



Coach of the Year Selection

Before you complete the nomination form, please read the following carefully to ensure you are familiar with the criteria for both categories.

The award will be presented in two categories;

- Performance Coach of the Year
- Youth Coach of the Year

Performance Coach

This award will be made to a coach working with athletes and teams at the highest level of sport. The award looks for evidence of rider focused development leading to successful performance at the most senior level nationally or internationally.

Evidence

- Has adopted a rider focused approach to coaching
- Has made a positive improvement to the performance of a rider or team
- Has coached athletes or teams who have delivered a successful performance at National or International Level

Development Coach

This award will be made to a coach who has made an outstanding contribution to the introduction and early development of sport for young people under the age of 25.

Evidence

- Has delivered quality coaching in a safe environment
- Has contributed to the development of the basic skills of a young rider or a young team
- Has created a safe, fun and nurturing environment for development
- Has demonstrated innovative practice in their coaching

All Nominated Coaches

All nominated coaches should meet the following criteria:

- Hold an HSI Coaching Qualification or equivalent
- Consistently demonstrate high standards of coaching
- Perform well on days of competition
- Maintain good relationships with riders, owners, stewards and HSI/FEI officials
- Demonstrate an interest in the coach education process
- Demonstrate their commitment to ongoing improvement as a coach



Horse Sport Ireland

Coach of the Year Nomination Form

1. Award Category

Please indicate which award you are nominating this nominee for:

Performance Coach

Development Coach

2. Nominee

Name	
Address	
Contact Number	
E-mail address	

All details must be complete

3. Nominator

Name	
Address	
Contact Number	
E-mail address	

All details must be complete



4. Criteria and Evidence

Please make your nomination below. The time period that you should base your nomination on is achievement from 1st January 2017 to date.

Please use this opportunity to clearly summarise why you feel this individual / organisation should be nominated whilst considering the specific award criteria and evidence required.

Summary of current level of commitment and activity

Impact - How has this nominee made a positive impact?



Achievement

i. What have been the notable achievements of this nominee to date?

Personal Development

Please provide evidence of what the nominee has done to develop their skills and keep them up to date. This could be through attending workshops, working with other coaches etc.

Why should this nominee win the award? Consider the evidence required.

All nominations should be submitted by Monday 13th November 2017