

Congratulations to CSIO's Ed McNeely on winning the 2017 Strength and Conditioning Journal's Editorial Excellence Award

National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA) Celebrates 2017 *Strength and Conditioning Journal (SCJ)* Editorial Excellence Award Winner: Edward McNeely, MS, CSCS

Colorado Springs, CO – The National Strength and Conditioning Association is proud to announce that Edward McNeely has been selected as the NSCA's *Strength and Conditioning Journal (SCJ)* Editorial Excellence Award recipient for 2017. Mr. McNeely becomes the 19th recipient of the award, which has been handed out since 1999. Award winners are selected by SCJ Senior Editorial Staff based on their contributions as a reviewer to the NSCA's *Strength and Conditioning Journal*.

Edward received his Master's degree in Exercise Physiology from the University of Ottawa in 1994 and has been involved in the strength and conditioning industry for 27 years. He has been a consultant to 21 Canadian National and professional sports teams, including 39 Olympic medalists. McNeely is currently the Strength & Conditioning Lead at the Canadian Sport Institute Ontario.

"Congratulations to Edward for this well-deserved award," said Dr. T. Jeff Chandler, NSCA's SCJ Editor-in-Chief. "Edward has an outstanding record as a reviewer for SCJ, and has demonstrated talents that exemplifies what it is to be an NSCA professional. We are proud to have him as a member of our editorial team."

McNeely will receive his award at the 40th Annual NSCA National Conference which will be held later this year in Las Vegas, NV from July 12-15. The conference brings together the best of the best from all reaches of the strength and conditioning industry to provide an educational experience unlike any other. From cutting-edge presentations to dynamic hands-on sessions by renowned professors, researchers, strength coaches, and personal trainers, attendees receive the tools to help expand their knowledge and further their careers. The NSCA is the worldwide authority on strength and conditioning, and for more information regarding NSCA and their awards, please visit www.nasca.com.

Media Note: To schedule an interview with the award winner, contact Mike Hobson at 800.815.6826 x 109 or Michael.Hobson@nsca.com.

About the National Strength & Conditioning Association

The National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA) is an international nonprofit professional association founded in 1978 and is dedicated to advancing the strength and conditioning profession around the world. The NSCA advances the profession by supporting strength and conditioning professionals devoted to helping others discover and maximize their strengths. The organization disseminates research-based knowledge and its practical application by offering industry-leading certifications, research journals, career development services, and continuing education opportunities. The NSCA community is composed of more than 45,000 members and certified professionals who further industry standards as researchers, educators, strength coaches, personal trainers, and other roles in related fields.

Headquartered in Colorado Springs, Colorado, the NSCA serves as a valuable resource for its members, the fitness industry, general public, and the media. The association provides a wide variety of resources and opportunities designed to strengthen, build, advance, and unify.