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Milwaukee Kickers' Sydney Halstead Secures a Spot for 2017 *generation adidas international* Olympique Lyonnais Select

Sydney Halstead will travel to Lyon, France to train with Olympique Lyonnais Academy coaches through invite only *generation adidas international* Select.



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ATLANTA, GA - This year Milwaukee Kickers is proud to announce that Sydney Halstead has been selected for one of the 32 spots for the generation adidas international Olympique Lyonnais Select Program.

Each year the top adidas youth soccer clubs nationwide have the exclusive opportunity to nominate players and coaches to participate in the [generation adidas international](#) Select program. 96 talented players have been invited to train this August at Real Madrid Foundation, A.F.C. Ajax, and Olympique Lyonnais - three of the world's most powerful soccer clubs.

Halstead is 16 years old and plays for the Milwaukee Kickers. She has been playing soccer since the age of six competitively. From the program, she is most excited about the opportunity to train with the Olympique Lyonnais women's program, especially because she will be doing so with 31 other girls from across the country. For a more detailed player profile, see her [SoccerScout profile](#).

Olympique Lyonnais' multitude of trophies include 15 Division 1 Féminine titles, 9 Coupe de France Féminine titles, and 3 Women's Champion's League titles. In addition to being trained by Olympique Lyonnais academy coaches, Halstead will play in international friendly matches against Academy teams and receive individual evaluation from Olympique Lyonnais Academy coaches - an opportunity presented to very few American players.

About us: As part of the expanded generation adidas grassroots platform, *generation adidas international* emphasizes adidas' role as the premier provider of elite developmental opportunities to U.S. clubs. With generation adidas international's incomparable access to the world's top academies and tournaments, adidas clubs have the opportunity to train and play at the sport's most renowned institutions. With generation adidas international, the world of adidas soccer opens its doors. Where will you play?



"The opportunity to be a part of this program will not only help my soccer career become more serious and competitive, but it will also allow me to gain the knowledge and experience needed to play at a more advanced level."

-Sydney Halstead (Forward)

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