



## Board of Directors Elections – 2019 Biography and Candidacy Statement

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### **For Regional Board Director | Southern Region (III)** ***George Fotopoulos (Tampa Bay United)***

#### **BIOGRAPHY:**

George Fotopoulos has served as Director of Coaching and player development for girls since 2008 . In that time the girls program has claimed numerous National , Regional , and State Championships . Under his leadership the club has helped over 300 girls receive scholarships to some of the top NCAA 1,2,3,Junior College and NAIA programs in the country . He has also helped and developed numerous players that have gone on to represented our US National Team at the u16, u 18 , u20 and u 23 levels . Along with overseeing the girls program he also serves as the Tampa Bay United Women's team . As coach he has been honored with multiple Coach of the Year honors and helped lead the team to a amazing 7 Conference Championships in the last 8 years .

George Fotopoulos also serves as a USSF National Instructor and has helped over 150 coaches in the last two years receive their USSF Grassroots Diplomas . He holds a USSF A , USSF A GK , USSF Instructor , and United Coaches Asso Premier Diplomas . He is married to Danielle Fotopoulos and they have four children Alexia (18) Vasilios (14) Michael (10) and Demetri (7) .

#### **CANDIDACY STATEMENT:**

I am very blessed to have received the opportunity to run for another term for the US Clubs Board of Directors . There has been a growing demand for direction and leadership for coaching and player development in our country in the last 10 years . My goal is to help this Board and US Clubs to continue to grow its vision and make it a reality . I believe in hard work and servant leadership as the keys to being a successful Board member and I hope to be given the chance to work and serve another term as the rep for Region III.