12/31/2003 are invited to apply
2. Proof of US citizenship
3. A cover letter outlining personal polo goals and commitment to the sport explicitly stating what you would like to achieve through the Team USPA program.
4. A detailed resume including; detailed polo and horse related experience, industry-related work experience, skills and hobbies.
5. You are required to submit video of a recent game that you have played in.

Upload link: <https://www.dropbox.com/request/uiAYAdiyYjdSLJd7fHom>

- If your game is available online (YouTube, Chukker.TV, USPA Polo Network, etc.) email the direct link to the game to Amanda Snow asnow@uspolo.org with the exact time of the chukker(s) you would like reviewed.
6. A minimum of three recommendation letters demonstrating athletic ability, work ethic, potential and horsemanship from current and former high goal players and respected members of the polo community sent electronically to teamuspa@uspolo.org.
 7. Members must have received their high school diploma or GED, or currently be working towards graduation and in good standing with current school.