

Application Form

Talent Development Scheme

Following the ecosystem analysis (ESA) that was conducted in 2020 and 2021, we are now pleased to launch applications for the Talent Development Scheme (TDS). The TDS will build upon the ESA analysis to offer bespoke support based upon the unique needs in your country to support the development pathway of male and female talent. To apply for the TDS, please complete the following five sections and return this form to tds@fifa.org

Note: only member associations that have completed the ESA may apply for the TDS. Please tick the appropriate box below:*

- We have completed the ESA analysis and received our country report and presentation (please complete sections 1 to 5)
- We would like to start the ESA process (please complete section 1 only)

Section 1 – contact details:

Name of member association*	<input type="text"/>
Contact name*	<input type="text"/>
Position within member association*	<input type="text"/>
Email address*	<input type="text"/>
Telephone number	<input type="text" value="+XX XXX..."/>

Is there a technical director in place?

- Yes
- No

Date of appointment	<input type="text"/>	
Name	<input type="text"/>	
Email address	<input type="text"/>	
Telephone number	<input type="text" value="+XX XXX..."/>	

Section 2 – strategic priorities

In the box below, please outline your strategic priorities for supporting talent development in your country. We suggest that you use the six sections of the ESA country report to describe your areas of focus – Management & Resources, National Teams, Domestic Competitions, Talent Development & Identification, Academies and Education.*

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please note MAs are free to attach any such strategic document that may support section two.

Section 3 – stakeholder engagement

In the box below, please outline your association's key stakeholders (both internal and external) in supporting the areas listed in section 2 and describe how you plan to engage with them throughout the project. *

Click or tap here to enter text.

Section 4 – project management

In the box below, please outline your project management team and its organisation for supporting talent development in your country based upon the areas listed in section 2. *

Click or tap here to enter text.

Please consider the following:

- Who will lead and drive the project?
- How will you organise yourself as a project team around the areas identified in section 2 and with the key stakeholders outlined in section 3?
- How often do you plan to meet as a project management team?
- How will you evaluate progress?

Section 5 – declaration of commitment

To enable each member association to reach its full potential, every talent must be given a chance as talent development is a long-term commitment for every association. Maximising the benefits of the Talent Development Scheme will require time and effort by the designated stakeholders across your association. We therefore see it as a crucial part of the application process that you outline your intent and commitment from an executive level to show that you are ready to pledge your efforts towards the TDS and have a strong focus on youth development. *

- We are committed to supporting the development of male and female talent as part of the TDS.
- We will commit to the design and implementation of the long-term TDS project plan linked to the strategic goals of our member association.
- We will form a project management team that will work together to design and implement the TDS project plan.
- As part of the project management team, there will be designated project lead who will have time allocated to the TDS.
- We will work with, and support the work of, FIFA's dedicated team of high-performance specialists.

Signature of President

Signature of General Secretary

Signature of Technical Director